SR Womens Artistic report for South Region meeting – Dec 2019

South Region Womens Artistic have now completed ours competition year. We qualified teams to National Voluntary levels in November with Tiegan Trafford (Abingdon) winning silver at Individual Voluntary Level 2. We entered a regional team – Gabby Connelly & Sofia Matthews (Arabian), Paige Carder (Aylesbury, Holly Curran & Mia Perryment into the Sandra Clarke Cup and won the team bronze. On the same weekend Dynamo took a young team to the Tournoi International in France and Rio Gawne-Cain won the Espoir Beam title. We also entered 2 teams into the Bill McLoughlin National Apparatus Team competition to give our regional squad some additional competition experience.

Internationally, following on from her achievements at Junior Worlds, Jennifer Gadirova (Aylesbury) represented GB at the Elite Gym Masila in Marseille. She won an individual gold medal on vault and silver on floor.

WA Judging courses, we are running both a Club Judge course and a Regional Judge course at Bracknell in February 2020. These will be the last of this cycle and we will be providing bursaries towards the cost of the Regional Judging course for those judges who have qualified as a club judge this cycle already, so that we can support clubs and judges who have already paid for a judging qualification this current cycle and wish to progress further as we feel this will further support our judges at our competitions.

Dates for 2020

Compulsory Grade 1 8th February - Lilleshall

SR training Jan / February - TBC

Hants Grades - Dynamo Saturday 7th March pm & Sunday 8th March all day

SR Squad training 29th March - KD

English Championships 3rd to 5th April - Redbridge

British Championships 16th to 19th April - Liverpool

SR Grades – Dynamo Saturday 25th April pm & Sunday 26th April all day

South Compulsory 4 & 3 Grade and National Grade 4 - 1 Teams regional training day - Sunday 3rd May - Pinewood

National Finals Compulsory Grade 4 & 3 and Compulsory Grade 2 9th & 10th May -Fenton Manor, Stoke

NDP National Grade 4 to 1 finals 23rd & 24th May - Fenton Manor, Stoke

Healthy Living Invitational 14th June - Basingstoke

Hants OOA with OOA Apparatus competition – Dynamo Saturday 27th June pm & Sunday 28th June all day

Hants IA & Pathways and Challenge & FIG – Dynamo 4th July pm & 5th July all day

SR Squad training August at Dynamo date TBC

SR Squad training Sunday 6th September at KD

SR Voluntaries including an opportunity to qualify for the Challenge Cup -Saturday 19th September pm - Level 5 IA & OOA & Sunday 20th September all day

Compulsory Grade 2 & 1 Qualifier 3rd October - New College, Leicester

SR OOA Level 4, 3 & 2 TBC

Adrian Stan Team 17th & 18th October at Surrey Sports Park, Guildford

SR Squad training Sunday 25th October at Abingdon

National Voluntary Levels 4, 3 & 2 14th & 15th November at Surrey Sports Park, Guildford

Challenge Cup & Bill McLoughlin National Apparatus Teams 20th to 22nd November at Surrey Sports Park, Guildford

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