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GT Bay Gymnasts Win State!

(Warren, MI) – 896 Level 3- 5 top qualifying gymnasts from every corner of Michigan met in Warren outside of Detroit for the 2024 State Meet. Local Grand Traverse Bay competitors brought home 10 state championship gold medals, including two top-honors all-around awards.

Stella Livorine led the team with first-place performances on vault, balance beam, and floor. Combined with a third-place bronze medal on bars, Livorine's all-around score reached 38.075, not only first among all Level 3 gymnasts in the state, but second-highest among all 896 participants of all levels and ages.

In fact, two other Grand Traverse Bay Gymnasts placed in the top 25 among all state gymnasts. Level 4 competitor Addie Tillman not only took first-place gold medal honors on vault and bars, but also captured a silver medal on floor and a bronze on beam to earn her both the state all-around championship with a score of 38.000 and also the 4th place spot among all gymnasts of all levels for the weekend. Grace Lardie placed second all-around with a 37.700 all-around score by winning a state championship on floor and earning third-place bronze medal honors on vault, bars, and beam. Her all-around score also placed her at 25th among all gymnasts of all ages and levels.

At Level 4, Norah Reed won first-place state championships on vault and beam, but fell just outside the medal count for all-around scoring. Lily Doornbos added three Level 4 silver medals (beam, floor, and all-around), and a third-place bronze finish on the uneven bars, while Alora Wheelock also collected a third-place state bronze medal, but at Level 3.

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Other Grand Traverse Bay Level 3-5 gymnasts and their best results included: Margaux Slater (4th place bars and 5th all-around), Sarah Sheeran (fifth place vault, beam, and all-around), Sivvy Ramsey (4th place vault), Gigi Gubbini (5th place floor), Henri Cnossen (8th place bars), Edelyn Ramsey (17th place beam), and Marlee Travis (18th place bars).

In all, Grand Traverse Bay competitors claimed 10 state championship gold medals, 5 second-place silver medals, and 7 third-place bronze medals.

While the Level 3 – 5 teams have now completed their season, the weekend of March 22 – 24 marks the State Meet for Level 6-8 state qualifiers. Top scorers from the state meet will also have a chance to compete at the five-state Regional competition to be held April 19 – 21.

For more information about Grand Traverse Bay Gymnastics, now located in the Grand Traverse Mall, go to www.gtbaygymnastics.com, or contact Betsy Van Deinse at 929-2869.



Stella Livorine
2024 Level 3 State Champion – Vault, Beam, Floor and All-Around
Bronze Medalist - Bars

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Addie Tillman

**2024 Level 4 State Champion – Vault, Bars, All-Around
Silver Medalist – Floor; Bronze Medalist – Beam**



Grace Lardie

**2024 Level 3 State Champion – Floor
Silver Medalist – All-Around; Bronze – Vault, Bars, Beam**



Norah Reed

2024 Level 4 State Champion – Vault, Beam



Lily Doornbos

**2024 Level 4 State Silver Medalist – Beam, Floor, All-Around
Bronze Medalist - Bars**

Alora Wheelock

2024 Level 3 State Bronze Medalist - Bars