

## WAG State Team Representative - Ellen-Jane Hickey



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Read all about EJ, her interests and her love for Gymnastics... We will hopefully be featuring all our MAG and WAG State Team representatives over the next month...

Ellen-Jane Hickey

Ellen-Jane Hickey's started gymnastics at the age of 5. She is currently 17 years old and attending her first nationals at National Level 7. Ellen-Jane has been competing for the Hobart Gymnastics Academy since the beginning of her career and has represented HGA not only in competitions within Tasmania, but also in Victoria and Queensland. Besides being a gymnast Ellen-Jane has developed a passion for coaching and hopes one day to be coaching Women's National Level 7 and above gymnasts.

**Birthplace - Scottsdale**

**Hometown- Hobart**

**Favourite Music - Adele, Pink, Fun**

**Favourite TV - Hart of Dixie, Dance Moms, Cake Boss**

**Favourite Movie - Pitch Perfect, Stick it**

**Favourite Quote- "Set backs are temporary, as long as you don't give up"**

**Hobbies - Writing stories, making origami, cooking and reading**

**Age started Gymnastics -5 years**

**Reason for starting -My brother did it and I thought it was the best thing ever, so I started as well**

**First Coach – ?**

**First Club – Hobart Gymnastics Academy**

**Current Club – Hobart Gymnastics Academy**

**Current Coach- Danielle Berry**

**Favourite Apparatus- Bars**

**Occupation-Student**

Best of Luck EJ at the upcoming Nationals!

#### COMPETITION INFORMATION

**Competition History and Results:** Being part of the National level 6 Trans Bass Team in 2009, competing in Colouondra in 2009 at National level 6 and competing in the Dream Light Team in 2012.

**Gymnastics Highlights:** Travelling to Frankston in 2008 as a National level 5 gymnast, where my team placed 1st overall and individually I placed 2nd overall.

**Best Gymnastic Moment:** Being selected in the State Team for 2013