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Spirit News

Congratulations to everyone who has competed in the recent Gymnastics WA Go for 2 & 5 Spring State Championships. Well done, we have had some fantastic results over the last few weeks! Also a huge thank you to everyone who has volunteered over the last few competition periods, these events can't be held without the help of all these volunteers to help make the competition days run as smoothly as possible for the athletes. For a full list of results and photos of the different sessions, please see the attached document.

We have one last fundraising event coming up in the form of a Bingo Night! The night is going to be held on the 12th of November at the Stirling Panther Soccer Club, with the cost for entry being \$5 and this will include a free Dauber upon entry. As this is the last event we would love to see as many faces as possible there! More details on this event can be found below.

If you are a competitive gymnast and have any queries regarding this newsletter please contact Caroline (carolinewright_sg@hotmail.com) for any clarification.

Invoices:

It is now half way through Term 4, therefore you should have received and paid your Term 4 invoice by now. If you have not paid this, please do so immediately otherwise your child may be pulled from their class. If you have any queries in relation to your invoice, please contact Val in the accounting department via her new email: egymaccs@gmail.com

Retirements:

We have had 2 ACRO girls retire from competitive gymnastics after being with Spirit for more than 8 years. Phoeby Torrijos and Zoe Broderick have both contributed to the development of our acrobatics program, and they have always been a pleasure to coach and great team supporters. We wish them both luck in their future endeavors and hope that they still stay in touch with the club.

One of Spirit's WAIS athletes has also retired, with Dayna Sulaiman deciding to finish up with competitive gymnastics. Dayna has represented WA at National Championships throughout her time at WAIS, and she is wanting to pursue her interests in circus training! Good luck with the future Dayna!

Updated Event Policy:

For medical reasons, if your child cannot compete in a Gymnastics WA event a medical certificate needs to be supplied within 10 days after the event. We understand that this is a quick turnaround time, however we are working within Gymnastics WA time constraints, who supply the reimbursement. If medical certificates are not supplied within the allotted time period you will not be able to be reimbursed. This is especially important if you compete in a group, as other families also lose their entry fee, and you may be invoiced for these family's losses. Thank you for your understanding.

Insurance:

Parents, please be aware that under the Gymnastics Australia National Risk Protection Programme, a KinderGym Carer is covered by insurance if your child is registered on

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Saturday 17th December

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18th December

2016 Public Holidays

None until 2017

the National Database in accordance with the National Membership Database Policy. Siblings are not covered and cannot claim under the Personal Accident Policy unless they are also a registered member of the Club. If you have any further queries on this matter please speak to Nicole or email egymnastics@inet.net.au. Thank you for your understanding in this matter.

Judges Wanted!

Have you ever thought about judging gymnastics? It does not matter that you have never had any prior experience, as we provide all the learning tools needed to pass the course, as well as reimbursement for the cost of the course. If you are interesting in becoming a judge or just volunteering for different events, please email Debbs at spiritgymnsports@hotmail.com for more information.

Fundraising Events

Thank you to all those Spirit members who have taken an active role in participating in these fundraising events! It is greatly appreciated and directly helps the club to expand, grow and creates a fantastic environment for our gymnasts to train in. The Sporting Teams Week and the Halloween Week were both successful and photos of the days can be found on the photos page at the end of this newsletter. We have one fundraising event left so make sure you come along and support the club!

Bingo Night:

Eyes down and get ready for Spirits Bingo Night! An oldie but goodie, Spirit are planning on having a bingo night on Saturday 12th of November. As with every good Bingo night there is very little skill involved, and the luckiest person there will take home top prizes! Entry will cost \$5, however this will also include a Bingo dabber upon entry. A raffle will also be conducted on the night, with some awesome prizes to be won. Come alone, or bring a whole host of friends and family and compete against them. Every round will cost between \$2-\$5, with doors open at 6pm and the first round starting at 6.30pm. Bring your own food along, and drinks will be available to purchase at the bar.



- When and Where:** Saturday 12th of November, doors open at 6, first round to start at 6.30pm
- Cost:** \$5 per entry (including a dabber) and \$2-\$5 per round
- Venue:** Stirling Panthers Soccer Club, Corner of Langley Cres and Crocker Rd, Innaloo
- RSVP:** Please RSVP using the attached form by November 9th

Chocolate Frog Fundraiser:

We are holding a Cadbury chocolate frog fundraiser, with all proceeds from every box going directly back towards benefiting the club. These boxes are available now, with each box containing various different types of Cadbury Freddo chocolate, so there is something for everyone! The cost of a buying a box is \$50, and the cost of selling each

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chocolate is \$1. If you would like to purchase a box, please see Samantha at Belmont reception, or Sandra at Subiaco reception, and fill out an order form. Alternatively you can email Samantha at egymnastics@iinet.net.au to complete and return your order form. For every box that you sell you will receive \$5 of Spirit Money!

End of Year Event

The End of Year event this year will be held on Saturday the 17th of December at the Loftus Centre, 99 Loftus Street Leederville, and it will showcase displays from all the different Gym Sports and levels that Spirit has to offer. The event will also coincide with the annual awards for each gym sport, so make sure you are nice and early to get a good position for the awards! As this is going to be held at the State Gymnastics center there will be an entry fee to attend the day.



- Date:** Saturday 17th December
Time: Starts at 5pm (Gymnasts need to be there by 4.30pm)
Venue: State Gymnastics Centre, 99 Lotus Street Leederville
Entry Cost: Adults - \$4
Children 12 or Under - \$2
Pensioners - \$2
Family Discounts (2 Adults and 2 Children) - \$10
Participants/ Registered Club Athletes – Free

Coach Details

Please contact Caroline, Debbs, or Samantha for any issues relating to training times, coaching issues and schedules.

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