



March & April 2019



HARLEQUIN

School of Gymnastics

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5. Cancelling Pre-authorisation
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New starters and BG insurance

Once your child has attended their trial session, an email will be sent with a link to our Loveadmin, please check your spam box if you cannot see it in your inbox. We give you 48 hours to accept or decline the space

If you accept the space you must setup both the Loveadmin and British Gymnastics by the following session, we cannot allow them in if this has not been completed. Please go to reception on your second session to check everything has been completed correctly Any problems please contact us, and we will be happy to help you.

Parent supervision

Due to an incident which happened while waiting for a class to start last week, Harlequin remind all parents and guardians that you are responsible for your child until they enter their class.

Please do not allow them to run around, jump on the furniture or do gymnastics skills in the waiting rooms or corridor. If they can be asked to stand and wait patiently accidents will be prevented. Thankyou



EASTER Gym Camp

Tues 9th April – Wednesday 17th April

Dates are now available to book for our Easter Gym Camp.

Please book via your **LoveAdmin** account. In the top left-hand corner is events, please follow instructions.

If you have any friends who wish to book their child, they can do this by logging into our website and clicking Gym camp.





We need your help! If you shop online, please could you sign up to easyfundraising to support Harlequin Gym Club - Leighton Buzzard?

It's a really easy way to raise money for us - you just use the easyfundraising site to shop online with more than 3,600 well known online stores like Amazon, Argos, John Lewis, ASOS, Booking.com, eBay, Boden, and M&S and when you make a purchase, the retailer sends us a free donation, at no extra cost to you.

We want to raise as much as possible, so please visit our new easyfundraising page at <https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/harlequingcleighton/> and click 'support us'.

(Basically people visit easy funding using our support page and then buy online through easy funding. So if they use amazon a lot then they can do it through this and we make money)



Parents cancelling Pre-authorisation

Please be careful when logging into your 'loveadmin' account (*formally called Paysubsonline*) as we have been informed by the system that payments have been cancelled and then re-set up later.

Our system notifies us when pre-authorized payments have been cancelled, once we are informed, we will take this as you no longer require your child's gymnastics or trampolining lessons. They will be removed and will no longer be able to attend.

As there is now no cancellation notice the place will be offered out to someone on the waiting list.

Once you have set up your account it must remain set up for the duration of their gymnastics or trampoline time at Harlequin



We have set up a just giving page to help raise money to purchase land to build a new Gym. This will benefit all current gymnasts, and newcomers.

Our link to the page can be found on **FACBOOK**, **INSTAGRAM** and our **WEBSITE** please also find the link below

www.justgiving.com/crowdfunding/harlequinschool

Ready for Gym

Please can we ask that child arrive at their class in appropriate attire. We do not insist that they wear a leotard, but we do ask that they wear shorts/leggings and a t-shirt. **No** floating tops, jeans, anything with buckles or belts.



HAIR – if long please tie it up, many children are turning up to class with their hair down.

TOILET – many children need to go while in their class, when one goes it has a domino effect and then half the class wish to go. Please can I ask that all children especially the younger years go before coming into class.



INJURIES



If your child has sustained an injury outside Harlequin with either their foot/ankle, hand/wrist, back or neck, **PLEASE** do not send them in. This is because more damage can be done.

Gymnastics uses all parts of the body, if they come in complaining that they have an injury we will call you to collect or sit them out of the activities.

ARRIVING on TIME

If your child arrives later than **15mins** after the class has started, I am afraid they will not be allowed in.

The most important part in any sport is the warm up, if they arrive late, we will not have a coach available to do a 1 to 1 warm up, this also disturbs all the other children.



RED NOSE WEEK



at Harlequin

Monday 11th March – Saturday 16th March 2019

Wear **RED** to your gymnastics class with a donation at the door.

Games will be in reception and classes filled with **FUN**.

Please remember to bring some change



GYMNAST of the Month

Apart from their Proficiency Badge scheme we also want to recognise gymnasts who show determination, commitment, dedication, progression and team work.

Congratulations to all the nominations and keep working hard to each gymnast within Harlequin, you could be next.

January

Preschool



Advanced



February

Preschool



Advanced



BADGE Classes



Gymnasts work really hard in all our recreational classes from **Pre-school Mini** who work theme badges

Junior classes which work the Pre-school 1st, 2nd and 3rd Badges

Bronze, Silver & Gold classes work very hard to complete their Badges 8 down to 1.

Trampoline classes work through badges 1 to 12

We also have gymnasts who have completed their Proficiency awards and have moved onto Bronze Fitness Badges.

To all gymnasts who have recently passed their badge

Congratulations and keep up the great work



PARKING



We have unfortunately had our neighbour Denvor Carpets, complain again that cars are being parked outside her building to drop of children into their class.

We have use of the shared car park which is to the left of our building, we are aware that parking is difficult during busy times, and we can only apologise. We do have a few spaces directly outside our building for your use and at night when all other units have closed the possibility of parking outside but please be respectful to our neighbours.

DO NOT PARK OUTSIDE DENVOR's

CAR PARK

Please keep hold of young children as they cross the car park, we have had a report that young children are running around the cars.



