

# Rhythmic International Elite Committee

October, 2006

## I. Roll Call

Voting Members	
Natasha Klimouk	Coaching Representatives
Olga Kutuzova	
Yelena Chshukareva	
Nataliya Kiriyyenko	
Caroline Hunt	Athlete Representative
Lucy Kerznerman	(non-voting)
Jan Exner	Senior Director Rhythmic Program
Kathy Kelly	Vice President

Jan Exner and Kathy Kelly welcomed the IEC to their first official call and expressed excitement about forming this ad hoc committee. The input that this committee gives will be invaluable for the program.

## II. Athlete Selection Committee

**Motion that the complexion of the Athlete Selection Committee be:**

- **Caroline Hunt**
- **Lucy Kerznerman**
- **Chairman of the IEC – Natasha Klimouk**

Motion: Nataliya Kiriyyenko  
Second: Olga Kutuzova  
PASSED

## III. Judge Selection Committee

Motion that the complexion of the Judges' Selection Committee be:

- Chairman of the IEC
- Brevet Judge
- Coach Representative

Motion  
Second  
TABLED

## IV. Chairman of the International Elite Committee

The Committee wishes to elect a Chairman of the IEC. Ballots were faxed to the voting members of the committee. Two of the coaches will call in their vote to Tonya Spencer since they are not close to a fax. The results of the elections will be announced during the conference call and included in these minutes. Natasha Klimouk was elected as Chairman.

## V. 2007 Calendar

Jan Exner will get the committee an updated 2007 Calendar and distribute it to the coaches in attendance at the training camp.

## VI. National Team Training Camp – December 1-5

Exner asked the committee for suggestions for staffing at the December camp. Nadine Davies has been invited to explain the changes to the *Code of Points*. Committee made recommendation for a ballet teacher and a coach.

Caroline Hunt suggested that committee decide upon the camp goals and then decide upon the staffing. Jan Exner stated that the major goal would be to understand the changes to the *Code* and emphasize the strength and conditioning program and the ballet program that were used in Montenegro.

## VII. World Championships Selection Committee

Exner will send you a draft of the procedures. She asks that you get back to her as soon as possible. She will then compile committee member's thoughts and conduct another conference call before submitting them for final approval.

### **VIII. Judges' Recommendation Form**

Exner updated the Judge's Recommendation Form and will send it to all National Team Coaches. The names of the coaches who are rated judges were removed as they are not eligible for national assignments.