



Welcome to our Mid-Term 3 Newsletter

This term has been full with 2 of our 4 biggest competitions already been, and the ARGOS Recreation Competition and AIMS Games coming up in the next 3 weeks. We are always looking for volunteers to help on the day and donations of spot prizes and catering to feed our volunteers and judges. If you are able to help, please pop in to the office or give us a call on 577 0603. For those gymnasts competing, timetables will be sent shortly. This term we also have competitive trials taking place, more info on page 2.



Term 4 Registrations

Term 4 registrations will open on Monday 11 September. We are getting lots of enquiries already, so please mark the date in your diary. We will be reminding you along the way through email, facebook, instagram and posters.

Trial Level 1 classes

We know from our waitlists that there are many families trying to get their kids in to gymnastics. Our level 1 classes are full within 5 days of registrations opening, and many miss out. For those of you with children on the waitlist who might like to see whether gymnastics is for them, we are offering trial classes before registrations open next term.

When: Friday 1 September 3.30 - 4.30pm

Friday 8 September 3.30 - 4.30pm

Cost: \$20.00

Please register at the office or via the website: argosgym.co.nz/register



Competitive Trials

Trials to join our competitive squad will be held on Saturday 16 September for those gymnasts who would like to join our competitive program. ARGOS have a strong competitive program with dedicated coaches that provide an environment that fosters a passion for gymnastics enabling gymnasts to compete regionally, nationally and internationally. If you or your child are interested in becoming part of the squad, please register your interest at the office.

MAG Squad 360



ARGOS is very proud of our MAG Level 5 gymnast, Abel, for trialling for the challenger 360 squad. MAG Squad 360 is the national performance development pathway focused on Olympic success for men's artistic gymnastics. Athletes' coaches collaborate throughout the year and athletes attend a number of camps.

Zespri AIMS Games

Its all systems go for the 2023 AIMS Games, hosted here at ARGOS Gymnastics. Come on down and watch our local schools compete against the rest of the country. Timetables will be released by the last week in August and uploaded to the AIMS Games website. We are always looking for volunteers to help during the competition, so if you are at a loose end, please call the office.

Sunday 3 September: Artistic Opens

Monday 4 September: Artistic Novice

Tuesday 5 September: Trampoline

Wednesday 6 September: Tumbling and Rhythmic Gymnastics

Thursday 7 September: Aerobics



Evaluation Week

Evaluation weeks starts on 28 August. This means we will be evaluating gymnastics skills for all our gymnasts from Levels 1 to 5, Trampoline, Ninja and Tumbling. We want to make sure that all our gymnasts are right where they need to be and that they are receiving all the support they can get to help them through their gymnastics journey. We spend a lot of time deliberating over each child's individual development and put a lot of thought into making sure your child is where they should be. We look at how far they have come, their confidence on the apparatus, are they able to listen and take instruction? are they having fun? Gymnastics is more than just completing skills. It provides your child with many other attributes that makes them a well-rounded and teachable child. More information will be sent out just before Evaluation Week, but if you have any questions, please contact the office.

COMPETITIVE TRIALS

16 September 2023

ARGOS Gymnastics are inviting all boys and girls aged between 6 and 11 to attend an open trial for our competitive squad. Please register your interest at the office.

12.30 - 1.30PM

BOYS - ALL AGES

1.30 - 2.15PM

TRAMPOLINE - ALL AGES

3.00 - 3.30PM

GIRLS - AGES 6 - 7

3.30 - 4.30PM

GIRLS - AGES 8 - 11

MORE INFORMATION CAN BE FOUND AT WWW.ARGOSGYM.CO.NZ/COMPETITIVETRIALS



Midlands Elementary Wrap-up

The Midlands Elementary Competition hosted by ARGOS was the biggest competition we have had for our STEPS 1-4. We had teams from all over the North Island attend the 2 day competition.

A huge congratulations to those who made the following placements:

TEAMS

- ARGOS 3, STEP 2 Teams 2nd
- ARGOS 1, STEP 2 Teams 3rd
- ARGOS 1, STEP 3 Teams 3rd
- ARGOS 1, STEP 4 Teams 1st

WAG STEP 2 unders

- Evie McBurney 2nd all around, 4th Vault, 1st Bars, 5th Beam, 2nd Floor
- Kayla Bell 3rd All around, 3rd Vault, 2nd Bars, 3rd Floor
- Charlee Van Houtum 5th all around, 4th Bars, 2nd Beam, 6th Floor
- Mia Schultz 5th Vault, 4th Floor

WAG STEP 2 overs

- Michaela Wilson 2nd all around, 4th Vault, 3rd Bars, 6th Beam, 6th Floor
- Cassi-Rose Anderson 5th all around, 3rd Beam, 1st Floor
- Ayla Meares 2nd Vault, 5th Bars
- Ayla Wallace 1st Beam
- Paige Slako 4th Floor