Advance Recreational Competition At SAADI Gymnastics Club Sunday 10th February 2019

On Sunday Harlequin took 24 gymnasts to SAADI Recreational Club in Redbourne to a Low-level Floor, Vault and Trampoline competition. The day was split between 3 rounds Bronze, Silver and Gold Levels, We brought home 21 medals in total from the competition.

Bronze level we took 9 gymnasts

In our **Bronze level Age 7-8yrs** we had Poppy P, scored 9.00 on Trampoline coming 7th, scored 8.90 on Floor coming 1st and taking Gold medal and scored 9.90 on Vault to come 1st and take the Gold medal.

In **Bronze Age 9yrs** we had Emily K who scored 9.55 to come 2nd and take Silver medal, scored 9.80 on Vault to come

2nd and take Silver and scored 8.70 on Floor to take the Gold medal. We also had Olivia C who scored 9.60 on Vault to come 3rd taking the Bronze, scored 8.00 on Floor to come 4th and scored 10.10 on Trampoline to come 1st and take the Gold medal.

In **Bronze Age 10 yrs** we had Sara B, who scored 8.40 on Floor, 9.70 on Vault and 10.40 on Trampoline to come 2nd on

all pieces and took home 3 Silver Medals. Rosie B scored 9.15 on Trampoline to come 7th, scored 8.30 on Floor and 9.60 on Vault to take home 2 Bronze Medals. Isla K who scored 9.45 on Trampoline to come 5th, scored 9.50 on Vault to come 4th, and scored 8.40 on Floor to take home Silver Medal. We also had Grace A who scored 10.50 on Trampoline, 9.80 on Vault and 8.95 on Floor to take home all 3 Gold medals in this age group.

In **Age 11-12 yrs** we had Chloe O, who scored 8.95 on Trampoline to come 6th, 8.30 on Floor to come 4th and scored

9.40 on Vault to take Bronze Medal. Scarlett M, scored 9.80 on Trampoline to come 4th, scored 9.60 on Vault to come

2nd and take Silver and scored 8.80 on Floor to take the Gold medal.



Moving on the Silver Level

In **Silver Age 9yrs** we had Melike D, who scored 9.30 on Trampoline to come 5th, 8.60 on Floor to come 7th and scored

9.30 on Vault to come 11th. We also had Amelie C who scored 8.65 on Floor to come 6th, scored 9.60 on Vault to come 8th and 9.80 on Trampoline to come 1st and take the Gold medal.

In **Age 10 Yrs** we had Keira F, who scored 9.10 on Vault to come 10th, scored 8.60 on Floor to come 6th and scored 9.30 on Trampoline to come 5th.

In **Age 11yrs** we had 4 gymnasts, Holly D, scored 8.40 on Floor 5th place, 9.80 on Vault 7th and scored 8.85 on Trampoline to come 10th. Bethany N scored 8.35 on Floor to come 6th, 9.80 on Vault to come joint 7th and on Trampoline score 8.70 to come 12th. Maya C scored 7.90 on Floor to come 10th, scored 9.30 on Vault to come 10th and scored 9.15 on Trampoline to come 7th. Zara T scored 8.30 on Floor to come 7th, scored 9.70 on Vault to come 8th and scored 8.70 on Trampoline to come 12th.



Moving on the last round our Gold Level

We had 6 gymnasts,

In **Age 11-12 yrs**, Danielle D, who scored 7.80 on Floor and 8.85 on Trampoline to come 7th on each piece and scored

9.40 on Vault to come 8th. Gabrielle K scored 8.75 on Trampoline to come 8th, 9.20 on Vault to come 9th and scored 8.15 on Floor to take the Bronze Medal. Atrin A, scored 7.60 on Floor to placed 9th, scored 9.50 to come 7th and scored 9.00 on Trampoline to come 5th. Amy F scored 6.60 on Floor to come 11th, 9.50 to come 7th on Vault and scored 8.20 on Trampoline to come 12th.

In **Age 13-14 Yrs**, we had 2 gymnasts compete, Elizabeth S scored 9.45 on Trampoline to come 7th, 9.70 on Vault to come 7th and scored 6.65 on Floor to come 12th. Ellie-Mae S scored 7.40 on Floor to come 7th, 11.70 on Vault to come

5th and scored 9.05 on Trampoline to come 11th.



Well done to all the gymnasts who competed, we are very proud of you and your routines, it was a difficult day as over 200 gymnasts competed throughout the day and the groups were big.

Thank you to all the parents that travelled to Redbourne.

All coaches are extremely happy with the results. We are sorry for those that could not compete due to illness

We are here for gymnasts, parents and coaches. If you need to speak to us please contact either..



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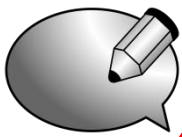


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COMMENTS

At Harlequin we are always planning to achieve the best for our gymnasts by supporting progressions with new ideas to reach the final skills.

We welcome feedback by gymnasts and parents. If you would like to have a say please leave a comment, with your name and contact number, we will answer you personally.



We are amazed that coats, shoes, bags are left after classes.

Please Check – if your child has arrived home missing something, it could be in our lost property.

At the end of each evening anything which is left will be collected and placed into the Black bin, which is situated in the Changing room. At the end of each school term we will take everything to the charity shops.



We post updates daily so for the latest club info please go to our Facebook page.