Regional Board Meeting

Hudson Grill Coachman Inn Vancouver, WA

8:00 pm April 21, 2022

Attendance:

RACC Marian DeWane

RTCC Jeanine Henneford

RDPCC Tiffany Quincy

RXCC Dianne Palmer

Alaska SACC Charlene Moss

Hawaii SACC Pam Zak

Idaho SACC Mark Kindelspire (via phone)

Montana SACC Josh Burnham

Oregon SACC Meg Doxtator

Washington SACC Sandy Flores

Athlete Rep; Linda Mulvihill

Guests

R2NAWGJ Chairman Priscilla Hickey

Barbara Depasquale – Idaho SACC elect

Welcome by Marian DeWane

Agenda:

**RACC Report** – Fundraising this year has been very good. The campaign for donations raised $13,400 and a major portion of this came from Emerald City and their families. Thank you to all who donated. The camps raised $15,000 and the two leotard sales made $17,000. The Level 6 invite raised $15,000. This should cover the athlete apparel costs for this year.

If you have any feedback for the May meeting send it to r2racc@gmail.com

**RTC Report** – The committee has been working hard on code revisions. There were 23 Developmental Program petitions and 2 Xcel petitions. If you want to suggest changes for the May meeting, please send to jhennefordr2rtc@gmail.com

Date for states to turn in Judges to RTC this year will be September 1 and then it will return to August 1.

* Selection of Judges is State’s Rights. Each state has a slightly different method. The regional committee came up with a form that several states are using to help them in their selection. Data was distributed about how some other regions do this process.
* States are asked to turn in all alternates to Jeanine. Jeanine will send out a “you have been recommended….save the date…” to make sure judges know they are on the list.

**RXCC Report** – Code is being edited and should be ready at the end of May. There are now 3,900 in the Region. 87 diamond and 220 platinum are registered for the Regional Championships. There is a new level called Sapphire being piloted but not in our region. Please send any feedback for the May meeting to tenskira@gmail.com

**RDPCC Report** - Feedback from the camps was positive. Everyone worked together and helped each other. Special kudos to Sarah Korngold, Brett Wargo, Chris Bushard and Drew Grow.

* There are big changes coming, particularly in Level 7. Discussion was held on fall camps including doing a compulsory refresher. Josh volunteered his facility for one in Montana. Any Developmental Program changes you want to have discussed at the May meeting, send them to r2dpcc@omega-gymnastics.com

**Region 2 NAWGJ Report** – It was announced Dianne Palmer is the Region 2 Green Flag Award Winner for all her efforts to help educate judges.

**Continuing % of % or changing to Score?**

 Discussion of pros and cons of the % of %. Meg Doxtator volunteered to put together a proposal that might allow for petitions or specialists and Pam Zak is helping. Anyone with ideas, send them to Meg.

State Chairmen will be gathering data about the possibility of having Level 6 be part of the regional meet. This and the schedule for Dev and Xcel Regional meets will be discussed at the August meeting.

**Regional Congress** at MAC August 12 - 14. Schedule is now posted at [Region 2 • USA Gymnastics Regional Congress (usagymrc.com)](https://www.usagymrc.com/region2/).

**National Congress** – State Chairs meeting Monday August 22 from 8am – 3pm.

**Elections Update:** Alaska, Hawaii, and Montana are continuing as chairmen, Oregon and Idaho have new chairs and Washington will be having an election.

**Dates Fall Clinics** – Tiffany is working on dates.

**State Updates**-

* Alaska – There were several injuries that impacted our numbers this year.
* Hawaii – They had a good state meet and everyone was happy they were able to be in person.
* Idaho – All going well.
* Montana – All good.
* Oregon – Lynda Carlson is retiring from judging and will be sorely missed.
* Washington – All is fine.

**Bids** – Sandy Flores was recused.

* Bids 2024 – DP were from Anchorage Gymnastics, Emerald City, Performance Plus, and Northwest Aerials

Discussion was held on each bid.

**Motion was made to award the 2024 Developmental Program Regional meet to Anchorage Gymnastics Association.**

Motion: Meg Doxtator

Second: Pam Zak

Passed

* Bids 2024 – Xcel bids were from Emerald City, Performance Plus, and Northwest Aerials.

Discussion was held on each bid.

**Motion to award the 2024 Xcel regional meet to Performance Plus Events.**

Motion: Dianne Palmer

Second: Josh Burnham

Passed

**Next meeting date** Regional Congress August 12 at 7:00 pm.

Motion to adjourn by Meg Doxtator, second by Pam Zak. Passed.

Meeting adjourned approx. 10 pm