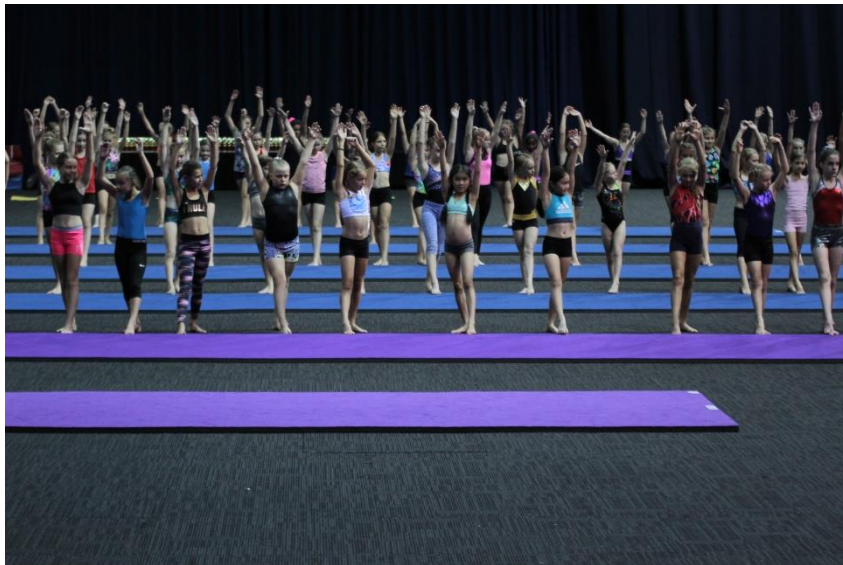


CLUB DYNAMITE

Gym

Medals



Handbook

Welcome to the Medals program at Club Dynamite!

GYM MEDALS:

Club Dynamite's Gym medals program is a fun, fast paced and progressive gymnastics program catering for beginners through to advanced level gymnasts.

The program is aimed at both male & female gymnasts from Year 3 at school and up, teaching a variety of gymnastics skills in the areas of floor, tumbling, trampoline, mini tramp, bars, beam, vault and MAG apparatus.

The program will develop each gymnast's strength, flexibility, balance, focus, confidence, agility, perseverance, determination and courage, while learning a variety of exciting skills.

The program has the following stages.

LEVEL	Hours trained per week	Entry requirement	Description
BRONZE	1 hour	Open to any gymnast Year 4 & above at school (or year 3 for boys)	Develops strength, coordination & agility and teaches core skills on all gymnastics apparatus
BRONZE PLUS	1 ½ hours	Passed Bronze Medal Or WAG/MAG Level 2-3	A developmental program, building on previously

			acquired fundamental skills, to learn new and exciting skills
SILVER	1 ½ hours	Passed Bronze Plus medal or WAG/MAG level 4	An intermediate level gymnastics program, developing the technique for advanced gymnastics tumbling
GOLD	1 ½ hour	Passed Silver Medal or WAG/MAG level 5	An Advanced foundation gymnastics level, teaching skills like flips, saltos and aerials.
PLATINUM	2 hours	Passed Gold Medal or WAG/MAG level 6	An Advanced Level gymnastics program, teaching high level tumbling skills
DIAMOND	3 hours	Passed Platinum medal or WAG/MAG level 7	Elite level training, teaching international standard skills



CLASS TIMES:

Students generally attend one class per week. Each class is designed to be fast paced and visit a variety of apparatus and skills every lesson, while developing strength and flexibility.

