



2016 Level 6, 7 State ChampionshipsApril 16-17, 2016

VA Techniques invites you to break out your funky disco moves at STUDIO 67 at the Level 6 and 7 State Championships. Groove down to the club at Radford University's Dedmon Center! Congratulations to all qualified gymnasts! Please check www.vausag.com and www.vatechniques.com for updates.

Meet Location: Radford University Host Club: VA Techniques

Dedmon Center (540)381-5151

101 University Dr www.vatechniques.com Radford, VA 24142

Contact: Steve Garman, VAUSAG Chair Meet Director: Cheryl Johnson

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vausag@gmail.com Cheryl@vatechniques.com

3116 Knoll Drive
Please send all inquiries to Steve
Garman.

Falls Church, VA 22042

Session Times and Results: Posted on www.vausag.com and www.vatechniques.com

Coaches' Meetings: Held at the beginning of each session

(703)241-1803

www.radford.edu

Awards: Age Group Event Placement Awards, Age Group All-Around Awards and Team Awards

Professional Members will be asked to show USAG Pro member cards at coach registration.

Please make sure everything is current – including safety certification, background check, U100 and pro membership.

| 2015-2016 State Meet Gate Fee Chart | | | | | | |
|-------------------------------------|--------------|--------------|--|--|--|--|
| Age Group | One Day Pass | Two Day Pass | | | | |
| Under 12 | FREE | FREE | | | | |
| 12 years & older | \$10.00 | \$15.00 | | | | |
| Senior Citizens | \$5.00 | \$10.00 | | | | |

BOOK HOTEL ROOMS EARLY!





GOOD LUCK ADS

Please, select the level of your advertising in the 2016 Studio 67 State Championship program

| QUARTER PAGE ad (4.25" x 5.5") | \$35 |
|--------------------------------|-------|
| HALF PAGE ad (8.5" x 5.5") | \$60 |
| FULL PAGE ad (8.5" x 11) | \$110 |

ALL ADS ARE FULL COLOR!

| Gymnast/Parent Name: |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Club Name: |
| Billing Address |
| |
| Phone |
| E-Mail |
| I will design my advertisement to print sizes (email print ready high resolution .pdf to |

I would like the VTBC to design my ad for me for an extra \$25 per ad (email your photo(s), preferences, and text to AdSales4VaTechniques@gmail.com by April 2)

AdSales4VaTechniques@gmail.com by April 5).

| Cost of Ad Purchased: |
|--------------------------------------------|
| + Ad Design Fees (\$25 for design assist): |
| = Total: |
| |

Check* Credit Card(invoiced via PayPal)

*Please, make a check payable to VA Techniques Booster Club (VTBC) and mark "State Meet Ad" on the check memo. You will receive a receipt and our Federal Tax ID # for tax purposes upon request.



Checks should be mailed to: VA Techniques Booster Club ATTN: AD SALES 1550 Roanoke St. Suite C Christiansburg, VA 24073

DIRECTIONS

Radford University Dedmon Athletic Center

101 University Drive Radford, VA 24142

From I-81 North

Take exit 109 for VA-177 toward Montgomery 600/Radford

Slight right onto VA-177 N/Tyler Rd

Turn right onto E. Main St

Take the 1st left onto **University Dr**

Drive right completely around Dedmon Center and park on lower side.

From I-81 South

Take exit 109 for VA-177 toward Montgomery 600/Radford

Turn left onto VA-177 N/Tyler Rd

Turn right onto E. Main St

Take the 1st left onto **University Dr**

Drive right completely around Dedmon Center and park on lower side.

From Tyler Avenue

Turn right onto E. Main St

Take the 1st left onto **University Dr**

Drive right completely around Dedmon Center and park on lower side.

From 114 W/Peppers Ferry Rd Turn left onto US

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Turn left onto West Main St

Turn left onto University Dr

Drive right completely around Dedmon Center and park on lower side.

PARKING

All gymnasts should park on the lower side parking lot of the Dedmon Center and enter through the Riverside entrance.





5.1 PURPOSE OF STATE MEETS

The purpose of the Level 3-10 & Xcel State Meets in Virginia is to provide a culminating competition in the format of a championship event for Virginia gymnasts and their teams who have met the qualification guidelines set forth by the State Administrative Committee.

State Meets for Levels 8-10 are also used as a qualifier to Regional Championships for Levels 8-10; and onto USAG East/West Championships for Level 9 athletes and USAG Junior Olympic National Championships and National Invitational Tournament for Level 10 athletes.

State Championships are set up according to the USAG Women's Rules and Policies and the guidelines set forth by the National, Regional and Virginia State Administrative Committees.

Awards Presented at Virginia State Meets:

Level 3 & 4:

Event Achievement Awards, Age Group Event Placement Awards, Age Group All-Around Awards and Team Awards presented.

Level 5, 6 & 7:

Age Group Event Placement Awards, Age Group All-Around Awards and Team Awards are presented. Senior appreciation awards are presented to all our graduating Virginia gymnasts.

