



Hawth **Gymnastics**

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Term Dates

Fun 4 Baby, Adult & Child, Pre School and Recreational Classes

8th January to 30th March

February ½ term 19th Feb to 25th Feb inclusive

No classes during ½ term

Restart Monday 26th February 2007 until Easter Holidays

Advanced Recreational and Squad classes

No classes Friday 6th /Saturday 7th and Monday 9th April

BRITISH GYMNASTICS

AWARD SCHEME

I hope everyone enjoyed working towards their badges last term. It was a lot of hard work but we think everyone did really well and tried their hardest to achieve their badge.

Over 500 children managed to gain their BGA proficiency awards!!

Congratulations !!!!

Badges can be achieved again during our Easter & Summer courses. Keep your eyes on the notice board and web site for more information.

Welcome to our Second Newsletter

Happy New Year to you all.

We hope you all had a lovely Christmas and are ready for a very busy year at Hawth Gymnastics.

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Holiday courses

We will be offering Easter Courses throughout the Easter Holidays for recreational levels.

Monday 2nd to Thursday 5th April

Course 1A: 10.00am till 12.30pm each day

Or Course 1B: 1pm till 3.30pm each day

Tuesday 10th to Friday 13th April

Course 2A: 10.00am till 12.30pm each day

Course 2B: 1pm till 3.30pm each day

£40.00 Per Course- please ask for a booking form.

For Pre School 3+ Monday 2nd April 9am till 9.45am

For A+C 1- 3 years Tuesday 3rd April 9am till 9.45am

For Pre School 3+ Thursday 12th April 9am till 9.45am

For A+C 1- 3 years Friday 13th April 9am till 9.45am

£3.50 per day

Please talk to Nicky to book for all Pre School and A+C courses

(You can book for more than one day)

Please book early to avoid disappointment as these courses are very popular and get booked up quickly.

Fees

You will have received a payment sheet detailing your child's fees for the next quarter, January to March Quarter

Please make every effort to pay on time as this will help us with the amount of administration we have to do chasing people for payments. Thank you.

PAYMENTS ARE MADE EITHER QUARTERLY OR MONTHLY IN ADVANCE

(July to September will be ask for quarterly for all Pre School and Recreational gymnasts)

QUARTERS

January to March
April to June
July to September
October to December

SPONSORED VAULT

To help us in our new discipline of gymnastics we would like to purchase a new team gym style vaulting table which reaches the heights of 1.65metres.

The table will be able to be used by Team Gym, Artistic Squads and Recreational classes alike.

We are planning to hold a sponsored vault to raise money towards the costs.

We hope to raise £2'200.00 to cover cost and freight as we are buying it from Sweden and will be the only club in the southern region to own one.

The Squad gymnasts will complete their vaults week beginning 22nd January

Recreational gymnasts will complete their vaults week beginning 29th January

Coaches will also be taking part so they should know how hard these vaults are to complete!

We would like all monies in by week ending 9th February 2007 so we can place the order as soon after as possible.

A BIG THANK YOU

in advance for your support with this event.

REMINDERS

We would like to take this opportunity to remind all gymnasts that we do not allow shoes into the gym. With the winter months approaching we do not want our pre school children picking up and eating anything that has been brought in from outside.

Lockers can be used in the changing rooms which have a £1.00 returnable deposit. Please take this opportunity to change your child in the changing room as you never know who is outside watching them get changed!! We have had management of K2 concerned about what they have seen.

Please could you remind your children to visit the toilets **before** their gymnastic class. We lose so much time walking them backwards and forward!

We understand that it is not always possible to arrive on time but we have had children arrive up to ½ hour late for a one hour class. We try our hardest to start classes on time, please help us to achieve this by arriving in enough time to visit the toilets and changing rooms before the start of their class.

If you do arrive late and the class has started please do not allow your child to just come into the gym and join without first registering them with a coach who will tick them off in the register. It is vital we know who we have in the gym in the case of an emergency.

Forth coming events

We have a very busy year ahead of us with all children being offered a competition at their level.

4th Feb National Tumbling Qualifiers K2

18th Feb Sussex Floor & Vault at the Triangle

25th Feb Southern Team Gym Tournament venue to be confirmed

11th March Men's Regionals K2

26th March Chichester 4 piece, Chichester

24/25 March & 1 April Coaching course.K2

A full programme of events for the year can be found on our website. Please note all

dates are subject to change.

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British Gymnastics Membership Concerns

We still have a worrying amount of gymnasts uninsured because they have not paid their British Gymnastics Membership. We will be checking our records and those outstanding as a payment will not be able to train with us while this remains unpaid!

You would have been reminded on your last payment sheet if you owe this Membership money. Please deal with this issue promptly.

Hawth Recreational

Competition at K2 2007

After last years event being a great success we have set the date for our club championships for 2007 We hope to extend the event to incorporate some of our squad members.

Hawth Competition at K2 22nd 23rd and 24th June 2007

Please make a note in your diary NOW!

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SQUAD PRESENTATION EVENING

SATURDAY 27TH JANUARY 2007

Could all trophy winners from last year return their awards ASAP. Thank you.

Welfare

Just a reminder that Beverly Clayden(Welfare officer) is available for any welfare issues you may want to discuss.(07746 755048).This service is open to all gymnasts, coaches and parents.

With the fast moving world of computers and technology we are facing a new problem, that of MSN. Several times over the last few months issues have been raised with the coaches about conversations on MSN. Hawth Gymnastics cannot take any responsibility over matters that take place on MSN and we certainly don't want any related issues being brought into the gym. Parents please be aware that MSN can and is causing us problems. We cannot police what your child is doing on the computer but as parents please be warned that MSN is occasionally creating issues within the gym.

PARENT NETWORK GROUP

Hawth Gymnastics PNG Half Price Sale

**From 22nd January until 27th January
Outside the gym**

We are holding a half price sale of all t-shirts and gym bags.

As you know, proceeds from the sale of these items will go towards the payment of the inflatable tumble strip and the purchase of other gymnastics equipment that we as a group can donate to Hawth Gymnastics.

Please come along for those New Year bargains!

Please see posters for times

We shall also be selling second-hand leotards.

Hawth Gymnastics Squad Presentation Evening

7:30 - 11:00pm

at Broadfield Stadium

Saturday 27th January

Just a reminder about this event.

Admittance is by Ticket only and under 16s need to be accompanied by an adult.

(Please see Bev Clayden about tickets)

The presentations will start promptly at 8:00pm.

The disco will follow the presentations.

We will also be announcing the inaugural winner of the
Hawth 1K Club.

We're running a raffle and a "Guess the Baby" competition, so make sure you bring your cash!
(There's a bar too!)