

The Flip Side



Spring 2011

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Gym Updates

Make sure to review the calendar on the other side for the majority of the events during the spring session at GBGC.

You may have heard the news. We are preparing to move. Ground has been broken and our goal is to begin at our new facility on Tuesday, May 31st. We will be moving just a short distance to 3166 Tri-Park Drive (sharing with Soccer Zone). Our facility will nearly double in size!! We can't wait for our expanded viewing and larger gym space.

Don't miss our annual Gymfest. The children have a great time participating in our end of season "show." They will demonstrate routines just like a real gymnastics competition. It's a great time for all!

March 11-13th GBGC hosted their 1st USA Gymnastics competition. We rented the basketball facility at GVSC. We hope you were able to check out the big event. Overall, we had a great weekend. It was an exciting event and we learned a lot. Our goal is to bid for a competition again next season and make it even better! With the new gym, we will have enough space to host on site!

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We are still working on our final financial info for our tumble-athon, but the preliminary numbers look great according to Renee Darling (our PR manager). Watch the board for updates on our final amounts for 2011! Thanks to all for your participation.

JOIN US FOR OPEN GYM, SKILL CLINICS, DAY CAMP AND MOVIE NIGHT SEE CALENDAR FOR DATES & REC WALL FOR MORE INFO

We have day camps on most days when Grand Blanc Schools are closed for ½ or full days.

Stop in the office to sign up

Open gym is a supervised setting where students (and friends) can work on skills that need perfection. Horseplay is not allowed. We are also adding skill clinics and some fun lunchtime activities. We have restructured our pricing to make open gym easier to manage.

Movie Nights are a great opportunity for parents to have a night out while the kids get to do gymnastics and watch a movie! Cost is \$12 for early sign up (\$10 for competitive gymnasts).

SPRING SAFETY REMINDERS

Please remind your children not to go near animals, even dogs or cats that may be on school property or ones they may pass on their way to and from school. Animals, even domesticated ones, are often unpredictable. Dogs and cats may react negatively if approached when their owners are not present. Animals are not the only things of which children should be wary. Please remind your children to stay away from strangers. It is important to stress to your children these four safety tips:

- 1) Always walk with a buddy, never alone
- 2) Don't talk to strangers
- 3) Get away from the situation
- 4) Tell your parents, teachers, friends or the police immediately if approached.

Another part of spring and the approach of warm weather is the danger of tornados. As a reminder, a tornado watch means the current weather conditions are conducive for tornados. A tornado warning means a tornado has been sighted or strongly indicated on radar and/or a severe thunderstorm with 70 mph winds or greater is in the area.

POST OUR CALENDAR AT HOME (OTHER SIDE OF NEWSLETTER)!

MOST IMPORTANT DATES FOR THE SESSION & SPECIAL EVENTS ARE LISTED.