



2016 Atlantis Crown

Atlantis Resorts, Paradise Island, Bahamas
December 15-18, 2016

Dear Parents and Coaches,

Welcome to the 2016 Atlantis Crown Gymnastics Invitational! Below find “fast facts” that will help make your experience at Atlantis, and your participation in the Atlantis Crown, more enjoyable.

I’m looking forward to meeting each of you. Please let me know if you have any other questions or concerns.

Warm regards,

Cindy Scharns
Atlantis Crown Meet Coordinator

2016 Atlantis Crown Facts:

- **Competition Schedule:**
 - Competition days are Friday morning thru Sunday evening. The final competition schedule will be posted on or before November 1st.
- **Delta Airline Discount**
 - Be sure to check out the special discount offered to our Atlantis Crown families and friends. Go to our website and click on **DELTA DEAL** and enjoy the savings!
- **Competition Site:**
 - Imperial Ballroom (Beach Tower)

- The Terrace Concession will be available for your convenience Thursday, December 15th through Sunday, December 18th. Features are: Panini Station (includes chips, soda or water); fresh fruit salads; Caesar, Greek and Italian Tortellini Salads; pizza; cookies and much more. This is a great place to eat and at a reasonable price.

- **Admission Prices:**

Pre-order your Admission tickets and charge it! All tickets sold on site will be cash ONLY! Click Tickets to download the pre-order form.

- Opening Ceremonies: \$10/person
 - Daily:
 - Adults - \$20
 - Seniors - \$15
 - Children (6-16) - \$10
 - Children (5 and under free)
 - All Event Pass: (includes opening ceremony, program (with raffle ticket))
 - Adults - \$55
 - Seniors - \$45
 - Children - \$25 (no program – included)
 - Program \$12
 - Includes one raffle Ticket for **1 free week at International Gymnastics Camp (Value of \$1,295.00)**
 - Athletes that are competing in the Atlantis Crown Invitational receive free admission to all sessions. Please check-in at the admission desk before entering the gym.
- **Open Training for Athletes**
 - Thursday, December 15th
 - Imperial Ballroom
 - 8:30 am to 12:30 pm
 - 1:00 pm to 5:00 pm
 - **Athletes must have their coach present to workout**
 - **Opening Ceremonies** for all athletes and coaches is located in the Imperial Ballroom (competition site) on Thursday evening from 7:00 pm to 8:30 pm. **Athletes and coaches should report at 6:00 for seating and direction. Athletes, please wear your warm ups.** There is a \$10.00/person admission fee for family members and guests. This event will feature local entertainment and welcomes from dignitaries and the Bahamas Government. Please join us in this celebration of our Atlantis Crown Athletes.
 - **Special note: We will not distribute pre-ordered apparel during Opening Ceremony admission.**

- **Atlantis Apparel:**
 - **Link to apparel:**
<http://www.basportswear.com/Atlantis-Crown-Invite.html>
 - **DISCOUNT** pricing available until December 1st.
 - **Pre-ordered apparel:** If your order was placed on or before November 11th, it will be available for pick up at the Admission Desk/Welcome Center Thursday thru Sunday (Imperial Ballroom – competition site) No shipping costs apply.
 - **Missed the deadline to pre-order?** Online orders will be taken through January 8th for delivery to your home. Shipping costs will apply.

- **2016 Atlantis Crown Welcome/ Information Center**

Cindy Scharns (meet Coordinator) and staff will be available to answer your questions and help assist you with the pick-up of your pre-ordered apparel and tickets.

- **Wednesday, December 14th:** Imperial Ballroom (Admission Desk – Competition site) 5:00 pm to 8:00 pm
- **Thursday, December 15th:** Imperial Ballroom (Admission Desk – competition site) 8:30 am to 5:00 pm
- **Friday, December 16th through Sunday, December 18th:** at the Imperial Ballroom (Admission Desk – Competition site). During competition hours.

