

MPC Meeting Minutes

December 9, 2025

Via Zoom

Meeting called to order at 1:03pm 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
David Klein – MDPC Chair (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)

Members not present:

Cameron Bock – Athlete Rep
Jon Corbitt – NGJA Rep (voice, no vote)

Junior Coaches Representative, Pavel Sargsyan was present for some of the meeting. Athlete Representative, Cameron Bock was not on the call. Therefore, Tyler Yamauchi's vote on any action items will be weighted to ensure that athlete votes are one-third of the total voting power of the Committee.

I. Senior Exponential Bonus Chart

The High Performance Director (HPD) submitted the amended [Senior Exponential Bonus Chart](#) for 2026 domestic Senior Elite competitions with the expectation that FIG will be putting a cap on the maximum value for dismounts. This rule change is expected to be published in a FIG Newsletter before the end of the year.

The HPD informed the Committee that input was gathered from the National Apparatus Leaders for each event.

Motion: To approve the 2026 Senior Exponential Bonus Chart.

Motion: Tom Meadows

Second: Matt Henry

Passed 6-0 (Pavel submitted his vote by email)

II. 2026 Winter Cup/Elite Team Cup

The Committee agreed to keep the same awards structure for both competitions as was used in 2025. We will award the top six (6) places in the all-around and top three (3) places on each individual event for both ETC and Winter Cup.

The Committee also clarified that all participants in the Elite Team Cup will utilize the [Junior Exponential Bonus](#), even if they are 18/19 years old.

III. Qualification to 2026 US Championships

As the discussion is starting for the qualification process to 2026 US Championships, Mike Serra presented a pathway which included setting minimum difficulty standards for qualification at both the Senior & Junior levels. This follows our current program emphasis on difficulty and raising the level of the competition at our Elite Championship events. One negative to setting D score minimums could be less athletes qualifying to our Championship events.

In general, all Committee members were in support of setting difficulty standards for qualification, but the group wants to look at data to develop standards that make sense. They also want to evaluate the timeline for implementing these minimum standards. Those timelines may be different for Juniors and Seniors.

The Committee members will gather feedback from their constituents with the hope of creating a formal proposal for the January MPC meeting.

IV. Winter Cup MPC Meeting

As the Winter Cup schedule is now more condensed, finding time in the schedule for an in-person meeting at Winter Cup is a challenge. The group decided to have a longer February Zoom meeting, and if necessary, have a short in-person meeting at Winter Cup.

Meeting adjourned at 2:06pm ET



12.11.25

MPC Chair

Date