



# GYM NEWS



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Some days may make you wonder, but spring is right around the corner and it is almost time to register your children for our spring session. **Registration for the spring session begins on Monday, March 5th.** Please read the below information very carefully and mark your calendars, check the Gym News for updates and listen for reminders from the staff to insure you don't miss it. If you have any questions, please let us know.

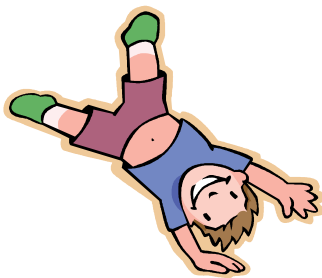
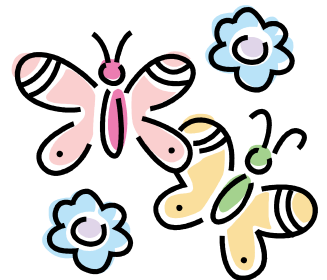
**CURRENT STUDENTS ARE ONLY GUARANTEED A SPOT IN THEIR CURRENT CLASS, DAY AND TIME. TO MAKE A CHANGE REQUEST, CONTACT A STAFF MEMBER SO YOU CAN BE PUT ON THE WAITLIST A.S.A.P.**

**Registration for current AND new students can be done in person or over the phone with a credit card.** We know accept MasterCard, Visa, Discover and American Express.

**Priority Registration (3/5-3/10) is for current students (residents & non-residents).** All currently enrolled students have a guaranteed spot in their current class, day, time and level. **These spots will only be held until 3/11** and then they may be forfeited to those who are waiting to move up, make a schedule change, or waiting on the waitlist. **If you wish to make a change, OR your child's coach has notified you in writing that your child is eligible to move to the next level, please make sure you put your child on a waitlist immediately for the new, desired day and time.**

**Change Week (3/12-3/17) is the week we do our best to accommodate those students moving to another level or those that would like to make a schedule change.** In either case, you should have already provided us with your new schedule choices so we are able to complete the change process for your child. Once the change is made, we will inform you of your updated class information. **It is up to you to notify us within a 24 hour period if the change no longer works for you.** If this is the case, we will do our best to find another spot for your child, however, it is very important to pick only days and times that you are sure will work.

**March 19th begins open registration.** When there are spots open after the current students are placed in their appropriate classes, we begin to call the children on the waitlists to fill these openings. **It is up to you to confirm that you would still like the class offered within a 24 hour period.** Otherwise, your child's spot will be given to the next child waiting. **In addition, you must make payment in order for your child to be officially registered.**



## The Annual Cartwheel-a-thon will take place February 5th through February 11th.

All students who attend our GK2 and above classes are invited to participate. Although pledge sheets were handed out to each student, fundraising is not mandatory. The last few minutes of

class children will do as many cartwheels as they can for three minutes. All children will receive a ribbon with the total number of cartwheels completed written on the back. In addition, prizes can be earned based on total dollars donated. Everything you need to know is on the cartwheel-a-thon handout and pledge sheet however, if you have any questions please just ask.

## UPCOMING EVENTS

### Preschool Playtime (1-5 yrs.)

Wednesday 10-11:30 a.m., Friday 1-2:30 p.m.  
(Inflatable Friday - February 24th)

### Cartwheel - A - Thon

Sunday, February 5th - Saturday, February 11th

### Girl's Team Meet

IGI Chicago Style Meet - February 10th - 12th  
Navy Pier - Chicago, IL

### Boy's Team Meet

Circle Of Stars - February 11th & 12th  
Noblesville, Indiana

### Boy's & Girl's Team Meet

The Great Western - February 18th, 19th & 20th  
Hidden Cove Sportsplex / Bourbonnais, IL

### Pizza Fundraiser / February 22nd

Homemade Pizza / 421 N. Harlem Ave. O.P.

