

**INTERNATIONAL
SPORT &
CULTURAL
FESTIVAL**
JUNE 23-28
FORT WORTH TEXAS



The Event

USA Gymnastics, The Pan American Gymnastics Union and The American Sokol as well as other sport and cultural groups will present the
2009 International Sport and Cultural
Festival



Pan American Gymnastics Union Gymnaestrada

- Educational Forum and Workshops
- Choreography Sessions
- PAGU Gala Evening
- Preparation, planning and workshops for 2011 World Gymnaestrada.



USA Gymnastics Activities

- TeamGym – USA Nationals with International Division
- National GymFest
- USA Gymnastics for All Challenge
- Festival Rhythmic
- Aesthetic Gymnastics
- Education – Coaches Congress & Forum, TeamGym instructor and judge's course, and more!



2009 American Sokol Slet Activities

- Artistic Gymnastics Competition
- Rhythmic Gymnastics Competition
- Volleyball
- Fitness Challenge
- Fun/Run Walk
- Team Marching and Calisthenics





Fort Worth, Texas

- Population of 702,850
- Located just a few miles from Dallas
- Center of Culture and Arts



Joint Activities

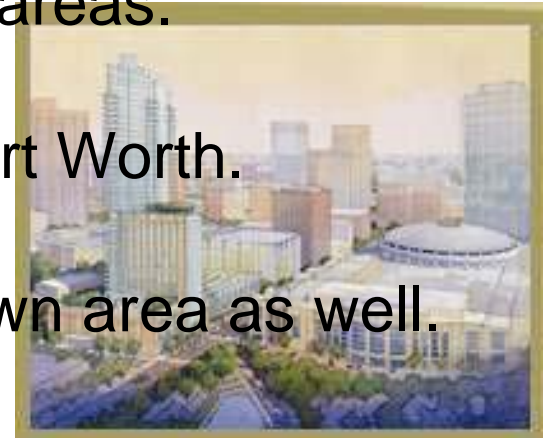
- Opening and Closing Ceremonies
- Downtown Parade
- Educational Forums
- International Exhibition Hall and Museum
- Special Social Events
- Golf Tournament
- Bowling Tournament
- Nightly Medal Plaza Activities





Venues and Hotels

- All event activities are planned to take place in the Downtown Fort Worth. Participants will be able to walk to the venue, hotels, restaurants, theatres, museums, etc.
- The primary activities will take place at the Fort Worth Convention Center.
- The Convention Center is walking distance from all official hotels as well as restaurants and shopping areas.
- The parade will take place in downtown Fort Worth.
- Social activities are planned in the downtown area as well.



The Convention Center

- Arena with 12,000 seats
- Multiple Halls
- National Stand Expo
- Classrooms
- Meeting Rooms



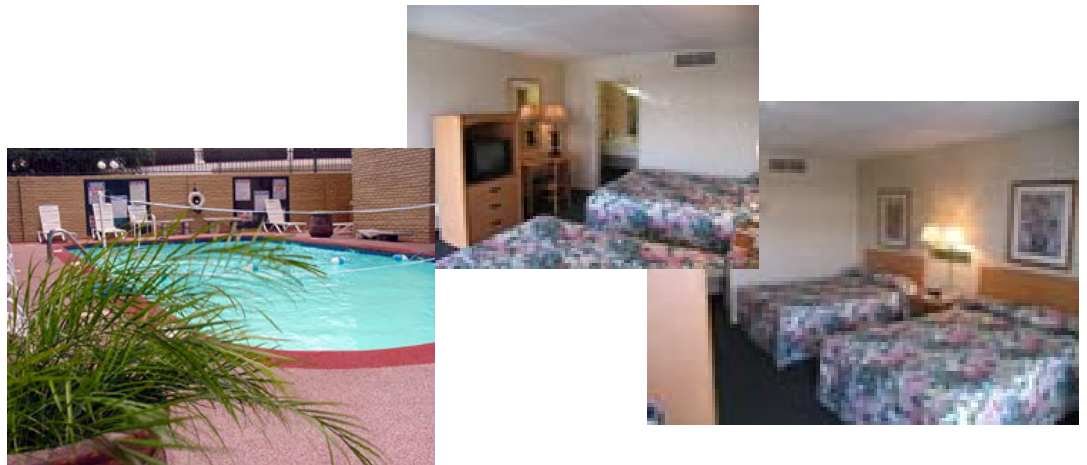
The Headquarter Hotel

- Fort Worth Omni Hotel
- Across the street from Convention Center
- Cost is \$159.00 plus tax for single, double, triple or quadruple occupancy.



Special Hotel for PAGU Nations

- Park Central Hotel
- Across the street from the Convention Center
- Price is \$119.00 per night plus tax for single, double, triple or quadruple occupancy.



Transportation

- Dallas/Fort Worth International Airport (DFW) offers over 1,900 flights per day with non-stop service to 135 domestic and 36 international destinations.
- Airport Transfers will be offered for \$50 roundtrip per person.
- The Dallas/Fort Worth International Airport is approximately 20 minutes from downtown Fort Worth, Hotels and the Venue.



Medals Plaza

- Nightly Entertainment
- Social Activities
- Music
- Games



The Participant Social

Fort Worth Stockyards



The Closing Ceremonies

- Farrington Field
- 20,000 seats
- Saturday Evening Performance
- All Participant Finale



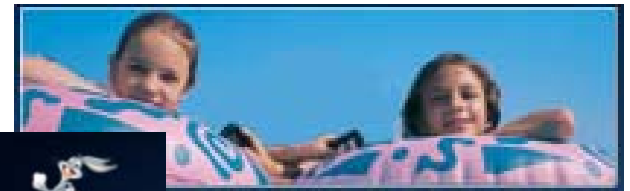
Travel Assistance / Trips and Tours

- National Travel Systems- Official Travel Partner
- Side Trips and Excursions will be available
- Custom tours can be arranged for your group
- Assistance with Air Travel Available
- Official Hotel Bookings



Things to do in Dallas/Fort Worth

- Shopping
- Six Flags Over Texas Amusement Park
- Hurricane Harbor Water Park
- Major League Baseball
- JFK Memorial
- South Fork Ranch
- Horse Back Riding
- And Much More...



What can your group do?

- PAGU Evening
- Group Performance in GymFest
- City Performance
- Gymnastics For All Challenge
- Opening Ceremonies Performance by Invitation
- Parade
- Closing Ceremonies – All Participant Finale



The Participant Card

- Participation in one competition or GymFest activity (additional activities will incur a “double-dip” fee)
- Spectator Entrance to all activities and Vendor areas
- All socials and parties
- Participation in Parade and Closing Ceremonies
- Local Transportation
- Special International Participation Card (Includes Foreign Athlete Membership)
- \$175 per person

