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MGC opens its competitive season at Denim and Diamonds

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DAHLONEGA - The 2017-18 competitive season is underway for Blairsville's Mountain Gymnastics Center.

Earlier this month its seven different levels of gymnasts took part in the Denim and Diamonds meet in Dahlonega.

Bringing home a first place all-around score at the AAU Bronze Level was Adriana Viera, who tied for first place on the vault with MGC teammate Millie Banks with a score of 9.25. Viera took first place on the bars and tied for first on the floor to give her an all-around score of 37.

MGC claimed two first place all-around scores in the USA Level 4 competition with Lola Patton and Lillian Peacock each taking the gold.

Patton was first on the beam and floor with second place scores on the vault and bars for a total of 36.75. Meanwhile, Peacock took first on the floor and was third on the vault, bars, and beam for a total of 35.725.

Hana Gregory recorded a first place all-around score of 35.7 in the USA Level 5 competition. She was first on the bars, second on the vault and beam, and third on the floor.

Erin Raper picked up a first place all-around finish at the USA Platinum level with a 36.75. She was second on the beam, vault, and floor with a fourth place performance on the bars.

Mia McCombs was fourth all-around in USA Platinum with a first place performance on the beam and third on the bars.

Kiersten Queen was second in the USA Level 6 competition with second place scores on the bars and beam. She also placed fourth on the floor.

Jacey Lee competed at USA Level 5 and placed sixth all-around with a pair of fifth place finishes on the bars and beam.

Other USA Level 4 competitors were second place Avery Frechette - first on the vault and bars, fourth on the floor.

Madison Pelfrey - third all-around; second place on the vault.

Josie Poston - second all-around; first on the vault, second on the beam and the floor.

Annalyse Kiernan - third all-around; first on the bars, third on the beam, fourth on the floor.

Bre Arp - sixth all-around.

In the AAU Silver, Reese Chambers was second all-around after tying for first on the vault, placing second on the beam, third on the floor, and fourth on



AAU Level 1: (L-R) Reagan Gwynn and Keely Shook



AAU Bronze: (L-R) Adriana Viera, Samantha Blackwell, Kara Lodge, and Millie Banks



USA Level 6: (L-R) Kiersten Queen and Sofia Swartz



AAU Silver: (L-R) Emma Schuette, Nevaeh Leopold, Reese Chambers, and Kristy Garrett



USA Level 4 (L-R) back row: Josie Poston, Bre Arp, Maddie Pelfrey; front row: Annalyse Kiernan, Avery Frechette, Lola Patton, and Lillian Peacock.



USA Level 5: (L-R) Jacey Lee and Hana Gregory



USA Platinum: (L-R) Erin Raper and Mia McCombs

the bars. Others competing in AAU Silver were: Emma Schuette - fourth all-around; first on the vault, third on the bars, fourth on the beam and floor.

Nevaeh Leopold - sixth all-around with a fourth place performance on the vault.

Kristy Garrett - seventh all-around.

The AAU Bronze level saw Banks place seventh all-around with a first place performance on the vault to go with seventh and eighth place finishes on the bars and floor, respectively.

Kara Lodge was 10th all-around after placing sixth on the beam and seventh on the bars.

Samantha Blackwell finished 12th all-around after plac-

ing fourth on the beam. In AAU Level 1, Keely Shook was second all-around with first place finishes on the bars and floor.

Reagan Gwynn was 11th all-around with a ninth place performance on the bars.

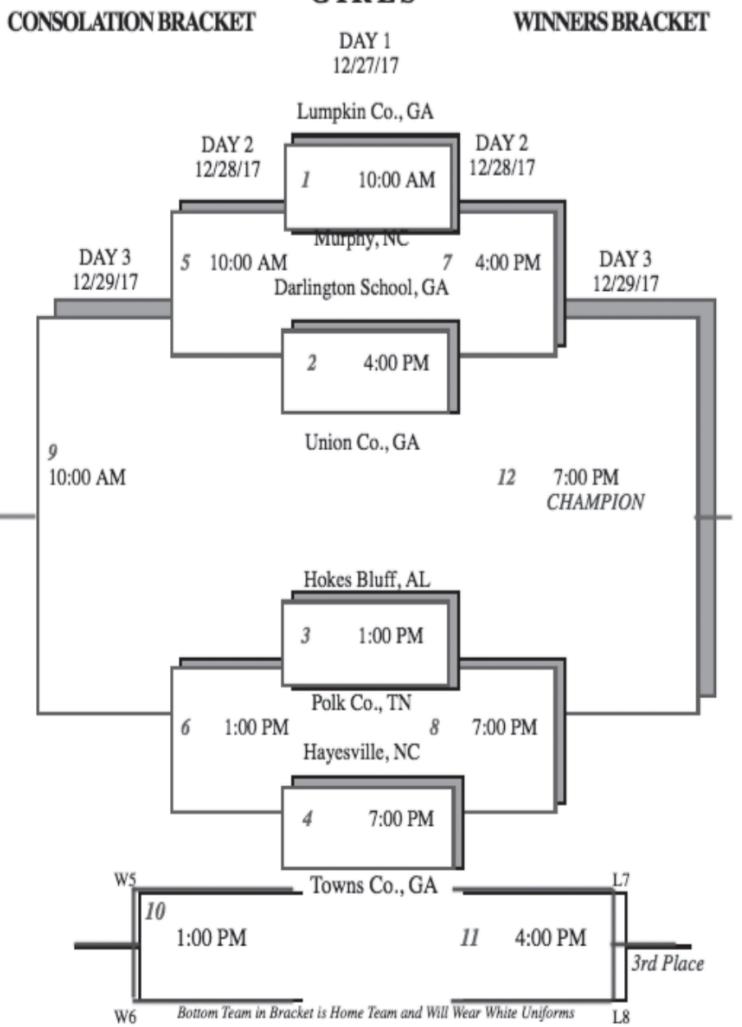
MGC will be back in action with two January meets in Hiram and Canton.

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