

# 2024 U.S. Gymnastics Championships

## **BID INFORMATION**

#### **EVENT OVERVIEW**

The U.S. Gymnastics Championships is a four-day competition involving the top gymnasts in the United States. This event will host junior and senior level athletes in Men's and Women's Artistic Gymnastics. All participating athletes are vying for a berth on their respective National Teams to represent the United States in national and international competitions, in addition to the chance to compete at the 2024 U.S. Olympic Team Trials. There will be approximately 425 athletes, coaches, judges and staff coming from around the country to participate.

#### **TELEVISION**

USA Gymnastics will broadcast this competition on network television with its broadcast partner NBC Sports. USA Gymnastics will bear the production costs associated with the broadcast.

#### **HOST / PARTNER**

Due to the high level of visibility created by this competition, a unique relationship is formed between the host city and USA Gymnastics. A partnership with USA Gymnastics, the city, CVB, sports commission, venue and hotel are necessary for a successful event.

### **BID PROCEDURE**

Interested parties should provide the following information:

- Confirm interest in hosting the event
- Proposed venue with availability for requested dates
- Hotel options with available room block
- Partners that would be involved in hosting the event

Please notify Scott Cole, Director of Event Operations (<a href="mailto:scole@usagym.org">scole@usagym.org</a>) of your interest and copy Grace Schumacher, Event Coordinator (<a href="mailto:gschumacher@usagym.org">gschumacher@usagym.org</a>).

#### **SCHEDULE OF EVENTS**

U.S. Gymnastics Championships	2024				
Load-In	Sunday May 26, 2024				
Setup	Monday May 27, 2024				
Training	Tuesday May 28, 2024				
Training	Wednesday May 29, 2024				
Men's Day 1 Competition	Thursday May 30, 2024				
Women's Day 1 Competition	Friday May 31, 2024				
Men's Day 2 Competition	Saturday June 1, 2024				
Women's Day 2 Competition	Sunday June 2, 2024				
Load-Out	Monday June 3, 2024				

#### HOTEL

A graduated room block as shown below will be needed with a peak of 390 rooms with **300** doubles and a total of 1,540 room nights. It is ideal for the room block below be held at a single hotel. It is preferred that the hotel block is located within walking distance. USA Gymnastics housing partner will contract with the hotel directly on behalf of USA Gymnastics and will handle all reservations.

	Fri.	Sat.	Sun.	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thurs.	Fri.	Sat.	Sun.	Total
Single	0	5	10	10	20	40	70	90	85	50	380
Double	5	10	25	25	40	120	250	300	280	145	1160
Total Rooms	5	15	35	35	60	160	320	390	365	195	1540

#### **VENUE SPECIFICATIONS**

This event needs three facilities in close proximity to each other and the hotels. In many situations the Competition Arena and Auxiliary Training Venue can be in the same facility. This event will need a modern arena for competition meeting the following specifications:

#### **Competition Arena**

- Competition Floor Area: 85 ft. wide x 200 ft. long with a minimum 40' ceiling height.
- Additional Floor Space: 2500 sq.ft. on one side and end for production and media
- Spectator seating: 12,000 minimum
- LED video and ribbon boards and control room
- Hospitality Area for up to 200 guests
- Auxiliary Rooms: Adequate space for locker rooms, judges' meetings, production office, and catering.
- Television Parking Area: Space for production trucks, generator, uplink, and office trailers.
- Location for a Fan Fest pre and or post event for up to 2000 fans

#### **Auxiliary Training Venue**

Floor Area: 20,000 sq. ft.Celling Height: 26 ft.

#### **USA GYMNASTICS RESPONSIBILITES**

- · All aspects of the competition including athletes, coaches, judges and event staff
- Travel expenses for the staff and judges
- Gymnastics equipment and podium
- Gymnastics community volunteers
- Gym Club / Grassroots marketing assistance
- Athlete medical
- Television Broadcast

#### **HOST RESPONSIBILITES**

- Facility and equipment
- Operational personnel and services
- In-house video production staff
- Marketing and Promotions
- Additional athlete medical organized through USA Gymnastics Medical Team
- Assistance in securing favorable hotel rates
- Ground Transportation

• Participant, Media, Volunteer and VIP Hospitality