



LINCOLN CITY GYMNASTICS CLUB NEWSLETTER

Queen's Platinum Jubilee Bank Holiday Weekend

The committee has agreed that the club will be closed for the Bank Holidays on Thursday 2nd June, Friday 3rd June and Saturday 4th June 2022, so that all the gymnasts and our coaches can enjoy the celebrations 😊

Summer Closing

As you know, the club closes for two weeks in the summer (apart from the Platinum Jubilee closing mentioned above), and classes continue now until then when we are closed the first week of the school holiday - namely closed on Saturday 23rd July for a week and re-opening on Saturday 30th July. Then we close for our second week on Saturday 27th August for a week, re-opening on Saturday 3rd September 2022.

34th Annual Club Competition – Sat 21st & Sun 22nd May 2022

Just a reminder that the closing date for the club competition is Saturday **30th April 2022**. Entries cannot be accepted after that date to allow for the preparation of the programme and the ordering of the medals and trophies etc, so please ensure you get your entries and payment in to avoid disappointment. On Saturday, the Advanced Rec class, Floor & Vault, Imps, Barons & Knights squads will be competing. On Sunday the Rec 1, Rec 2 & Rec 3 girls and boys will be competing. They will be split into rounds on both days and you will be notified of exact timings approx. 10 days before the competition, once the programme has been finalised.

Raffle Appeal

At the competition we will be holding a raffle in each round, with all the proceeds going to our equipment fund to buy new kit/replace worn kit, which benefits all our gymnasts. All donations are greatly appreciated and can be left on the table just inside the gym door. If anyone has their own business or works for an employer that would be willing to make a donation towards the raffle, that would be greatly appreciated too 😊

Club Shop

Just a reminder that the club shop carries a stock of the recreational and squad leotards that the gymnasts must wear for the competition. They can be sized up and purchased at the beginning/end of training sessions. We also have a stock of the LCGC leggings which match the hoodies available to purchase. Personalised hoodies are available to order. They are available in overhead or zip up. Because they are personalised, they must be paid for at the time of order (the order forms are available at the club so please ask a coach).

Spectators at Training

We are pleased to announce that we will be able to welcome one adult spectator into the gym from Monday 2nd May 2022 to watch training. The spectator area and seating is restricted due to adjustments we had to make to the gym due to the previous COVID-19 restrictions, which is why we can only allow one adult per gymnast at this time. Spectators must remain in the seating that will be set out and not encroach onto the sprung floor or other areas of the gym. **No drinks or food must be brought into the gym by spectators.** This is conditional on spectators parking sensibly in the car park, right up to the gym or the car in front and not leaving large gaps between cars. As you know we have had a lot of issues with car parking, particularly from other businesses, and it is important that only the gym's car parking is used if parents/guardians are remaining at the gym to spectate. Thank you.

Awards Evening 2nd April 2022

A wonderful evening was had by all on Saturday 2nd April at Windmill Farm, when we celebrated the gymnasts and their achievements in the strange year that was 2021, with an evening of dancing, games, awards, glitter tattoos, an Easter Egg tombola and raffle. A magnificent £527 was raised on the night from the raffle, tombola and glitter tattoos, towards our equipment fund. The coaches have already spent it, with it going towards a new trampette which will benefit all our gymnasts, particularly at the upcoming club competition. Those who were not at the awards evening were presented with their awards at the gym in the following weeks during training. Well done to all our gymnasts who have worked so hard in 2021, despite all the difficulties with COVID-19, we have been so impressed with your resilience and determination and how well you have coped. You have been an inspiration to the club, and while not everyone can win an award, you should all be very proud of your achievements in 2021!

Below is a list of the all the winners of the Coaches awards for 2021:

Coaches Awards:

Mon Rec 1 – Beau Ringer and Evelyn Penney

Mon Rec 2 – Mia Newbould

Mon Rec 3 – Phoebe Atkin

Mon Boys - ER

Mon Adv - Daisy Anderson & Chloe Newton

Tues Rec 1 – Martha Smith & Elara Grainger

Tues Rec 2/3 – Scarlett Sellars

Tues Advanced – Genevieve Jobling

Thurs Rec 1 – Helen Kowara, Brianna Smith & Phoebe Revill

Thurs Rec 2 – Georgia Revill & Isla Robinson

Thurs Rec 3 – Alyssa Watt

Fri Rec 1 – Lily Tinker

Fri Rec 2 – Amelie Stephenson

Fri Rec 3 – Mia Parnell & Kaitlyn Fletcher

Sat Rec 1 – Madeline Standen

Sat Rec 2 – Rose Jones

Sat Rec 3 – Charlotte Johnson

Floor & Vault – Lilly Stones & Isobel Peacock

Imps (Level 7) – Sophia Cuffley & Olivia Sturton

Imps (Level 6)- Emilia Clements & Poppy Waite

Barons – Kimberlie Teterere

Knights – Matilda Mullin

The following awards for 2021 were also presented:

Up & Coming Gymnast 2021:

Imps (Level 7) - Arabella Goodall

Imps (Level 6) - Alysha Holt

Barons – Lily Overton

Knights – Mia Haxby

Personal Achievement Award 2021:

Imps (Level 7) – Sophia Ison

Imps (Level 6) – Chloe Heathershaw

Barons – Olivia Blades

Knights – Neve McGinn

Please call **01522 262022** or use our **Facebook** page to advise if your child is unable to attend a session - we may not reply, but are grateful to know.
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