

Dear all,  
Please find below updates for September.  
Kind regards  
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RG TC Information Officer

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### Competition Update

#### Group League Round 2

Round 2 of the Group League will take place at Fenton Manor, on Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> October. For more information and tickets please see [here](#).

#### North West Open Championships

The North West Championships, Level 1 & 2 and Group, will take place in Wigan on Saturday 5<sup>th</sup> November. More information and entry form is attached. The closing date is Friday 6<sup>th</sup> October, and for more information, please contact Laura Hogg.

#### Canterbury Cup

The Canterbury cup will take place on Saturday 4<sup>th</sup> and Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> November for both Individuals and Groups. Full information is attached. Please note the closing date is Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> October. For more information, please contact [Anni Ahmavaara](#).

#### Welsh Group Championships

The Welsh Group Championships will take place in Cardiff on Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> November. Please find attached full competition information and entry form. Please note the closing date is Friday 6<sup>th</sup> October. For more information, please contact [Jo Coombs](#).

### Club Judge Course

Please find below latest available Club Judge course.

Venue : Wright Robinson College, Abbey Hey Lane, Gorton, M18 8RL  
Dates : 12<sup>th</sup> November 2017  
Exam Date : 3<sup>rd</sup> December 2017  
Closing Date : 11<sup>th</sup> October 2017  
Course Organiser : [Helen Wallis](#)  
Registration: [here](#)

### Coaching Course Update

Please find below the latest available coaching courses. Please note that the Level 2 in Bath will be the first course to be run with the new syllabus and resources.

#### Foundations Course – Lancing

Venue : Wickers Gym Club, Unit 10 Chartwell Business Centre, Chartwell Road, Lancing, BN15 8FB

Dates : 29<sup>th</sup> October 2017

Exam Date : N/A

Closing Date : 1<sup>st</sup> October 2017

Course Organiser : [Charlie Wells](#)

Registration: [here](#)

#### Level 2 – Bath

Venue : Bath University Sports Training Village, Claverton Down, Bath, BA2 7AY

Dates : 18<sup>th</sup> November, 9<sup>th</sup> / 10<sup>th</sup> December 2017, 14<sup>th</sup> January 2018

Exam Date : 20<sup>th</sup> May 2018

Closing Date : 22<sup>nd</sup> October 2017

Course Organiser : [Shelley Gonsalves](#)

Registration: [here](#)

Reminder that if you would like a course to run, then you need to go onto the BG site and request a course using the declaration of interest form, which can be [found here](#). The request will then be sent to the Regional Workforce Development Officer, who will feedback to BG which courses are being requested.

### Competition Handbook

The handbook for 2018 will be published shortly and can be found on [BG website](#) once available

### Calendar Update

Please find attached updated calendar and a first look at the 2018 event calendar. For more detailed information, please refer to the competition handbook.

### BQT for Groups 2018

A pilot BQT testing for Groups will be run at the 2018 BQT event. This will be open to all Pre-Espoir or Espoir Group gymnasts from clubs with Espoir Groups who achieved Level 4 or 5 at Group Seeding in March 2017. Attendance is optional, but encouraged to enable the Technical Committee to collect data with a view to this event potentially becoming part of the qualification process for British Group Championships and/or Elite Group League in future. For detail information on the testing, please refer to the 2018 competition handbook.