I am delighted to invite you to an



## I.S.G.A. Judging Course on Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> September 2019 at Warwick Preparatory School, Bridge Field, Banbury Road, CV34 6PL from 10a.m. – 4.00p.m.

This is a triple purpose course.

- 1 **GAIN MORE KNOWLEDGE:** For all coaches, teachers or assistants who would like to gain more knowledge as to how the I.S.G.A. routines, vaults and groups are judged. There is no assessment.
- 2 **BECOME AN I.S.G.A. ASSISTANT JUDGE:** For all coaches, teachers, 6<sup>th</sup> form gymnasts or parents who would like to become an I.S.G.A. Assistant Judge. This will enable them to assist an experienced judge at I.S.G.A. competitions. At the end of the day there will be:
  - *a) A Practical Assessment:* Marking videos of participants performing the I.S.G.A. Set and Voluntary Floor routines and the Set and Voluntary Vault.
  - **b)** A **Theory Assessment:** This will be a multiple choice paper. On passing both the practical and the theory assessments an I.S.G.A. Assistant Judging Certificate will be issued to participants.
- 3 **A JUDGES REFRESHER COURSE:** For all current qualified judges. They will receive an I.S.G.A. Refresher Judges Course certificate. There is no assessment.

This course will focus on the many aspects of judging and the I.S.G.A. requirements for Set and Voluntary Floor and Vault and the Group. Whilst the candidates wanting to become an Assistant I.S.G.A. Judge are sitting their assessment, the other candidates will have a further session with live gymnasts.

The day will involve watching videos and live gymnasts and will cover the following:

- The basics of judging such as scoring, symbols and what a judge is looking for as the "perfect" skill and a "perfect" vault.
- Content requirement for I.S.G.A. Set and Voluntary Floor and Group Routine.
- I.S.G.A. Set and Voluntary Vault.
- Execution deductions on I.S.G.A. Floor and Vault skills.
- Bonus marks for I.S.G.A. Set and Voluntary Floor.
- Composition deductions for I.S.G.A. Voluntary Floor and Group Routine.

The following people will be assisting me in delivering this course:

**Mr Geoff Turner:** A BG Judging Tutor for the South East Region, a Women's Artistic High Performance Coach and a Women's Artistic National Judge.

**Ms Emily Burman:** The I.S.G.A. Development Officer, BG Women's Artistic High Performance Coach and a Regional Judge.

**Mrs Suzanne Rimini:** The I.S.G.A. General Administrator, BG Women's Artistic Level 2 Coach and a BG Women's Artistic Club Judge.

**COST:** This course will cost £45 per person, regardless of whether you take the assessment or not. *Fees payable in advance only and not on the day.* A Booking Form is attached. You will be required to bring a packed lunch. Tea, coffee and biscuits will be available.

Any questions please do not hesitate to contact me at: technical@isgagymnastics.org

Yours sincerely,

## Marion Charafeddine (Mrs)

The I.S.G.A. Technical Director, BG Club Coach, UK Gymnastics Level 3 Coach, BG Floor and Vault Judge.