**THE GYM WILL BE CLOSED  
FOR SPRING BREAK  
MARCH 26TH - APRIL 1ST**

# FEBRUARY



# BIRTHDAYS

2/1	Jhaden Jackson David Maas Owen May
2/2	Peyton Bryant Jillian Louie
2/3	India Guthrie Abby Pridmore
2/4	Julia Dingman
2/5	Ava Blair-Breitung Liora Ginsberg Drew McConville
2/6	Shaneea Esco Zoe Szewczyk Isabel Waste
2/7	Evan Comm Jonah Funk Hunter Knoepke Robbie Pflederer Audrey Purins Carly Somberg Mattia Zefran
2/8	Cooper Wesley
2/9	Mac Dawson Margaret Helbig Hope Luera Sam Morgan Daniel Rodriguez
2/10	Gailie Glover Noah Oxer
2/11	Jahan Malik Cali Walsh Ellie White
2/12	Brinn Hagner Maria Leon Audrey Semler
2/14	Maya Gleenfield
2/15	Nevaeh Evans Baani Parmar Mia Trotta Kate Walby
2/16	Anthony Coleman Claire Jackson Mark Licup
2/17	Allen Dailey Natalia Kuchinic
2/18	Carolina Anello Henry Knoepke
2/19	Janine Acosta Caoimhe Chow
2/20	Eric Bezaire
2/21	Mikayla McIlrath
2/22	Serena Cazeau Aidan Sjoblom
2/23	Robert Pawlak-Daracz
2/24	Roman Pantazopoulos Jack Walby
2/25	Megan Dauphinee
2/26	Owen Costello-Thorp Maxine Kreiter
2/27	August Bartley Ana Cuevas Olivia Loonergan
2/27	Lily Churilla Maya Guerriero Henry Kurtz
2/29	Arian Tajik LiZhong Dubreuil

## HOMEMADE PIZZA FUNDRAISER



Support the Oak Park Gymnastics Boys and Girls Teams. **For one day only - Wednesday, February 22nd we will receive a donation for every purchase made at the HomeMade Pizza Co. store at 421 N. Harlem Avenue in Oak Park.**

If you have never had a HomeMade Pizza, it is made of all-natural ingredients and you bake it at home. They also offer a variety of fresh salads, bake-at-home cookies, and ice cream. To learn more, visit [homemadepizza.com](http://homemadepizza.com).

They will donate the following:

- \$5 for every large pizza sold
- \$5 for every gluten free pizza sold (only available in medium)
- \$2 for every large salad sold
- \$1 for every breadsticks order sold.
- 20% from every gift card purchase.

It's that easy. Just visit [homemadepizza.com](http://homemadepizza.com), place your order online; online orders can be placed up to three (3) weeks in advance, order by phone and mention this fundraiser (708-358-9999) or stop in and place your order. If you are ordering in advance, the day of the event you can pick up your order between 1:00-8:00 p.m.

Be sure to tell your friends and help us turn pizza dough into Oak Park Gymnastics dough.

## TEAM NEWS...

**OOPS.** In last months Gym News, it was reported that the Boys Level 6 team took the 6th place team award at the Hawaiian Pineapple Meet when in fact, they earned the 3rd place award.

### Windy City Boys Meet January 13th - 15th

- Level 4 earned the 2nd place team award
- Level 5 earned the 5th place team award
- Level 6 earned the 5th place team award

### Big Chill Girls Meet January 14th & 15th

- Oak Park Gymnastics took the 2nd place Super Team award. This is given to the team that has the top 5 All Around scores combining all levels and age groups.
- The following girls earned the 1st place All Around award; Kai Yokoo (level 4), Yasmin Ruff (level 5) and Katie Anderson (level 7).
- The following girls earned the 3rd place All Around award; Claudia Guerrier (level 5) and Hannah Thompson (level 5).

### Circle of Stars Girls Meet January 20th & 21st

- Level 4 - 3rd Place Team Award
- Level 5 - 4th Place Team Award
- Kai Yokoo (level 4) - 1st All Around
- The 3rd place All Around award was earned by; Claire Massmann (level 4), Merrie Luther (level 4) and Hannah Thompson (level 5)