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\* **Flight Awards** Medals will be presented in the competition area as quickly as possible after each flight finishes their  
\* competition. Flights will be in groups of 10 or less. Please tell your athletes to stay with their flight until after awards are  
\* presented.  
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\* **Athlete Awards For Those Finishing 1st- 10<sup>th</sup>** Flight scores will be combined by age group & level to determine the  
\* top 10 places – these athletes will then receive trophies in the Awards Room after all the flights in a group are completed  
\* and computed. 1<sup>st</sup>-5<sup>th</sup> Large Trophies, 6<sup>th</sup>-10<sup>th</sup> Trophies. Competition attire must be worn during the award ceremonies.  
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\* **Finals** Finals will be held for all advanced and elite events except Synchro Trampoline. The top 10 individuals qualify to  
\* advance to finals.

\* **Team Awards** 1<sup>st</sup> - 3<sup>rd</sup> Large Trophies  
\* Each team will automatically be entered into all Team Awards they will be eligible for. To be eligible, your team must  
\* have at least 3 girls or 2 boys in the competition level of the event entered.

\* **Top Team Awards** 1<sup>st</sup> - 3<sup>rd</sup> Large Trophies and Display Banners  
\* Your team must have a USTA Club membership, an AAU Club membership and at least one athlete in EACH level (boy  
\* or girl) of the event entered. To enter Top Tumbling Team, for example, you must have a boy or girl entered in beginner,  
\* advanced beginner, sub-novice, novice, intermediate, sub-advanced and advanced tumbling.

\* **Overall Advanced Award** 1<sup>st</sup>-3<sup>rd</sup> Large Trophies and Display Banners  
\* Your team must have a USTA Club membership, an AAU Club membership, and have advanced competitors in all three  
\* events of tumbling, trampoline and double-mini trampoline. NO EXTRA FEE TO ENTER. Although preliminary  
\* scores are used for the Overall Advanced Award, an athlete's points will not be awarded for their team if the athlete does  
\* not participate in the finals unless there is a documented injury, illness, family emergency, etc.

\* **Awards Presentations:** Athletes MUST be in competition attire (no warm-ups) to receive awards on the awards stand.  
\* All awards will be given out in the awards area. Awards must be picked up within 24 hours after the last event competed  
\* or the award will be forfeited.

\* **Pictures/Photographs:** TNT Pix Photography, our National Sponsor, will be at Nationals to take and sell pictures and  
\* offer related image design materials. All athletes will be welcome to have their pictures taken on the stage between groups  
\* of awards if they wish. Our professional photographer will be available with information.

\* **Credentials** All competitors and coaches will be issued credentials to enter the convention center and the competition  
\* floor. Each team will receive one coach's credential. Additional coach credentials will be given for teams with over 10  
\* events (1 coach per 10 events). All coaches must be listed on the entry form with their AAU and USTA coach numbers.  
\* Coaches must also wear their USTA coaches credential to be allowed on the floor.

\* **Competition Attire:** Athletes must be in competition attire from the beginning of their warm-up through the  
\* presentation of their flight's awards (unless the Superior Judge rules otherwise). Second warning will result in  
\* disqualification.

\* **Coaches Attire:** Coaches should be dressed in team attire (refer to coach attire rule in handbook) & must wear their  
\* coaching credential to be allowed on the floor.

\* **Protests:** Meet Protest Fee is \$100.

\* **ENTRY DEADLINE - POSTMARKED BY MAY 7, 2010** Mail entries with money orders or certified checks made  
\* out to 2010 USTA Nationals to: RaeAnn Gore, 724 Hwy 50, Sandoval, IL 62882. **Fax entries will not be accepted.** Please  
\* email or call with any questions: Natalie Montgomery – 765-569-6799 or [EnergyUnlimited@aol.com](mailto:EnergyUnlimited@aol.com) or Nancee Truelove  
\* – 812-887-2427 or [trelovenancee@gmail.com](mailto:trelovenancee@gmail.com).

**Flight assignments, time schedules and credentials will be mailed out by June 1, 2010.**

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