

Dreams Gymnastics Parent Association  
August 11, 2025 Meeting Minutes  
Fargo's Capilano @ 5:15 PM

**Prep Work**

1. None

**Meeting Objectives**

1. Discuss and decide on Regular Agenda Items
2. Financial Update
3. Fundraising Update
4. Events Update

**Agenda**

1. Call to order and attendance
  - a. Called to order: 5:22 PM
  - b. Attendees: Amanda, Lindsey, Roseanna, Jodie, Neikeisha, Jenn, Cathy
2. Items to be added to Agenda
  - a. None
3. Approval of Agenda
  - a. Motion: Lindsey
  - b. Second: Roseanna
4. Ongoing work
  - a. Square Terminal Replacement - Lindsey  
Moving forward with the decision to buy a new Square terminal in September.
  - b. Financial Update - Lindsey
    - i. Year end/wrap up party spend  
Concession income \$1100. Tracking of cash items was not consistent/entered into the Square terminal, so we are unable to determine where the money was coming from means we do not know exactly which items were sold and amounts of each. Negative \$3 for party budget. Last minute admissions resulted in incurring additional costs that were not built into the budget.  
\$16K raised in 2024/2025 season.  
\$6K held for athletes.  
\$10K in bank.
    - ii. Membership Update - Lindsey  
31 Registered members, 2 unpaid.
    - iii. Welcome back BBQ budget - Lindsey  
Board is expected to input and track purchases for budgeting purposes. Lindsey has created a budgeting spreadsheet based on approximately 100 athletes.
  - c. Past Fundraisers/Events
    - i. None
  - d. Ongoing Fundraising
    - i. None
  - e. Upcoming Fundraising
    - i. Summer Bottle Drive Sept 13

Lindsey QR code for monetary donations.

Laurel to prepare a leaflet with DGPA info and QR code for non-bottle donors.

Cathy finalized the bottle drive event for 2 hrs, 3-5 PM.

10 Full size black garbage or blue recycle size bags. All other bag sizes must be put inside and fill the black/blue bags. No other types of bags accepted.

Participation is based on 10 bags per athlete, not a "family rate".

Laurel to make a call out to members for donations of use of BBQs and families with trucks for the bottle drive.

Jenn will have a truck.

Jenn to inquire about campchef grill with family.

Amanda to provide a table top grill for hot dogs.

Jodie to provide a table top grill.

Team games and individual games.

Age of participant necessary to create teams with variety.

Teams marked with coloured flagging tape.

Roseanna to do all Temu game supplies purchases (burlap bags, etc.).

For team games, \$5-10 gift cards for first place (depending on number of registrants). Cotton candy tubs, claw clips, etc., prize bin with various items for 2nd place and others.

Amanda to ask Tim Hortons, 7-11 as suggestions for gift cards - request donations or deals on GCs.

Individual games earn stickers and once all games are completed, they can show their sticker sheet and earn the final goody bag.

Amanda to update the Excel spreadsheet with required items and board members to sign-up to action/purchase/obtain required items. Board members to sign-up by Aug 19.

ii. Bear Tracks Ice Melt - Cathy

None

iii. Christmas Trees - Laurel

Updates as of October - Laurel not present for updates otherwise

iv. Christmas Market - Roseanna and Laurel

Erika to provide additional planning assistance.

- Vendor sourcing needs to commence immediately
- Liquor license
- Kids corner

Suggested to have a subcommittee for planning (Laurel, Erika, Roseanna).

Laurel to include a call for vendors in the next DGPA newsletter.

v. Wilhawk Leduc - Cathy

No update - For 2026

vi. Comedy show w/ a silent auction

Amanda waiting on reply from comedy contact. Smallest show/profit offering to be discussed as preference for a first time around.

Discussion about adults only or inclusive with children.

vii. BBQ / Concession sales

Decision to pursue this option for spring 2026.

Roseanna to reach out to Salisbury for a Mother's Day date, other greenhouses like Walish are another option.

f. Future Events:

i. Welcome Back BBQ Sept 13 - Amanda

- Food and supplies
- Games and supplies, prizes
- Schedule of events - Amanda
- Ticketing/admission

Fee for non-members: \$20 non-member athletes, \$10 for adults (as non game players), \$10 for siblings.

- Advertising - Laurel

ii. Athlete Christmas Party - Dec 20

To be addressed at future meetings.

iii. Buns, Bodysuits & Beers - Jan 3/17

- Survey

To be addressed at future meetings.

5. Membership & Engagement Drive - Amanda

Coffee and cookies membership drive at suit sizing Sept.9/10.

i. Newsletter - Laurel

Meeting done at: 6:58 PM

Next meeting: September 2, 2025 at 5:15pm, Fargo's Capilano