



Aim High Tumbling Times

A Message from Miss Amy

What a FANTASTIC year we have had at Aim High Academy.....and it is not over yet! On June 10th our **Early Learning Center Pre-K students** will be graduating. I wish all of our graduates and their family's best wishes for a wonderful summer and a smooth transition into their next school year. On June 17th we will be celebrating our boys and girls little stars and rising stars at their "**END OF THE YEAR SHOW**". The Aim High Staff will be cheering on our gymnast while they show off all their acquired skills this past season. If you are a Rising Star Parent,

come join all the Aim High FUN!

As June comes to a close we begin our **SUMMER DAY CAMP** program. We work tirelessly on providing as many scheduling opportunities to fit any needs of all our families. If you need one ½ day/summer or five full days/week through out the summer; we can meet your needs. Aim High is here for YOU and YOUR FAMILY! We are ready for lots of sunshine and playtime.

I don't want to mention this, but...fall is right around the corner. It sneaks up on us no

matter what we do. Here is your friendly reminder that our fall classes will start up September 6th and **fall registration** will begin by August 1st. Keep checking our website for online registration which will begin in June/July.

Best wishes to everyone for a very happy summer!

Amy

Summer Wishes

Summer is here along with school vacation for children. I feel children have the chance each summer to slow down but to dream big. Despite all your planning, it's easy to miss those things that make the summer most special for your child (and for you as well). So many parents are tempted to arrange all kinds of lessons, trips, and other extravaganzas to fill what seems like a long stretch of time. But you don't have to be a nonstop entertainment machine for your child. When you talk to young children, you often find out that the simple things bring them the most pleasure.

Here are the kinds of requests for activities that might appear on any preschooler's summer wish list:

Let me play outside all day. Preschoolers love to explore the outdoors, but during the school year there's often not enough time for them to do it to their satisfaction. The first rule of summer is to slow down and give your child the gift of more time.

I want to plant seeds and help things grow.

Gardening is the perfect summer activity for preschoolers. It's educational, and it boosts a child's self-esteem when they can point to a plant and

boast, 'I grew it myself!'"

Join me outside at the end of the day.

The best part of their summer day is the extra sunshine hour—the precious last hour of daylight, somewhere between 4:30 and 8 o'clock, that's dark during the winter. It's easy to let that hour get absorbed by television. But if you create a special ritual for that time, the kids will talk about it for years.

Most of all, I want you, Mom and Dad.

Of course, what your preschooler really craves during the summer is more time

Summer 2011

Dates to Remember

- **Tuesday, June 7th**- Stargazer Snack-I-Licious Day (last day of class)
- **Thursday June, 9th**- Last Day of the 2010-2011 ELC School Year
- **Thursday, June 9th** – Preschool Moving Up Ceremony at 9:30 am
- **Friday, June 10th** – Pre-K Graduation at 11:00am. (Children arrive at 10:30 please.)
- **Friday, June 17th** - Year End Show 6:30-8:00pm
- **Saturday, June 18th** School Year Session Ends for Dance!
- **Saturday, June 25th** School Year Session Ends for Gymnastics!
- **Monday, June 27th** Summer Session for Classes and Summer Camp begins!
- **Aim High Academy CLOSED Saturday July 2nd through Sunday July 10th!!!** (No Classes or Camps!!)
- **Monday August 1st** Open Enrollment for Fall Classes Begins. Registration can also be done via our website!!
- **Friday, August 26th** Summer Session Ends!!
- **Aim High Closed Saturday August 27th through Monday September 5th**
- **Tuesday, September 6th** 2011-2012 School Session begins

with you. Take advantage of slower seasonal schedules at the office or at home to carve out some one-on-one time with each of your kids. It doesn't much matter what you and your child do together, but it does matter how much undivided attention you give to them.



Aim High Early Learning Center Classroom Times



Dear Families,

It is very hard to believe that the end of the school year is upon us. The children have grown so much and have made great friends. The teachers would like to thank you for sharing your children with us. Not only do we teach the children, but they help us to grow as well. For those of you that are leaving us, we wish you the best in all your future learning. For those that will continue on at Aim High, we hope you have a fun and educational summer and we have lots of excitement in store for next year. Enrollment packages will go home mid-summer with all of the 2011-2012 information. Have fun, be safe, and know that the staff will greatly miss each and every one of you.

