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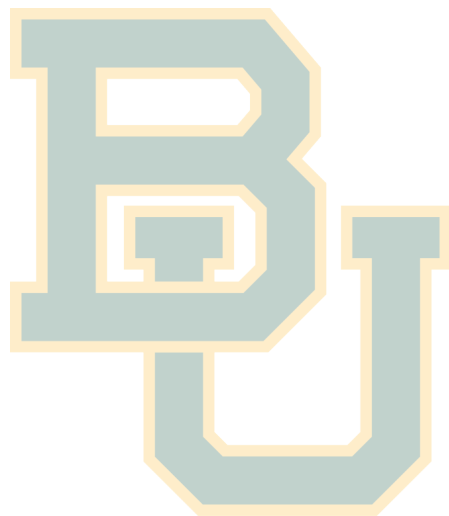
BAYLOR UNIVERSITY

The Baylor University Gymnastics Club is has been sponsored by the University Recreational Sports Department since 2007, although the sport can trace it’s history back to 1954 when the first varsity team was formed through a sponsorship by P.E. Department head Dr. Lloyd Russell and coach John Potet.

The club competes in the TGC (Texas Gymnastic Conference) and NAIGC (National Association of Intercollegiate Gymnastics Clubs) conferences. Throughout the year the club competes against its fellow texas schools: Texas A&M, University of Texas, Texas State University, Texas Tech University, University of Texas at Dallas and many more.

Baylor Gymnastics has always been a large player in the Texas Scene. In 2009, the Universtiy formed an NCAA tumbling and acrobatics team, leading to a decline in club membership. However, in recent years they have regrown their numbers and are once again a contender in the Texas competitions.

The Bears practice off campus on Monday, Tuesday, and Thursday from 8:00pm to 10:00 pm. Members without cars normally have no problem working out carpools with other teammates and there are no tryouts. Anyone interested is welcome to come tryout a few practices. They will have a week to decide if they want to join the team before having to pay dues. Financial support from the university helps to fund travel and competition expenses.



Club Dues

Competitive Gymnasts	\$290.00 / year
Recreational Tumblers	\$200.00 / year

Competitive member dues include:

- Travel expenses for in state away competitions
- Competition Fees: \$10 per competitor plus \$20 per team
- Practice facility rental
- Full or Partial Cost for out of state / national competitions

The club currently does not require members to have gymnastics experience, however they do not currently have a coach, so there is no one there to teach new skills. Almost all of the members have experience, and most members have at least level 5 experience. All of the members help each other out and have enough gymnastics experience that they are capable of working towards new skills on their own.

For more information, please visit the club’s university web page or facebook page shown below.

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