

08/30/10

To All Arizona Heat Elite Competitive Family Members:

First of all, thanks to all of you who helped with the move on Saturday. We could not have done without you and the thirty ASU Men's Gymnastic Team Members that Scott sent over. We appreciate all of your help.

Reminders for the Week:

1. Starting over at Aspire TODAY. We are excited about getting started over there. We know there will be some transition issues so please be nice to the front desk staff especially. Sheila and Melissa will be at the front desk to help this week. Let's show them some good Heat lovin and the first "A" in Uphold the Name.
2. Remember that the students do not need to check in at the front desk, but they need to wait at the gym entrance (glass doors in the lobby) for us to come get them.
3. If you have not filled out your enrollment form for Aspire please do so and bring it with you on your first day of practice this week.
4. Remember Monthly Dues are Due by Wednesday, September 1st and payments are made to Aspire.
5. Your In State Competitive Fees of \$325 are due this week and paid to Arizona Heat. We have the payment box in the front lobby where you can drop your payment or give it to Sheila or Melissa this week.
6. Remember that sign-ups for the bus are due this week as well. We need a good head count and have limited seats available. Please sign up with Sheila or Melissa by Friday.
7. If you have friends wanting to tryout for one of our competitive teams we have tryouts on Thursday from 7:30-8:30PM at Aspire. The cost is \$5. They can pick up and sign up at the front desk.

*We have left over small strips of mat if anyone is interested. We have one in our playroom which the girls have enjoyed this weekend. The cost is \$25 dollars and it is first come first serve basis. Please email me and let me know and I will reserve one for you.

Upcoming Events:

1. Choreography Next Week - September 9th is Fever from 4 to 10PM, September 10th is Fahrenheit from 4 to 10PM, and September 11th is Firebirds from 8AM to 2PM. We will be doing Fire Flies choreography at a later date.
2. Camp is September 17th through the 19th at Camp Shadow Pines in Heber, AZ. We will have teams for Game Time out this week so that you can plan.
3. October 10th is the Susan G. Komen 5K walk downtown. I would like to make t-shirts for anyone interested in running. On the front it will say Arizona Heat and Aspire "Heatin Up A Cure for Breast Cancer" and on the back I would like to list all the survivors that we are running or walking to represent and anyone that we are doing it in memory of. The list I have for survivors is as follows and please let me know of anyone that I should add to this list or the "In Memory Of" list that you know:

Krystal Mitchell
Kristin Sanchez
Trace Barclay
Susan Shrader

Please email me more and please email me your t-shirt size. You will need to go onto the website and register yourself, but we will provide the t-shirts.

4. Remember International Tryouts on Saturday, September 11th at 10AM at Aspire. There is no fee for International Tryouts.

Thanks and God bless,

Jason Mitchell

08/23/10

To All Arizona Heat Elite Competitive Family Members:

We hope everyone that was able to come over on Friday to the Open House at Aspire were excited about our new home. There is a lot to be done this week to get prepared for the move so if you see me running around like a chicken with my head cut off you will know why. We are super excited about this transition and we want everything to go as smoothly as possible.

We had tryouts on Saturday morning for students from Aspire interested in joining Heat and we had 15 new team members added. We added three to Firebirds, one to Fever, two to Fahreheit and nine to Fire Flies. We are excited for the additions and look forward to them starting with us the week of the 30th. Remember we have one more tryout on September 2nd for anyone who is interested so spread the word.

Reminders for the Week:

1. We will need for all of you to fill out an enrollment form for Aspire. If you came to the Open House on Friday that is the form you already filled out and you do not need to do it again. If you were not able to be there on Friday please pick up one from our front desk and fill it out. You can return it to our front desk this week so that way we are ready to go over there on the 30th.

2. MOVING DAY - We need everyone's help this Saturday morning, August 28th at 8AM. We need trucks, drills and a lot of hands to get equipment moved. Bring your gloves. We appreciate anyone and everyone that can help. The more people; the quicker it will go!

3. Classes Offered at Aspire through Heat:

Mondays: 4 to 5pm Cheer Tumbling 1,2, & 3
4 to 5pm Flight School

Thursdays: 4 to 5pm Cheer Tumbling 1, 2, & 3
4 to 5pm Flight School

Saturdays: 10-11am Cheer Tumbling 1,2, & 3
11-12pm Cheer Tumbling 4 & 5
11-12pm Flight School

Please sign up this week at the front desk if you are interested in taking these classes. Remember that Aspire has recreational classes that they offer as well if these do not fit into your schedule.

4. We need to finalize carpools this week. Remember if you are in need of a carpool or would like to volunteer to help we need your information at the front desk.

We are looking forward to a great week. All practices schedules are normal. Once again we appreciate all of you that will be able to help this Saturday with the move!

God bless,

Jason and Krystal

08/19/10

To All Arizona Heat Elite Competitive Family Members:

First of all, I wanted to let everyone know that we are only going to be taking the national banners over with us to Aspire so if anyone is interested in the instate banners that are left or one of the trophies that have sentimental value to your child please let me know. We will give away these items on a seniority status. We do not desire to store them and do not desire to have them make the move.

