



Commendation

By the Mayor of Prattville, Alabama

WHEREAS, USA Gymnastics and the Prattville YMCA annually celebrate National Gymnastics Day to showcase the sport of gymnastics and to encourage and promote physical fitness among our nation's youth; and

WHEREAS, Gymnastics provides a great foundation, both for building strength, flexibility, and fitness and for life skills like enhancing self-esteem and goal-setting abilities; and

WHEREAS, National Gymnastics Day seeks to promote the value of physical fitness and good nutrition for everyone, regardless of age, gender, or ability level; and

WHEREAS, On National Gymnastics Day, the Prattville YMCA partners with USA Gymnastics to heighten visibility of the sport and encourage participation at the grass-roots level, as well as to increase physical activity for today's youth; and

WHEREAS, National Gymnastics Day is observed by the Prattville YMCA to bring attention to the positive physical fitness this sport fosters and to encourage our youth to build healthy body, mind, and spirit; and

WHEREAS, Collectively, the city of Prattville, USA Gymnastics, and the Prattville YMCA strive to encourage greatness and achievement in our young people.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Bill Gillespie, Jr., Mayor of the City of Prattville, Alabama, do hereby recognize, Saturday, August 18, 2012, as

NATIONAL GYMNASTICS DAY

in Prattville, Alabama.



Given under My Hand and the Seal of the City of Prattville on the 18th day of August 2012.

Bill Gillespie, Jr.
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