

Hello and welcome to the 2024-2025 Recreational Gymnastics session!

Here's some important information you'll need for the session:

### 1. Arrival and Check-In:

- **Entrance:** Gymnasts should enter through the front door.
- **Personal Items:** Place shoes and coats in the cubbies provided. Shoes are not allowed in the facility, including upstairs.
- Name Tags: Coaches will help gymnasts find their name tags and sign in using the attendance tablet. The color of the name tag helps identify the coach, not the badge level.

# 2. Class Structure:

- Warm-Up: Classes start with a 20-minute group warm-up activity.
- Rotations: Gymnasts will be divided into groups based on their class and badge level. They will participate in three 20-minute rotations, which change each week.
- Cool Down: A 10-minute group cool down activity will end the class.

#### 3. Dismissal:

 At the end of class, coaches will assist gymnasts in finding their parents or guardians. Feel free to chat with the coaches and ask any questions during this time.

## 4. Safety and Conduct:

- Gymnasts are not allowed on the equipment before or after class.
- Siblings who are not registered for classes are not permitted on the gym floor.

## 5. Assessment and Progress:

- Coaches will assess gymnasts during the first few weeks to ensure they are in the correct class. Any concerns will be discussed with the Recreational Coordinator and parents.
- Gymnasts who master all skills at their current level will receive a progress report. If they advance to a higher badge level, the program coordinator will contact parents to discuss class options. If no immediate spot is available, the gymnast will be placed on a waitlist with priority for the next available spot.

# 6. Clothing and Equipment:

- Attire: Proper gymnastics clothing is required, such as bodysuits, leotards, form-fitting T-shirts, and shorts.
- Footwear: No outdoor shoes allowed; bare feet are best.
- Accessories: Remove long jewelry and tie up long hair.

## 7. Additional Policies:

- Gymtastics is not responsible for lost or stolen items.
- We do not offer make-up classes or refunds for missed classes.

# 8. Up Coming Events:

- First Day of Classes: Tuesday September 3<sup>rd</sup> to Monday September 9<sup>th</sup>
- **Meet the Teacher** (Last 10 minutes of your child's class): Tuesday September 10<sup>th</sup> to Monday September 16<sup>th</sup>
- Truth and Reconciliation Day, No Classes: Monday September 30th
- Thanksgiving, No Classes: Saturday October 12th to Monday October 14th
- Crazy Hair Day: Thursday October 24<sup>th</sup> to Wednesday October 30<sup>th</sup>
- Halloween, No Classes: Thursday October 31st
- Remembrance Day, No Classes: November 11<sup>th</sup>
- Christmas Break, No Classes: Sunday December 22<sup>nd</sup> to January 1<sup>st</sup>

Thank you, and we look forward to seeing you soon!