

Illinois USAG Women's Gymnastics
State Committee Meeting

Wednesday April 13, 2011

A general meeting of the USAG Women's State committee was held at the Hampton Inn. State Chairman, Norbert Bendixen, called the meeting to order at 8:37 a.m. the following Committee member roster was as follows:

Norbert Bendixen
State Chairman

Cyndi Zimmerman
J.O. Chairman

Randy Parrish
Level 9/10 Chairman

Dan Miller
Level 8 Chairman

Steve Cacchione
Level 7 Chairman

Andy Morreale
Level 6 Chairman

Judy Redmond
Level 5 Chairman

Cindy Morano
Level 4 Chairman

Kathie Gebhardt
Secretary

Don McPherson
Safety
Absent

Todd Gardiner
Elite Chairman

Leonard Issacs
Education
Non- Voting member

Terry Theobald
Election Commissioner
Non-Voting member

Jeanne Johnson
NAWGJ Representative
Non-Voting member

State Calendar 2011-2012

4/5 Fall State Meet 2011

Motion: to have the Level 4/5 State meet again

Proposed by Any Morreale

Seconded by Judy Redmond

Vote: 8 in favor 1 opposed

Passed

Motion: to have the Level 4/5 State meet on December 17, 18, 2011

Proposed by Judy Redmond

Seconded by Cyndi Zimmerman

Vote: 1 in favor 5 opposed 3 abstained

Defeated

Motion: Level 4/5 Fall State meet be held on December 9, 10, 11 2011
Proposed by Cindy Morano
Seconded by Steve Cacchione
Vote: 8 in favor 1 opposed
Passed

Level 9/10 State

Motion: Level 9/10 State meet be held on March 23, 24, 25 2012
Proposed by Dan Miller
Seconded by Andy Morreale
Vote: All in favor
Passed

Level 8 State

Motion: To move Level 8 State back with Level 9/10 State meet on March 23, 24, 25th
2012
Proposed by Andy Morreale
Seconded by Todd Gardiner
Vote: All in favor
Passed

Level 6/7 State

Motion: To have Level 6 and Level 7 State meet together
Proposed by Randy Parrish
Seconded by Cindy Morano
Vote: All in favor
Passed

Motion: To hold the Level 6/7 State meet on March 16, 17, 18th 2012
Proposed by Judy Redmond
Seconded by Andy Morreale
Vote: All in favor
Passed

Level 5 State

Motion: To hold the Level 5 State meet on March 30, 31 April 1st 2012 and to hold the
Level 4 State meet on April 20, 21, 22 of 2012
Proposed by Judy Redmond
Seconded by Todd Gardiner
Vote: All in favor
Passed

Out of State Scores

Motion: That anyone using out of state scores for their qualifying score, should send in those scores by the Tuesday after that meet, to the State Tracker, Level Chairman, and State Chairman.

Proposed by Andy Morreale

Seconded by Kathie Gebhardt

Vote: 1 in favor 8 opposed

Defeated

Motion: That when using out of state scores, they must be turned in by the same date that in- state scores are due, according to that levels last qualifying date. If they are late, there will be a \$25.00 late fee added, per child to the entry fee.

Proposed by Cyndi Zimmerman

Seconded by Dan Miller

Vote: 8 in favor 1 opposed

Passed

State Team to 2011 USA Gymnastics Open Championships Hosted by ESPN Wide World of Sports Complex

Motion: Make an offer to the top 1st place combined team club, (offer to the top club, if they turn it down then we ask the second place club and then the third place club) to send 5 Level 7 gymnasts of a combined age group to this meet. We would offer to pay for their entry fee only. These teams are from the Spring State meet.

Proposed by Steve Cacchione

Seconded by Cindy Morano

Vote: 8 in favor 1 opposed

Passed

Motion: We as a state would include the same for Levels 4-6. These teams will be from the Spring State meet.

Proposed by Judy Redmond

Seconded by Andy Morreale

Vote: All in favor

Passed

State Congress

June 24, 25, 26th 2011

Cindy Morano reported that she and Norbert will be coming up with a set Club Fee and Individual Fee with a break for Judges and High School Coaches Association.

Clinician fees will be, first session donated and \$50.00 for any session after that. If we can bring in an out of state or big name clinician we would need to work on a package deal with that clinician. All clinicians and their topics should be given to Cindy A.S.A.P.

We have Boys, Business, Recreation Gymnastics, Competitive Gymnastics, Special needs, Cheerleading, Judging and many more.

Training Camp

Judy Redmond is working on this. May be June 24th, 2011

We talked about having 8,9,10 gymnasts and their coaches with a limited number of 2 to 3 kids. This would be a coaches training. Talk was also about if it would take away from the regional training camps. We felt that there is a need to help those coaches who can't go to a regional camp and for all the gymnasts who don't get into the camp.

We mentioned that Super Camp will be in three states this year and lots of kids are welcome to go to that also. We would like to offer this in our state since we know we have a lot of great coaches in our state. We will have the training camp for level 4 through 7 will future camps for coaches and 8-10. Judy will be working on this.

Awards Banquet

Will be Sunday June 12th 2011 from 2-5 p.m.

Prep Opt

There was a great discussion about Prep Opt and having an invite in the spring. We also talked about having the level 7 chairman also be in charge of Prep Opt. We tabled this until our next meeting.

Level 3

Motion: To have a Level 3 Fall invite with Level 4 Fall State meet

Proposed by Steve Cacchione

Seconded by Cindy Morano

Vote: 8 in favor 1 opposed

Passed

Motion: A level 3 must attend one sanctioned competition before the last qualifying date in order to go to the Level 3 invite

Proposed by Cindy Morano

Seconded by Judy Redmond

Vote: 7 in favor 1 opposed 1 abstained

Passed

Cover Girl

July 21-23rd

There was much information on this meet pertaining to getting help and how to sign up. Cindy is working on that now. To volunteer you need to go to the USAG website to sign up. Set up will be on Thursday and tear down on Sunday.

State Meet Bids

Motion: All State Meet bids are due by July 15th 2011

Proposed by Andy Morreale

Seconded by Dan Miller

Vote: All in favor

Passed

Qualifying Score Date

Will be tabled until the next meeting

Next meeting date will be determined by e-mail. Meeting was adjourned at 1:05 p.m.

Minutes submitted by:

Kathie Gebhardt, Secretary

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Norbert Bendixen

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Approved – Thank You

Bobbi Montanari

USA Gymnastics Region 5 Chairman