I wanted to let everyone know that you will see a charge on your next statement for \$10 for uniform shipping costs this was not charged and we need to make sure this is covered. I know this does not sound like a lot to some of you but when you total it up amongst 100 team members it adds up. Thanks for your understanding with this matter.

Reminder this Friday Open Gym at Aspire Kids Sports Center for All Arizona Heat Team Members and Families from 7:30 to 9PM. The address is 50 S. Hearthstone Way in Chandler which is off of Chandler Blvd just west of Chandler Fashion Center.

Reminder about Information Meeting this Saturday at Heat at 12pm for the Inferno Team (Our Special Needs Team) which will be starting September 4th. They practice on Saturdays from 9 to 10AM. If you are interested in helping please let Coach Linsey know or if you know a student that would like to be part of the Inferno Team. There is no cost to our special needs families. We are excited to have this team be starting up again.

This Saturday we have a tryout at Aspire for anyone interested in joining our competitive program from 10-11AM. If you know anyone that is interested please have them call Aspire at 480-820-3774 and sign up.

We are so excited for the move and appreciate all of your support with helping this to be a good transition.

God bless,

Jason and Krystal

08/16/10

To All Arizona Heat Elite Competitive Family Members:

First of all, I want to thank all of you who were able to attend the parent meeting on Thursday last week. We appreciate you making the time to be there and all of your support. Secondly, the uniform fittings on Saturday went very smoothly and we appreciate all of you for your patience in getting the team members fitted. We have finalized the uniform and are very excited about the final outcome. It is a little different then any of the artwork you have seen and we hope that you all will love it!

Reminders for the Week:

1. Open House this Friday @ Aspire Kids Sports Center located just west of Chandler Fashion Center off of Chandler Blvd. and Heartstone. The Open House will go from 7:30-9PM. We are excited for all of you to see our new home.
2. We have tryouts @ Aspire this Saturday from 10AM to 11AM. If you know anyone that would like to be part of our competitive program please let them know. The cost is only \$5 to tryout.
3. We are wanting to assist in anyone that may need to carpool with regards to the move. Please sign up at the front desk if you are interested. Please make sure you give the team your child is on and main cross streets where you live.
4. Reminder that if you are needing to ride the bus for camp you need to sign up. The cost to ride the bus is \$50 per person. The bus will be leaving on Friday, September 17th for camp at 3PM and return on Sunday, September 19th at 4PM. We only have 55 seats available so please make sure you get signed up. In order to hold your spot payment must be received.
5. We have a few of you who missed the uniform fitting this past Saturday. We will be doing an additional fitting on Saturday, September 11th in the morning.

We know that things will be a little hectic the next few weeks with getting everything ready to go at Aspire and tie up loose ends at our current location, but please give me a call on my cell or email if you have any questions.

Know that we appreciate so much the great support we have heard and felt so far. We know change is hard for most people and we appreciate your hearts. We know that God has a hand in all of this and trust in Him completely with this new adventure.

God bless,

Jason and Krystal

08/09/10

Hello Heat Family:

We hope everyone had a great weekend. Krystal, Tommy and I spent our weekend in Kingman, AZ doing a cheer camp with the high school team up there. It was a great camp, but we are excited to be back. We know the rest of the team members will be back in school this week and we are excited to have all of our teams practicing with full teams soon. I know that Open Houses are on Monday and Tuesdays for most schools this week and understand some of you will be missing. We have also adjusted practices on Wednesday and Thursday this week with the first day of school on Wednesday and the Parent Meeting on Thursdays.

Reminders for the Week:

1. Regular practices on Monday and Tuesday this week.
2. Practice Schedule for Wednesday and Thursday this week:
Wednesday: Fire Flies with practice from 5 to 6PM and Firebirds will practice from 6 to 7:30PM
Thursday: Fahrenheit will practice from 5 to 6:30PM and Fever from 6:30 to 8PM.
***Please make note of this change for this week only
(There will be no flyer flex on Wed or Thurs. this week)**
3. IMPORTANT Parent Meeting this THURSDAY at 8PM at the gym. We need all parents to attend!
4. Uniform Fitting on Saturday from 10AM to 1PM. You will be fitting for shoes, warm-ups, uniforms, etc on Saturday. Important that all team members are fitted at some point between 10AM to 1PM.
5. We have decided to not be part of Team Arizona after talking with team members, our coaches and have decided to do an International Team instead. Tryouts for our International Team will be Saturday, September 11th @ 10AM. The age requirement is 14 years and older. If you are interested please let the front desk know especially if you have choreography that day, but would like to crossover. We are excited about this team and would love your help in spreading the word.

We are looking forward to a great week and we are looking forward to the students all being back in school and having a schedule again. We will see you all on Thursday for the parent meeting.

God bless,

Jason and Krystal