



WHSGA

Wisconsin High School
Gymnastics Association

Tumble Times

September 2024

Hope everyone is enjoying their summer. I can't believe we are a few weeks into school and 50 days away from the first day of practice. The WHSGA team has been working hard on a few things. Greg has been working on updating some items on the website, Brenna and Kali worked very hard on getting us approved for tax-exempt 501(c). Brenna also was able to get her school to allow us to host our clinic at Reedsburg High School. Myself, I was able to get Jim McClowry to return to the clinic and also have Kasey Crawford (Gymnastics Head Coach at the UW-La Crosse) joining us at the clinic. We are excited for this upcoming season.

Things to look for in this newsletter are:

- Special Dates
- Chad Schultz
- Membership Link
- Clinic Information
- Sectional line up for 2025
- Conference change for season 2025-2026

Special Dates for season 2024-2025

- Clinic: November 2
- Earliest Practice: November 11
- Earliest Meet: December 5
- Sectionals: February 27-28 & March 1
- State Meet: March 7-8

We would like to introduce Chad Schultz who will be taking over for Melissa Gehring.

I am a little bit more than 2 months into the job and really enjoying learning about all of the different sports. My work responsibilities besides the sport of Gymnastics are 8-player Football, Boys and Girls Tennis, and Softball. The other and rather large part of my job is overseeing Officials for the association. I am looking forward to learning more about the sport of Gymnastics and serving all of the membership schools. I look forward to another great season.

Before coming to the WIAA, I was employed at UW-Madison with the Division of Recreation & Wellbeing. My career started in Intramural Sports and Sport Clubs. I finished my 12 years at UW working in Facilities for the rec department.

In my personal time I enjoy spending time with my family. My wife Mallory, daughter Allison (5), and my son Thomas (2).

Chad Schultz

Assistant Director | 8-Player Football, Gymnastics, Tennis, Softball, Officials

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Membership Link:

<https://whsga.org/membership.php>

Membership video if you need help when signing up:

<https://youtu.be/hsX2Bq1GdjQ>

****Reminder: You will need to be a member to be able to enter the coaches hospitality room at state or pay \$10 per day!**

Clinic Date: November 2, 2024

Location: Reedsburg High School

1100 S Albert Ave, Reedsburg WI 53959

Time: 9am-5pm

Hotels: Holiday Inn Express & Suites - 20 rooms are blocked under WHSGA for Nov. 1st \$125.00 a room

[WHSGA Clinic hotel link](#)

Break Down of the Clinic

9am - 10am WHSGA meeting - **You will need to be a member to be at this meeting**

10am-2pm Speaker Jim McClowry (Lunch around 12pm)

2pm - 6pm Kasey Crawford

Kasey would like to hear from you, what you would like her to go over.

Click on the link to fill out a form for Kasey. <https://whsga.org/crawford.php>

6pm - 7pm Review WIAA exam

More information click on the clinic click the link:

<https://whsga.org/events.php>

*****From ScoreFlippers*****

Hello Gymnastics coaches,

It's almost gymnastics time again! In preparation for the upcoming season, I wanted to send you guys this link to an annual checklist of preseason to do items, plus Meet Scoring help.

<https://support.scoreflippers.com/home/insight/high-school-help-documents/>

I was able to work closely with a few of you, coaches and judges, last year and recognized some pain points and some positives. We had a year of development and success with some high profile associations which has made our product even better for you guys.

I hope you enjoy the new features. Please feel free to reach out to me if you have any questions or concerns. We really look forward to the 2024-2025 season with the WIAA!

Kristin

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2025 Gymnastics Assignments

Sectionals – Thursday, February 27, or Friday, February 28, or Saturday, March 1
State Tournament – March 7-8 – Wisconsin Rapids Lincoln High School

