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## Holiday Camps Galore + “Drop ‘n’ Shop”

When school is closed, SCATS is open for fun!

Did you know that SCATS has camp scheduled for most federal holidays in addition to our renown Gym & Swim Camp during the summer months?

November has a couple of great camps in store: the upcoming Veterans Day Camp on Friday the 11th as well as our annual Turkey Tumbler Day Camp the week of Thanksgiving— November 21st—23rd, while December has not one, but TWO weeks of camp during winter break!

Much like our Gym & Swim Summer Camp, these holiday

campers are packed with high energy, recreational gymnastics, athletic games, arts and crafts, music, and occasional special events and guests.

Holiday camps also run from 8:30 AM to 3:30 PM with half days available and optional extended care up until 6:00 PM for only \$6 per hour (with prior notice). Make sure to take advantage of our multiple-day and sibling discounts as well!

Also in December, we’re hosting our annual “Drop ‘n’ Shop” days on Saturday, December 10th & 19th. Get your shopping and gift-hiding done in advance. We’ll watch your gymnasts for you!

No reason to leave the kids in front of Play Station while you scramble on their days off— drop them with their favorite SCATS coaches for some active and healthy fun!

Just give us a call or stop by the front desk to get more information or to register for one or both of these great camps. We hope you’ll join us!



## Picture Days: November 12th & 13th

We’ve been getting a LOT of sign-ups for picture days, so make sure you aren’t left out in the cold this year! You can sign up online at [calendly.com/captureit](http://calendly.com/captureit).

serve and can be done with just a couple clicks via the online reservation page.

Team photos will only be shot for Jr. Olympic levels 3

to your student’s coach before or after practice, and *verify your team shot times* (there will be more than one!)

We’re excited to have Erica Hartman from Capture It Sports back again this year as SCATS’ official photographer, capturing those great moments and memories of your gymnast in action. Individual sessions are complimentary and average just 15 minutes. Sign-ups are first come first



and up and have already been organized via the girls and boys head coaches, respectively. If you have questions regarding team photos, please speak directly

Check out some of Erica’s awesome gymnastics photography in her online galleries for both recreational and competitive gymnasts at

[thecaptureitcollection.com](http://thecaptureitcollection.com), but don’t delay on saving your preferred spot because it could be gone tomorrow!

Now say “cheese!”

### Dates To Remember

- November 11th (Friday): Veterans Day Camp
- November 12th & 13th: PICTURE DAYS!
- November 19th: “Pilgrims’ Night Out” Event
- Nov. 21st—23rd: Turkey Tumbler Camp!
- November 24th: CLOSED for THANKSGIVING
- December 10th & 17th: “Drop ‘n’ Shop” Saturdays
- December 19th—23rd: Winter Break Camp 1
- December 24th & 25th: CLOSED for XMAS!
- December 26th—30th: Winter Camp 2

### Did You Know?

*There are many ways to be safe in gymnastics, and appropriate attire is a big part of it! Girls, make sure to keep your hair tied back and leave jewelry at home. Leos are great, but light comfortable clothes that aren’t too baggy or too constricting are a good substitute.*

# UNLIMITED Make-Ups All December

Much like summer, we realize that the Holidays can be...draining. To make things a little bit easier on you this December, we'll be offering unlimited make-ups for your missed classes that month.

Leave your make-up card at home for the Holidays— just give us a call and we'll be happy to book a make-up during any of our regular scheduled classes, pending availability. Remember, we



also offer two weeks of vacation credit each registration period for every student, so feel free to take advantage of one or both weeks this December if attending those make-up classes just doesn't look like it will be a reality.

Consistency and persistence are two of the biggest elements of progressing in gymnastics. We're hoping this lends itself well to both and makes life a little less stressful this Holiday season!

## Our Halloween Parties Were a BLAST!

### Join Us Again This Month on Saturday the 19th!

Thanks everyone who joined us for our AWESOME Halloween Parties last Saturday. We had SO much fun with you all, and the costumes were a perfect 10.

Join us again this month for our annual "Pilgrims' Night Out" event on Nov. 19th! Come dressed as your best brave, princess, sailor, pilgrim or even a turkey (don't worry, it's pizza that's on the menu). We've got plenty of seasonal fun in store for this "night out" event, including supervised play time on the equipment, games, prizes, our 50-foot inflatable obstacle course, foam pit races, competitions, hide 'n' seek, freeze dance and more. All that plus pizza dinner for less than the cost of babysitting... something for which we can all be thankful!

