



2008 Maia International Acro Cup
March 8 - 9 , 2008

USA TEAM EARNS 5 MEDALS - 4 GOLD 1 BRONZE

March 09 - Finals: See Results Below!

MAIA INTERNATIONAL ACRO CUP FINAL RESULTS		
Senior Women's Group		
Athletes	Final Routine	Medal
Shields, Henthorn	26.860	Gold
Junior Mixed Pair		
Bones, Bloom	27.300	Gold
Age Group Mixed Pair		
Smith, Kanavel	27.200	Bronze
Age Group Women's Group		
Weidmaier, Hargis, Reigel	28.000	Gold
Vitale, Phillips, Larson	27.400	5th

March 08 - 11-16 USA Team: In the 11-16 age category, Team USA had three (3) pair/groups - 2 Women's Groups & 1 Mixed Pair. Per the MAIA competition statues, a country may compete in 11-16 team competition with the sum of 2 Pairs and 1 Group or 1 Pair and 2 Groups. All pair/groups must compete in the 11-16 category with the sum of balance and dynamic routines determining the winner. With a total score of 116.450, Krissy Weidmaier, Ashley Hargis, and Chelcea Reigel (WG), Alexa Vitale, Samantha Larson, and Kelly Phillips (WG) and Ani Smith and Jake Kanavel (MXP) earned the 11-16 Team competition gold medal. Great job 11-16 athletes.

MAIA INTERNATIONAL ACRO CUP 11-16 TEAM RESULTS		
Country	Total	Medal
USA	166.450	Gold
England - King Edmund	164.200	Silver
Portugal - Acro Club of Maia	163,100	Bronze
Wales (1)	157.100	4th
Wales (2)	132.250	5th

March 08 - Preliminaries: On Saturday, March 8, Team USA started the first, of two, days of competition. The USA squad demonstrated confidence, polish and a high level of difficulty on each of their preliminary routines. The 11-16 category competed a balance and dynamic routine with the highest sum of both routines qualifying the top pair/groups into finals. The final standings will be determined by the highest scoring routine on Sunday. Coaches will select the athlete's balance or dynamic routine to present to the panel of judges on Sunday. The Junior and Senior athletes competed their balance and dynamic routine with the highest sum of both routines qualifying the top athletes into finals. On Sunday, junior and senior athletes will present their combined routines with scores starting from zero.

MAIA INTERNATIONAL ACRO CUP PRELIMINARY RESULTS				
Senior Women's Group				
Athletes	Balance	Dynamic	Total	Qualified
Shields, Henthorn	26.950	24.600	51.550	2nd
Junior Mixed Pair				
Bones, Bloom	27.650	27.000	54.650	1st

Age Group Mixed Pair				
Smith, Kanavel	27.850	27.000	54.850	2nd
Age Group Women's Group				
Weidmaier, Hargis, Reigel	28.100	27.950	56.050	1st
Vitale, Phillips, Larson	27.750	27.700	55.450	2nd