

FAQ about Team challenge

Q: What is the Team Challenge?

Team challenge is an in-house competition for intermediate and advanced gymnasts.

Q: Is it a competition?

Yes, a friendly competition with team awards given, not individual. Medals are given out as awards.

Q: Who will they be competing with and against?

We try and group the gymnasts with others in their own regular class where possible. They will compete against others from similar classes. Previously we have had a session for all Intermediate 6-8 gymnasts and a session for gymnasts from Int 7-9, 9+ and advanced together.

Q: What will they be doing in the competition? What if they are not good at remembering things?

Gymnasts will be performing skills & routines learnt in class on the bars, beam, floor and vault. If they forget their routines the coach will prompt them to the next skill with no penalty by the judge.

Unlike the virtual competition last this year there are set routines that the girls will learn.

Q: How long does it go for?

Usually between 2 - 2½ hours

Q: What time will it be?

Times will be based on the number of gymnasts who enter. We will give times out after entries close. In the past we have had a session 8.45-10.30am and another session 10.45-12.45pm.

Q: What if I can only commit to a specific time such as the morning as we are busy in the afternoon?

You can enter your child and pay the entry fee. Let us know when you are available and we will request that time for you. If we are not able to accommodate you at that time we will offer you a credit of the entry fee towards term 3 fees.

Q: What do they need to wear and bring?

What they would usually wear to a gymnastics lesson. They will be put into a colour group. The gymnasts can then try and wear that colour if they like. We have done awards before for best hair or team supporter. They will also need to bring a full drink bottle.

e.g. Leotard, crop top, shorts/tights, tight fitting t-shirt's, leggings. No denim, zips, buttons or hoodies

Q: What is the cost for spectators and how many spectators are permitted?

Adults \$5

Children \$2

The number of spectators per gymnast will depend on what the Covid restrictions will be at the time of the competition. At the moment we are planning on a maximum of 2 per gymnast however this may need to be reduced to 1 if current restrictions change. It is very unlikely that we are able to have 3 even if 1 of these is a child as they still count the same when it comes to covid restrictions.

Q: when is it?

Sunday 6th June, time to be confirmed after all enrolments obtained and groups designated

Q: When do entries close?

Thursday 14th May.