



Dear Coach,

Congratulations on your gymnast(s) qualification(s) to the 2021 USA Gymnastics Development Program Championships! We are excited to have you join us in making history. This year we unite the Men's and Women's Development Program in one National Championship experience on the shores of the Atlantic Ocean in beautiful Daytona Beach, Florida.

Below find "fast facts" that will help ensure your participation in the Development National Championships will be as easy and enjoyable as possible.

We look forward to providing you and your gymnast a quality, fun, safe and memorable experience!

Warm regards,

Al and Cindy Scharns  
2021 Development  
National Championships  
Meet Management Team

### [Entrance into the Ocean Center:](#)

- The MAG coach and athlete entrance into the Ocean Center is the East Concourse. The East Concourse entrance is located thru the front glass doors of the Ocean Center facing Atlantic Avenue directly across from the Hilton. Please click [Ocean Center Layout](#) or go to the Dev National website to view MAG entrance (identified by large blue rectangle).

You will gain access to the open training gym (gym #3), warm up gym (gym #2) and the competition gym (gym #1) through this entrance. This is also where you will check-in to pick up your coaches' packet, credentials and athletes' numbers as well as complete your daily QR code wellness check (see below).

Please Note:

- Parents will not be allowed to enter thru this entrance
- **Credentials and face masks must be worn at all times.**
- Per USA Gymnastics Sanction requirements, all coaches and athletes must have and properly wear a face covering for the duration of the event.
  - Participating gymnasts will be allowed to remove their mask for routine performance but must have the mask on when not performing gymnastics.
  - [https://www.usagym.org/PDFs/About%20USA%20Gymnastics/covid/maskmandate\\_21stateregionchamps.pdf](https://www.usagym.org/PDFs/About%20USA%20Gymnastics/covid/maskmandate_21stateregionchamps.pdf)
- Daytona Beach is a mask mandated city.

### **Check-In Location and Times:**

Location - Ocean Center East Concourse

**Tuesday:** 4:30 to 8:00 – JE athletes and their coaches **only** check-in

#### **All Athletes and Coaches:**

**Wednesday:** 7:30 am to 6:30 pm

**Thursday:** 7:30 am to 8:00 pm

**Friday:** 7:30 am to 6:00 pm

### **Health & Wellness Screening and Temperature Check Station:**

**Everyone that is entering the Ocean Center will go through a Health and Wellness screening process each time they enter the building. This is simple, quick and easy!**

- You will simply scan the QR code on your phone and fill out the form.
  - Start the camera app on your mobile phone.
  - Hover the camera over the QR code and wait for the offer to open the site in your web browser which appears at the top of the screen.
  - Tap on the link to open it in the web browser.
  - Fill in your name, phone number and Gym with which you are associated.
  - Then answer the wellness questions and read the attendance agreement.
  - Tap "Check In"

- o A success message in a box with a green header shows up. You will **show the green success box** at your temperature and check in point.
- o The app will auto-fill your personal information each time after the initial upload. You will only need to answer the questions and then submit.
- o Please Note: Your athletes will need to QR code in on their phones each time they enter. Please make them aware.
- o We will have I-pads available for those that do not have a phone.

The information on the questionnaire will be used to meet the contract tracing requirements, as well as to ensure the health and safety of everyone that is in attendance. If you are experiencing any of the following symptoms or are just not feeling well, we are asking that you please stay home.

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|---|----------------------|--------------------------|
| o Feverish                              | o Chills             | o Loss of taste or smell |
| o Cough                                 | o Sore throat        | o Headache               |
| o Shortness of breath                   | o Nausea or vomiting | o Diarrhea               |
| o Muscle aches without recognized cause |                      |                          |

**AGAIN, WE ASK THAT YOU PLEASE STAY HOME FOR THE HEALTH AND WELLNESS OF ALL IF YOU ARE EXPERIENCING ONE OR MORE OF THE SYMPTOMS LISTED ABOVE.**

### [Open Training Gym \(gym #3\):](#)

To ensure social distancing and the health and wellness of coaches and athletes. The open training gym is only available by reservation. At this time all time slots have filled (with the exception of the Saturday Level 10 training time sign up which will open on Friday evening). If you are interested in signing up for the wait list, please click here [Men's Dev Nationals Gym 3 Training Reservations](#) or go to the Dev National website under schedule and click the above link.

Upon arrival, you and your athletes will need to QR code (see above) & temperature and then check-in to verify you are on site and ready to go.

### [Regional Training Day:](#)

Scheduled by Regions (**Levels 9/10 JN & JE Athletes All Levels Only**)

Time Schedule and Assignment: **Gym#1 & Gym#2 Only**

- 8:00-9:45 am – Region 8
- 9:45-11:30 am – Region 3
- 11:30-1:15 am – Region 5
- 1:15–3:00 am – Region 7
- 3:00-5:00 am – Regions 2,4,6
- 5:00-7:00 am – Regions 1/9

## **COACHES TECHNICAL MEETING (mandatory):**

**Lisa Mendel is inviting you to the 2021 Development Program National Championships Technical Meeting via a scheduled Zoom meeting.**

Topic: 2021 Development Program National Championships Technical Meeting  
Time: May 12, 2021 07:30 PM America/Indiana/Indianapolis

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://usagym.zoom.us/j/91025168086?pwd=SVNJOUg1bTZkR2g5LzMzUEdOOWM1dz09>

## **GymAct Competition:**

Please join us to watch Men's GymACT College Teams go head to head for the National title. Athletes and coaches enter for free with credentials!! Entry at West Concourse - spectator entrance.

Doors Open at 6:00

Competition: 6:30

## **GK Apparel and Regional Apparel Pick up:**

GK will be on site in the East Concourse for athlete Regional Team apparel pick. We will work with Regional chairs to have Regional apparel for all by the main stage in the competitive gym on WEDNESDAY only. Please contact your regional chair for pick up times.

## **Hospitality:**

Unfortunately, due to these challenging times and COVID protocols we are unable to provide food/beverage for the coaches. We encourage you to have a personal water bottle on the floor, but no paper/plastic/Styrofoam coffee cups will be allowed on the competitive floor. Concessions will be available and are located in the West Concourse (see Ocean Center Layout).

Please note: There will be no water bottles fill stations. Please have your athletes fill their personal water bottle before arriving on site.

## **Professional attire for coaches:**

The following coach's professional attire is required at all competitive sessions, scheduled warm-up sessions and event training sessions.

1. Closed toe shoes, no sandals

2. Slacks, Warm-up pants or hemmed “dress” shorts (No Denim or “cargo style” – defined as having large flap pockets with a button or snap closure on the front and/or side of the thigh)
3. Collared shirts
4. No hats
5. No backpacks while spotting

Those coaches who are in violation of this policy will be required to comply or may be asked to leave the field of play.

### **Results:**

Results will be posted on Myusagym and in the warm throughout the event.

Please don't hesitate to reach out to Al, I or our event staff with any questions or concerns you may have. We wish you and your athlete(s) much success this next week.

Safe travels,

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