Level 8-10:

Age Group Event Placement Awards, Age Group All-Around Awards and Team Awards are presented. Regional Qualifiers are announced. At Level 8 States the VA Regional team by age group and All-Around are announced as well as Regional All-Star team members. Level 9 & 10 qualify by score to their regional meets and then by placement at Regionals to their national meet. Senior appreciation awards are presented to all our graduating Virginia gymnasts.

Xcel:

This program is offered as an alternative USA Gymnastics competitive program offering individual flexibility to coaches & gymnasts. It allows our VA Clubs members a rewarding gymnastics experience. Achievement Ribbons for all Divisions, Division Age Group Event Placement Awards and Division Age Group All-Around Awards are presented. NO Team Awards are presented.

Please Note: All state qualifiers who attend a state meet receive a state gift which is presented at the conclusion of their competitive session.

To see a complete ranking of all gymnasts in each level and age group competing at a state meet, please refer to the VAUSAG website on the day following the last session of competition at www.VAUSAG.com. Team rankings for appropriate levels are also available.

Gate Fees are charged to all State Meets held in an outside facility. All gate fee rates for State meets are set by the Virginia State Administrative Committee.





5.2 2016 STATE MEET ENTRY DEADLINES, DATES, FEES & HOSTS

| State | Qualifying | Entry | Entry | Host Club & Contact | Meet Site |
|--------------------------------|------------|----------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Meet | Scores | Deadline | Fee | Information | |
| Level 6 & 7 April 16 & 17 2016 | 33.00AA | Monday, March 28 th 2016 | \$100- per gymnast MAKE PAYABLE & SEND TO VAUSAG | Host Club: VA Techniques Contact: Steve Garman, VAUSAG SAC- vausag@gmail.com 3116 Knoll Drive Falls Church, VA 22042 (Cell) 703-217-9575 | Site – Radford University – Radford, VA Organized by VAUSAG State Board |

5.3 2016 State Meet Entry Procedures for Levels 3-10 & Xcel

5.3.1 Qualifying to State Meets in Virginia - Levels 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10 & All Xcel Divisions:

- A Level 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9 & 10 gymnast may qualify to her state meet by attending ANY Invitational meet and score at or above the state qualifying score for that level. IES Level 8, 9 & 10 must follow IES guidelines for qualification. All Xcel Divisions MUST compete in a minimum of one sanctioned meet prior to State Meet.
- Level 8-10 gymnasts that were Regional/National or NIT level competitors during the 2014-2015 season
 may enter at the same level this year. Gymnasts who qualify by their 2014-2015 Regional/National or
 NIT status must be noted on the faxed/e-mailed and mailed team entry form. All athletes should come
 prepared to compete.

Note: For the safety and consideration of ALL the athletes, coaches & parents should not allow an injured or sick athlete to compete. Only professional members coaching & athletes who are competing in that session are allowed on the floor.

5.3.2 STATE MEET ENTRY PROCEDURE FOR ALL STATE MEETS – LEVELS 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10 & ALL DIVISIONS OF XCEL

STATE ENTRY REMINDERS:

- Use State Entry Forms found at www.vausag.com. A printable copy of the State Entry Form is available online.
- If qualifying scores are obtained at Out of State competitions, copies of those results must accompany state entries for verification.
- All Clubs MUST submit a SEPARATE entry form for EACH Level 3-10 and EACH Division of Xcel.

Levels 6 & 7 State Entry Requirements:

- Qualifying score of a minimum of 33.00AA Level 6
- Qualifying score of a minimum of 33.00AA Level 7
- 2016 Level 6 & 7 State Meet Entry Fee \$100.00 per gymnast
- Gym or Booster Club Checks ONLY made payable to VAUSAG
- The state entry form for EACH LEVEL, 6 & 7, MUST BE E-MAILED & THEN MAILED TO STEVE GARMAN, VA SACC <u>BY MONDAY, MARCH 28, 2016.</u>





All Levels 3-10 & All Divisions of Xcel State Entries MUST be:

1st E-MAILED: E-MAIL ENTRY to BOTH Steve Garman & Rex Lacy at – vausag@gmail.com & rdlacy@cox.net

AND

2nd MAILED:

MAIL Completed Entries, Meet Score Sheets (out of state scores used for state meet qualification) and payments made payable to VAUSAG by the deadlines indicated on the previous page to:

Steve Garman, VA SAC 3116 Knoll Drive Falls Church, VA 22042

- 1. Send Payment in full (including applicable late fees), with a gym or parent's club check ONLY made payable to VAUSAG.
- 2. Additional Entry Requirements for Levels 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10 & Divisions of Xcel
 - a. If qualifying scores are obtained out of state results must accompany state entries for verification.
 - b. <u>Level 8</u>, Level 9 & Level 10 IES athletes must be indicated on each entry as well as EVENT or EVENTS competing.
 - c. Please indicate any HIGH SCHOOL SENIOR or GRADUATING gymnast from your club on the VA State Meet Entry Form. Senior Forms are available online at www.vausag.com and at state meet coaches meeting.
- 3. NOTE: All L3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10 & Xcel State Entries MUST be submitted in a timely manner in order to organize and inform the participating clubs as soon as possible of session assignments. Thank you for your attention in this matter.
- 4. Note: For the safety and consideration of ALL the athletes, coaches & parents should not allow an injured or sick athlete to compete. Only professional members who are actually coaching and athletes who are competing in that session are allowed on the competition floor. Athletes who wish to compete in any USA Gymnastics sanctioned event must be affiliated with a current USA Gymnastics Member Club.