Division 1

Sectional Final 1 - West Salem

Chippewa Falls/McDonell Central Catholic

Eau Claire Memorial/Eau Claire North

Holmen

Hudson

La Crosse Logan/La Crosse Central

Medford/Colby

Superior/Northwestern

West Salem/Aquinas/Bangor

Sectional Final 3 - Elkhorn Area

Elkhorn Area

Franklin/Muskego

Janesville Craig

Kenosha Tremper/Kenosha Bradford/Kenosha Indian Trail/Westosha Central

Milton/Edgerton

Mukwonago/Kettle Moraine

Oak Creek/Whitnall

Wilmot Union/Badger/Burlington/Union Grove/Williams Bay

Sectional Final 5 - Manitowoc Lincoln

Grafton/Cedarburg

Homestead

Manitowoc Lincoln

Nicolet

Oshkosh West/Oshkosh North

Sheboygan South/Sheboygan North

Stevens Point Area Senior High

Whitefish Bay

Sectional Final 2 - Sun Prairie West

Madison East/Madison La Follette

Madison Memorial

Madison West

Middleton

Mount Horeb

Sun Prairie West/Sun Prairie East

Verona/Edgewood

Waunakee/DeForest

Sectional Final 4 - TBD

Arrowhead

Brookfield East/Brookfield Central

Hamilton

Hartford Union

Menomonee Falls/Germantown

Oconomowoc

Waukesha West/Waukesha South

West Allis Hale/Divine Savior Holy Angels/West Allis Central

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Division 2

Sectional Final 1 - TBD

Ashland/Drummond/Mellen/Washburn

Bloomer/Colfax

Grantsburg/Frederic/Siren/Unity/Webster

Lakeland

Menomonie

Rhineland

Rice Lake

River Falls

Sectional Final 3 - Dodgeville

Baraboo

Dodgeville/Highland/Iowa-Grant/Mineral Point

Platteville/Belmont/Lancaster

Prairie du Chien/Fennimore

Reedsburg Area

River Valley/Barneveld

Sauk Prairie

Southwestern/Benton/Cuba City/Darlington

Sectional Final 5 - Waterford

Janesville Parker

Jefferson/Cambridge

Monona Grove

Shorewood/University School of Milwaukee

Waterford

Watertown

Whitewater

Waukesha North/Catholic Memorial

Sectional Final 2 - TBD

Gale-Ettrick-Trempealeau/Cochrane-Fountain City/Melrose-Mindoro

Marshfield

Mosinee

Onalaska/Luther

Sparta

Tomah

Westby/Cashton/De Soto/Viroqua

Wisconsin Rapids Lincoln

Sectional Final 4 - Antigo

Antigo

Kaukauna

Markesan

Port Washington

Valders/Roncalli

Waupun

West Bend East

West Bend West

BOARD APPROVES CONFERENCE REALIGNMENT OF PREVIOUSLY REMANDED PLANS

STEVENS POINT, Wis. – The Wisconsin Interscholastic Athletic Association Board of Control voted to approve Conference Realignment Task Force recommendations of the nonfootball plans remanded by the Board at its meeting last month.

After hearing appeals to the revisions the Conference Realignment Task Force made to the remanded proposals, the Board approved the recommended revised plans, which will be implemented beginning with the 2025-26 sports seasons.

The new construct of a seven-team North Shore Conference will include Cedarburg, Grafton, Hartford, Homestead, Nicolet, Slinger and Whitefish Bay. A new seven-team conference, yet to be named, was formed with Kettle Moraine Lutheran, Kewaskum, Plymouth, Port Washington, Sheboygan South, West Bend East and West Bend West.

Waukesha North and Waukesha South will move from the Classic 8 into the Woodland Conference, joining Brown Deer, Cudahy, Greendale, Greenfield, Milwaukee Lutheran, New Berlin Eisenhower, New Berlin West, Pewaukee, Pius XI Catholic, Shorewood, South Milwaukee, West Allis Central, Whitnall and Wisconsin Lutheran to form a 16-team league with two divisions. The schools that will be assigned to each of the divisions will be determined by the conference's 16 member schools.

In the modified seven-team version proposed for the Southeast Conference, Oak Creek moves from the Southeast Conference into the eight-team Classic 8 Conference with Arrowhead, Catholic Memorial, Kettle Moraine, Mukwonago, Muskego, Oconomowoc and Waukesha West. The remaining seven teams in the Southeast Conference are Franklin, Kenosha Bradford, Kenosha Indian Trail, Kenosha Tremper, Racine Case, Racine Horlick and Racine Park. Topics of discussion included staff reports on the Annual Meeting scheduled on Wednesday, April 24 at the Sentry Theater in Stevens Point, the 2024 Scholar-Athlete Award Ceremony on May 5 at SentryWorld, recruitment and retainment of licensed officials, a recap of the NFHS Legal Meeting, a review of the winter tournaments, and updates on the Student-Athlete Leadership Team Initiative.

The Board received liaison reports from Dan Rossmiller of the Wisconsin Association of School Boards and Eric Plitzuweit of the Wisconsin Athletic Directors Association.

The WIAA, as defined by its Constitution, is a voluntary, unincorporated, and nonprofit organization. The membership oversees interscholastic athletic programs for 515 senior high schools and 43 junior high/middle level schools in its membership.