

April was a busy month for the women's gymnastics teams from North Shore. The level 7-10 teams competed in the Developmental Regional meet in Bettendorf, Iowa and the Xcel teams competed in the Siouxland Region 4 Regional meet in Sioux City, Iowa.

In Iowa, Level 10 gymnast Luciana Levya, 16, of Mound, placed second on vault, third on beam, and took second all-around. Her scores earned her a spot in the 2026 USA Gymnastics Development Program National Championships for Women's Level 10 in Oklahoma City in May.

Three level 9 gymnasts punched their tickets to 2026 Women's Development Program Level 9 Western Championships in Boise in May. Grace Green, 15, of Chaska, placed third on vault, fourth on floor, and fourth overall while her teammate Addison Berg, 16, of Mound, took second on vault and second on floor. Berg placed fourth in the all-around. Maddy Hallett, 16, of Minnetrista, placed third on vault and floor and second on beam, finishing second all-around. Lillian Anderson, 16, of Hamburg placed third on bars and earned a spot as first alternate to nationals.

For the Xcel teams, the regional meet is the end of the competitive season, and these athletes finished strong. The Gold team saw several athletes earn medals. Cora Wegleitner, 11, of Hamel, placed first on vault, beam, and bars and second on floor. Her bars score was a career high 9.725. She also took first all-around. Kayleigh Kochar, 13, of Watertown, also had a great meet, finishing second on bars, fourth on floor, and third all-around. Elise Marcouiller, 11, of Maple Plain, took first on floor and third on vault, finishing fourth overall while Reese Moslander, 10, of Minnetrista, placed first on floor, second on bars, and fourth on vault, ending up at fourth all-around. Other notable accomplishments were a second-place finish on floor for Claire Boyle, 11, of Monticello and a third place medal on beam for Ellie Wexler, 14, of Plymouth. Monroe Decker, 11, of Medina, placed fourth on beam.

Platinum level athletes also put up strong scores. Ashley Meyer, 12, of Rockford, placed first on vault and fourth on beam, ending up fourth all-around. Addy Rice, 12, of Mound, placed first on beam and floor and third on bars. She took home the second place all-around medal. At the Diamond level, Maddie Meyer, 15, of Rockford, placed first on vault and fourth all around.

North Shore Gymnastics Association, Orono, was founded in 1974 and is a 501c3 non-profit organization. It is the club's purpose to acquaint children with all levels of physical ability, potential, and growth with the sport of gymnastics in an atmosphere of safe, fun, positive learning, and to help each child develop gymnastics skills, good sportsmanship and discipline. For more information please call 763-479-3189 or visit us at www.northshoregym.org.

Photo Captions:

Photo #1 - Grace Green

Photo #2 - Maddy Hallett, Addison Berg, Lillian Anderson

Photo #3 - Luciana Levya