Atlantis Resort Fast Facts:

- **Transportation to Atlantis:**
 - Transportation to the resort can be done by taxi or you can arrange transportation in advance by contacting:

Natasha M.Newry
 info@leisuretraveltours.com
 Tour & Transportation Planner
 Leisure Travel & Tours Ltd.
 Montgomery Street Palmdale
 P.O. Box SS19057
 Nassau, Bahamas
 Tel: 242-325-6848 Ext. 247
 Fax: 242-325-3223

COST:

Adults (13 and up): \$25.00+7.5% tax (\$26.88) round-trip
Children (12 and younger): \$12.50+7.5% tax (\$13.44) round-trip
All arrival and departure information along with payment in full, must be received 14 days in advance.

- **Check –in:**
 - Room Tax/Levies Credit: This credit applies **ONLY** to the room the athlete is booked in (sleeping in). Credit is given based upon the reservation information provided to Cindy on your team’s entry form prior to your arrival. **Upon check-in the room tax/levies charge may appear, but will be credited back upon check out.** For any questions, see Cindy at the Welcome Center or Admission desk during the event. (This is a savings of approximately 18.25%)
 - Utility Service Credit: This is a credit of \$15.95 per person per night. Credit is given based upon the reservation information provided to Cindy on your team’s entry form prior to your arrival. **Upon check-in the room utility charge & Resort fee below may appear, but will be credited back upon check out.** Any questions see Cindy at the Welcome Center or Admission desk during the event.
 - Resort Fee: Atlantis has recently added a resort fee per room per night of \$45; however you will receive all the benefits of the resort fee at **NO ADDITIONAL CHARGE** as attendees of the Atlantis Crown. Benefits include:
 - Access to the Fitness Center up to two (2) guest per day per room
 - Two (2) 12 oz. bottles of water daily per room (you will be given coupons upon check-in to redeem for your waters at designated sites throughout the resort)
 - In room Tea and Coffee
 - Unlimited Local Calls
 - 20% off regular priced merchandise at select Atlantis Signature Retail Locations
 - Access to the Atlantis Movie Theatre
 - Casino Lessons
 - Resort Shuttle Service
 - WI-FI
 - Wi-Fi is available for up to 4 devices @ \$21.95 per room/per day.
 - Incidental Charges: Upon check-in, there will be a minimum charge of \$150/night held on your **credit card** for incidentals. Upon check out all charges will be reconciled and the hold released. The card will only be charged for expenses you incurred. If you use a **DEBIT CARD** for incidentals, they will pull the \$150/night from your account automatically. After check out, the hotel will credit your debit card for the difference, but it may take up to 10 business days to credit back the difference.
- **Refrigerator in your room:**
 - All rooms have a small hotel refrigerator.
 - The mini-fridge in the Royal Tower rooms is stocked with snacks and drinks. Each refrigerator has a pressure sensor - so you will be charged automatically when an item is removed.
 - The mini-fridge in the Beach Tower Rooms is not stocked.

- **Meals as a Family:**

- The food at Atlantis is great! Here are a few helpful hints:
 - Virgil's and Carmines are family style restaurants. The portions feed 4 to 5 people. I would recommend eating at one of these restaurants in the early part of your stay. The leftovers are easy to enjoy the next day!
 - You will find a Quiznos and Starbucks on property. The food at each establishment is very reasonably priced.
 - Don't forget the Terrace Concession at the competition venue. We've made arrangements for meal specials to help with costs.
- Be sure to pack your favorite munchies (no liquids). I carry mine onto the plane in my backpack. You'll save dollars!
- There is a small market and Liquor store within walking distance (just outside the resort – by Dunkin Donuts). Keep that in mind if you'd like to save a few pennies. You can purchase water by the case, cereal, bread, lunchmeat etc. The cost of food is resort pricing – but you can save dollars over a restaurant meal * Note to parents – the legal drinking age is 18 years old.
- Solomon's Fresh Market is located in the Harbor Plaza just over the bridge, a short taxi drive away. This is a full grocery store
- Atlantis offers meal plans as well. Please visit www.atlantisbahamas.com: Click dining – then click dining plans for options and cost.

- **Questions prior and during your stay:**

Please feel free to contact me with any questions and/or concerns at cscharns.branchgym@gmail.com. We want to make your stay as easy and enjoyable as possible. ~Cindy