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POLARETTES COMPETITIVE NEWSLETTER

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Welcome to the start of another exciting year at Polarettes Gymnastics Club! We have a busy start to our season, so be sure to keep a eye on our new parent portal. We can't wait to see what this year has in store for our athletes, coaches and community.

UPCOMING IMPORTANT DATES

Monday, August 29th: Start of training for CCP

Thursday, September 1st: Start of training for Xcel

September 3rd - 5th: Gym Closed for Labor Day

Thursday, September 15th: Deadline for Swag Fundraiser

Friday, September 16th: Arctic Winter Games Meeting

Saturday, September 24th: Kids Night Out Fundraiser

Tuesday, September 27th: Physical Abilities Testing, CCP only

Wednesday, September 28th: P.D. Day, Team Building for all CCP & Xcel athletes

Friday, September 30th: Gym Closed for National Truth and Reconciliation Day

Wednesday, October 5th: Mock Meet with Virtual Judging for CCP & Xcel

Wednesday, October 5th: Canada Winter Games Meeting

October 8th - 10th: Closed for Thanksgiving

October 26th: Trials for Arctic Winter Games

Saturday, October 29th: Halloween Party for Competitive Members

GENERAL UPDATES

Parent Portal <- click here to check it out!

New this year, we have launched an online parent portal. This is where you can find an updated calendar, program handbooks, parent commitment opportunities, and newsletters.

Parent Commitment Sign Up <- click here to check it out!

We have a new system of signing up for parent commitment activities. New opportunities will be added throughout the year.

Athlete Fundraising Sign Up <- click here to check it out!

Our new fundraising committee has organized several athlete fundraising opportunities!

Suit Sizing Reminders

All remaining athletes will need to be sized on or before
Thursday, September 1st

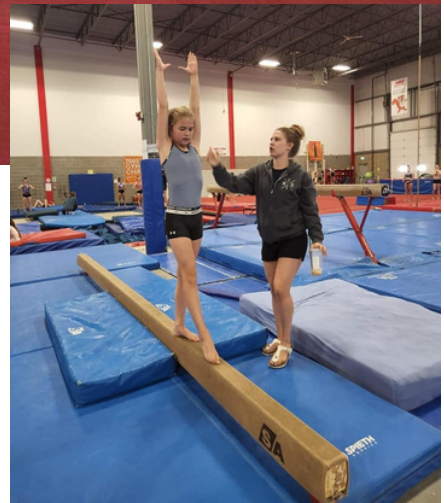
Shorts are available for sizing as well; they are an additional \$25

We will send our suit order to the suit designer on Friday,
September 2nd.

Summer Training Camp

From August 16th - 19th, we had 12 athletes and 3 coaches attend a training camp at Altadore Gymnastics Club in Calgary, Alberta.

We joined 70 other athletes and 13 coaches from Edmonton, Calgary, and Canmore for a fabulous training camp! This camp was a great opportunity for our athletes and coaches to learn from others in a new environment! What a great way to end summer training.



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Arctic Winter Games Meeting Friday, September 16th from 6:00 - 6:30 PM

This meeting is mandatory for anyone who plans to try out for Arctic Winter Games.

Discuss how AWG trials work. This is a parent, coach, and athlete meeting.

You only need to attend if your child plans to try out for AWG. All athletes will be judged under CCP 6 rules for this trial. If you're unsure if your child is preparing for this, please talk to their coach ASAP.

Swag Fundraiser

We have extended our swag fundraiser to September 15th! If you missed out, now is the time to order.

[Order here](#)

Kids Night Out Requirements

If you are interested in being a chaperone for one of our kids night out events, the following documents are required:

1. Criminal Record Check, with a vulnerable sector check (valid within the last 6 months). Please tell them you need it for Polarettes; our mailing address is 4061 4th Avenue, Whitehorse, Yukon, Y1A 1H1
2. Respect In Sport for Activity Leaders
3. Safe Sport Training
4. Optional: Commit to Kids

When you have completed the requirements, you will need to send it all to Kim at polarettesgymnastics@gmail.com

Note: Kid's Night Out is an Athlete Fundraising Committee event to raise funds for athletes to travel outside the territory. Only athletes who are registering for events outside the territory in Xcel Gold, Platinum, CCP 3 to 10 are eligible to sign up and raise funds with these events. Funds raised must only be used for travel.

Contact: fundraising@polarettes.org