Bronze students attend a 1 hour class each week

Monday – 6:00-7:00PM

Tuesday – 6:00-7:00PM

Wednesday – 6:00-7:00PM

Thursday – 6:00-7:00PM

Saturday – 11:30-12:30PM

Bronze Plus students attend a 1 1/2 hour class each week

Monday – 6:00-7:30PM

Tuesday – 6:00-7:30PM

Wednesday – 6:00-7:30PM

Thursday – 6:00-7:30PM

Friday – 6:30-8:00PM

Saturday – 11:30-1:00PM

Silver students attend a 1 ½ hour class each week

Monday – 6:00-7:30PM

Tuesday – 6:00-7:30PM

Wednesday – 6:00-7:30PM

Thursday – 6:00-7:30PM

Friday – 6:30-8:00PM

Saturday – 11:30-1:00PM

Gold students attend 1-2 x 1 ½ hour class each week

Monday – 6:00-7:30PM

Tuesday – 6:00-7:30PM

Wednesday – 6:00-7:30PM

Thursday – 6:00-7:30PM

Saturday – 11:30-1:00PM

Platinum students attend 1-2 x 2 hour classes each week

Monday 6:00-8:00PM

Tuesday 6:00-8:00PM

CLASS COSTS:

Classes are \$24 per lesson for the 1 hour Bronze class and we offer a two class trial for new gymnasts, for this you pay for your first class and your second class is free. If after the first two classes your child is enjoying the class and wants to continue, we charge fees in 10 week blocks (or what is left of the block at the time) and the annual registration fee, which is \$95 per child.

Classes are \$29.50 per lesson for the 1 1/2 hour Bronze Plus, silver and Gold classes and \$36 per lesson for the 2 hour Platinum classes.



WHO CAN JOIN:

The Bronze class is open to girls from Year 4 and above at school and boys from Year 3 and above at school, catering for those who have previous gymnastics experience as well as those brand new to the sport.

It is also open to students moving up from the Shooting Stars once they are heading into year 4 or Junior boys program once they are going into year 3.

Bronze Plus is an invitational class open to gymnasts who have achieved their Bronze Medal, or who have previous experience at the MAG or WAG level.

Silver is an invitational class open to those who have passed their Bronze plus medal test or attained a level 4 or above standard in MAG or WAG.

Gold is an invitational class open to those who have passed their Silver medal or attained level 5 or above in MAG or WAG.

Platinum is an invitational class, open to those who have passed their Gold Medal or who have attained Level 6 or above in MAG or WAG.

HOW CAN I JOIN:

Click on the “how to join” option in the membership menu on our website and fill out the form or send us an email to

admin@clubdynamite.com.au with your child’s name, DOB and which day/days suit you the best and we will book you in for a trial.

We do cap our classes at a maximum coach:gymnast ratio, so classes may have a waiting list. Spots will become available on a regular basis as our gymnasts are moved up to higher levels, which happens frequently throughout the terms.

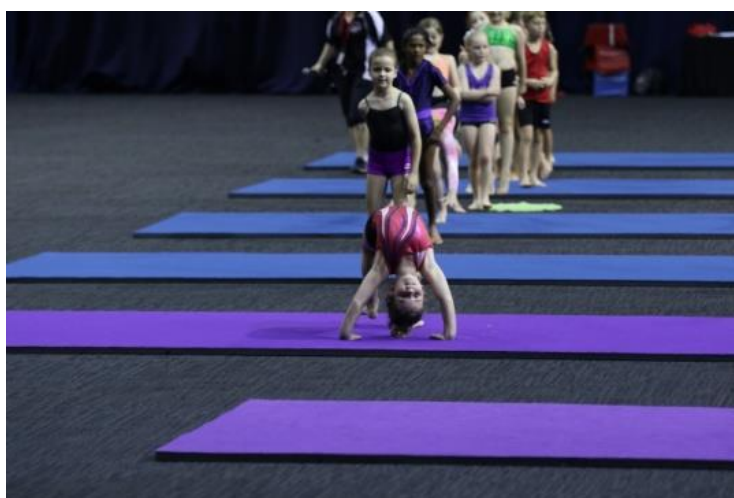
WHAT SHOULD MY CHILD WEAR:

Class wear for girls is a leotard on its own or with bike pants or leggings, bare feet and long hair pulled up.

Class wear for boys is a singlet (no sleeves) and stretchy shorts with no buttons or zippers and bare feet.

