

2011 Level 6 & Level 7 Junior Olympic National Champions!!!!



Winter Quarter 2012 Newsletter

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Winter Quarter Ends Wednesday, February 29th
*******SPRING REGISTRATION BEGINS FEBRUARY 1st*******

Dear Athletes & Parents,

WOW! That's the word that best describes how impressed I was by the generosity of our preteam and team families this holiday season. I agreed for the gym to sponsor a family with 3 young children from the Ho Ho Shop and asked that the preteam and team parents help donate items. Instead of doing a gift exchange, the athletes bought items for the needy family. The response I got was overwhelming! As a gym, we were able to donate over \$500 in items to the family. The donations included jammies, coats, underwear, socks, clothes, toys, and even a gift card to Krogers. Even more impressive was the response I got from the kids when asked if they missed doing a gift exchange.... they all answered no and that they want to donate to the Ho Ho Shop again! Thank you to all who helped make this Christmas magical for this special family in their time of need!

Have a great month! God Bless!

Special Dates Remaining in this Quarter:

- January 8 Acro Team & Preteam Clinic at Hand2Hand in Springboro
- January 14 Back Handspring Clinic in Wilmington 12:30-2 (register by Thurs, Jan. 12)
- January 16 Martin Luther King Jr. Day - THE GYM IS OPEN
- January 21 Make Up Class in Wilmington 12:30-1:30
- January 28 Back Handspring Clinic in Leesburg 12:30-2 (register by Wed., Jan. 25)
- February 4 Make Up Class in Wilmington 12:30-1:30
- February 11 Make Up Class in Leesburg 12:30-1:30
- February 11 Back Handspring Clinic in Wilmington 12:30-2 (register by Thurs., Feb. 9)
- February 18 Make Up Class in Wilmington 12:30-1:30
- February 25 Make Up Class in Leesburg 12:30-1:30
- February 25 Aerial's Hosts Region 5 Acro Meet at the Wilmington Gym

Birthdays - Happy Birthday Athletes!

Happy Birthday to those who have birthdays this Winter Quarter! Don't forget to ask a staff member for your birthday sucker!!! Due to a recommendation by USAG for security reasons, we'll no longer publish Athlete's birthdays. However, we enjoy recognizing the athletes' on their special day by giving them a birthday sucker.

Promotions

Congratulations to these athletes and others who accomplished so much the past few months!

- Kaylynne Cox was promoted to the Intermediate Class!**
- Breanna Flint was promoted to the Intermediate Class!**
- Mackenzie Klostermeier was promoted to the Intermediate Class!**
- Cali Layne was promoted to the Beginner/Gym 1 and Preteam Class!**
- Aliza Martin was promoted to the Intermediate Class!**
- Andy Myers was promoted to the Boys Class!**
- Kaylee Tackett was promoted to the Intermediate Class!**



Tune to Channel 5 Television or their website www.wlwt.com for closings!

Winter Back Handspring Clinics & Make-Up Classes

Make-Up Classes: **Wilmington** **Jan 21, Feb 4, Feb 18** **Sat. 12:30-1:30**
 Leesburg **Feb 11, Feb 25** **Sat. 12:30-1:30**

Make-Up Classes - up to 2 FREE per quarter
Athletes are allowed to make-up 1 or 2 missed classes during a quarter.

BHS Clinics: **Wilmington** **Dec 17, Jan 14, Feb 11** **Sat. 12:30-2:00**
 Leesburg **Jan 28** **Sat. 12:30-2:00**

*** NEW REDUCED PRICING*** \$15 per BHS Clinic; \$39 if prepay for all 3 clinics
BHS Clinics are non-refundable. If prepay and miss a clinic, you may attend a make-up class in the place of the clinic.

BIRTHDAY PARTIES

Past birthday parties at Aerial's have been so much FUN! If you've not yet booked your child's birthday party for this year, due so now to ensure your spot. Parties at Aerial's are unforgettable and EVERY child goes home with a gift! If you are interested in booking your party at our 4,000 sq ft gym then please see a staff member, and book your FABULOUS PARTY TODAY!!!!

Private Lessons

**Need extra help on a specific skill or do you prefer one-on-one instruction?
Private lessons may be just the thing you're looking for!**

Times available in the Winter Quarter include:

Wilmington:	Wednesdays	7:15-7:45 PM	Instructor: Jennifer May
Wilmington:	Thursdays	6:30-7:00 PM	Instructor: Sandy Lovelace
Wilmington:	Thursdays	7:30-8:00 PM	Instructor: Joni Streber
Wilmington:	Saturdays	8:45-9:15 AM	Instructor: Sandy Lovelace
Leesburg:	Saturdays	9:15-9:45 AM	Instructor: Ashley (Hagen) Willian

Private lessons must be scheduled and paid in advance. \$25 annual registration fee must be paid in addition to lesson fees. Private lessons are non refundable but may be rescheduled if given 24 hr notice. No call no show = no refund.

