Texas NAWGJ February 2, 2021 Conference Call

**Board Members Present:** 

Bonnie Crawford (SJD)
Jack Dunlop (District 1 Assigner)
Kevin Freeman (District 2/3 Assigner)
Denise Coats-Lauriat (District 2/3 High School)
Jenny Robinson (District 4/7 Assigner)
Erika Franklin (District 5/6 Assigner)
Tiffany Schwartz (Treasurer)
Jennifer Porter (Secretary)
Laurie Skelton (Event Coordinator)



Call to Order: Bonnie Crawford 8:34pm

Motion: To approve minutes from the last meeting

Motion: Jenny Robinson

2nd: Jack Dunlop

**PASSED** 

#### Previous Q & A:

1. Can there be a 1-judge panel for sanctioned optional mock meets? No

- What if they are using it for mobility? All sanctioned mobility meets for Levels 1-5 are approved to have 1
  judge panels. OPTIONAL mobility meets require 2 judge panels
- 3. What if they are using it to qualify for state? 2 judges are required

### **Member Reports:**

In the Finance department, it is almost time to begin quarterly reports. As far as events, Texas Challenge was successful. The next event to plan for will be the XCEL Xtravaganza. Bonnie reported that the NJC was an awesome experience - Team Texas WINS!!

Xcel Xtravaganza • Dates: 2021-02-20 to 2021-02-21 • Meet Director: Jan Eyman

· Venue: Zero Gravity, Robinson (Waco)

For assignor reports, Covid is still presenting issues either with meets being canceled, judges having to cancel, or simply not enough judges or competitions to feel like a full season. Everyone is keeping positive and rolling with the situations as they come. All we can do, is the best we can do.

Motion: To reimburse each active TXNAWGJ member for the cost of the compulsory book or App with receipt.

Motion: Laurie Skelton

2nd: Jack Dunlop **PASSED** 

# Level 7 Texas Challenge to National Judges Cup 2021:

Discussion of how we can better choose a team for the NJC without losing funds from hosting the TX Challenge since such a small pool of the athletes have been choosing to participate.

Motion: In leu of hosting the Tx Challenge in 2021, we offer a spot to the top 20 athletes from Level

7 State. We will then be selecting the team from the best of the best of Texas!

Motion: Jennifer Porter 2nd: Denise Coats-Lauriat

**PASSED** 

# 2021 Volunteer Opportunities:

There are so many great events being hosted in our state and region this year. However, since the pandemic is still in play and facilities are often limiting the number of people in the building and on the floor, the volunteer positions ARE ON HOLD at this time. Keep an eye out for volunteer opportunities offered in Texas.

# Judges Cup 2021:

West Texas - TBA

DFW - Rich Treviño and Judy Fricke -Treviño's Gymnastics, Lancaster Austin/San Antonio - Ryan Maskell -Powerhouse TNT Gymnastics, San Antonio Houston - Lynnis Waldon -Woodlands Gymnastics Academy, Spring

### **Assignments:**

CPE, USAG, NAWGJ status posted on Google Drive

Assignors - encourage your judges to complete their credential requirements

Only assign judges who have not met their CPE requirements if there's no one else available.

USAG membership must be current

NAWGJ membership must be current – do not assign if not current

R&P consider mileage to save costs for meet director

Some hosts are requesting assignments as soon as they submit the request for judges

Activity report in GymJAS for critiques, in gym, volunteer, etc

Virtual meets

TAAF state meet availability is due soon

MOTION: To adjourn 10:06pm

Motion: Erika Franklin 2nd: Kevin Freeman

**PASSED** 

Submitted by: Jennifer Porter