

# IHSGGCA

Illinois High School Girls' Gymnastics Coaches Association

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Welcome to the 2018-19 season! We hope this will be a year with increased involvement from all head and assistant coaches from all of our participating schools. We are always looking for MORE coaches to get involved, with more members our organization is a more powerful voice for high school gymnastics. Please don't hesitate to contact one of the board members or conference reps with any questions, ideas or concerns.

## IMPORTANT DATES

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| Friday, October 26   | <u>Fall Clinic &amp; IHSGGCA Meeting</u><br>Glenbard West High School,<br>670 Crescent Blvd Glen Ellyn IL |
| Monday, November 7   | SEASON BEGINS!!!!   |
| Holiday Break TBA    | Cosmic Bowl - Multiple sites  |
| Monday, January 28   | Award Nominations Due (Senior Gymnast & all other award nominations!)                                     |
| Friday, February 15  | IHSGGCA Awards Banquet/Hall of Fame Induction & State Prelims   |
| Saturday February 16 | IHSGGCA-meeting National Team selection<br>State Finals   |

## WHY IS IT IMPORTANT TO JOIN THE COACHES ASSOCIATION??

- Be a member of TEAM ILLINOIS!!
- Exchange ideas with other coaches and have a voice in making decisions.
- Improve communication between coaches, judges, clubs.
- ONLY IHSGGCA MEMBERS MAY NOMINATE GIRLS FOR SENIOR GYMNAST & NATIONAL TEAM.
- Receive & be listed in our Coaches Directory.
- It benefits you, your team & Illinois Gymnastics

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## FALL CLINIC

Will be held Friday, October 26 at Glenbard West High School. Registration will begin at 8 am with the beginning of the clinic starting at 9 am. Encourage all your assistants to come, we will be offering speakers geared to both varsity and JV at the same time. There will be more than 20 sessions to choose from presented by some of Illinois' leading coaches. The clinic will be followed by our general association meeting and a great free lunch at a local restaurant.

## NOTES - ETC...

- WE HAVE A WEBSITE!!!!!!!!!! <http://illinoissgs.tripod.com/girls/ihsaggca.html>
- Cosmic bowl will be held on a date(s) that is TBA. It is a fun, team bonding afternoon with your girls. We will have them at multiple sites so that more schools can get involved. This is our only and largest fundraiser right now so we hope for 100% participation!!
- If you know of any coaches openings, please contact Bill Stone (stategymnasticsstats@gmail)
- Please contact us if there are any openings for any meets, dual or invitationals, we will put them on the website and send out mass-e-mails.
- On that note, you will be receiving several e-mails this season, reminding you of important dates, meetings, etc. Please make a note of these as several have due dates.

Please pass this newsletter on to any and all assistants.  
See you at the clinic!!