**Where:** Here at SCATS!

**What Time:** 4:00 to 8:00 PM

**Who's Invited:** Kids 3 to 10 Years Old

**Members:** \$30, only \$25 for siblings

**Non-Members:** \$35, \$30 for siblings



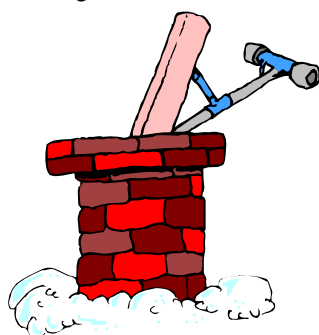
## Holiday Gifts for Gymnasts

The holidays are quickly approaching, and it's time to get the brain gears turning on those special Christmas and Hanukkah gifts for the kids.

Why not get your gymnast something extra special this year like a piece of quality gymnastics equipment for them to practice/show off with at home?

We will be selling a selection of gymnastics equipment from Norbert's Athletic Products, one of the premier names in apparatus manufacturing, via our website.

These items are a perfect size for home, easily stored, specially priced for the Holidays, and the same high quality



pieces Norbert's sells through their catalog. They have everything from mats to bars and beams. Just visit the news section on our site for a direct link and use the promo code "SC001".

If you're thinking a few smaller gifts versus one big one, don't forget about our SCATS Pro Shop located just past the front office area in the front of our facility. We have an extensive selection of leotards, gymnastics t-shirts and apparel, and we will be stocking some great SCATS hooded sweatshirts this year, too. We also have a variety of bar grips, wrist protectors and other top quality hand-made equipment used by everyone from tumblers and cheerleaders to our top international competitors. These specialty items are available upon request at the front desk and may require special ordering on certain sizes.

Happy Holiday shopping, and best of luck in finding that perfect gift!

## CONGRATS

To SCATS Level 3, 4 & 5 Girls for an AWESOME job at Sectional Champs!

### LEVEL 3 (no team entry)

**JESSIE COLLINS:** 1st Place Vault & Floor, 3rd Place Bars! **2nd PLACE ALL AROUND!**

**MARIAH GREEN:** 1st Place Vault!

**SUNNY LEIBOWITZ:** 4th Place Vault, 3rd Place Floor, 4th Place AA

**HAYZEL ROSATO:** 2nd Place Vault & Floor, 4th Place Bars, 5th Place AA

### LEVEL 4 3rd PLACE TEAM!

**BRYNN BAYONETA:** 2nd Place Vault, 3rd Place Beam & Floor, 4th Place Bars, **3rd PLACE ALL AROUND!**

**MADISON BEDWARD:** 4th Place Floor, 5th Place AA

**PARIS BLANCO:** 2nd Place Beam & Floor, 4th Place Vault & Bars, **2nd PLACE ALL AROUND!**

**MYLEY FOX:** 1st Place Beam & Floor, **2nd PLACE ALL AROUND!**

**KATE LEVOIT:** 2nd Place Floor, 3rd Place Beam

**ASHLEY LONG:** 2nd Place Beam, 3rd Place Vault, **2nd PLACE ALL AROUND!**

**MAKENZIE REIS:** 3rd Place Beam, 4th Place AA

**JILLIAN SMITH:** 2nd Place Vault, **2nd PLACE ALL AROUND!**

**JULIANA VIRATA:** 3rd Place Bars, 5th Place AA

**ELLIE WARD:** 2nd Place Vault & Beam, 3rd Place Floor, 4th Place Bars, **1st PLACE ALL AROUND!**

### LEVEL 5 (no team entry)

**MILAN BLANCO:** 2nd Place Vault, 4th Place Floor, **3rd PLACE ALL AROUND!**

**SORELLE BULEY:** 1st Place Vault, Beam & Floor! **2nd PLACE ALL AROUND!**

**VIRGINIA "GIGI" CHIN:** 3rd Place Beam

**KRISTEN YOUNG:** 2nd Place Bars, Beam & Floor! **1st PLACE ALL AROUND!**

**KEEP IT UP, GIRLS!  
GOOD LUCK AT  
STATE CHAMPS!**