

# WGC Young Leaders



Bowling- 22nd January

As a reward for last year's hard work, we were treated to our first social event, and spent an evening bowling. This was an opportunity for us to socialise away from the gym and was enjoyed by all who attended.

## Things to look forward to in 2019!

We already have exciting things planned for this year, with more events to be added. This year we hope to really start to make an impact at the gym, with our Young Leaders becoming even more involved.

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### B.G. BRITISH CHAMPIONSHIPS

Volunteering opportunity for some Y.L.'s to get involved in this national event.

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### HANNAH WHELAN INVITATIONAL

Young leaders will play an important part in WGC's very first invitational competition!

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### 'BE NICE BUS'

The first of our workshops based around cyber bullying, with a focus on online safety.



### Club Championships

An in house event where we will provide support to ensure the smooth running of the day.



### Badge Assessments

A day where we will help and support the recreational gymnasts to compete.



### Half Term Camps

Opportunities to help coach gymnasts at extra training sessions in the half term holidays.

# Overview Of 2018 - Year 1 Of Our Young Leader Academy

## WGC Badge Assessments

Our Badge assessments were well attended by the young leaders, who helped to ensure the day ran smoothly. We were involved in supporting the gymnasts on the day, helping to organise and move the gymnasts around the gym and ensuring they knew their routines. We received lots of positive comments from the WGC coaches.



## Young Leader Regional Day

We held our first regional day at the club, which saw us complete either the British Gymnastics Introduction to judging course or a safe guarding course and introduction to volunteering. This was a great success, seeing us host the event which was attended by Young Leader Academies from other clubs.

## Fenton Manor, Stoke

In May, some of our Young Leaders attended the British National NDP finals at Fenton Manor in Stoke. They were involved in leading the gymnasts to the different apparatus, and this was a great opportunity for us to volunteer within the wider British Gymnastics community.



## MESSAGE FROM ACADEMY CAPTAIN, KATIE

Hi Everyone,

Our first year has been a busy one, seeing us becoming established as a group, and making a contribution to the life of the gym. Our second year is looking to be even more exciting with so many things planned to look forward to, now we are up and running, including our first fundraiser. With Joanne working so hard to provide us with lots of amazing courses and events, it is very important that we get fully involved and embrace the opportunities offered.

Thank you to everyone for your ongoing commitment. As captain, I can see the difference that we are collectively making within our club and often receive positive feedback from the coaches about the impact we are making on the gymnasts.

As always, if you have any questions or queries please do get in touch.

*Katie x*

