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September 2009

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Our planned AGM which could not be held on the 27th due to a lack of a quorum will now be held on **Thursday 10th September @ 5.00pm** - members present at that meeting will constitute a quorum – not great democracy but that's what the constitution says

Once again we would appeal to members to come along and if possible play an active role in running the club – we only have 9 meetings per year and apart from that it is just some input during events which is required.

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Training Camp

Kudzi from Zimbabwe trained with us for the last 3 weeks – he is busy preparing for Junior Africa Championships and Youth Olympic Trials which will be in Namibia in March 2010.

When we see what he has achieved in their limited facilities (let alone general conditions) we need to buckle down and work harder !!!

FOR YOUR DIARY

5 September – KZN Provincial Level 4 to Olympic qualifier

10 September – **Club AGM @ 5.00pm**

12 September – KZN squad training @ Pinetown Gym Club

18 & 19 September – National squad training for senior and juniors boys – Matsport Centre in Pretoria

19 September – KZN team training for National Championships (L4 & up) @ Pinetown Gym Club

23 September – Last day of gym classes for the 3rd Term

25 Sept > 3 Oct – National Championships @ Matsport Centre – Pretoria

4 October – Classes resume for the 4th term

6 & 7 November – SA Cup International (artistic gymnastics) hosted at the Matsport Centre in Pretoria – gymnasts from Britain, New Zealand and Romania have already indicated their participation

Mom & Me classes are up and running >>> Tuesday morning @ 10am >> 2 & 3 year olds – try outs welcome

REPORT BACK

Levels Competitions

The gymnasts who participated in L4 and higher levels are busy with their competitions this term.

To date we have hosted an invitational here at Pinetown (about 80 gymnasts competed) and we have gone to the Pietermaritzburg competition.

5 September will be the KZN trials to select the team which will go forward to the National Gym Games during the upcoming school holidays.

Tyrone and Natalie have also been involved in national selection trials for World Championships and various other international events.

Natalie has been selected to compete in the Rosebowl event – in London – we wish her well for the event and all the extra preparation over the next few weeks.

After National gym games we will also know which of our members have been selected for the SA Cup (local international) and the Zone 6 competition (for countries in the southern tip of Africa) – good luck to all the gymnasts with team selection and nationals participation.