

EDGBARROW TRAMPOLINE CLUB NEWSLETTER APRIL 2017

Saturday	April 1st	- Easter signed training commences
Saturday/Sunday	April 8th/9th	- Fenton Manor – Stoke on Trent
Monday	April 10th	- Last day to enter 'First 100' competition
Sunday	April 16th	- Last day to enter League Event 1 - Wales
Tuesday	April 18th	- Training returns to normal
Sunday	April 23rd	- 'First 100' competition – Trampoline Centre
Tuesday	April 25th	- Last day to enter Regional Competition 21/05
Wednesday	April 26th	- Last day to enter Spring Series 2 - Sheffield
Saturday/Sunday	April 29th/30th	- Spring Series 1 -University of Nottingham
Sunday	May 7th	- U15 Squad session 10am-2pm - Trampoline Centre
Saturday/Sunday	May 13th/14th	- English Championships Q2 – Bath University
Sunday	May 21st	- Regional Novice/Synchro/Grades - Fleming Park

COMPETITION CLOSING DATES – Please note the following close dates for competitions. All entries are now placed on line and permission must be sought from your coach to enter –

Monday April 10th - 'First 100' competition on April 23rd at the trampoline Centre

Sunday April 16th - League Event 1 – Wales – 10th/11th June, Cardiff

Tuesday April 25th – Regional Grades, Synchro & Novice event, May 21st

Wednesday April 26th - Spring Series 2 – Sheffield, 3rd/4th June

EDGBARROW LOTTERY – The lucky March winners are Charlotte T - £40.00, Martin Whitehead - £20.00 and Heather Wicks - £12.00. Congratulations to all. We still have 30 numbers available at £2.00 a month for the next five months draws. Please let me know if you wish to take a lottery number and I'll put you in touch with Kim. It would be great for club if we could get all of the numbers sold. Thank you for your generosity.

SQUAD SESSION – **Sunday March 26th** – Well done to everyone who trained in the Elite Squad training session last month. Everybody worked very hard. Hannah L will contact those invited on May 7th shortly.

EASTER HOLIDAY SIGNED TRAINING – **April 1st to 17th** - We are now into signed Easter holiday training. Training returns to normal on Tuesday 18th April.

'FIRST 100' COMPETITION – **Sunday April 23rd** – Please confirm with your coach if you should enter and get their permission.

All those competing in the first Spring Series plus every regional and novice competitor should enter. Anyone wishing to enter the second Spring Series event on June 3rd/4th must use this event to show their routines before permission for entry for SS2 will be given.

GOOD LUCK to everyone competing in the English Championships in Stoke on Trent on April 8th/9th and the first Spring Series at the end of the month in Nottingham.

FOR INFO – We really want parents to be invested in the competition process, attend and support their children and for those new to competition (and as a reminder to others) we respectfully ask that parents do not come onto the competition floor at any event and remain in the spectator area. We also ask that once warm up commences and through to the end of your child's competition group, you refrain from approaching and speaking to your child, they will come to you after the event has finished. Thank you for your co-operation.

REGIONAL SYNCHRO, NOVICE and GRADED EVENT – **Sunday May 21st** – Please see the attached information for this event. Anyone training the **CLUB H** or **CLUB I** routine can enter the **NOVICE** section, all Regional Grade competitors may enter the grades and anyone wishing to compete synchro, please look at the routines with your coach and decide your level. Please confirm with your partner before entering that they are available to compete. Entries must be placed online by April 25th. The entry cost is £12.00 per individual and £18.00 per synchro pair. Please see the attached information for the synchro routines.

FUND RAISING INITIATIVE – In order to create a more hygienic pit environment we have sourced 'pit socks'. Each foam log in the pit will 'wear' a colourful sock eliminating foam dust, smell and protecting the eyes. The socks will also double the life of each log. The pit socks are very expensive and we need to raise £4,000 to cover the cost. We have a fun 'pit sock' fundraising initiative for everyone. For £7.00 you can have a pit sock embroidered in your name and your foam log will be put into the pit for eternity! Each embroidered sock we sell will create £3.50 for club after the foam, sock and embroidery has been paid for. So please help us make the centre a more colourful and hygienic experience for you/your child and sign for your very own pet log! We need about another 50 to sign up for a log in order to help us on our way. Once we have these we can place the order so please sign by the end of the Easter holiday. Thank you for your generosity.

EDGBARROW SUMMER CAMP – **Tuesday July 25th to Friday July 28th inclusive**. Please find attached the 2017 Summer Camp information. The camp is open to everyone 8+. We provide a great four days of activities. Book early to avoid disappointment as we only have 30 spaces. See attached for information and the application form.

SAD NEWS – This month we say goodbye to both Elliot and Tom H. Both have had to hang up their leotards to concentrate on their studies. Good luck to both of you and thank you for representing Edgbarrow so brilliantly over the years.

HAPPY NEWS – Congratulations to Pip and Hayley who welcomed Isla into the world last month and to Jess and Dave who only recently (April 1st) gave birth to Ethan Joshua weighing 8lbs 5ozs. Next week also sees the long awaited wedding of Amanda to James. Good luck Amanda and James and we know you will be very happy! Good luck too to Jess H who has just departed to go travelling for six months.

Yours,

Sue and the Coaches