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Region 8 thanks **Jon Aardema** and *Gymnastics Academy of Atlanta* for a wonderful job hosting Level 9 & 10 Regionals at Life University. This terrific facility was a great place for Region 8's top athletes to showcase their performances.

A big thank yo to **James Linderholm** and *Huntsville Gymnastics Parents Group* for an outstanding job of hosting Level 8 Regionals at the Von Braun Center. The facility was complete with a space shuttle and astronauts for coaches and gymnasts enjoyment.

Great job by **Bob Valley** and *Master's School of Gymnastics* hosting Level 9 Eastern Nationals for USA Gymnastics. Thanks to everyone involved for making Region 8 look GREAT again!

Once again a big thank you to **State Chairman** who again did a fantastic job processing all the entries to Level 9 Easterns and Level 10 Nationals, sizing and issuing apparel. You make my job so much easier with all the work you do at Level 9 & 10 Regionals.

## 2006 Training Camps

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Registration forms for 2006 Training Camps - *Future Stars in Florida, Level 8 & 9 in North Carolina and Level 9, 10 & Elite in Atlanta* - are in this newsletter. As of the print date of this newsletter all camps have openings, but camps always fill up fast. **Get your registrations in TODAY!!**

To help keep these camps outstanding we need **YOU** to **volunteer to work a training camp**. Volunteer forms are in this newsletter. All of the funds raised from training camps go straight back to Region 8 athletes. This money is used to provide apparel for Level 9 Eastern, Level 10 National qualifiers and their coaches. Also a travel fund has been set up to take some of our top athletes from nationals on a trip.

*Thank you to Patricia Boudreaux and Bob Valley for their service to Region 8 as State Chairman of Louisiana and Tennessee.*

Patricia has served a total of six years while Bob served four years. Region 8 and the states of Louisiana and Tennessee appreciate your dedication to gymnastics.

## State Chairman Elections

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Region 8 did not have to hold any elections for State Chairmen this year. East state had one person nominated who was willing to accept the job of USA Gymnastics State Administrative Chairman. Below are the results of the election by acclamation:

Alabama	<b>Deb Walls</b>
Florida	<b>Mike McCabe</b>
Georgia	<b>Peggy Simpson</b>
Louisiana	<b>Jackie Latino</b>
Mississippi	<b>Nancy Hawkins</b>
North Carolina	<b>Jennie Adams</b>
South Carolina	<b>Joanne Child</b>
Tennessee	<b>Larry Corrigan</b>

Contact phone numbers, addresses and e-mail addresses available on the back page of this newsletter. These changes are effective July 1, 2006.

## Bids Needed

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Region 8 needs bids for all 2007 Training Camps. Region 8 hosts Future Stars Training Camp in June, Level 8 & 9 Training Camp in July and Level 9, 10 & Elite Training Camp in October. Please use bid form in this newsletter if you are interested in hosting these events.

Bids are also open for 2008 Level 8 and Level 9 & 10 Regional Championships.

Region 8 Committee will meet June 28th to decide these bids. Please get your bids in by June 22, 2006.