CHRISTIANSBURG LODGING

Hotels near I-81, easy access to Radford

Hotel near shopping mall



\$97 per night

Holiday Inn
Christiansburg Blacksburg
99 Bradley D
Christiansburg, VA 24073
12 miles, 22 minutes from the venue.

(540)381-8100

www.holidayinn.com/cburgnorth

Complimentary breakfast
Indoor saltwater pool
Wireless internet
Fitness center
Lounge
Kem's Restaurant
Walking distance to shopping and
restaurants

Block released on March 16, 2016



\$119 per night

Holiday Inn Express
Christiansburg

2725 Roanoke Street Christiansburg, VA 24073 15 miles, 22 minutes from the venue

(540)382-6500

www.hiexpress.com

Complimentary breakfast Indoor pool Wireless internet Fitness center Business center

Block released on April 1, 2016



\$119 per night

Fairfield Inn & Suites
Christiansburg

2659 Roanoke Street Christiansburg, VA 24073 15 miles, 22 minutes from the venue

(540)381-9596

www.marriott.com

Complimentary breakfast Wireless internet Fitness center

Block released on April 1, 2016

Mention "VAUSG – Level 6/7 State Championship" for advertised rates!





CHRISTIANSBURG LODGING

BLACKSBURG LODGING

Hotels near Virginia Tech



\$114 per night

Hampton Inn

Christiansburg

380 Arbor Drive Christiansburg, VA 24073 18 miles, 22 minutes from the venue

(540)381-5874 www.hamptoninn.com

Complimentary breakfast
Wireless internet
Fitness center
Business center

Block released on March 17, 2016



\$149 per night

Hilton Garden Inn

Blacksburg

900 Plantation Rd Blacksburg, VA 24060 14 miles, 24 minutes from the venue

(540)552-5005 www.blacksburg.hgi.com

Indoor pool
Wireless internet
Fitness center
Business center

Block released on March 15, 2016



\$99 per night

Holiday Inn Express Blacksburg

1020 Plantation Road Blacksburg, VA

14 miles, 25 minutes from the venue

(540)382-6500 www.hiexpress.com

> Indoor pool Wireless internet Fitness center Business center

Block released on March 16, 2016

Mention "VAUSG – Level 6/7 State Championship" for advertised rates!





RADFORD LODGING







Best Western Radford Inn

1501 Tyler Avenue Radford, VA 24141 2.5 miles, 6 minutes from the venue.

(540)639-3000

www.bestwestern.com/radfordinn

Complimentary breakfast

including eggs, biscuit and gravy, hot/cold cereal, waffles, juice, danishes, fruit, and toast.

Indoor pool
Hot tub
Wireless internet
Fitness center
Alejandro's Mexican Grill

Comfort Inn and Suites

2331 Tyler Road Radford, VA 24141 5 miles, 10 minutes from the venue.

(540)639-3333

www.radfordinnhotel.com

Complimentary continental breakfast
Indoor pool
Hot tub
Wireless internet
Fitness center
Business center

LaQuinta Inn and Suites

1450 Tyler Avenue Radford, VA 24141 2.5 miles, 6 minutes from the venue.

(540)633-6800

www.lq.com

Complimentary continental breakfast
Wireless internet
Fitness center
Pets welcome

Radford hotels did not offer block rates for this event.

BOOK YOUR HOTEL ROOMS EARLY!





DINING AND RESTAURANTS

Dining is available on Radford University campus, in Radford, and approximately 12-14 miles away in Christiansburg.

This list is not exhaustive; many fast food restaurants are not listed.









510 E. Main Street



Coffee Shop 1026 Clement St.



Italian 709 W. Main St.



Bar and Grill 218 Tyler Ave.



33 West Main St.



103 Third Ave.



6633 Viscoe Rd.

Christiansburg Area Restaurants

(approximately 12-15 miles from meet venue, near shopping mall)



105 Peppers Ferry Rd



75 Peppers Ferry Rd



295 Peppers Ferry Rd



Mexican Bar and Grill 200 Laurel St.



150 Laurel St.



2590 N. Franklin St.



2610 N. Franklin St.



Japanese Steakhouse 120 Arbor Dr.



2457 N. Franklin St.





