# **GYMNASTICS EXPRESS TOO INFORMATION 2016-2017**

**TERM I (FALL)** – Sept. 6<sup>th</sup>- Dec. 17<sup>th</sup>

**TERM II (WINTER)** - Jan. 2<sup>nd</sup> - April 8<sup>th</sup>

**TERM III (SPRING)** - April 17<sup>th</sup> - June 10<sup>th</sup>

# **DATES CLOSED**

Thanksgiving - (Tues.) Nov.  $22^{nd}$  -  $27^{th}$  Christmas - Dec.  $19^{th}$  - Jan  $1^{st}$  Spring Break - Apr.  $10^{th}$  -  $16^{th}$  Memorial Day - May  $29^{th}$ 

WE ARE OPEN ALL OTHER HOLIDAYS

# **OUR OWNER AND HEAD COACH**

Maureen Chagnon has BS in physical education from the State University of New York at Cortland. Maureen has been head coach and team coordinator at NEGX since our opening in Newington in 1988. The Glastonbury gym was opened in 2008. She has traveled around the world coaching our gymnasts. Maureen is an Elite rated judge and an USA Gymnastics Professional Member and Safety Certified instructor.

# **OUR TEAM DIRECTOR**

Blane Jefferson has worked with Pre-Schoolers and Olympians alike for over 30 years. He is a USA Gymnastics Professional Member.

#### **OUR PRE-SCHOOL DIRECTOR**

Brenda McManus, our Pre-school Director, has been teaching gymnastics for 29 years, ten of them at our sister gym, NEGX and helped to open the Glastonbury Facility. She started acrobatics at age 4 and was a competitive gymnast while growing up.

## **MAKE-UP POLICY**

Each child is allowed **2** make-ups for term 1 & 2, **1** make-up for term 3; which must be made up during the current term. Call the office to arrange a date.

## **SNOW CLOSINGS**

In case of inclement weather, please check our website for cancellations before coming to class, or check <a href="www.wfsb.com">www.wfsb.com</a> (Channel 3). ALL SNOW CLOSINGS CAN BE MADE UP.

## PRE-SCHOOL GYMNASTICS

Our pre-school classes are for boys and girls ages 2 to 5 ½. We promote fitness by offering creative, fun classes that both excite and challenge these very young gymnasts. Through activities involving gymnastics, strength, flexibility, eye-hand

coordination and other developmental skills your child will start on the track to good health. Gymnastics skills are tools to teaching positive learning attitudes.

# "Tumbling Tykes" (2-3 ½ yrs)

The child participates with an adult (mom, dad, grandma, grandpa or sitter) to offer a more secure experience in the gym. This is a 45-minute class.

# "Jumping Juniors" (3 ½ -5 yrs)

The child participates on his or her own without mom or dad. An observation area is available where parents may enjoy watching their child in action. This is a 45-minute class.

# "Junior Express" (5-6 yrs)

The child participates in a special hour class designed for the younger child. These classes offer more experience in actual gymnastics as a lead up to our regular *Express* gymnastics program.

# **BOYS AND GIRLS Express GYMNASTICS**

The Gymnastics Express Too offers gymnastics classes for the beginner through the high school gymnast age 6-17. Each child enrolls to participate at his/her own level and age group. A 1½-hour and  $1^{1}/_{2}$ -hour class is offered for beginner through advanced boys and girls or high school girls. Our gym is fully equipped with the most up-to-date equipment including a spring floor, a complete pit system, a separate tumbling strip and a tumble trak. Our well-trained staff is ready to offer your child a fun, safe, learning experience.

# **TUMBLING CLASS**

This is our NEW one hour tumbling class for gymnasts! Your gymnast will be able to progress through an assortment of tumbling skills to build a solid foundation as well as receive spots for the skills of their choice. Your gymnast will be able to brush up on old skills and work on a variety of new skills to further their passion for gymnastics!

