

## **Welcome back families!**

We would like to start by welcoming you all to the Fall 2022 season! We have seen record numbers of Recreational athletes, as well as a huge resurgence in the Competitive program. Although we are still following Covid related health and safety protocols, it's exciting to see a sense of normally return to HHGC. Parents are invited to visit the center again and watch their children practice the fantastic sport of gymnastics.

We also saw an astounding 250+ unique registrants for our HHGC summer camps. The camps showcased 8 different themed weeks, highlighted by an animal trainer in 'Safari Week' and a live Magic show in 'HHGC's Got Talent Week'. It was a pleasure to see all the gymnasts attend day-in and day-out, embracing wacky hair days, superhero themes, and just having an overall blast at HHGC! We can't wait to see everyone back for what is sure to be a great Summer 2023!

A few other notes about exciting things happening here at HHGC. We have just started a new fundraising promotion, supporting a local organization in MacMillan's Foods (out of Acton). They have been providing fantastic products, such as hot dogs and sausages, savoury appetizers and delicious desserts, for decades. We are pleased to announce the ONLINE fundraising will run until Wednesday October 19<sup>th</sup> (so you can get all your family to support HHGC with their purchases when you see them over Thanksgiving long weekend). The delivery/pick-up date will be on Wednesday, November 9 from 4-7 pm at HHGC, for all of those athletes who ordered from MacMillan's. Simply choose the products you'd like, and then when checking out, choose 'HHGC' and enter the gymnast's name. Here is the link for online ordering: <a href="https://macmillansfundraising.online/">https://macmillansfundraising.online/</a>. Also, we are happy to have partnered with HH Vending who will continue to provide a state-of-the-art vending machine stocked with fresh, healthy options. So fear not if you couldn't pack a snack for gymnastics; the new machine accepts cash, debit and credit and will keep gymnasts fueled for optimum fun and performance! Lastly, our HHGC Swag Shop is constantly growing and changing and orders are flying out the door! We are thrilled to unveil a new HHGC water bottle available for all athletes and their families, as well as our new line of clothing (which will be available in the winter). Check it out and place your orders now for the great gear at <a href="https://www.inkpoint.ca/hhgc">https://www.inkpoint.ca/hhgc</a>, while supplies last.



Halton Hills Gymnastics Centre would, once again, like to thank all of you athletes and parents for your support over the past 2 and a half years. It's been trying times for a youth, non-profit sports organization during a global pandemic, but seeing you all come back stronger than ever is very encouraging for our future as we continue to adapt and grow. If you are interested in supporting the club further (sponsorships, etc) please feel free to contact me, as there are multiple options available now that gymnasts are physically back in the facility.

Thanks again and see you at HHGC soon!

Alex Bitterman Executive Director

#### **Important Dates:**

Sept 1—First Day of Fall Programs

Sept 22— Gym suit sake

Oct 4—Gym suit Sale 4:00 -8:00

Oct 10—HHGC Closed—Happy Thanksgiving

Oct 17— Winter Registration begins

Oct 30—Halloween Kids Night

Winter Registration begins
October 17th!

#### Competitive, Interclub and T & T Update:

Hello HHGC community! We are excited to prepare for our upcoming competition season! Many of our competitive athletes will come in for a couple of extra hours to learn their floor routines in the coming months. Our new level 6 athletes are excited, as this will be their first year with competing individual routines. We also have lots of new athletes that will be competing for their first time this season, so we would like to wish you all the best of luck in your preparations and that you have lots of fun along the way.

In the past few months, we have had a lot of changes here at HHGC, and I would like to thank all of our families for showing us patience and understanding in these times.

I would like to welcome Coach Daniel Recalde to our Gym! He has worked with us in the past filling in for us whenever we needed an extra pair of hands. I am delighted to have him as part of our full-time staff! Daniel will coach our Xcel bronze, Sliver, and Rising Stars A groups. I hope you will all help in giving him a warm welcome to our family.

I would also like to announce that Coach CJ will take over Provincial 1 Starting in October.

We've spent a lot of time looking for the right fit to take over this group, and I couldn't be more confident in my choice of having Coach CJ pick up



the mantle. Since coming to us from the States, he has furthered his education in every aspect of gymnastics, and I am excited to see him take our athletes to a new height this competitive season!



As the new Head Coach of Halton Hills Gymnastics Centre, I am excited to announce the arrival of our new training suits! I'm so happy to see a lot of our athletes already enjoying the new look. We also have our new competition suits to look forward to.

I hope you all had a great summer and I look forward to what the Fall has to bring!

Coach Xhosa



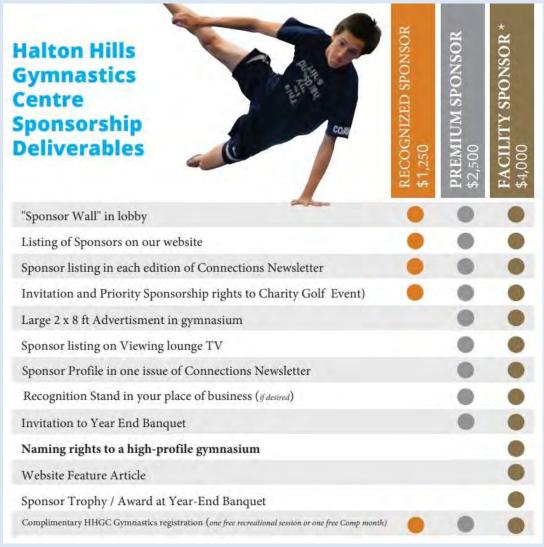


### **HHGC Sponsorship Program**

The Sponsorship Program is designed specifically for local businesses who support our mission and philosophy and who want to make a difference in our community.

HHGC has a comprehensive and well-organized recognition program that promotes and endorses our sponsors at every opportunity. You will gain a solid local awareness through a strong association with HHGC.

Sponsorships are based on a 12-month agreement, beginning with date of signing, so you don't miss out on any event or promotional opportunity throughout the year.



For as little as \$1,250 per year you can support a local, youth, non-profit organization while also getting your business seen by thousands of Halton residents. The select 'Facility Sponsors' will have exclusive naming rights of one of our facilities, based on a 5-year commitment (in line with our facility lease).

For more information or to support HHGC as a Sponsor, please contact Executive Director, Alex Bittermann at <a href="mailto:alex@haltonhillsgymnastics.com">alex@haltonhillsgymnastics.com</a>

We appreciate your support!

**Happening in October at HHGC** 





# HALLOWEEN KIDS NIGHT IN

SATURDAY OCT. 29TH

5:00-7:30

JOIN US FOR GYMNASTICS, PARKOUR, GAMES, SCIENCE EXPERIMENT, A CRAFT,
AND PIZZA & A MOVIE

