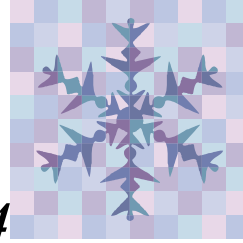


PANAWGI NEWS

Winter 2005



Judges Holiday Classic Cup 2004

Numerous judges, gymnasts and fans joined together at Paragon Gymnastics on December 18 and 19th to kick off the Holiday Classic Judges Cup. Over 400 gymnasts competed and left with numerous presents and memories in addition to an abundance of awards.

Many thanks to the parents club of Paramount Gymnastics for their hard work and dedication. Thanks to all of the judges who volunteered their time to judge, give award and do what was necessary. Your efforts are greatly appreciated.

Judging Volunteers:

Erin Hill
Staci John
Dana Price Arington
Kelly McPeak
Jan Morrow
Sherri Ross
Patti Walters
Gina Amrich
Loretta Toth
Jean McDougall
Amy Seeman
Connie Schultz
Nancy Claar

Cynthia Hills
Martha Santiago
Megan Pomorski
Mary Ann Olson
Barb Cutillo
Allison Gever
Christine Erickson
Jenifer Rabasco
Jane Caruso
Joyce Shaffer
Carla Thordsen
Laura Sunners
Margie Myers
Marilyn Schnaars

Tia Tedder
Joyce Donatelli
Shannon Bikle
Julie Swarts
Terry McGirk
Marcy Blitz
Lynn Ross
T.C. Goodwin
Carole Micsion
Anne Chookagian
Kristina Wulff
Tamara Lomanovitch
Kristina Olson Berryman

Competition Calendar 2005

Level 5-Erie-5/14-15
Level 6-Berks, Reading-5/6-7
Level 7-Somerton, Northern Philadelphia-4/23-24
Level 8/NO-Dynamatts, Williamsport-4/9-10
Level 9/10-Gym Beez, Downingtown 3/19-20
8 Regionals-Lehigh Valley Sports Academy, Allentown
9 Regionals-Berks, Reading
10 Regionals-Parkettes, Allentown

Are you witty? A good writer? Want to see your name in print?

Come be a guest columnist for the newsletter. Express a point of view, write an educational article, and dazzle us with your thoughts!

We need your help.

Web Sites to Know:

PA NAWGJ

PA USAG

USAG

Region VII

National NAWGJ

NAWGJ Products

Collegiate Info

panawgj.org

www.pagymnastics.com

www.usa-gymnastics.org

www.region7gymnastics.com

www.nawgj.org

judgingthings.com

www.collegegymnast.com

Check out the new PA NAWGJ Website:



***Educational Vouchers are on the way!
These are like cash and can not be replaced.***

Reminders about Credits:

****10 credits are needed per year. 4 of these credits must be received in a clinic***

****Active Status cards are due to Jan Morrow by November 15th***

Jan Morrow

616 Lopax Road

Harrisburg, PA 17112

Barb Knothe Memorial Scholarship

Barb Knothe Memorial Invitational Meet will be held on January 8-9th at KMC Gymnastics located in Kennet Square, PA. Barb Knothe was very involved in the sport of gymnastics, first as a coach and then as a judge. She coached and taught in western PA until 1980 at which time she moved to Philly and worked as a Physical Therapist at St. Agnes and Temple Hospitals and became more actively involved in judging. Barb passed away very unexpectedly in March 2001. A memorial fund was set up in her honor and a \$500 stipend is awarded to a graduating senior in Barb's name. Last year's recipient was a gymnast from the Gymettes gymnastics club in Harrisburg.

We are requesting a donation of one hour of your judging fee to the Barb Knothe Memorial fund.

Please send the check to Terry McGirk, 2410 East Kings Highway, Coatesville, PA 19320.

2005

State Clinic for Professional Members-June 25-26 (one east, one west)

State Clinic for Professional Members and Gymnasts-July 23-24 (one east, one central, one west)

National NAWGJ Symposium will be in Portland, OR July 14-17, 2005

Recertification and Testing will be available

National Congress-Indianapolis, August

National Course-Indianapolis

1st course (those officials who currently hold a national rating)

August 14-17 written test only

2nd course for newly eligible invited Level 10s

August 18 -21 written and practice exam

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Congratulations to Mr. Williamson of Lansdale, PA winner of the NAWGJ Portable DVD
Kristina Olson Berryman was the winning seller with over 480 tickets sold! Thanks to all who sold tickets.

*****Mileage has increased to .40 per mile effective January 1, 2005*****