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Countdown to the 2008 U.S. Olympic Team Trials — Gymnastics June 19–22, Wachovia Center

27 days, 4 hours, 0 minutes
until the Trials begin!

Single Session Tickets On Sale Now!

Individual tickets to see each of the four sessions of the U.S. Olympic Team Trials — Gymnastics at the Wachovia Center from June 19–22 are on sale now.

Tickets for the individual sessions, ranging from \$30 to \$95, are available at ComcastTIX.com, by phone at 1-800-298-4200, the Wachovia Center Box Office, select ACME locations, and through participating area gymnastics clubs. Visa is the only card accepted for the 2008 U.S. Olympic Team Trials — Gymnastics.

Venue Location:



comcastTIX.com



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Mayor Nutter Joined by Olympic Legends Bela Karolyi and Kerri Strug Announce Plans for the Summer's Most Exciting Event

Philadelphia Mayor Michael Nutter, along with legendary gymnastic coach Bela Karolyi, and Olympic gold medalist Kerri Strug, announced plans for the summer's most exciting event.

"We are so excited to have these Trials in Philadelphia," said Nutter. "The Road to Beijing comes through Philadelphia. This is a wonderful moment for us. It is an incredible event and we hope everyone has a really good time."



Joining the Mayor, Karolyi, and Strug were members of the Temple University men's gymnastics team, Gymnastics Unlimited, the Parkettes, and Will-Moor Academy, who performed various gymnastics routines for the assembled crowd.

"Now you (Philadelphia) will host one of the greatest events in the country," said Karolyi. "This will be the greatest Olympic team we've ever had."

For more information on Philadelphia's citywide celebration for the U.S. Olympic Team Trials — Gymnastics and the yearlong celebration around the 2008 Olympics in Beijing, visit www.PhiladelphiaTrials2008.com.

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Enter Now To Win A Philly Overnight® Package!

Enter to win a **2008 U.S. Olympic Team Trials — Gymnastics Philly Overnight® Package** that includes two (2) Amtrak Acela Express® tickets, hotel

accommodations for two (2) nights, and two (2) All-Session packages for the Trials at the Wachovia Center.

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Mark Your Calendar...

A Preview of Philadelphia's Olympic Trials Celebrations

Tuesday, June 10th @ 12:00 p.m.

You'll See More Twists than a Philly Pretzel

LOVE Park (JFK Plaza)

15th Street & John F. Kennedy Boulevard

Free soft pretzel give-away, with live entertainment and gymnastics demonstrations.

Thursday, June 12th @ 8:30 p.m.*

Outdoor Movie Event at Penn's Landing

Great Plaza at Penn's Landing

Columbus Boulevard & Chestnut Street

*Enjoy the nice spring weather with the season's first free outdoor movie at Penn's Landing. You'll also get an inside look at what USA Gymnastics and its athletes are doing to prepare for the Olympic Trials with exclusive footage from **AT&T Behind the Team**.*

**Outdoor screening begins at sundown – approximately 8:30 p.m.*

Monday, June 16th @ 2:00 p.m.

We're Renaming Broad Street!

One of the busiest streets in the city and we're giving it a new name. Join us for this ceremonial renaming with Mayor Nutter and legendary gymnastics coach Bela Karolyi.

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The Road to Beijing Goes Through Philadelphia... Now It's Time To Experience It!

Getting to Philadelphia

Save 10% on Amtrak!

Amtrak offers a 10% discount to Philadelphia between June 16–25, 2008. [Learn more.](#)

To book your reservation call Amtrak at 1–800–872–7245 or contact your local travel agent, please refer to **Fare Code X34S–934**.



Getting Around Philadelphia

The best and easiest way to get around Philadelphia and to the Wachovia Center for the 2008 U.S. Olympic Team Trials — Gymnastics is to use SEPTA — Philadelphia's mass transit system servicing nearly 200 routes!



[Click here](#) to purchase a **SEPTA 4–Day Olympic Trials Transit Pass for \$14.75** good for unlimited travel from June 19–22, 2008.

Visit www.PhiladelphiaTrials2008.com for transit maps and directions.

Philadelphia Flips for Savings!

The Academy of Natural Sciences will be hosting **Animal Athletes Weekend** June 21 – 22, 2008 from 11:00 a.m. – 3:30 p.m. Meet the animal athletes that live at The Academy



of Natural Sciences and see how you measure up. Are you stronger than a boa constrictor? Can you jump like a rabbit, run as fast as a fox? Live animal presentations at 11:00 a.m. and 2:30 p.m.

Show your 2008 U.S. Olympic Team Trials — Gymnastics ticket and get \$2.00 off admission.

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Our mission: To generate economic impact and job growth by increasing the region's hotel occupancy and revenues, while concurrently affecting other diverse segments of the hospitality industry. To do whatever it takes to attract ethnically diverse regional, national and international convention and tourism customers through creative sales, marketing and communications efforts. To deliver exceptional service and experiences for all, ensuring repeat business across market segments. To increase the quality of life for all our citizens, stakeholders, and visitors by supporting the region's vibrant arts and entertainment, historic, cultural, retail, restaurant, and sports venues.

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