

MAG SMC Update



Gymnastics Australia
Men's Artistic Gymnastics

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Information from the MAG SMC meeting held 3 October 2006

- **On-Line Risk Management Course**

All MAG Technical Members are reminded that the GA On-Line Risk Management Course must be completed by the end of the year for Technical Membership renewal in 2007.

- **Risk Management Register**

Bob Morton is currently working on completing the Sport component of the MAG Risk Management Register for Daren Wolfe to present at the GA Joint Technical Committee meeting on the 3rd November.

- **Junior National Clinic and AYOF Training Camp**

Kath Graham has received feedback from the State SMCs and prepared a draft program for comment by the National SMC. The SMC approved the structure of the program. Kath will go ahead and finalise the program ready for emailing out to the State SMCs.

- **Event Selection Criteria**

The AYOF MAG Selection Criteria has been amended to reflect the maximum number of teams (3 teams of 4 gymnasts) that can be selected to represent Australia at this event.

The Junior International Team Cup Selection Criteria has been approved by the GA Board at its October Board meeting.

The 2008 MAG Olympic Selection Criteria will be drafted by Daren Wolfe and Tim Quinlivan and sent to the EMC for feedback in November.

- **National Technical Director & Judging Co-ordinator**

In May 2006 following the announcement from Tim Quinlivan and Daren Wolfe informing the MAG community that they would be stepping down from their current positions on the National SMC and nominating for each other's position, GA called for nominations for the National TD and NJC positions in September 2006. Only one nomination for the TD and NJC position was received. GA informed the State Associations of the nominations and asked them to ratify the nominations. All States approved the appointment of Daren Wolfe as the Technical Director and Tim Quinlivan as the NJC effective the 1st November 2006.

- **National Levels Clinic**

Kath Graham will draft a National Levels Clinic proposal for National SMC comment. It will then be sent to the State SMCs for further comment.

- **NCC Awards and Medal Proposal**

Kath Graham has prepared a proposal covering the awards and medals to be presented at the 2007 National Club Championships. The National SMC will review the proposal in time for next meeting in November.

- **MAG Community Survey**

Bob Morton has drafted the survey questions to be sent to all MAG clubs. The National SMC will review the questions before giving approval for the release of the survey in November. The survey will be conducted on-line for easy access by clubs.

- **Tie Breaking Proposal**

Bob Morton has drafted a tie breaking proposal for use at the National Championships. The National SMC will review this proposal and final discussion will take place at the November SMC meeting.

- **MAG Invitations Received**

Gymnastics Australia has received an invitation for a team to compete in the Stella Zakharova Cup. The invitation was sent to the EMC coaches on the 1st September 2006.

- **AIS/GA Olympic Squad**

The MAG Selection Committee met with the EMC coaches on the 10th September at the AIS to review the AIS/Olympic Squad. The squad will be formally announced in November 2006.

- **National Squad Update**

Based on the performances in the World Championship Selection Trial Aaron Thanos (VIC HPC) has been included in the MAG Senior National Squad

- **MAG National Program Review**

A meeting was held with the EMC coaches on the 9th September at the AIS to discuss the proposed changes to the MAG National Program, Kath Graham will make the changes and Rohan Kennedy will proof read the document before it is emailed to the State SMCs for comment.

- **MAG Open Levels Tour**

Kath Graham reported the MAG Open Levels Tour to Christchurch NZ was successful. Full results from this event can be found on the GA website.

- **U/13 Level 7 National Stream**

Correspondence was received from Brett Wood (Northern Beaches Gymnastics) requesting the U13 Level 7 Stream be reintroduced back into the National Championships. The National SMC is in favour of this proposal however feedback must be requested from the State SMCs and from the Gymnastics Australia event staff before approving this request.

- **MAG Management Structure**

Bob Morton has been reviewing the MAG Management Structure and has forwarded a draft document to the National SMC for comment. This will be discussed at the November SMC meeting.

