

Marcia Newby

Hometown: Virginia Beach, Va.
 Residence: Virginia Beach, Va.
 Date/Place of Birth: March 8, 1988/Norfolk, Va.
 Club: Excalibur Gymnastics
 Coach: Jim and Dena Walker
 School: Daniel's Christian Academy
 Year in School: 10th (Fall '03)
 Began Gymnastics: 1994
 Favorite Event: Bars
 Years on National Team: 2 (2002-03, 2003-04)



Personal Info

Newby is the daughter of James, a doctor, and Olivia, a nurse practitioner. She has an older brother named James (5/3/86), who plays football and basketball. Newby's favorite school subject is math, and her favorite book is The Lord of the Rings. She enjoys listening to music by Brandy, and her favorite actor is Denzel Washington. Newby says that her role model is Dominique Dawes because she feels like she can relate to her, and her gymnastic goal is to compete in the Olympic Games. Newby would like to someday pursue a career in medicine.

International Competition

- 2004 FL Gym Open, Luxembourg City, LUX; 1st -Team, 1st -AA, 2nd -V, 1st -FX, 2nd - BB
- 2003 Pan American Games, Santo Domingo, DOM; 1st -Team
- 2003 USA/Belgium, Houston, Texas; 1st -Team, 2nd -AA, 3rd -UB, 2nd -FX
- 2003 Pacific Challenge (USA/CAN/AUS), Fullerton, Calif.; 5th -FX
- 2002 Jr. Pan American Championships; Santa Domingo, DOM, 1st -Team, 1st -AA, 1st -V
- 2002 Jr. USA/CAN, Houston, Texas; 1st -Team, 1st -V, 3rd -UB
- 2002 TOP Gym, Charleroi, BEL; 1st -Team, 3rd -AA, 1st -FX, 1st -UB
- 2002 deHypotheekshop Gymnastics Top, NED; 9th -AA

National Competition

- 2004 American Classic, Ontario, Calif.; 2nd -AA, 3rd -V, 7th -UB, 9th -BB, 1st -FX
- 2004 National Elite Podium Meet, New York, N.Y.; 3rd -Team, 6th -AA, 4th -V, 4th -BB, 2nd -FX
- 2003 U.S. National Championships, Milwaukee, Wis.; 9th AA, 6th V, 5th FX
- 2003 U.S. Classic, San Antonio, Texas; 4th -AA, 4th -UB, 4th -FX
- 2003 National Elite Podium Meet, Fairfax, Va.; 1st -FX
- 2002 U.S. Gymnastics Championships, Cleveland, Ohio; 7th -AA (Jr. Div.)
- 2002 U.S. Classic, Virginia Beach, Va.; 12th -AA
- 2002 National Elite Podium Meet, Orlando, Fla.; 6th -AA, 3rd -UB, 9th -FX
- 2002 American Classic, Indianapolis, Ind.; 23rd -AA