



2012 USA Gymnastics OPEN CHAMPIONSHIPS & the JO Optional Championships & Invitational at ESPN Wide World of Sports

Dates & Site:
June 6-12, 2012

ESPN Wide World of Sports Complex
HP Pavilion, Lake Buena Vista, Florida

What are the USA Gymnastics Open Championships and the JO Optional Championships and Invitational?

USA Gymnastics is hosting the second annual nationwide championships for Rhythmic gymnastics Levels 4-6 (Open Championships) and the Junior Olympic Optional Championships and Invitational for Levels 7-10 and Junior Olympic Groups. We have partnered with ESPN Wide World of Sports to combine an outstanding competition opportunity in a family-friendly atmosphere.

These competitions feature both individual, Regional Team champions (7-9), and Junior Olympic Group champions.

How do I enter?

Registration for the 2012 Open Championships will be available soon on the USA Gymnastics website. Registration for the Junior Olympics is by Regional qualification.

Tentative Schedule:

June 6-7: Levels 7-8

June 8-9: Levels 9-10, Future Stars Test, Groups

June 10: Level 4

June 11: Level 5

June 12: Level 6

We recommend the Open Championships participants arrive a day or two early to see the best Level 10s in the country and to take full advantage of the Walt Disney World Resort Vacation package options.

A finalized meet schedule will be available in April, 2012.

Equipment: AAI

Awards and Club Team Competition:

Open Championships:

Individual awards will be given for each age group in each level

JO Optional Championships and Invitational

Individual awards will be given by level for Individuals and Junior Olympic Groups

Regional team awards will be given by level (7-9)

Entry Fees:

\$130.00/gymnast • \$100.00/group

Deadlines:

Entry deadline is March 1, 2012.

Late fee is \$25.00 per gymnast.

Refunds will be granted minus a \$25.00 administrative fee per athlete. No refunds will be permitted after May 1, 2012.

Accommodations:

A variety of accommodations and vacation packages are available through National Travel Systems (www.ntssportstravel.com).

