

MPC Meeting Minutes

November 11, 2025

Via Zoom

Meeting called to order at 1:02pm ET by Chair, Mike Serra.

Members present:

Mike Serra – Chair (voice, no vote)
Tom Meadows – Sr Coaches Rep
Randy Jepson – Sr Coaches Rep
Pavel Sargsyan – Jr Coaches Rep
Matt Henry – Jr Coaches Rep
Tyler Yamauchi – Athlete Rep
Cameron Bock – Athlete Rep
David Klein – MDPC Chair (voice, no vote)
Jon Corbitt – NGJA Rep (voice, no vote)
Jason Woodnick – VP Men’s Program (voice, no vote)
Brett McClure – High Performance Director (voice, no vote)
Raj Bhavsar – Development Program Director (voice, no vote)
Lisa Mendel – Men’s Program Manager (voice, no vote)

Region 5 Chair, Kevin Chope was invited as a guest for the discussion on Junior Elite Qualifying scores to 2026 Development National Championships.

I. Junior Elite Qualifying Scores to Development National Championships

There has been much discussion within the Development Program Committee (MDPC) and National Coaches Council (NCC) to determine qualification scores for Development Nationals in the JE divisions. In previous years, a qualification score was determined by combining an athlete’s Technical Sequence and Optional scores to achieve one final score at both State and Regional Championships.

There is a desire to put more emphasis on the Technical Sequences in our JE divisions, therefore both the MDPC and NCC recommend requiring two qualification scores at both State and Regional Championships, as follows:

1. Technical Sequence (TS) minimum qualification score
2. Combined TS and Optional routine minimum qualification score

The MDPC has submitted a final proposal (**Attachment A**), which takes into account the NCC recommendations and sets TS and combined TS and Optional minimum qualification scores by single age years in the JE divisions.

Motion: To accept the MDPC's final proposal (Attachment A) for Junior Elite qualification to the 2026 Development National Championships.

Motion: Tom Meadows

Second: Matt Henry

Passed: 4-2

II. Development Program Championship Entry Fees

In October, the MPC voted via email to approve the MDPC proposed entry fee increases, as follows:

- Maximum of \$165 per gymnast for State Championships
- Maximum of \$185 per gymnast for Regional Championships
- Maximum of \$185 per gymnast for Eastern & Western National Championships

Motion: To approve the proposed entry fee increases for Development Championships Events.

Motion: Tyler Yamauchi

Second: Cameron Bock

Passed: 5-0 (1 absent vote)

III. D Score standards for Individual Event petitions to Winter Cup

The MPC approved the [Winter Cup Qualification Procedures](#) in September but withheld stating D score standards for athletes to submit Individual Event petitions until after World Championships. The Committee reviewed World Championships results and results from the 2025 US Championships. They also took into consideration the dismount rule change that is likely to be implemented by the FIG following the Junior World Championships. After looking at those data points, the following Motion was made.

Motion: To confirm the following D score standards for submission of Individual Event petitions to the 2026 Winter Cup (except Vault, which had already been confirmed in the qualification procedures):

FX: 5.6

PH: 5.6

SR: 5.4

PB: 5.4

HB: 5.6

IV. Recap of MAG Round Table at World Championships

Jason gave a brief review of the MAG round table at World Championships. Topics included the following:

- The integration of real-time judging with the ability to post deductions live. The end goal is to be able to produce final scores within 10 seconds of routines being completed.
- Discussion on landing mats. Specifically, Vault landing mats being too hard. The FIG was conducting a survey with athletes at Worlds.
- The MTC is going to create a Coach Advisory Council with continental representation, which will provide guidance to the MTC when determining rules and skill evaluations.
- 2028 Mixed Team format – no format has been decided. FIG asking for more feedback from the community.

V. Review of Bonus Tables

With new dismount rule coming into effect in 2026, there will need to be a review of the Bonus Tables. Rings will be a focal point of review. The Senior Selection Committee is meeting later this week to discuss National Team selection, and that may provide guidance for necessary changes to the Bonus Table for Seniors. It was decided that the Junior Bonus Table does not need to be changed.

Meeting adjourned at 2:18pm ET



11.13.25

MPC Chair

Date

Attachment A

JE Qualifying Scores			
Level	Age	TS Minimum	Combined Minimum
Eight	12	45.0	114.0
	13	47.0	116.0
Nine	14	45.0	114.0
	15	47.0	116.0
Ten	16	46.0	116.0
	17	47.0	118.0
Ten	18-19	48.0	120.0