

# *Pink Ladies Invitational 2022*

## Event Information & Competition Details

Here at South Durham Gymnastics preparations are underway once again for our ever-popular annual event, the 'Pink Ladies Invitational'. The 2022 competition will take place across the weekend of Friday 9<sup>th</sup> - Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> September. We look forward to welcoming our friends from across the UK once again.

## Venue Details & Dates

South Durham Gymnastics Centre  
Spennymoor Leisure Centre  
High Street  
Spennymoor  
Co. Durham  
DL166DB.

Friday 9<sup>th</sup> – Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> September 2022  
**CLOSING DATE FOR ENTRIES** – Friday 12<sup>th</sup> August

## Competition Organiser

Kelly Milnes  
Contact number: 07525946094 / 01388 811877  
Contact Email: [kelly@southdurhamgym.co.uk](mailto:kelly@southdurhamgym.co.uk)

## Competition Levels

In 2022 we will be adopting the new Classic Challenge Rules (with the addition of a Copper Plus level). These will run as well as the usual F.I.G / F.I.G Challenge competitions and National Voluntary levels 4,3,2. We will continue to provide competitive opportunity for those gymnasts aged 7 in the year (born in 2015) via our **Level 6** event.

Competition levels & age groups for 2022 are as follows:

- FIG SENIOR, JUNIOR, ESPOIR
- FIG CHALLENGE SENIOR, JUNIOR, ESPOIR
- VOLUNTARY LEVEL 2 (minimum 11yrs)
- VOLUNTARY LEVEL 3 (minimum 10yrs)
- VOLUNTARY LEVEL 4 (minimum 9yrs)
- Classic Challenge (Zinc, Copper, Copper Plus (North Rules Only), Bronze, Silver, Gold)

**Please note:** Gymnasts born in 2015 (7yrs) may enter the Zinc competition and those born in 2014 (8yrs) who are working at the higher level will be able to enter Copper or Copper Plus levels at the coaches discretion.

All rules will be available via our website [www.southdurhamgym.co.uk](http://www.southdurhamgym.co.uk) by clicking on 'Club Events' soon.

## Awards

Individual apparatus, and All Around medals will be awarded in each age group outlined above.

We will also have Artistry awards given out to gymnasts who particularly excel with their choreography on the Floor.

All gymnasts will receive a participation gift.

## Competition Entry

A fee of **£35 per gymnast** is payable on entry. All entries should be received on the correct Pink Ladies Entry form which can be found via the website. Entry forms should be sent directly to the competition organiser [kelly@southdurhamgym.co.uk](mailto:kelly@southdurhamgym.co.uk) and will be processed on receipt of the full entry fee.

Entry fees must be paid via BACS on the details below. (if you are unable to pay via BACs please let me know via email and we can organise alternative payment method).

Account Number: **53403114** Sort Code: **20-09-44**

**LATE ENTRIES MAY BE ACCEPTED AT THE DISCRETION OF THE COMPETITION ORGANISER BUT THE ENTRY FEE WILL BE DOUBLED.**

## Insurance

All coaches and gymnasts must be insured with British Gymnastics. It is the responsibility of the Club to ensure that this is the case and South Durham Gymnastics Club hold no responsibility if this is not adhered to.

Coaches must also ensure they are qualified to an appropriate level for the skills that their gymnasts are competing.

## Judge Provision

All clubs entering the Pink Ladies Invitational 2022 are expected to provide at least one judge for each day they have gymnasts competing. **Failure to provide a judge will result in a £100 fine to be added to your entry fee whilst providing a club level judge only will incur a £50 fine.**

## Admission

All spectator tickets for the event must be purchased online in advance. Further details will be sent out closer to the time.

### *Cost per round:*

£7 per person (all members of the audience must have a ticket)

## Car Parking

Spennymoor Leisure Centre has it's own car park however as we anticipate a large number of guests across the competition weekend the onsite spaces may not be sufficient. We therefore recommend the use of on street parking in the surrounding areas.

## Pink Leisurewear

Pink Leisurewear plan to be present throughout the weekend with all the latest leotards and accessories in the Pink fashion range from 'Core' to 'Back to Life' to 'Red Carpet'. Look out for the limited addition Pink Ladies 2022 leotard as well as the brand new Chaos range which will be debuted at the event.

For any further information you require please do not hesitate to contact the competition organiser on the details outlined at the top.