Sincerely,

Miss Missy & Miss Sue

CALLING ALL PRESCHOOL & PRE-K CHILDREN

Want to start your summer off with 2 fun filled weeks? Sign up for Playground Palooza (June 13 – 16) & Fieldtrip Frenzy (June 20 – 23). Each day is from 9:00 to 1:00. We will be visiting various playgrounds and fun attractions and return to have our lunch at Aim High then get picked up at 1:00.



Ask Miss Missy for more details.

Camp is Coming!

Aim High is now enrolling for all summer programs. Choose your weeks and choose your days, we make summer easy for you!

There is also the Summer Preschool Session if you would like your child to continue through the summer with a more structured setting.

*****Don't forget enrollment for the 2011 – 2012 school year is in full swing!!!**

Stargazers

Oh my, how we've grown. We have had such a great year. Each child has made great accomplishments whether it was leaving Mom or Dad with ease, to coloring and painting, or that all important potty training. Miss Susan will have a snack-i-licious special last day of school on Tuesday, June 7th. Parents can come join us at 10:30. Hope to see everyone this summer and for preschool next year.

Preschool News

The preschool will be celebrating the end of the school year with a Moving Up Ceremony. Families are invited to come and join the celebration with their children at 9:30 on Thursday, June 9th. (This will also be the last day of classes.) These children have really grown to be independent and confident over these 9 months. Happy Summer!

Love, Miss Jacqui

Pre – K News



The time has come to say good-bye to our friends. We will be celebrating their Graduation on Friday, June 10th at 11:00.

The staff wishes all our graduates great success in Kindergarten. Congratulations graduates!

Love, Miss Tara & Miss Dori

Kindergarten Enrichment

Wow, our BIG kids are now Kindergarten graduates. We have had a lot of fun this school year. We hope that everyone has a fun and safe summer and has lots of success in 1st grade. Hope to be seeing everyone at summer camp, vacation camp or in a gymnastics class.

Love, Miss Stephanie

Girls Competitive News

I would like to start out by congratulating all the athletes on a wonderful season. The girls all worked very hard to achieve their best outcome and they all made us proud of what they accomplished this competitive season. I would also like to announce that Aim High has a National Vault Champion. Savannah Soares competed at Level 9 Eastern Championships and placed 1st on vault and 8th All Around. Great Job Savannah, we are so proud of you.

Our summer session of training will begin on June 27th. I would like all athletes to have a water bottle with them (just water in it) no colored beverages of any kind, if you have another type of drink

they will have to be left in the lobby. A small hand towel and a snack if they are here for more than a 3 hour practice.

The summer is a very busy time of year for all of us. Please keep an eye out for:

1. Uniform ordering information
2. USAG registration for all athletes
3. Competitive calendar for next season
4. Due dates for clinics and training camps for our optional gymnasts
5. Schedule changes June 23rd, 24th &

25th.

6. Woodward Camp, July 17th – 23rd
7. No practice week of July 4th – 8th
8. Choreography for Optional gymnasts in August

As usual, all this information will be available through email and also posted on the team boards. Please check your email on a regular basis along with your folders and the boards. I will send out

Boys Gymnastics in the Summer

With just a few weeks left in the current installment, it is time to talk about upcoming events and our summer programs at Aim High Academy.



It has been an exciting year with lots of smiling faces in the gym and great improvement from all boys who are attending classes. To celebrate all of the hard work that has been done in the gym, Aim High Academy will be hosting its annual Year End Show on Friday, June 17th.

All boys who are currently in class will learn pre-choreographed routines on pommel horse, still rings, parallel bars and high bar. The Year End Show is a great opportunity to bring the family together and watch your son demonstrate his gymnastics skills.

Please look out for more information regarding the Year End Show.

The last day of regular classes will be Saturday, June 25th, but it does not end there.

Aim High Academy offers many different options and activities for your son to stay active during the summer.

We offer regular astronaut, cosmonaut, space trooper and mission commander classes. Summer classes are great to attend, classes are generally smaller so more individual attention is given to each individual child, there are fewer classes scheduled during the week so there is more space available for each class, and most of all gymnastics is fun!

If our classes do not fit your schedule, we also offer half day and full day camps, with options for extended hours. Our summer camps are days filled with fun and activities like water slides, gym time, arts and crafts, games, field trips and much more. Please visit the front desk for more information.

To ensure that your son participates in the appropriate class for his own development, you will receive a recommendation letter regarding summer classes. If you have any questions regarding your son and his class you can email me at:

t.heuvelman@aimhighacademy.com

The Top Guns Program will run its regular schedule, Tuesday and Thursday from 5:00 – 6:00 for the entire summer.

Thank you and have a great summer!!

