

USAG Athlete Council Meeting Minutes
July 2, 2020 – 11 am EST

AC Attendees:

Michael Devine	T&T Program Representative
Jessie DeZiel	Women's Program Representative
Ivana Hong	Vice Chair, Women's Program Representative
Serena Lu	Rhythmic Program Representative
Sho Nakamori	USOPC AAC Gymnastics Representative
Alex Renkert	T&T Program Representative
Jessica Renteria	Acro Program Representative
Rebecca Sereda	Rhythmic Program Representative
Brandon Wynn	Men's Program Representative

USAG Staff Attendees:

Carol Fabrizio	Chief Communications and Marketing Officer
Stefanie Korepin	Chief Programs Officer
Erica Koven	Chief Membership Officer
Kim Kranz	VP Athlete Health and Wellness
Li Li Leung	Chief Executive Officer
Lauryn Turner	Chief of Staff

Absent:

Ryan Ward	Chair, Acro Program Representative
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- I. Welcome and Introduction to Brandon Wynn, newly elected AC member representing the Men's Program.
- II. Follow-Ups on last meeting action items
- III. Discussed creating an Athlete Council page on usagym.org that includes bios, meeting minutes, and an email contact for the AC
- IV. Discussed Athlete A – how the movie reflected the athlete experience and lessons learned
- V. Cadence of Meetings – AC will move to 2x per month—one meeting with AC and USAG Executive Leadership Team and one with just the AC
- VI. Alumni resources - how can we build our trust with the gymnastics community again?
 - o Mentoring and network program for post gymnastics life
 - o Alumni discounts to events
 - o Alumni events
 - o Acknowledgement of alumni at national events
 - o Reserved seating from alumni at national events

Carol Fabrizio, Erica Koven, Kim Kranz, Li Li Leung, and Lauryn Turner left the meeting.

- VII. AC Vote: Men's Program Athlete Representative to serve on the USA Gymnastics Board of Directors (fulfilling term vacated by Paul Ruggeri)
 - Motion to elect **Brandon Wynn** – Ivana Hong
 - Second – Rebecca Sereda
 - PASSED
- VIII. AC Vote: Athlete Representative to serve on the USA Gymnastics Ethics & Grievance Committee (fulfilling term vacated by Paul Ruggeri)
 - Motion to elect **Serena Lu** – Rebecca Sereda
 - Second – Michael Devine
 - PASSED
- IX. AHW Council update (Jessica, Michael)
- X. AC Bylaws – Discussed next steps

Adjourned at 12:15 pm EST.