

GEORGIA'S TEENAGE CANCER APPEAL OPEN TRAMPOLINE COMPETITION

The Trampoline Clubs in Brentwood are proud to be supporting this appeal by organizing this competition to help Georgia meet her fundraising targets. We will unashamedly be trying to get as much money from you and your members/families on the day and will be trying to provide some new attractions to help with this. The following might help you stimulate interest in your club for this competition.

COMPILATION OF NEWS ITEMS FROM GEORGIA'S SCHOOL WEBSITE AND THE LOCAL GAZETTE NEWSPAPER

Georgia Cordery, 13, is a brave teenager with a rare form of cancer. Georgia and her family have decided selflessly to set up Georgia's Teenage Cancer Appeal to raise funds for research into her rare form of cancer and to support other families on her ward at University College Hospital, London (UCLH), where she has chemotherapy. The appeal will also support Trevor Sorbie's charity, My New Hair, after the famous hairdresser created a wig for Georgia.



Pictured above from left to right: Tony Cottee, Nick Berry, Georgia Cordery, Elliot Jordan and Christian Dailly.

Georgia was joined by local celebrities, friends and family on 30th January to officially launch the appeal, 'Georgia's Teenage Cancer Appeal' (GTCA). There will be a series of high profile events to follow, which will be held over the next 9 months.

Georgia's mother, Mrs Sue Cordery, gave an emotional and moving speech and expressed her gratitude to Georgia's school friends for their support. She also thanked attendees at the launch for their presence on such a moving occasion and expressed her support to other families at the teenage cancer ward at the University College Hospital, London.

Mrs Cordery said the appeal would provide Georgia and her family with monthly activities to look forward to. On this particular occasion the stars came out for Georgia in the form of Tony Cottee, famous former English footballer turned Sky Sports commentator, Elliot Jordan, who currently plays Callum in Eastenders, Nick Berry former Eastender and Heartbeat actor and Christian Dailly, Scottish footballer.

The Cordery family have had their lives turned upside down since Georgia's diagnosis in June, just three days before her 13th birthday, but Georgia is determined to beat cancer and wants to continue living a normal life. She attends school at every opportunity and even continues to play for the school netball team. Georgia's father, Mr Peter Cordery, also mentioned that Georgia's recent school report was outstanding.

On the day of the launch all attendees donned GTCA t-shirts as designed by Georgia herself and these will be on sale at the GTCA Open competition with all proceeds going to GTCA.

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OPEN TRAMPOLINE COMPETITION

SUNDAY 19th April 2009

VENUE: Brentwood School Sports Centre

Middleton Hall Lane, Brentwood, CM15 8EE

GRADES: A, B, C, D, E, F, G, H

AGE GROUPS: U9, U11, U13, U15, U17, O17

Organisers reserve the right to merge age, sex and grade groups in order to ensure adequate competition.

ROUTINES: As defined in the Competition Handbook and Competitors Log Book

CLOSING DATE: By email (followed by post): Wednesday 1st April
(Earlier entries will be very welcome though)

ENTRY FEE: £6-50, no cost for teams

Cheques made payable to "Brentwood Trampoline Club", please.

ENTRIES TO: Please email all entries to olivelaw@talktalk.net and dave@brentwoodtc.org **ON THE ATTACHED FORM**, by the closing date and follow up with the correct fee plus a paper copy to 14 Meadsway, Warley, Brentwood, Essex, CM13 3DQ.

Please help us by using the correct form, fully completed with correct age group details for **this** competition.

Please remember to supply enough officials for the whole day as per the competition entry form attached. If your official needs to leave early it is the responsibility of the club to supply a replacement.

All competitors at Grade D **MUST** be at least competitive associate members of British Gymnastics and all competitors need to be affiliated to the Eastern Region. If for any reason you are not able to satisfy these insurance requirements please do contact us first before sending your entry.

This is compulsory and is a requirement of entry.

COMPETITION ENTRY FORM

Competition	Georgia's Teenage Cancer Appeal Open		Venue	Brentwood School		
Club Name			Date	19 th April 2009		
Contact			Club BG No.			
Address			Telephone (evg)			
			Telephone (day)			
			Mobile			
Post Code			Club Colours			
E-mail						
	Surname	Forename	Date of Birth	Gender	Grade/Age	Team
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Eligibility - In order to compete in this event the following requirements must be met.

Each Competitor Must:

- i) be at least an associate member of **British Gymnastics** and have paid the current year's membership fee or have satisfied the organisers that they have suitable insurance in place.
- ii) be entered into an appropriate grade to their ability and competitive level.

The Club Must

- i) be registered with **British Gymnastics** or have satisfied the organisers that they have suitable insurance in place..
- ii) have included **full** payment in respect of the entries overleaf.
- iii) have provided the required number of **suitably qualified** and **experienced** officials (see below).

Judges / Officials

When you are filling in the entry form overleaf, you **must**, once you have entered two competitors on the sheet, fill in the name of your **suitably qualified** official in the space provided **J1** in order to enter any more performers. Once you reach five entries, you **must**, fill in the name of your second official in the space provided **J2**. When you reach nine entries, fill in the name of your third official **J3** and so on. Continue on another form if over 20 entries.

Number of competitors entries	Number of officials required
1 – 2	None (but will be gratefully accepted)
3 – 5	One judge
6 – 9	Two Officials (one of which must be a judge
10 – 15	Three Officials (two of which must be judges)
16 – 20	Four Officials (two of which must be a judge)
21 – 25	Five Officials (three of which must be a judge)
26 competitors and over	Six Officials (three of which must be a judge)

Please include their judge level, preferred job and availability. If an official wishes to do only a ½ day, please supply a named replacement official for the other ½ day. As far as possible we will arrange to utilise parents who are “½ day” officials at the same time as their children are competing, in order to minimise domestic inconvenience.

Please note: If you do not fill in the “official’s” space the competition organiser has the right to refuse entries listed below that space. If any of the officials (or reserve officials) nominated do not turn up for the competition, the club must provide suitably qualified substitutes, failure to do so will result in the club being fined £50 before their performers will be allowed to take part.

General Declaration

The team manager is responsible for the behaviour of his/her club members.

No responsibility will be accepted for loss or damage to property or persons.

Photographers may be present at and the organisers may publish images. By entering for the event, there is acceptance that the child / participant may be photographed. The Club / Coach are advised that they should inform the entrant, parent or guardian.

When submitting entries for the event the onus is on the club and coaches to ensure that the coaches attending to the participants are qualified to the level of the participants' performance.

I can confirm that the above criteria have been adhered to.

This declaration must be signed and full payment must be submitted for this entry to be accepted.

Signed	Position	Date
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Competition Payment Total Due =	Entries	@ £ 6.50 = £
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Please make cheques payable to the relevant body (See Invitation Form for details).