Summer Gymnastics Classes & Training Camp

We are now enrolling for all of our summer gymnastics classes, camps and our 2nd annual Summer Gymnastics Training Camp! Please come take advantage of the smaller class sizes and extra skill development of a summer session. If your child is looking to move up or accomplish a specific skill, this is the perfect opportunity. Please visit the front desk for a

schedule and more information!

Our Summer Gymnastics Training Camp is for boys & girls recreational and competitive gymnasts levels 1-10 looking to learn new skills and improve upon the ones they already have. Our USAG safety certified coaches will work with each athlete to set goals and create a plan for

the week. We will spend about 5 hours in our 24,000 square foot gymnastics facility on state of the art equipment each day using all competitive events. Spotting belts, trampolines, pits, and resi training will also be utilized to create a safe, FUN, and productive learning environment.

Summer Day Camp

Aim High Summer Day Camp gives your children ages 3 through 14 the opportunity to enjoy a variety of activities in a safe and exciting environment. We offer a balance of indoor and outdoor activities including arts & crafts, adventure play, sports, games, water play and so much more. Theme based programming provides our campers with an exciting new adventure each week. A combination of



experienced staff with extensive camp training, and an amazing facility makes Aim High Summer Day Camp the place to be this summer!

Fun Activities Summer 2011...

Field Trips – Ages 6 & up (Weeks 2 – 8) including Rock Spot Climbing, Yawgoo Water Park, United Skates of America, Monster Golf, Ice Skating, and Kingston Bowl.

Extended Day - Monday, Tuesday, & Thursday campers are welcome to stay until 5:30!

Dress Up Day – Every Tuesday

Fun Fridays – including a pizza party at noon for full day campers

New Summer 2011...

CITs - Early teens looking to prepare for summer camp counselor jobs can come & learn valuable skills from our experienced staff. They will work with children ages 6 to 9 learning best practices for activities, safety techniques, & mentoring skills. High performing CITs will be invited to become camp counselors.

2011 Aim High Gymnastics Year End Show

We invite all boys and girls Sunshines and up in our recreational gymnastics program to join us for our 2011 Year End Show! The event will be held on Friday June 17th from 6:30pm-8:00pm. This is a fantastic opportunity for our children to show off what they have learned this year. Our recreational gymnasts will

start preparation for their routines during their normally scheduled classes for the 2 weeks prior to our show. Pre-registration by Friday June 10th is required for all young gymnasts wanting to participate .



Tickets are currently on sale at the front desk for \$5 and each child registered is allowed 2 tickets to start. If you would like additional tickets you can be put on a waiting list for more tickets when they become available. Come and join us for this fun annual event!

Congratulations & Thank you!

I would like to extend a sincere thank you and congratulations to all of the families who supported our dem-



onstration at the K-Rob Family Fun Festival this May. Our staff truly appreciated the opportunity to have our young gymnasts show their stuff and have a great time. We were

very excited to support such a great cause in the K-Rob Foundation while enjoying our Aim High family members at the same time!

~Miss Allie

June 2011

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1	2	3 ELC Picnic 6:30-8:00pm	4
5	6	7 Stargazer Snack-a-licious 10:30am	8	9 ELC Last day of school Preschool Move Ups	10 Pre-K Graduation Cartwheel Clinic	11
12	13	14	15	16	17 Year End Show 6:30-8:00	18 Dance session ends
19	20	21	22	23	24	25 Gymnastics session ends
26 Camp Theme Holiday Week	27 Summer Session Begins	28	29	30		

July 2011

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
					1	2
3	4 ←	5 Aim High	6 Closed No Classes or Camp	7 →	8	9
10 Camp Theme Sports Mania	11	12	13	14 Kingstown Bowl FT	15	16
17 Camp Theme Adventures @ Sea	18 ←	19 Gymnastics Training Camp Week	20 →	21 Yawgoo FT	22	23
24 Camp Theme Under the Big Top	25	26	27 Rock Spot FT	28	29	30
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August 2011

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
Camp Theme Hawaiian Luau	1 Fall Registration Begins	2	3	4 Ice Skating FT	5	6
7 Camp Theme Wacky Week	8	9	10	11 USA Skates FT	12	13
14 Camp Theme Wizards House	15	16	17	18 POW Science FT	19	20
21 Camp Theme Space Camp	22	23	24	25 Monster Golf FT	26 Summer Session Ends	27
28	29 ←	30 Aim High Closed No Classes or Camp	31 →			September 6th Start of Fall Classes