Aerial's athlete = \$18 for ½ hr/\$30 an hour

Athlete – not enrolled in winter classes = \$20 for ½ hr/\$35 an hour

2 or 3 athletes doing private together = \$25 for ½ hour/\$40 an hour

4-10 athletes doing private together = \$50 an hour



EXTRA TUMBLING CLASSES - PAY AS YOU GO ONLY \$8 PER CLASS!!!



GREAT for those looking for extra practice or those without time to enroll in a regular class.

Also, a great class for those working skills for cheer tryouts in the spring!

Any athlete ages 6 and up looking for extra time to work on tumbling, may attend the Pay-As-You-Go class held on:

Leesburg **Wednesdays** **7:30-8:30**

The \$25 annual registration fee must be paid for the year if not already paid.

We also need a signed Fall Quarter registration/release form to attend.



Scholarships



Thank you to those who helped to raise over \$500 through fundraisers for the scholarship fund. Any family that wants to be considered for the Spring Quarter must submit an application no later than February 9, 2012. Applications are available in the office.



Prayer Requests / Devotion:



The last class of the month will include the following: a short devotion, a time for athletes to share prayer requests (to be included in the next newsletter), and a short prayer. We highly encourage all athletes to participate. If you do not want your child to participate, then please let a staff member know. *Prayer Requests:*

<i>Adriana Benitez - grandfather</i>	<i>Family of Stephen Barcus</i>	<i>Mileigh Marshall</i>	<i>Weather</i>
<i>Alyssa Hickey - healing of her arm</i>	<i>Healing of Tina's back and Angie's hip</i>		<i>Pets</i>
<i>Shea Goins parents</i>	<i>Lani Mayer's mothers surgery</i>	<i>Military families</i>	
<i>A local music teacher who had surgery</i>	<i>Those unsaved family members - to get saved</i>		

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

Policies & Procedures:

Proper Attire- Athletes, please make sure that you are dressed appropriately for your class. All female athletes should wear a leotard (shorts are optional). Male athletes may wear a t-shirt (the tighter the shirt the better) and shorts. It is difficult and at times unsafe to spot an athlete wearing a baggy t-shirt. If you are unable to afford a leotard, please see a staff member. Many families have donated gently used leotards. We have many FREE ones to pick from.

Aerial's Gym Space

I am very sorry, but due to liability reasons, our insurance does not allow spectators to enter into the gym space. Spectators must remain in the lobby at all times. The only exception is the parent/child preschool classes - if a parent is going to help with the class then he/she must sign a release prior to being in the gym space. Also, any parent helping is asked to stay off of the beam, bars, vault & trampoline. **If you are not helping your preschooler and have not signed a release form for yourself, then you must wait in the lobby.** Thank you for your understanding. If at any time, you have questions about what your child should be working on, please see his/her instructor before or after class. Thank you!

Gym Interruptions -

Parents, siblings and other spectators, please do not open the gym doors while a class is in session. To maximize learning, we ask that you leave discipline and instruction to the staff. Opening the door during class time can be disruptive to the entire class. Children are asked to bring a water bottle into the gym or will be dismissed once or twice an hour for a water break. If a child is being disruptive and the staff is unsuccessful in disciplining the child or regaining his/her focus then the child will be sent to the lobby to the parent/chaperone.

Class Fees- All parents are required to sign a registration form at the start of each quarter that states that he/she has read the policies and procedures. No exceptions will be made for those parents who choose not to read the policies and procedures.

- *******ATTENTION THOSE PAYING IN 3 MONTHLY PAYMENTS *******

If paying in three monthly payments, you must always pay one month in advance.

1st Payment - due at the time of registration

2nd Payment - due by December 1st

3rd Payment - due by January 1st

A \$5 per week late fee will be applied to those payments made after the 7th of each month.

- By enrolling in the quarter, *athletes are committing to the 12-week session.* Although athletes have the option of paying in three monthly installments, ***one is still required to pay for the entire quarter.*** If an athlete decides to stop coming to class in the middle of the quarter or after one month, he/she will be billed for the remainder of the quarter.

Anniversary Months & Annual Registration Fees

***** NEW ***** - we will no longer list anniversary months in the newsletter. Instead, we'll continue to verify the anniversary month at the time of registration and collect all registration fees that are due within that particular quarter. If the annual registration fee is not paid at the time of registration, we'll bill the athlete/parent as a reminder.