

Junior Selection Committee Minutes
Meeting via Zoom
December 9, 2024

Meeting called to order by Chair, Amanda Stroud at 10:02am Central Time

Members Present:

Glenn Morris - Coaches Rep
Bob Lundy - Coaches Rep
Steven Lukasik - Athlete Rep
Amanda Stroud - Athlete Rep and Chair
Raj Bhavsar - Development Program Director
Brett McClure - High Performance Director (voice, no vote)
Jason Woodnick - Men's Program VP (voice, no vote)

The purpose of this meeting is to finalize selection procedures for select 2025 Junior International Assignments.

The committee discussed changes and additions to the 2025 calendar including a possible Junior World Championships conflict with US Championships and how that may change the qualification process for Junior Worlds and the Junior National Team. Because Junior Worlds is unconfirmed at this time, selection procedures will be addressed in subsequent meetings.

The selection procedures for DTB Pokal and London Open will use 2D+E all-around results from Elite Team Cup and day 1 of Winter Cup. All around scores from these competitions will be combined into one set of results and ranked by a 2D+E calculation. Only current 2024-2025 Junior National Team Members are eligible for this selection process.

- Selection Procedure for DTB Pokal
 - The team will be comprised of five (5) traveling athletes and one (1) non-traveling replacement athlete. All team members must be members of the current Men's Junior National Team.
 - 2024 Level 10 National Champions from U.S. Championships will be named to team and given first right of refusal.
 - Dante Reive in the 17-year-old division and Maksim Kan in the 16-year-old division
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The top two (2) ranked all-around athletes from combined 2D+E ETC/Winter Cup day 1 results. If Dante and/or Maksim are ranked in the top two (2), the next two (2) athletes in rank order will be named to the team.

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Remaining spots will be filled by the committee using discretionary criteria

Motion: To accept these selections procedures for DTB Pokal

Motion: Raj Bhavsar
Second: Glenn Morris
Passed: 5-0

- Selection Procedure for London Open
- The team will be comprised of five (5) traveling athletes and one (1) non-traveling replacement athlete. All Team members must be members of the current Men's Junior National Team.
- The non-traveling replacement athlete from DTB Pokal will be named to the London Open
- The next three (3) highest ranked athletes in the 2D+E combined results from the Elite Team Cup and Winter Cup Day 1 (who were not named to the DTB Pokal Team) will be named to the London Team
- Remaining spots will be filled by the committee using discretionary criteria

Motion: To accept these selection procedures for London Open

Motion: Amanda Stroud

Second: Steven Lukasik

Passed: 5-0

Meeting adjourned by Chair, Amanda Stroud at 11:47am Central Time.

The following action was taken by the committee via email

- Selection for 2025 Grizzly Classic
- The committee discussed the limited international opportunities offered for younger Junior National Team Members in 2025, and would like to provide some opportunity to athletes below Level 10. During their 2024 season the FIG 14-year-old Level 9 National Team Members showed very strong D scores and also consistency. The committee believes this age-group would benefit from international competition for their development. These athletes will be FIG 15-year-olds in 2025 and eligible for Junior FIG competition.

Motion via email: To name Andres Aranda, Dominick Camerena, Bo McCrea, and Nixon Miles to the 2025 Grizzly Classic Team

Motion: Amanda Stroud

Second: Raj Bhavsar

Passed: 5-0

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Junior Selection Committee Chair

12/19/2024

Date