



Stockport School of Gymnastics

February 2018 News



LimeSurvey

January is always a quiet month and so not much to write about. Club concentrated on the preparation for Regional Grades in February and the new Recreational Classes start in February.

We have conducted a survey during January of all Recreational, Teens, Pre-School and Home School classes using Lime Survey Software. The response has been very high with lots of great suggestions and very positive ideas for future improvements. We have a clear idea on what is working well and where we can do better.

The level of response is very encouraging and most parents have taken time to explain their concerns and we are very appreciative of the effort. A big thank you to all.

The survey closed on 31st Jan and we will start to communicate with you during February on what we are doing. Follow us on Social Media.

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Websites

General

www.stockportgymnastics.com/wp

Club

www.stockportgymnastics.com/club

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2018 Dates

3rd Feb

Parent's meeting at the gym in the Café at 1.15 to talk about the trip to Lilleshall in the Summer.

17th/18th Feb

Greater Manchester Grades at Wigan

19th Feb

Club Camp at Newby Rd.

20th Feb

Mike Lea Seminar at Newby Rd.

25th Feb

SSoG 4 Piece Recreational Competition at Newby Road

18th Mar

NW Grades Finals for County Teams at Wigan

24th/25th Mar

Wilmslow Gymnastics Easter Eggstavanza at Wilmslow Leisure Centre

21st/22nd Apr

NW Grades - Compulsory 5, 4 and 3 (Compulsory 2 Pre-Comp) & NW National Grades at Wigan

5th/6th May

Greater Manchester Floor & Vault Championships at Wigan

16th/17th Jun

NW Open at Wigan

23rd/24th Jun

NW Floor and Vault Championships at Wigan

Stockport Key Steps School's Competition

SSoG hosted the Stockport Schools Key Steps 1, 2 & 3 finals on 2 afternoons in January. Lots of gymnasts with 30% competing for the first time. Many thanks to Fiona and team for helping out on the days.



Ordering Club Kit

The arrangements for the ordering shorts, leotards, tracksuits and any other merchandise for members of the competitive club is through the Blue Frog Graphics website.

It can all be done on line and the process is quick and easy. Jane Mooney is in the club for most training sessions and will give advice on sizing etc.

Please note that this only applies to club, not any other section of SSoG where there are order forms available from the office at Newby Rd.

Blue Frog Graphics are our sole supplier and there is a link on the Competitive Club Website.

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£15.00	SSOG Club	SELECT OPTIONS	SSOG Hoodie
£15.00	SSOG Club	SELECT OPTIONS	

Trip to Lilleshall

After a break of a couple of years we are pleased to announce that we will be running a training camp at Lilleshall in the summer. Most coaches are good to go and we have reserved places for 24 gymnasts.

Dave will do a presentation in the cafe upstairs on Saturday 3rd Feb at 1.15 for all club coaches, parents & gymnasts so you can see what we got up to in previous visits and for all to ask questions about this visit

The dates are confirmed as Sunday 5th to Tuesday 7th August 2018. The cost includes two nights accommodation, all meals including lunch on arrival & before we depart, return coach transport & exclusive gym training facility hire. It will also cover event merchandise. We will need a deposit once the numbers have been worked out for the final costs.

The club will offer an amount towards the cost to subsidise the event & the plan is for parents to fundraise to reduce the cost to individuals & make the event more accessible to all eligible gymnasts.

Lilleshall is the home of British Gymnastics and the best training facility in the UK. The Kings Hall and Princess Royal Hall are connected with the first hall having two artistic floors and tumble track and multiple beams and bars. There are two seated viewing areas suitable for parents or spectators. The second hall has a large pitted area perfect as a safe practice area for some of the higher equipment and includes vault, beam and bars entry to the pits and a fast track.

The hall has extensive grounds and in previous years we have spent the evenings playing games and exploring.

The accommodation is in double rooms and all meals are taken in the main hall. No guarantees, but every trip so far we have met gymnasts from the National Squad.

Footy Competition

Gareth Martin ran the first of the season's Last Man (or Lady) Standing football predictor competition from September to December. Overall there were 37 entries and thanks to everyone who took part your support is much appreciated. One lucky winner this time - Kelly Kay who scooped the £92.50 prize fund. A very kind gesture from Kelly who donated £30.00 of her winnings back to the club – so a total of £112.50 raised for the club.

Look out for the next competition which starts in February – contact Gareth for entry details”.

