Term 3 2020



Well what a year it's been so far! Thank you for your patience as we negotiated our way through the Alert Levels in term 1 and 2, we're looking forward to resuming a normal timetable this term. Sadly we have made the decision to cancel this year's School GymSport Festival due to the lockdown delays.

A gentle reminder to everyone that your term fees are due by the end of week one of classes

Introducing Rachael:

We are pleased to welcome Rachael to our coaching team. Rachael is a qualified coach who recently moved to Cambridge and we are delighted to have her join us.



Key Dates:

27 July - Term 3 classes start (except TeamGym which starts 20th July)

10 August - School GymSport Festival **CANCELLED**

20th Sept - Hamilton City Winter Festival

18 Oct - Cambridge TeamGym & Tumbling Comp

13 Dec - Prizegiving & AGM

EXCITING NEWS!!!

We are expanding! We are extending our lease to include the front area of the building (currently occupied by Inferno). This will happen partway during term 3. This provides a lot of benefits for our growing club:

- More class options we will be introducing new classes at the beginning of Term 3, and once we increase our size these classes can grow further. More information can be found on the 'Extension Classes' and 'Timetable and Programme Info' pages on our website.
- Two classes can run simultaneously in key time spots.
- More equipment we are sourcing more equipment to give you an even better gymnastics experience with us.
- Front access our main entrance will be from the roadside rather than down the driveway.
- More parking!! Yes parking is currently very limited, so having the off-street front area available will be a big help.
- We can host inter-club competitions and the School GymSport
 Festival in our own premises. The first of these is a TeamGym &
 Tumbling inter-club comp on Sunday 18th October. More
 details will be sent to members closer to the time.
- More space also allows for larger birthday parties. Details of these can be found on our website.

If you are able to come and help on moving day (tbc) please get in touch, many hands make light work:)

With expansion comes extra cost, so if you know of a business that would be willing to sponsor us please get in touch. We will have lots of extra wall space to promote local businesses!



The following classes will commence in Term 3. For more details see our website:

Free Running (Parkour)
WAG/MAG Pre Competition
Gym Strada
Adult Gym Fit
Adult Tumble



We will continue running a Mixed Ages GFA class as this has been popular for families wanting siblings to attend the same class.

We have also starting a Mixed Ages KindyGym class, for babies to 4yr olds.

More committee members still needed!

We are currently a very small team of 5, so any help you can give will make a big difference. You don't have to take on a formal role if you wish, just bring your ideas and enthusiasm!

Positions currently vacant:

- **Secretary** (record minutes of monthly meetings)
- **Grants Officer** (apply for funding)
- Marketing Officer (promote our club)



Our next meeting is Wednesday 22nd July 6:30pm upstairs at the gym, feel free to pop in and say hi.

ENTERTAINMENT BOOK

The Entertainment Book is now only available as a digital option. This is really easy to use and at a click of a button it will tell you all the available offers in your location at that time.

Order before 13th July and receive a Countdown Gift Card! To support our club you can purchase your copy here:

https://www.entertainmentbook.co.nz/orderbooks/15z4239





Birthday Parties

birthday Our party bookings are off to a great start. We can tailor make your party session to suit the ages & skill level of your guests. From toddlers playtime to a coaching session, or split your guests into teams and have them compete in challenges! A booking form and more details are available on our website, or contact the club to check availability for your party date.







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Housekeeping

Lets ensure all our members stay safe

PARKING

Please park on the roadside and not down the shared driveway.

The back parking spaces are for other businesses, and it's unsafe for our children walking up and down the driveway, particularly in the dark.

WATER

All gymnasts should be bringing their own water bottle to class. There are cubby holes to put them in and coaches will always encourage them to take a drink break.

SICKNESS

Please do not bring your child to class if they are unwell.

GYM FLOOR

For safety reasons we ask that parents do not wait on the Gym Floor area (except for preschool classes). Only coaches rostered for the session are to be in this area. While you are welcome to stay and watch from the mezzanine floor, it is not a requirement for ages 5+ classes.

COACH CONTACT

If you need to talk to a coach please do it before or after class. Attempting to talk to coaches during class is a distraction and for safety reasons coaches need to remain focused on the gymnasts.

FEES

Term fees are due by the end of the first week of class. If fees are not paid by the end of the second week and you have not made alternative arrangements with us, your child may be asked to stand down for the session.

Friends of the Committee

Want to help out but don't have much spare time?

In today's world it can be hard to find time to 'give back'. We are first and foremost a volunteer club, so the support of our members is an important part of our club being a success. Therefore we are introducing **Friends of the Committee**. You can give as much or as little time as you like, any amount of time is appreciated. Friends of the Committee gives the chance to be part of our club without having to attend monthly meetings! Simply let us know your name, and If there's a particular area of help you'd like to offer please let us know about that too (eg fundraising, cleaning bee, marketing, help with events...) We look forward to hearing from you!

Our Mission Statement

Cambridge Gymnastics Club is a not for profit organisation and has been a part of the Cambridge and Waipa community for over 50 years. Its mission is to offer quality gymnastics movement programs to the community regardless of age or ability. To be staffed by passionate, qualified coaches, supported by a strong dedicated Management Committee. We are committed to ensuring all participants have a safe, fulfilling and affordable experience in our facility.

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