

February News

Dear Athletes & Parents,

Congratulations Cheerleaders! What a great month for Aerial's cheer teams. On January 27th, the Varsity team WON the Buckeye Classic in Columbus and the Pee Wee team earned a 2nd place finish! The weekend prior, the JV team traveled to Indianapolis to compete in the Jamfest Super Nationals – the 2nd largest cheerleading competition in the WORLD (10,000 competitors!) After 2 days of tough competition, the JV cheerleaders earned a 5th place finish! We are very proud of all three teams and appreciate the hard work and time that goes into being a member of these teams ☺

Next, I want to dispel some rumors that have started – Aerial's is NOT closing. Effective, September 1, 2007 the New Vienna United Methodist Church is planning on implementing a mid-week church service and other programs. After much discussion, the church decided that it would be difficult for us to continue to practice at the facility with their new programs. SO, effective September 1, Aerial's will no longer offer classes or team practice at the New Vienna United Methodist Church. Our plan is to offer more recreational tumbling and cheerleading classes in Leesburg and Clarksville/Sligo. We also plan to offer competitive cheerleading teams at both locations and the Acro Team would practice in Leesburg. I know change is scary and difficult for some. I appreciate the time that we had to use the space in New Vienna, but I am also confident that our programs will continue to grow and improve in the other buildings also. It is the great athletes, staff and parents that make Aerial's #1, not the building in which we practice. Thank you for your understanding in this time of transition. Please read upcoming newsletters to see how the transition will impact your class times and schedule.

God Bless,

February Birthdays

Please see an Aerial's Staff Member to get your birthday sucker!

Zach Blankenship	February 6	Boys
Rosie Schreier	February 7	Advanced
Autumn Palmer	February 7	Elite
Olivia Minney	February 27	Advanced
Morghen Eades	February 26	Advanced
Shawna Conger	February 23	Beginner
Taylor Gasaway	February 17	Advanced
Courtney Smart	February 15	Intermediate
Ali Powers	February 14	Advanced & JV Cheer
Mason Noland	February 10	Advanced & JV Cheer

If your birthday is in February, but not listed above please let Angie know – sorry!

Calendar of Events:

February 12 & 19 – Aerial's Cheerleading Camp 6-7:30 in New Vienna
February 18 – SSYMCA Acro Meet
February 24 – Aerial's 3rd Cheerleading Invitational to be held at East Clinton HS
March 1 – Spring Quarter Begins
March 11 – Toledo Acro Meet
April 20-22 – UCA Gulf Coast Championship; Panama City, FL (Varsity Team only)
April 29 – SSYMCA Acro Meet
May 6 – Hand2Hand Acro Meet
May 20 – Ohio State (Acro) Championships in Tipp City
May 26 – RECITAL
June 10 – Regionals (Acro) at Hand2Hand in Springboro

Promotions!!!

Congratulations to the following athletes for being promoted this month ☺

Madi Crowe (New Vienna) promoted to the **advanced** class!

Abigail Zimmerman (Clarksville) promoted to the **intermediate** class!

3rd Annual Pee Wee Cheerleading Camp & 3rd Annual Aerial's Cheerleading Competition:

Aerial's Varsity Cheerleading Team will be hosting a pee wee cheerleading camp for ages 4-10 as a fundraiser for their trip to the UCA Gulf Coast All Star Championship. This will be a FUN, FUN, FUN way to learn a few cheers, a dance and some cheerleading fundamentals. The cost is only \$25 and includes a t-shirt. Please read the attached flyer for more information! Aerial's Varsity Cheerleading Team will also be hosting a cheerleading competition on Saturday, February 24th at East Clinton High School. The competition is open to elementary, middle school, high school, recreational or all-star teams. Individuals can also compete in the individual competition. For more information see Angie or Erin.

Sidney-Shelby YMCA Acro Gymnastics Meet – February 18:

Our Acro Gymnastics Team has been busy preparing for their first competition of the year. It will be held Sunday, February 18th at the Sidney-Shelby Co YMCA in Sidney, OH. The meet will feature 8 teams from Ohio and Michigan. Come out and support our team – for more information see Angie! If you are unable to attend, take a minute to wish these talented athletes good luck ☺

Inclement Weather

In the case of inclement weather, turn to Channel 5 for closings. When possible, I will also change the answering machine and website. Depending on the situation, you may also receive a phone call. Typically we do not close since most of our classes are in the evening when roads are typically cleared.

Schedule Changes:

Due to the Christmas Holiday, Monday classes will be 1 class short this quarter. You may schedule a make-up class. All make-up classes must be scheduled in advance and completed by the end of the winter quarter (this is the last month to do a make-up for the winter quarter).

Healthy Eating – New Year's Resolution Part II ☺

As I mentioned last month, we are taking a group of staff, athletes and parents to the Flying Pig Marathon to participate in the 5K race. It will be held Saturday, May 5. The cost is \$25 per participant if paid by April 1st and includes a shirt and goodie bag. This is a great opportunity for us to do something FUN & healthy together. Please see Robin or me for a registration form!

Class Fees:

As stated in the registration packet, all class and team fees are due by the first class of the month. If the fees are paid late, there will be a \$5 per week late fee applied. (Accounts that are more than 90 days past due may go to a collections agency) You may mail your class fees to PO Box 78, New Vienna, OH 45159.

Feb. 1 – 8 = No late fee! * Feb. 9 – 14 = \$5 late fee * Feb. 15 – 21 = \$10 late fee * Feb. 22 - 28 = \$15 late fee

Registration Fees:

All athletes are required to pay a \$25 annual registration fee. The annual registration fee is due the first month enrolled and then annually thereafter. Athletes will receive a t-shirt once the registration fee is paid, not before. I would rather not post the past due. Please see Angie if you have questions or are unsure as to when your fee is due. ***Due in February are the following + any other new student who wasn't enrolled at the time of print:***
Whitney Britain Brook Britain Jordan Bills

Monthly Prayer Requests:

The 2nd to last class of each month will include a short devotion and a time for prayer requests. I recommend that each child participates, but it is not required. I try my best to get spellings correct ☺ the prayer requests for February are:

- Autumn Rook's fish
- Ilea's tonsils
- Alexis Lamb' grandpa
- All pets
- Lindsay Ellen's cousin with asthma
- Chelsea's grandpa
- Keeleys grandpa past away
- Amber & Megan's cousin
- Lindsay Fields cancer
- Sandy's lung transplant
- Shelby Williams had her tonsils removed
- Madi's grandma
- Sydney's grandma broke her ankle and back
- Zach & Rachel Schuler's mom
- Tissandier's grandfather
- Tylar's grandparents
- Haley's ill papaw
- Amber's grandma
- Family of Ryan Campbell
- Ashley Chaney's grandpa
- Taylor Chaney's aunt Wilma
- Jenni Chaney's friend
- Carol Blankenship & family
- God, help us with our tumbling and rely on his strength

I can do all things through Christ who strengthens me. Philippians 4:13