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## **PRESS RELEASE**

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# **OLYMPIC MEDALLIST AMY OPENS NEW GYM**

A gymnastics club which could provide a springboard for future champions has officially moved into a new home, with the help of an existing Olympic medallist from the region.

Amy Tinkler, who took an individual bronze in the 2016 Rio games, cut the ribbon to herald Derwent Valley Gymnastics Club's move into bespoke new accommodation at the Number One Industrial Estate in Consett.

Unit 6C, and 8,500 sq ft unit on the popular Number One Industrial Estate is the new base for the club, which spent the first four years of its existence based in Consett's Belle Vue Leisure Centre.

But the rapid growth of the clu, with now about 300 members from across County Durham and Tyneside, left it seeking its own dedicated venue.

The vacant unit was identified, and after making the move, there has been a hectic fortnight-long fitting out with equipment for all gymnastic disciplines.

Number One Industrial Estate comprises over 100 factory / workshop units and offices providing over 790,000 sq ft of accommodation set in the heart of Derwentside. The scheme is home to over 70 different businesses, and approximately 1,200 employees, with units on site ranging from 495 sq ft workshops up to larger factory units of 122,560 sq ft occupied by Northern Aerospace.

For current availability or to arrange a viewing please contact Whittle Jones North East on 0191 221 1999 or email <a href="mailto:northeast@whittlejones.co.uk">northeast@whittlejones.co.uk</a>

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