



WOMEN'S JUNIOR OLYMPIC COMMITTEE MEETING  
Indianapolis, IN  
May 20-21, 2019

Meeting was called to order by Tom Koll (NJOCC) at 7:00pm on May 20, 2019.

Roll Call:

Region 1	Shane McIntyre	
Region 2	Ivan Alexov	Absent 5/21/2019
Region 3	Rich Villarreal	
Region 4	Paige Roth	
Region 5	Kittia Carpenter	
Region 6	Jamie Winkler	
Region 7	Linda Johnson	
Region 8	Brad Harris	
JO Program Director	Christy Naik	
VP Women's Program	Annie Heffernon	

1. Nominations for JO National Program of the Year:
  - Region 1 – San Mateo Gymnastics – Belmont, CA
  - Region 2 – Metropolitan – Kent, WA
  - Region 3 – World Champions Centre – Spring, TX
  - Region 4 – Twin City Twisters – Champlin, MN
  - Region 5 – Jayce Phelps Athletic Center – Greenfield, IN
  - Region 6 – Infinti Elite – Syosset, NY
  - Region 7 – First State Gymnastics – Newark, DE
  - Region 8 – Southeastern Gymnastics, Weddington, NC.

Congratulations to the JO National Program of the Year: Twin City Twisters – Champlin, MN

2. Discussion regarding the Women's Program Service Award. Tom asked for input from the Regional JO Chairs. Send suggestions to Tom Koll and Annie Heffernon.
3. Recommendation to accept the proposed statement from the IEC: A Junior International Elite Gymnast is considered an Elite if she has competed as a Junior International Elite in the 2019 Junior World Trials or the 2019 American or US Classic.
  - Motion: Brad Harris
  - Second: Shane McIntyre
  - Passed



4. Brett Wargo presented a qualification proposal allowing an alternative format for JO Nationals.
  - a. Recommendation to add, Rules and Policies page 89 H.2.a.:
    - 2) If the next athlete eligible for an invitation to compete in JO Nationals in a given age division places first on any event(s) at Regional Championships and does not qualify to JO Nationals from the All-Around ranking, she is eligible to compete in JO Nationals on that/those event(s) only. She will be assigned in the squad with her region. Her score will not count towards the team score.
      - In the case of a tie, the tie breaking procedures will be applied to determine the rank order of the athletes. The lower ranking athlete will be assigned to another region that has space available in that age division.

Motion: Kittia Carpenter  
Second: Shane McIntyre  
Passed

5. The Committee reviewed any possible changes, additions and/or deletions of Developmental skills and Evaluation points for the 2021 Compulsory book.

6. Recommendation, to add to *Women's Rule and Policies* page 86 G.2.c.4) to read:

- 4) Level 9 Eastern/Western Championships - If an athlete competes with another region, the Region becomes a designated All-Star team. The scores from the entire squad, regardless of region, will count towards the Regional All-Star team score. In the event of a tie for seventh place, the tie-breaking procedures will be applied to determine the rank order of the athletes and the eighth place athlete will not be eligible to receive an All-Star team award.

Page 89, remove H.2.d. and amend H.2.c to read:

- c. Level 10 Junior Olympic Nationals - If an athlete competes with another region, the Region becomes a designated All-Star team. The scores from the entire squad, regardless of region, will count towards the Regional All-Star team score. In the event of a tie for seventh place, the tie-breaking procedures will be applied to determine the rank order of the athletes and the eighth place athlete will not be eligible to receive an All-Star team award.

Motion: Linda Johnson  
Second: Kittia Carpenter  
Passed

Meeting Adjourned 10:20 AM, Tuesday, May 21, 2019.