

NEW HOPE NEWS

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“REACH FOR THE STARS” MEET!

Last weekend, 309 glittered, ponytailed miniature athletes descended upon our gym with 900 parents and family in tow—as New Hope hosted the first official meet of the 2009 Fall competitive season. Gymnasts in Compulsory Levels 4-6 competed for honors and a chance to qualify for post-season competition in October.

Almost without exception—every detail of our meet was perfection...thanks to the wonderful community of parents, team members and New Hope friends!

With the proceeds from the meet, we have already purchased or improved the following equipment at our gym: *new vault table and runway; new vault safety zone; two recovered beams; uneven parallel bars to replace worn academy bars; new landing platform for our vault/pit area!* AND...not only did we also pay for the balance due on the new main floor not covered by our fundraising efforts...the gym looks cleaner than it has in years!

In preparation for the meet, last Labor Day weekend, over 60 parents, friends and team

members worked 12 hours to disassemble the main floor, sweep-vacuum-mop, and refit the old floor to expand the academy areas in other parts of the gym. The installation of the new floor was an exciting and rewarding conclusion to months of intense fundraising efforts!

We cannot sufficiently express our gratitude for the exceptional effort, unparalleled capabilities, extraordinarily positive attitude and admirable team spirit demonstrated by our volunteers. From the clean-up, set-up, and check-in to judges/coaches hospitality and our amazingly talented vocalists who sang the Nat'l Anthem, from the timers and awards staff, the computer crew all the way to tear-down...it was an amazing coordination of talents and cordiality. You all went above and beyond our expectations!

New Hope has, without a doubt, the BEST parents, team members and friends!

Remember to look online at the list of local businesses and families who donated foods, products and services—in order to support their businesses!

We are already making plans to host future meets to continue to improve the facility and equipment available for our talented athletes!

ACADEMY SHOW NOV 22ND !

Flyers will soon be passed out in all classes regarding the Academy Show to be held this Nov 22nd! Mark your calendars for the show date...AND these important order deadlines:

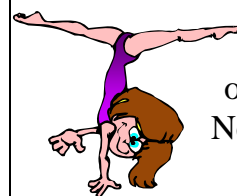
October 17th – show leotards
October 24th – show t-shirts
October 31st – trophies

As soon as signups are completed, we will distribute a final schedule and show-day instructions. Be sure to invite parents, grandparents and friends to this fun event!

ACADEMY STUDENTS OF THE MONTH

Announcing “Students of the Month” for September:

KAYLE SZABO
PRESTON HARRIS



Check out their photos and bios on the New Hope News bulletin board in the lobby!

Academy students—two selected each month—are nominated by the coaches for their positive attitude, team work and good work ethic.