## **COMPETITIVE PRE-TEAM**

The girls in this select group will be working Level 1-3 of the USA Gymnastics system. They will attend two days a week. The goal of this group is to join our

competitive team as a Level 3. They pay a monthly fee from September through June.

#### **TEAM TRYOUTS**

Our competitive team program, in both Newington and Glastonbury, is one of the highest rated on the East Coast. Members of our girls' team have competed across the United States, and several of our girls have gone to college on full scholarships for gymnastics. This year our Level 8 &10 were State Champions! We are very proud of all our leaders, coaches and gymnasts!

We offer pre-team through Level 10 training for girls interested in competitive gymnastics. Call the office for tryout times.

#### **PAYMENT PLAN**

Full payment for the session is due with your registration when paying by credit card. We accept VISA and MASTERCARD. If you are paying by check (payable to GET) or cash you may make two payments. Half the cost of the class plus registration is due when registering and the balance will be due ½ through the session.

A \$25 NON-REFUNDABLE REGISTRATION FEE IS CHARGED PER CHILD ONCE DURING THE SCHOOL YEAR. MAXIMUM FEE \$60/FAMILY.

If you need a special payment plan please contact Brittany at 860-659-2200.

# **DISCOUNTS**

A Family discount or multiple class discount of 10% off the second child/class will be available by the session.



## **REFUND POLICY**

All registration fees are non-refundable. Please understand that you are responsible for **FULL TUITION** once your child begins classes. We give **NO REFUNDS** except to pre-schoolers who have never been in our classes before and this must be done before the 3<sup>rd</sup> class of the term. If your child is absent due to a prolonged illness, you may apply the tuition to the next term. A doctor's note is required.

#### WHAT TO WEAR

Leotards are required for all girls in all classes. Tights, if worn, must not have feet. NO jewelry should be worn and hair must be tied back. Boys must wear t-shirts and elastic-waist shorts or sweats. All gymnasts will go bare-footed. THESE REQUIREMENTS ARE FOR THE CHILD AND INSTRUCTOR'S SAFETY.

#### **BIRTHDAY PARTIES AT THE GYM**

What could be more exciting than a birthday party for your child and their friends at the Gymnastics Express Too? Included is 1 hour of interactive activities on Tumble Trak, Trampoline, Foam Pits, Inflatable Bouncer, custom built Pirate Ship & Castle, and other gymnastics equipment; followed by 45 minutes in one of our exclusive party rooms in our 15,000 square foot facility. Call the office or email for more information.



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	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
"Tumbling Tykes" 2 - 3 1/2 year old (45 minutes w/adult)	10:20	10:00	10:00	10:00	9:30	8:45 9:40 10:30 11:25
" <b>Jumping Juniors"</b> 3 1/2 - 5 year old (45 minutes)	9:30 10:20 1:00	10:00 10:50 1:50 5:15	10:50 5:30	10:00 1:00 6:00	10:20	8:45 9:40 10:30 11:25
" <b>Junior Express</b> " 5-6 year old (60 minutes)	4:00	6:00	4:00	4:00	5:15	8:30 9:40 10:50

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Girls Express I Beginner/Adv. Beginner 6 - 10 year old (1 1/4 hours)	4:00 5:15	4:00 5:15	4:00 5:15	4:00 5:15	4:00 5:15	8:30 9:55 11:20
Girls Express II Adv. Beginner 8-11 year old (1 1/4 hours)		6:30		6:30		
High School Express Adv. Beginner 11 year old & up (1 1/2 hours)	6:30		6:30			11:00
Boys Express Gymnastics 6 year old & up (1 1/4 hours)		4:00				
<b>Tumbling</b> 6 year old & up (1 hour)					6:00	

Schedule subject to change

COST	OF CLASSES	
TYPE OF CLASS	TERM 1 & 2	TERM 3
45 MINUTE CLASS	\$284 each term	\$151
1 HOUR CLASS	\$326 each term	\$173
1 ¼ HOUR CLASS	\$370 each term	\$197
1 ½ HOUR CLASS	\$405 each term	\$216

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#### **REGISTRATION FORM**

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