MPC Minutes – May 24, 2008

I. Meeting called to Order at 9:54 CDT by Dennis McIntyre acting for Yoichi Tomita

II. Roll Call: Members Present
   Steve Butcher - Junior Coaches Representative
   Stacy Maloney - Junior Coaches Representative
   Jay Thornton - Athlete Representative.
   John Roethlisberger – Athlete Representative
   Dennis McIntyre- Men’s Program Director (Voice, no Vote)
   Jeff Robinson- Junior Program Director (Voice, no Vote)

   Not Present:
   Yoichi Tomita- Chairman - Due to affiliation
   Jon Valdez- Senior Coaches Representative – Due to affiliation
   Russ Fystrom- Senior Coaches Representative - Due to affiliation
   Butch Zunich- President NGJA

   Guests Present:
   Steve Penny
   Ron Galimore

I. MPC discussed the results of the Men’s Visa Championships for selection of four remaining National Team positions

   • Motion: To select Justin Spring, Tim McNeil, Yewki Tomita and Guillermo Alvarez for the four remaining National Team positions.

      Motion: Jay Thornton
      Second: Steve Butcher
      Passed: 4 - 0

II. Petitions:

   • MPC discussed petition submitted by Sean Townsend to be placed on the National Team

      Motion: To place Sean Townsend on the 2008 National Team.

      Motion: Steve Butcher
      Motion died because of a lack of second

   • MPC discussed petition submitted by Sean Townsend to compete at the 2008 Olympic Trials.

      Motion to approve Sean Townsend’s petition to compete at the 2008 Olympic Trials

      Motion: Stacy Maloney
      Second: Jay Thornton
      Passed: 4 – 0
MPC discussed petition from Taqi Abdullah to compete at the 2008 Olympic Trials. MPC determined that the petition did not meet the criteria to be considered.

*Note – All athletes who compete at the Olympic Trials will wear USOC/FIG compliant apparel supplied by USA Gymnastics during the competition.

III. Motion to adjourn.

   Motion: Stacy Maloney
   Second: Steve Butcher
   Passed: 4 - 0

Respectfully submitted

Jay Thornton

Approved by: Dennis McIntyre, Men’s Program Director

Approved by: Steve Penny, USAG President