



Minutes ~ Gymnastics for All Committee Meeting ~ AGM July 14, 2018

Location: OKANAGAN GYMNASTICS CENTRE – KELOWNA	Time: 1:00 P.M. PST
Attendance: Mary Morice - GFA Chair/Wayland Sports Nanaimo (WSN) Keara Urquhart (Hooi) – Gymnastics BC (GBC) Karleena Wiebe – Wayland Sports Nanaimo (WSN) Chantelle Yates – North Peace Gymnastics Association (NPGA) Tarin Henrickson – North Peace Gymnastics Association (NPGA) Amy Ward – North Peace Gymnastics Association (NPGA) Vincent Mazure – Vancouver Phoenix Gymnastics (VPG) Adriana Rojas – Vancouver Phoenix Gymnastics (VPG) Sherri Taylor – Flip City Gymnastics Club (FCGC) Deb Parsons – Flip City Gymnastics Club (FCGC) Jenna Hamilton– Inspire Sports Victoria (ISV) Erika Paskie – Flip City Gymnastics Club (FC) Lauren VanHamelena– Flip City Gymnastics Club (FCGC) Joey Parsons – Flip City Gymnastics Club (FCGC) IsaacMorcombe – Inspire Sports Victoria (ISV) Lucas Tiefenbach – Inspire Sports Victoria (ISV) June Tiefenbach – Inspire Sports Victoria (ISV) Ryan Cochrane – Kitimat Dynamics Gymnastics (KDG) Rhonda Saunders – Selkirk Challengers Gymnastics Club (SCGC) Kim Swettilshoff – Selkirk Challengers Gymnastics Club (SCGC) Richelle Engelsmeier – Okanagan Gymnastics Centre (OGC) Levi Greaves – Terrace Peaks Gymnastics Club (TPGC) Cori Calkins – Okanagan Gymnastics Centre (OGC) Tami Calkins – Okanagan Gymnastics Centre (OGC) Julie Fazekas – River City Gymnastics (RCG) Lily Hawley – River City Gymnastics (RCG) Riley Feere – Kamloops Gymnastics Trampoline Centre /River City Gymnastics (KGTC/RCG) Alysha Muzio – River City Gymnastics (RCG) Brittany Hawkins – Wayland Sports Chilliwack (WSC) Michelle Quinn – Wayland Sports Richmond (WSR)	Regrets: Emily Knudsgaard – Key City Gymnastics (KCG) Bre Erickson - Kamloops Gymnastics Trampoline Centre (KGTC) Penny Erickson - Kamloops Gymnastics Trampoline Centre (KGTC) Dana Kimura – Wayland Sports Richmond (WSR) Taffy Duncan – White Rock Gymnastics (WRG) Carlene Lewall – Delta Gymnastics Society (DGS) Erin Hipkiss – Elk Valley Gymnastics (EVG) Norma Jones – Langley Gymnastics Foundation (LGF) Cristina Leighton – Elk Valley Gymnastics (EVG) Vicky Wong – Starjumper Performance Inc. (SJP)

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1. Welcome and call to order 12:47 p.m.

2. Agenda

2.1 Additions to agenda

N/A

2.2 Approve agenda

Motion: To approve of the agenda for July 14, 2018

Moved: June Tiefenbach (ISV), Brittany Hawkins (WSC)

CARRIED

3. Meeting Minutes

3.1 Amendments or additions to past minutes [April 13, 2018]

N/A

3.2 Approve past minutes [April 13, 2018]

Motion: To approve of the past minutes from April 13, 2018

Moved: Tami Calkins (OGC)

CARRIED

4. Program areas

4.1 Gymnaestrada

- 2018 BC Gymnaestrada
 - 526 gymnasts and 62 coaches were in attendance
 - Request from the floor to have stricture requirements for event venues
 - GymBC and the GFA Committee will be reviewing the Gymnaestrada Hosting Guide and all event requirements and processes.
- 2019 BC Gymnaestrada
 - Will be co-hosted by Gymnastics BC and Lion's Pride Gymnastics Academy on May 24-26, 2019 in Victoria, BC.
- 2020 BC Gymnaestrada
 - A quick review of the hosting package will be done in the fall.
 - The application to host package will subsequently be distributed before the end of the year.



- 2018 Canadian Gymnaestrada
 - 1,271 participants took part in the event.
 - Quick poll of meeting attendees showed that approximately 2/3 of those in attendance were aware that the event was held in BC (Richmond) this year.

4.2 Recreational Parkour Program

- To date, we have 36 certified parkour coaches in BC.
- The next certification opportunity will be from August 31, 2018 to September 2, 2018 in Chilliwack, BC.

4.3 CanGym Revitalization Project

- Project is ongoing, currently in the first pilot phase with 3 participating BC clubs.
- BC will need additional clubs to participate in the second phase. We are looking for different types of clubs (various geographic locations, sizes, set-up/take-downs, etc.) to participate – attendees were asked to contact Keara if their club would like more information.

4.4 2019 GFA Retreat

- Time of year of GFA retreat – discussion.
- Result: Looking towards a July weekend in 2019 that does not coincide with World Gymnaestrada travel dates, or US Congress.
- 2019 application to host package will be distributed next month.

4.5 Adult Programs

- As the Adult program code has not been reviewed in some time, GymBC will be reaching out to clubs with adult programs to seek feedback.
- Discussion ensued about adult classes and programming in general.

ACTION: Keara to connect those that expressed interest in sharing best practices and experiences on their adult programming.

4.6 Other GFA Objectives

- The group was asked what areas or initiatives they would like to see next in the area of GFA.
- Discussion ensued.
- Ideas included:
 - Hands-on workshops for coaches
 - Parkour resources (toolbox)
 - Contact list for gyms (ie. GFA coordinators or head coaches)
 - Special Needs training/program development
 - Circus arts
 - Additional GFA performance opportunities/festivals



4.7 Nominations for the 2018-2019 GFA Committee

- Interested candidates were reminded that participation requires attendance at a minimum of 3 out of 4 committee meetings.
- 2018-2019 committee members & areas of interest:
 - Dana Kimura (WSR) **nominated for Interclub*
 - Darby Walker (NGS) **nominated for Gymnaestrada*
 - Tami Calkins (OGC) – Special Needs, Interclub
 - Sherri Taylor (FCGC) – Coach Development, Special Needs
 - June Tiefenbach (ISV) – CanGym
 - Chantelle Yates (NPGA) – Active Start
 - Adriana Rojas (VPG) – Special Needs, Adult **TBC*
 - Karleena Wiebe (WSN) – Gymnaestrada
 - Brittany Hawkins (WSC) – Gymnaestrada, Adult, Interclub
 - Michelle Quinn (WSR) – Adult
 - Jenna Hamilton (ISV) – Member-At-Large

4.8 Next Meeting – Friday, October 12 at 1:00 p.m.

5.0 Adjournment – 1:52 p.m.

Motion: To adjourn

Moved: Brittany Hawkins (WSR)

Seconded: Karleena Wiebe (NGS)

CARRIED