

# **Tennessee Women's Optional State Meet**

## **March 19-21, 2010**

### **Memphis, TN**

**On behalf of the Tennessee State Administrative Committee River City Gymnastics is honored to host the Women's Tennessee Optional / Drep Op State Championships at the Cook County Convention Center in beautiful downtown Memphis.**

#### **Venue**

The Memphis Cook Convention Center's South Hall in historic downtown Memphis Tennessee will be the venue for the meet. It is located close to Beale Street, The FedEx Forum, AutoZone Park, Mud Island, The Peabody Hotel, and lots of great restaurants. Don't forget our world famous Memphis Zoo, The Children's Museum, and The Pink Palace Museum. For more area information visit [www.memphistravel.com](http://www.memphistravel.com) or [www.memphisportsCouncil.com](http://www.memphisportsCouncil.com)

#### **Equipment**

Mid-West Gym Supply is providing two sets of women's equipment including two spring floors!

#### **Scoring**

Meet Control is providing Digital Scoreboards & LiveScore (LCD monitor displaying real time results for coaches & audience.)

#### **Judges**

Natalia Grosso, Mary Thacker, Mandy Pavlick, Sibby Lane, Mary Moore, MK Roberts, Kerma Headrick, Pam Hannah, Mary McDaniels, Jaime Calleja, Shannon Osucha, Jeana Rogers, Bobbye Strickland, Mary Phelps, & Jessica Counts

#### **General Admissions:**

\$5.00/ person

#### **Weekend Pass:**

\$10/ person  
(3 & under free)

Parking \$10.00 per day

\*garage connected to convention center

**Host:** River City Gymnastics & River City Gymnastics Association  
7995 Stage Hills Blvd.  
Bartlett, TN 38133

[www.rivercitygymnastics.com](http://www.rivercitygymnastics.com)

**Meet Director:** Erica Anderson

[rivercityassociation@yahoo.com](mailto:rivercityassociation@yahoo.com)

**Meet Site:** Memphis Cook Convention Center

South Hall

225 North Main St.

Memphis, TN 38103

901-576-2256

[www.memphisconvention.com](http://www.memphisconvention.com)

**Awards:** Ballrooms C, D, & E

As per rules and policies, state meet medals will be used for events and All Around to 50% per age group.

**Entry Fees:** \$98 per athlete

\$50 per team

**Deadline:** March 1, 2010

Online entry will open on Monday Feb 22, 2010

All entries must be submitted online at [www.tnusag.com](http://www.tnusag.com). (read all instructions before summiting form) Check your entry data, update your qual scores and apparel info, print out your entry and invoice and mail along with one company check for your to **River City Gymnastics Association, 7995 Stage Hills Blvd, Bartlett, TN 38133**

**Late Entries:** Only accepted pending approval by the State Chair.

\$25 late entry fee/ gymnast

Get your entries in ASAP! If you have an athlete that doesn't qualify, we will refund their entry fee.

**Hospitality:** Breakfast, Lunch, and Dinner will be served in the coaches and judges hospitality lounges. Some will be homemade and some will be catered by local restaurants.

**Seniors:** Make plans to attend the "Senior Recognition Reception" following the Saturday evening competition. All graduating seniors will be recognized. Please email your seniors' head shot and biography to [cegcoach1@cs.com](mailto:cegcoach1@cs.com) and [rivercityassociation@yahoo.com](mailto:rivercityassociation@yahoo.com). Please include their name, birthday, level, club, high school, est. GPA, college plans, expected field of study, hobbies, favorite event, favorite gymnastics

memory, and thoughts you would like to leave your coaches, teammates, and fellow athletes.

## Host Hotels

<p><b><u>Marriot Downtown</u></b>                  250 North Main Street                  Memphis, TN 38103                  1-800-551-2409                  \$119  <a href="http://www.marriot.com">http://www.marriot.com</a>                  *attached to meet site</p>	<p><b><u>Crown Plaza</u></b>                  300 North Second Street                  Memphis, TN 38105                  1-800-593-5447                  \$119  <a href="http://www.cpmemphishotel.com">www.cpmemphishotel.com</a>                  .2 miles from meet site, with-in walking distance</p>
<p><b><u>The Peabody Memphis</u></b>                  149 Union Avenue                  Memphis, TN 38103                  (901) 529-4000                  starting at \$119  <a href="http://www.thepeabodymemphis.com">www.thepeabodymemphis.com</a>                  .74 miles from meet site</p>	<p><b><u>Holiday Inn Select Downtown</u></b>                  160 Union Avenue                  Memphis, TN 38103                  901-525-5491                  starting at \$119  <a href="http://www.hisdowntownmemphis.com">www.hisdowntownmemphis.com</a>                  .72 miles from meet site</p>

## Local Resturants

<p><b>Blues City Café</b>                  138 Beale Street                  Memphis, TN 38103                  (901) 526-3637</p>	<p><b>The Rendezvous</b>                  52 South Second Street                  Memphis, TN 38103                  (901) 523-2746</p>
<p><b>Mesquite Chop House</b>                  88 Union Avenue                  Memphis, TN 38103                  (901)527-5337</p>	<p><b>Neely's Barbecue</b>                  670 Jefferson                  Memphis , TN 38103                  (901)521-9798 phone</p>
<p><b>TGI Fridays</b>                  185 Union Avenue                  Memphis, TN 38103                  (901)523-8500</p>	<p><b>The Butcher Shop</b>                  101 South Front Street                  Memphis, TN 38103                  (901)521-0856</p>

<b>Blue Fin</b> 135 South Main Street Memphis, TN 38103-3615 (901) 528-1010	<b>Pearl's Oyster House</b> 299 South Main Street Memphis, TN 38103-3907 (901) 522-9070
<b>Texas De Brazil</b> 150 Peabody Place Memphis, TN 38103 (901)526-7600	<b>Huey's Downtown</b> 77 S. Second St. Memphis, TN 38103 Phone: 901-527-2700

## **Directions to the Venue: Memphis Cook Convention Center**

### **Directions from the North:**

Coming in from I-40, take 240 West. From 240, exit back onto I-40 West. From I-40 West, exit onto Second/ Third Street (Exit 1-A). You will be traveling south on Second Street. At the second traffic light turn right (west) onto Poplar. Entry to the underground parking is on the West side of the main building at Front Street. Turn right (north) from Poplar onto Front Street. Parking is on the right immediately before the next intersecting street.

### **Directions from the Southeast:**

Connect with 240 West. Directional sign will say St. Louis. Continue on 240 to intersection with I-40 West (directional sign will say Little Rock, Exit 31-B). From I-40 West, exit 1-A onto Second Street and follow the directions above.

### **From West:**

Crossing I-40 bridge. Before you leave the bridge, take the Front Street exit and stay in the north lane. The bottom of the exit ramp is directly across the street from our main building on Front Street. To get to the parking entrance, turn left onto Front Street and the entrance will be on your right immediately before the next intersecting street.

## **Commemorative Souvenir Program**

Take the 2010 Tennessee Women's Optional State Championships memories home by purchasing the official commemorative program. Inside the program you'll find a biography of all Tennessee's graduating seniors, session schedules, score sheets, and most importantly, congratulatory and well wishes from the athletes, coaches and judges!

Don't miss your chance to be a part of history with a team ad, personal ad, or a brief "good luck" to your favorite gymnast or team!

Full page \$40

½ page \$25

¼ page    \$15

All ads must be submitted electronically to [riverscityassociation@yahoo.com](mailto:riverscityassociation@yahoo.com) by March 5<sup>th</sup>. Make checks payable to RCGA.