WAG STEP 3 Unders

- Jessica Bek 5th all around, 4th Vault
- Kennedy Lichtwark 6th all around, 3rd Bars, 6th Beam
- Georgia Geraghty 1= Vault
- Ashleigh Rivers 3rd Vault
- Arabella Penberthy 6th Vault
- Lola Martley 4th Bars

WAG STEP 3 Overs

- Olivia Rusk 5th all around, 3rd Vault, 5th Bars, 5th Beam
- Briar O'Connor 2nd Vault
- Maia Lim Yock 5th Vault

WAG STEP 4 unders

- Katara Tana 1st overall, 4th Vault, 3rd Bars, 1st Beam, 3rd Floor
- Violet Thomas 5th overall, 1st Vault, 5th Bars, 3rd Beam, 5th Floor

WAG STEP 4 Overs

- Willow Grant 3rd all around, 1st Vault, 4th Bars, 6th Beam, 4th Floor
- Zoey Jackson 2nd Floor



Development Squad Competition



Our up-and-coming stars got the opportunity to compete for the first time last Friday night against home crowd favourites Waihi Beach. These young gymnasts shone, and showed us all how far they had come with a brilliant display of fun and gymnastics.

A huge congratulations to those who made the following placements:

TEAMS

Team Excel 3, 2nd
Team Excel 1, 3rd

GYMNASTS

Harper Reid 1st all around, 4th Vault, 1st Bar, 4th Beam, 5th Floor
Lucy Boonzaaier 2nd= all around,, 5th Vault, 1st Beam, 3rd= Floor
Kyla Prussing 4th all around, 2nd Vault, 2nd Bar, 1st= Floor
Monika Wilson 5th= all around, , 6th= Vault, 5th= Bar
Marlee Sneddon 2nd Beam
Taylor Lawry 3rd Bar, 5th= Beam
Poet Dines 4th Bar
Lucy Barraclough 3rd= Floor



ARGOS Rec Comp

Sunday August 27

Entries are now closed for our Rec Comp, with 182 ARGOS gymnasts competing. With this many we'll need your help! A shout out will be going out via email this week for volunteers to man the doors, takes photos and help score. We will also need donations of spot prizes and food to feed all our judges. Please contact the office if you can help.

Lost Property

Our lost property bin is full again and I'll be making another trip to the Salvation Army at the end of next week. Please come down and search through the bin at the door if you are missing any clothing or drink bottles.





GFA in the Bay Wrap-up

ARGOS Gymnastics was honoured to be hosting the GFA in the Bay Recreation Gymnastics Competition in 2023. This competition is a collaboration between ARGOS Gymnastics, Impact Gymsport Academy and Te Puke Gymsports, and hosted Parkour, Artistic, Trampoline, Tumbling and Team Gym Gymnastics Codes.

A huge congratulations to those who made the following placements:

TRAMPOLINE

Imogen Munns 3rd

TUMBLING

Stephen Chen 2nd

Mollie Willoughby 3rd

LEVEL 3 GIRLS ARTISTIC

Taylor Lawry 1st all around, 1st Bar

Lucy Barraclough 3rd = all around, 4th Bar, 6th Beam

Olivia Ryan 3rd= Vault, 2nd= Bar

Charlotte Meredith 4 Beam

Ellie McDowell 3rd = Vault

Liana Henson 4th= Floor

Kayla Nelson 4th Floor

LEVEL 4 GIRLS ARTISTIC

Pippa Rennie 3rd= Bar

Mikayla Canterbury 3rd= Vault

Maisie Harrax 5th= Vault, 2nd Floor

Ellie Wallis 5th= Vault

LEVEL 5 GIRLS ARTISTIC

Enika Daisley 3rd all around, 3rd Vault, 4th= Beam, 5th= Floor

Paige Veal 5th= Vault, 4th= Beam

Siani Parish 1st Vault

Olivia Simeon 3rd= Floor

Renee Gledhill 5th= Vault

ADULTS

Katherina Kersten 1st all around, 1st Vault, 1st Bar, 4th Floor, 3rd Beam

Ella Scrivens 1st Floor, 3rd= Bar, 4th= Beam

Charlotte Grey 2nd Floor, 6th Vault, 6th Bar

Devon Campbell 3rd Vault





UPCOMING EVENTS

22 AUGUST	Competitive Prizegiving
27 AUGUST	ARGOS Rec Competition
9-10 SEPTEMBER	Hamilton Rec Comp
3 - 8 SEPTEMBER	AIMS games
11 SEPTEMBER	School Holiday Programme and Term 4 registrations open
16 SEPTEMBER	Competitive Trials
23 SEPTEMBER	Last Day of Term 3
24 SEPTEMBER	Te Puke Rec Comp
25 SEPTEMBER - 6 OCTOBER	Spring School Holiday Program
9 OCTOBER	Term 4 Starts
17 NOVEMBER	Competitive Display
2 DECEMBER	End of Year Display
18 - 22 DECEMBER	Xmas Holiday Programme



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