



## **Region 1 Committee Meeting**

Saturday, August 24, 2019

4:30 pm

The meeting was called to order by Evelyn Paradis, RACC. All Committee members and the NAWGJ Regional Judging Director, Cindy Lord were present.

### **General Information**

- a. Conflict of Interest /Confidentiality Forms were completed by all committee members.
- b. New Committee Members, RTC, Gigi Iavarone and SACC NorCal, Patty Shipman were introduced and welcomed by RJOCC, Shane McIntyre.
- c. Region 1's new website has been launched. There is a portal for payment of registrations.

### **Region 1 Camps Update**

- a. NorCal Camp – 50 Athletes/20 Coaches
- b. High Tech #1 – 225 Athletes/60 Coaches
- c. High Tech #2 – 80 Athletes/15 Coaches
- d. College Showcase – 175 Athletes/60 Coaches
- e. Three Xcel Camps are planned – SoCal (10/26&27) at Coastal Gymnastics, NorCal (12/8) at V-Force Gymnastics & Utah (11/1&2) at GTC.

### **Region 1 Financial Update**

A review of the regional budget and current financial position was presented.

### **2020 Regional Championships**

- a. Level 8/9/10 will be held at the Alameda County Fairgrounds, Pleasanton, California
- b. Level 6/7 will be held at Raw Hide in Chandler, Arizona
- c. Xcel will be held at the Ontario Convention Center in Ontario, California

### **2020 Region 1 Congress**

2020 Congress will be held on August 13-16, 2020 at the Doubletree in San Jose, CA



## Apparel 2020

- a. Western/National Athlete's Apparel – Photos of options selected for the apparel packages were reviewed by the committee.
- b. Western/National Coaches Apparel – Examples of replacement shirts for the items that are no longer available this final year of our Region's color were discussed. A solid maroon polo will replace the two-color polo if needed for the men and a maroon scoop neck will replace the "camo" for the women.

## 2021 Regional Championships

Bid Packets are posted online. Bids will be due on October 1, 2019. An email blast will go out to call attention to the request for bids.

## Regional Judging Director Report

Cindy Lord announced that with the exception of Heather Carmody, SJD, Utah, there are changes in the State Judging Directors. They are:

NorCal – Dona Jones and P.J. Slater, Co-SJDs

Nevada – Alex Hammond

Arizona – Jennifer Dittmer

SoCal – Teresa Barnard and April Sargent, Co-SJDs

## RTCC Report

Technical Updates were reviewed.

## RXCC Report

- a. Technical Updates were reviewed.
- b. The number of athletes participating in the 2019 Xcel regional championships was reviewed and an overall review of the meet was given. A proposal to switch the qualifying process to a State Allotment formula was presented in detail. After much discussion, the committee approved a State allocation formula which will apply to Silver, Gold, and Platinum. The Diamond level would stay at a 32.0 qualifying score. A detailed summary of the procedure will be posted on the Region 1 website.



#### RJOCC Report

- a. Rules & Policies changes for 2019/2020 were reviewed. Particular attention was called to the changes regarding Level 10 Nationals Event Specialists.
- b. Dates and locations for 2020 Training Camps will be proposed this fall and will be finalized and posted on the website by January. It was proposed that there be 2 High -Tech camps, 1 College Show Case, 2 Xcel camps and 2 Compulsory camps. SACC's are requested to help with identifying sites and hosts for future camps.
- c. Training Camp attendance requirements will be clarified and posted on the website.

#### Other Business

- a. A refund policy for Regional entry fees is being developed by the Committee.
- b. The remainder of the meeting was devoted to the selection of judges for the Region 1 Championship meets, Westerns and Nationals. Assignments will be finalized and published at a later date.