

Franklin Gymsports

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ENROLMENT INFORMATION 2021



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Welcome to the Club

Thank you for being involved with our club. We are pleased to welcome you as part of the Franklin Gymsports community and hope that we can share a wealth of knowledge with you and your family. Please read through the following information for clarity on our current programmes and processes.

Our Core Values:

- Holistic approach
- Fun
- Celebrating achievements

Vision Statements:

- We love Gymnastics and sharing the elation of success
- We are Franklin District's leading provider of Gymnastics programs, delivered in a sustainable, community focused and Sport NZ aligned manner
- We promote the social, emotional and cognitive needs of participants with the long-term goal of keeping participants engaged in sport for life
- We are a professionally managed club, enabling ongoing investment in people, programs and equipment to benefit the participants
- We aim to develop a highly regarded competing status amongst Auckland clubs while retaining holistic methods of training and competing
- We look forward to building, bonding and developing happy and healthy gymnasts.

Opt Out Club/Bond

We are an opt out club. This process will allow your child's membership to automatically roll over to the following term with a bond of \$25 made on initial enrolment. If you opt out within the dates below, we will refund your bond to your nominated bank account. If you are still a current member in Term 4 then your bond will be credited to your term 4 fees. You are then required to re-enrol into the following year and repeat the enrolment process.

Opt out dates

Term 2: up until 5th April

Term 3: up until 28th June

Term 4: up until 20st September

Cancellation Process

Should you wish to cancel your membership you must provide us with written notice and ensure that you let us know before the dates above. If you fail to meet the dates listed, then your bond will be non-refundable and you may be invoiced for the following term.

Fees

All fees must be paid in full by the end of week 4 of each term.

Online Payments

Bank Details:

Franklin Gymsports

01-0403-0093299-00

Reference: Childs Name + Invoice Number

Friendly Manager

This is our online booking system. When you enrol your child for the first time you are sent an email with your temporary password. Please login and make sure all your details are correct. This is where you can log in to check any outstanding fees and also badge testing information for your child.

Please ensure all details are kept up to date - This is so we can ensure details of customer records are updated and fulfil our Gymnastics NZ affiliation H&S requirements.

Information Updates/Notices

Although we do send relevant information via email, we ask that you do please check the noticeboard inside and Facebook for any updates/upcoming events. Please be mindful to check your junk email as some members have missed important information due to this in the past.

Uniforms

While we are a not for profit community club, we do uphold professional values as per the discipline of the sport of gymnastics. Therefore, all recreation programmes are required to purchase a club uniform – leotard for girls, T-Shirt for boys. These are available to purchase at the office. (Competitive gymnasts train in suitable attire as per their programme and compete in club uniform – therefore you may notice other leotards around)

Events for Recreation members

Information is sent via email for competitions offered for recreation for trampoline, tumble and artistic gymnastics. These events are typically between April – September.

CLUB HEALTH AND SAFETY RULES FOR GYMNASTS

Reporting for and Leaving Gym Sessions

1. Gymnasts are to sign in before the start of their scheduled session at the front desk.
2. Your child can then put away any belongings including named drink bottles in the white cubbies, then take a seat in the small gym supervised by coaches. Gymnasts are not to use the equipment at this time, coaches will lead them through to the warm up gym once class is ready to commence.
3. Children may not leave the building without parental supervision. For safety reasons we ask that all caregivers collect children from the supervising coach, or the seating area in small gym. Children are not allowed to wait outside for pickup.

Use of Equipment

1. Enrolled members only are to use equipment, and only during their scheduled session.
2. Gymnasts are to check with their Coach before going on equipment.

General Behaviour in the Gymnasium

1. Please keep siblings off the equipment, only enrolled members are allowed on the equipment for safety reasons.
2. Gymnasts are to warm-up and train without interfering with other club members. Interference may be such behaviour as inconsiderate running through and into other training areas, removing mats or equipment without the Coach's agreement, excessive noise etc.
3. No jewellery is to be worn during class that might harm the gymnasts, coaches or the equipment – this includes watches and fit bits. Long hair must be tied back and clothes to be worn that are flexible and without buttons or zips must be worn during class. Skorts/skirts/dresses and jeans are not to be worn.
4. Strictly out of bounds for all gymnasts are:
Walls and ceiling of the gymnasium
Club storage area/office.
Any equipment unsupervised and/or unscheduled by the Coach
5. Food is to be eaten in the foyer area or outside only - not near or on any of the mats in the gymnasium. Should a spillage occur it is the responsibility of the parent or guardian to ensure it is cleaned up. Franklin Gymsports has a strict NO chewing gum policy. Please do not bring nuts for snacks as we have some members with fatal allergies to this.

6. Gymnasts need to bring personal sealed, plastic drinking water bottles to gym sessions. The water fountain is strictly for refilling bottles and our daytime classes only.
7. Gymnasts should tell their coach if they feel hurt, unwell or unsafe.
8. We use the buddy system when children need to use the bathroom or go out of the line of sight of their coach.
9. If your child has head lice or infectious ailments, we cannot accept them into class due to health and safety regulations. We will try to arrange a makeup session for the child at a later date, on a day and time where (and if) space is available.

We have policies and procedures to follow which are accessible for member review should you feel the need – please ask at the office.

NB. Gymnastics is by its very nature a risky activity. Attention to safety is really a 'common sense approach' which need not jeopardise the fun in a gymnastic programme but merely make it a healthier gymnasium environment in which to offer children a positive experience in gymnastics

Thank you for supporting our club
Team Franklin