

London Trampoline Newsletter

January 2003

Welcome to Harlington Sports Centre, home of Harlington Hawks Trampoline Club and the first Grade 6-3 competition of 2003. On behalf of the London Trampoline Committee I would like to wish you all a Happy New Year, and today's performers the best of luck.

Some good news to start the year off with and that is to congratulate Geina Cattle from Cranford Kestrels on her recent award from the London Sports Forum "Coach of the Year" for her work coaching people with special needs. The London Sports Forum for Disabled People (LSF) is nationally recognised as promoting the sporting interests of disabled young people and adults in the Greater London area. Their purpose is to ensure that all disabled people including people with learning disability, physical impairment, visual impairment and deaf people have more opportunities to get involved in a sport at a level of their choice. Well done Geina!

Coach Wanted!

Oaklands School in Bethnal Green is the only school in Tower Hamlets with a Sportsmark award and have just brought their first trampoline. Two of their students represented the borough in last years London Youth Games and are now buying their second trampoline. They require an enthusiastic coach to help with their demand until the end of May.

If interested please contact: Niamh Walsh, Head of PE, Oaklands School, Old Bethnal Green Road, London E2 6PR or tel: 0207 613 1014.

NEW FOR 2003: Don't miss the new re-vamped London Trampoline Web-site:

www.london-trampoline.com

Where you can view all the latest news, events, results, information on coaching & judging courses, London Youth Games all to mention just a few.

We are also looking to set up a London Region "Hall of Fame" on the web site – please e-mail your views to Craig Bellis at cnbigfoot@blueyonder.co.uk

Recent Competition

The London Closed Competition was held here at Harlington in November 2002. Winners of the Senior Groups were:

Ladies: Stephanie Pilborough (Harlington Hawks)

Mens: Andrew Freeman (Top Flight)

November also saw the London Region hosting the Grade 2 National Finals at Walton On Thames. London had strong representative in the event with almost half of our entrants making top ten. These are as follows:

U11G Cassie Jordan (Queensmead) 8th

U15B Ashley Alleyne (Harrow) 9th

U15G Emily Drew (Nova) 3rd

U18G Claire Moriarty (Queensmead) 2nd

Carly Johnson (Harlington Hawks) 4th

O18B Ben Clarke (Nova)

Mark Everett (Nova) 9th

Rohan Nichol (Nova) 10th

Well done to you all, don't forget your scores will all be taken into consideration when it comes to selection for the London Regional Squad run by Craig Bellis and details of which can also be found on www.london-trampoline.com.

See you all back here Sunday 30th March for the next Graded 6-3.

If you have anything you would like published in the next newsletter or on the London Site please e-mail me at dawnjaques@blueyonder.co.uk