Please avoid the following

- shoes, socks or anything that covers the feet
- Gloves or anything that covers the hands
- clothes with buttons or zippers
- skirts or dresses
- No street clothes – shorts, T shirts etc
- Baggy clothes or school uniforms
- Jewellery, watches and sports watches – a small pair of earring is fine.



WHAT WILL THE GYMNASTS BE LEARNING IN THE GYM MEDALS PROGRAM?

In the first 30 mins of the class Bronze, Bronze Plus, Silver, Gold and Platinum gymnasts will combine for their physical prep. This will develop their fitness, strength, flexibility, balance, plyometrics, strength and flexibility. Students will learn and strengthen the core body shapes required for gymnastics at all levels of their training.

In the second part of the class gymnasts will be split into smaller groups to work with a variety of coaches.

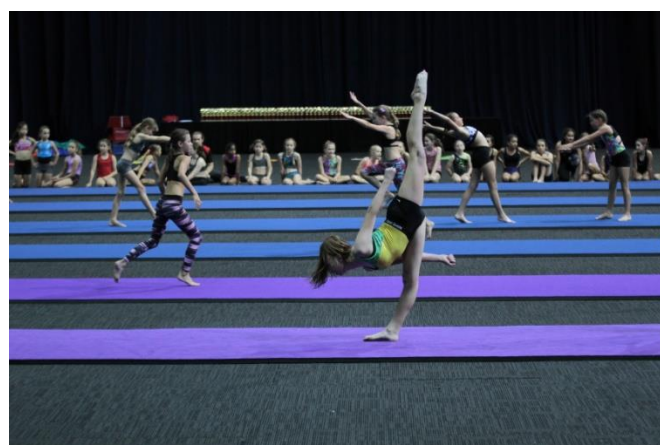
Gymnasts will work floor and tumbling every week, learning skills from cartwheels and handstands to aerials, flips and twists.

In addition to this, gymnasts will learn other apparatus on a rotating basis, including Vault, Bars, Beam, Trampoline and MAG apparatus.



HOW DO GYMNASTS MOVE UP A LEVEL:

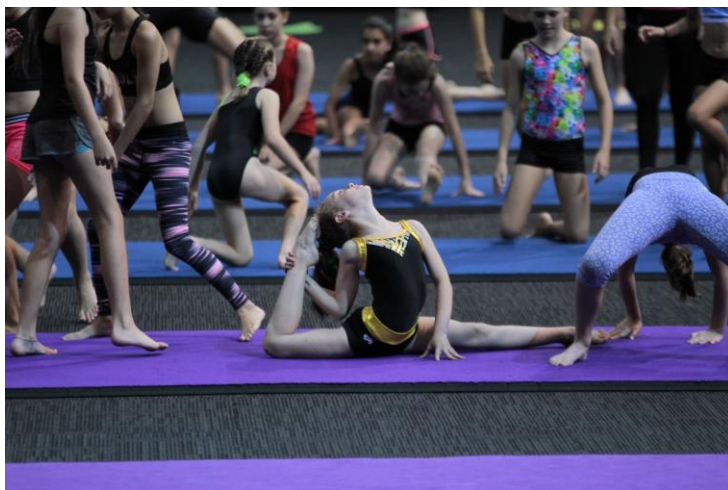
Testing is conducted in class, often throughout the year. Once students have mastered all skills in their specific program to a good standard, they are awarded their corresponding medal and are invited to move up to the next level.



COMPETITIONS & EVENTS:

All Bronze, Bronze Plus, Silver, Gold & Platinum gymnasts are invited to participate in a variety of events each year including our testing days, showcase and Display days. Students perform routines showcasing skills they have been learning and earn a variety of awards.

There are also a number of exciting in class events held each year including our annual Team Challenge, Gym wide strength challenge, Splits Month and Monthly strength challenges for our students to test their skills and earn rewards.



IS MY CHILD INSURED:

Yes! All gymnasts become members of Gymnastics Australia and are fully covered by insurance while participating in all classes and events



COMMUNICATION:

The best and fastest form of communication is always email. Please feel free to contact us if you have any questions, queries or concerns

– admin@clubdynamite.com.au

