

Alabama State Committee Meeting
Birmingham, AL
November 27, 2017

The meeting was called to order by Otis Reeves at 9:17 a.m.

Attending:
Mike Holdefer
LuAnn Nix
Otis Reeves
Meg Henry
Helen Nabors
John Lowery

Absent: Erin Holdefer-Kightlinger, David Hill, and Joshlyn Bess

Invocation by Meg Henry.

Mike Holdefer made a motion to approve the meeting agenda. Lu Ann Nix seconded the motion. Passed.

Meg Henry made a motion to approve the minutes from the last meeting. Helen Nabors seconded the motion. Passed.

Otis Reeves gave the following reports:

Regional Apparel: each level will receive the same apparel package as provided last year. If a coach has a level 9 or level 10 gymnast that doesn't compete at the Optional State Meet but petitions into Regionals, that coach must provide her leotard size to the State Committee at State Meet. If a gymnast scratches Regional Meet, apparel will not be available.

The new travel policy for judges has not seemed to be an issue at this time.

2018 Compulsory State Championships and 2019 Optional State Championships are due by December 1, 2017. At this time only one bid has been received from Armory Gymnastics.

All gym owners and coaches need to check updated J.O. and XCEL mobility and Age Entry requirements on pages 57 and 87 in the Rules and Policies. There have been some changes.

New Business:

Helen Nabors made a motion to accept 2017 Compulsory State Meet Judging Assignments as shown below. Mike Holdefer seconded the motion. Passed.

Side A (Level 1,3) Reporting time is at 1:30 p.m.

VT: Mary Lou Dillard, Diane Peeks

UB: Karen Tilton, Sharon Griffin

BB: Carol Smitherman, Greg Kulhmann

FX: Stephanie Kuhlmann, Annette Burgin

Side B (Level 2, 4, 5) Reporting time is at 11:30 a.m.

VT: Mary Ann Wallace, Tammye Goehring

UB: Deb Kornegay, Jamie Wallace

BB: Amy Arnts, Wendy Seabrook

FX: Phyllis Thompson, Jarrett Ezell

Selection of Compulsory Club of the Year: All teams, large and small, will be included in determination of Club of the Year.

Coaches Education: We will host another W200 Course at Mountain Brook Gymnastics. Otis Reeves will contact Sarah Meyers to see if she is available. The total cost including travel is \$2,000.00. A registration fee will be charged. The suggested date is April 7, 8:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m.

Annual Awards Reception: Otis Reeves will contact First United Methodist Church of Prattville to see if June 2, 2017 is available for a 10:00 a.m. until noon reception.

Optional Training Camp: Meg Henry or David Hill will check with University of Alabama to see if July 28, 2017 is available for the Optional Training Camp to be held in Tuscaloosa, AL.

Tracking for qualifying to compete at the 2018 Optional State meet: If your gymnast qualifies at an out of State Meet you will need to provide a copy of the meet scores, at least two weeks prior to Optional State Meet deadline, to Mike Holdefer, Alabama State Tracker. The Elevate the Stage Meet is the week before 2018 Optional State Meet. The scratch deadline for the State Meet is the

Monday before the Elevate the Stage Meet. There are two options for entering a gymnast who is trying to qualify at the Elevate the Stage Meet. The gymnast can be entered in the 2018 Optional State Meet by the deadline and if they do not qualify, the entry fee is forfeited, or the gymnast can be entered after the Elevate the Stage Meet with the late fee included with entry fee.

John Lowery made a motion to adjourn at 10:38 a.m. Helen Nabors seconded. Passed.

Respectfully submitted,

Lu Ann Nix