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AAU Gets a Jump Start at Ford Field

Ford Field, home to the Detroit Lions in Michigan, opened its doors to AAU Junior Olympic Games Jump Rope participants this morning for registration and practice. The Palpitating Panthers Jump Rope Teamd from La Cañada, California began practice early this morning at Ford Field as three coaches and thirteen athletes have come to compete. The club will compete in several jump roping categories that include speed and freestyle with ages ranging from eight years to fourteen years of age. Fifteen year old Jessica Fong of La Cañada, also one of the coaches attending, will be a big inspiration to these young athletes as she has jump roped for many years and actually competed in the AAU Junior Olympic Games in the past. She has high hopes for her athletes as they will begin competition Friday at Ford Field.

Several jump ropers from the Palpitating Panthers practice for the upcoming AAU Junior Olympic Games competition at Ford Field in Detroit, Michigan.

