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THE CAGES

Jenn Starkey

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JENN STARKEY COMES TO MAINE

Jenn Starkey has come and gone! Thank you to all who joined. Her hands on activities and perspective on having courage not only resonated with players but parents as well.

HOLIDAY HOURS

Jenn added in a bonus to the day by working with our very own Jaydn Kimball on her Zen Hitting. Jaydn was able to put the tools Jenn provided her (& also regular hitting lessons from Travis) to work in GA last month by slamming two home runs over the fence!

HIT LIVE PLAYER FEATURE

We would like to continue to offer more event such as the Jenn Starkey in the future- stay tuned!

ELITE UPDATE





Hitter: Ella Nickerson, South Portland

The Hit Live Clinic has been off to a great start! So much so we are starting a second session that begins 2/22/22-3/17/22.

This session will be Tuesdays and Thursdays for four weeks. We have filled all pitcher spots but we have hitter only slots and catcher slots available.

As a hitter only in this clinic hear what Ella Nickerson has to say about the clinic, "I really like the opportunity to get reps off of real pitchers during the winter workout season. It is also very helpful to have real umpires. Having real umpires helps with me being more disciplined at the plate.

Holiday Hours

Christmas Eve- Closed
 Christmas Day- Closed
 Sunday 12/26- Closed
 NYE-Closed
 New Years Day-Closed
 1/2/22- Open regular
 business hours

Elite Update!

The commitment season has only just begun and New England Elite will be hosting many signing ceremonies over the coming months. As of right now, congratulations to the following ladies who have made their commitments public:

Chantelle Bouchard, Saint Joseph's College
 Riley Grant, Rivier University
 Delaney Rankin, Bates College
 Hannah Gosselin, Saint Joseph's College

Congrats ladies!

Quite a bit going on with the Elite program with winter workouts in full force and our Hit A Thon wrapping up this past weekend. All tournaments are locked up and hotel blocks are being finalized. It won't be long before our ladies are competing again. Enjoy the holidays with your loved ones and rest while you can!!

Partners

We're beyond blessed to partner with some fantastic national and local companies! Our partners are as follows:

Grand Slam Partner – Aroma Joe's

704 Roosevelt Trail, Windham

6 Brown Street, Gray



Located throughout New England, and right by our facility, Aroma Joe's believes in building communities and we're ecstatic to have their logo on our uniforms!

Triple Partner – AAA Chem-Dry of Portland



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207-828-0288

Owned and operated by The Cages co-owner, Fred Wilcox, this long established, and national, company is the best in the business at cleaning nearly anything you can think of – from carpets and flooring to upholstery.

Triple Partner – Windham Dairy Queen



Owned, and operated, by New England Elite 12U Assistant Coach, Steve Napolitano, the Windham DQ is synonymous with giving back to the community which makes them an ideal partner with our facility and travel program!

Triple Partner – Gray Physical Therapy and Fitness Center



Located five minutes from our facility, Gray Physical Therapy & Fitness Center is the foremost in local PT offerings. Whether rehabbing or simply seeking a great workout, you can find everything you need at the Gray PT & Fitness Center.

Triple Partner – Tucker Chevrolet



Tucker Chevrolet has a longstanding reputation about doing right by their customers and ensuring their customers satisfaction – something that The Cages plans on emulating. As such, the partnership was a no brainer for both Tucker Chevrolet and The Cages!

Triple Partner – Russo's Handyman & Renovation Services



HIS Plan - My Hands - Your Satisfaction

Jay Russo has long been an advocate for youth, and beyond, sports and his dedication to his craft is unsurpassed. Whether it's repairing a deck or renovating a home, Jay's reputation is that of achieving satisfaction of his customers which, again, makes him a perfect fit to partner with The Cages!

Triple Partner – Kristin Piccone of Landing Real Estate



Kristin is a Gray based real estate agent who we would recommend with the utmost confidence. In this market it's vital to have someone who is knowledgeable and trustworthy and Kristin embodies those characteristics to a tee.

Triple Partner- A.L. Electric, INC.

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Triple Partner- Family Wellness Chiropractic, Inc.



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Alicia, and team at Family Wellness Chiropractic, Inc. are thoughtful with the care they provide for their patients. They understand that feeling good is a combination of physical and mental wellness. They are here to help you and your athlete thrive whether it's on the ballfield or completing functional tasks at home.

Triple Sponsor-Chip's Heating & Air Conditioning



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VOICE/TEXT 207-303-5101

Chip, and his family, are fixtures around the softball fields in Southern Maine and Chip, and his team, are extremely respected in the heating and air conditioning industry. If you're looking for heat pump installation or oil/gas service, give Chip a call and we're certain he will treat you well!

Triple Sponsor-Libby's Septic Service



Libby's Septic Service is the latest local company to become a Triple partner at our facility. Libby's Septic Service is one of the most respected septic companies in Maine - if you need your septic pumped or any services tied to your septic system, you should absolutely reach out to Mike at Libby's Septic Service.

Triple Sponsor-Mainely Driving School



Mainely Driving School is owned and operated by Westbrook HS Head Softball Coach, and long time softball umpire, Eddie St. John. ESJ, as his players refer to him, has been a staple in the softball community for a long time. If you're looking for good instruction and complete dedication to our next generation, Eddie is a great place to start.

Triple Sponsor- Great Northern Docks



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If you would like to partner with The Cages and New England Elite, please visit our website for more information:

<https://www.thecagesme.com/page/show/6252533-our-partners>

We highly encourage any groups or outside organizations to reach out about winter bulk rentals as we are receiving an influx in inquiries.

Thank you for being a part of The Cages!

-Julie, Fred and Travis