## All-Observer

## Gymnastics team includes Farmington trio

Youth dominates this year's All-Observer gymnastics team, which has only one senior. Four of the seven gymnasts are either reshmen or sophomores.

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Three honorees are repont selections: Plymouth Canton senior Lis Fittgerald, Farmington United sophomore Chelsea Keesling and Wayne-Westland junior Nicole Simonian.
Farmington's trio of gymnasts includes sophomore Kristin Ulewicz and freshman Clara Seymour. Plymouth Canton junior Amy Driscoll and Plymouth Salem freshman Bethany Bartlatt round out the elite squad.

## ALL-AREA FIRST TEAM



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The sophomore was second in Division 1 all-around et the WIAA championships. She tied for first place on yaut;
she was second on bars, sixth on beam
and fourth on floor.

At the state finals, Keesling was 15th
In all-around competition. She was 15th

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Schilk, Maggie Bett; Salami April Aquinto,
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ton Costentino, Julia Costillio, Sarah Verhines.

on floor, 17th on beam, 20th on vsult on floor, 17th on beam, 20th on vsult on distribution of 31st on bars.

She also set a Farmington Harrison echool record with a 37,10 att-around score during the season.

"Chelese made a name for hersolf last year, ond she did the same things the did last year. Dwyer said." "Nodory is aurylised by it any more.

"She expects to hit innes in each event, and she does somet after meet. It's easy to take what ahe does for granted, because she's so good and she aways rises to take what ahe does for granted, because she's so good and she ways rises to the occasion.

"At the state meet, I, think she just got beat up a little, 5th lead a back problem, and her body was really hurring by year. It is not she had the ability to get over her point and compete.

This year.

But meet after meet also had the builty to get over her pain and compete builty to get over her pain and compete to the pain and the pain and

sion 2 gymnasts." Dwyer said. "Kristin makes the sport took easy, and that's what heips in her scores. She's very artistic when she performs." Clars Seymour, Farmington United:

became one of Farmington's top gym-nasts.

Seymour's best event is bars; she set Farmington High record in that event with a 9.4 and sit-sround with a 38.80. The Dhislon of Irestman gymanst was 17th as an all-arounder at the state next. She was 14th on beam, 22nd on floor and 23rd on bars and vault. In the WLMA Lakes (Dhislon, she had the best season everage on bars. "She did what Chelsen did last year," Dwyer said, "She opened a few eyes around the leggue and state. "She likes to win as I seam and Individual. At the end of the state meet, she didn't place and one of the first com-ments she made was OK, I need to get a double twist on floor; I need to do straddie back to hands on bears. She was already thinking about what she needed for need to get.

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she wasn't elected as team captain. But she does so much with the marching band, she didn't get to join the team in time (for the vote). "She deserved (the captaincy). She's a team leader, the earcher who could be depended on for consistent high scores. She never had a bad meet." In the she was the state final state of the season at the state final state. She was fourth at state on the bas was fourth at state on the bas (9.3), sight on wast (9.15), and no floor exercise (9.15) and 19th in beam (8.7).

(8.7). At the state regional, Fitzgaraid won the Division II all-around with a 35.7 score. She also placed first in the beam (9.15) and was third on floor (9.15), seventh on bars (8.75) and 12th on yout (8.65).



Cheisea Keesling Farmington United





Krietin Ulewicz Farmington United







out her prep career has been injuries. She had a bad shkle sprein that limited her at state meet as a firshman and a broken hand sidelinod her last year.

"She would have made it to state both years, without question," said cunningham. "She has state champlonship

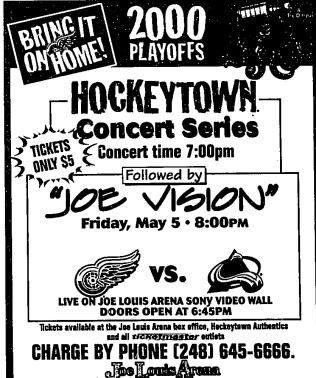
potential in any evont.

"She's doing a little club work right.
row. She's going to do magnificent things."

How magnificent? "keep her healthy, and we're looking at a possible state, how we're looking at a possible state,







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