



# TWISTERS GYMNASTICS TRANSPORT MANAGEMENT POLICY

## 1. Statement of Commitment

Twisters Gymnastics is committed to providing a safe environment for our members. Twisters will achieve this by identifying and assessing risks and determining a plan to eliminate or minimise those risks.

### We will:

- Take reasonable steps to identify, assess and control any known or potential risks to current members and visitors.
- Encourage the early reporting of any problems that arise in the car park area.
- Investigate all incidents, accidents, injuries or near misses to identify their cause(s) and prevent them from happening again.
- Endeavour to meet our obligations as a tenant in the Owners Corporation, by restricting parking, during business hours, to the 18-car parks allocated on title for our Unit 5.

## 2. Child Collection Plan

Twisters staff are required to remain in the foyer until every child is accompanied by a parent/guardian, before they leave. Parents are encouraged to follow our one-way road recommendation, with entrance via Beavers Road and exit via Goldsmith Street.

## 3. Car Parking Strategies

Class times have been staggered to avoid congestion in the driveway and car park. Twisters Gymnastics has 18-car park spaces, which are clearly marked with purple lines and our logo, to ensure all visitors to the club, park within the titles limits. During our busiest periods (3 – 7pm weekdays, 8am – 3pm Saturdays) the undercroft parking is a 5 minute drop off/pick up zone with the remaining spaces available to parents who want to stay and watch their child's class. During business hours (8am – 6pm weekdays), only the 18 designated Twisters Gymnastics car parks are to be utilised. Any additional parking must be on the surrounding neighbourhood streets. After 6pm weekdays and on weekends, parents may park in any available car parks within the business precinct.

## 4. Strategies to minimise risk

Twisters have basic strategies to minimise risk such as:

- Every child must be accompanied by a parent when entering/leaving the premises
- Ramps are installed in the entrance to provide access for disabled persons and for parents with prams for young children.
- Clearly marked 18 Twisters car parks.
- One-way traffic recommendation to improve traffic flow and reduce the number of turning vehicles.
- Continual reminders for parents on the parking restrictions within the business precinct.



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18 designated car parks are available for Twisters Gymnastics members. To maintain good traffic flow, we recommend that Twisters parents follow the guidelines below:

### **PARKING DURING BUSINESS HOURS, BETWEEN 8 – 6PM WEEKDAYS**

- During our busiest periods (3 – 7pm weekdays, 8am – 3pm Saturdays) the undercroft parking is a 5 minute drop off/pick up zone. The remaining spaces available to parents who want to stay and watch their child's class.
- Only the 18 designated Twisters car parks are to be used for pick-up and drop-off for Twisters gymnasts.
- If all 18 designated Twisters car parks are occupied at the time of drop-off or pick-up, please use Beavers Road street parking, as an alternative parking area, and NOT other parking spaces within 177 Beavers Road.

### **PARKING OUTSIDE OF BUSINESS HOURS, AFTER 6PM WEEKDAYS AND ON WEEKENDS**

- Use the 18 designated Twisters car parks first, then additional cars may use other parking spaces within 177 Beavers Road.

### **TRAFFIC FLOW**

- We strongly recommend that you arrive at Twisters via Beavers Road and exit via Goldsmith Grove. Keeping the traffic one way will avoid congestion and any difficulties with the narrow driveway at the Goldsmith Grove entrance.
- Twisters encourages the use of alternative transport. Trams are available nearby, on Nicholson Street and St Georges Road. The use of bikes is highly encouraged.

### **PICK UP/DROP OFF**

- Children are required to remain inside the entry foyer area until accompanied by an adult. Children are not permitted to leave the facility unaccompanied.
- Twisters Staff will remain in the foyer at the end of class time to ensure every child is accompanied. If you are running late, please contact the office.

### **CLASS VIEWING**

- Parents are welcome to stick around and watch their child's gymnastics class. If you plan to stay for an extended time, to view a class, please park on Beavers Road, leaving the 18 designated Twisters car parking spaces for pick-up and drop-off.