

**Junior Olympic Program Committee Conference Call  
February 1, 2018  
Call Minutes**

*The conference call was called to order, Thursday, February 1<sup>st</sup>, 2018, @ 12:00 PM EDT, by David Klein, Chair, JOPC.*

**Opening Remarks; David Klein, Committee Chair.**

**I. Roll call:**

Region 1: Adam Lomax  
Region 2: David Klein  
Region 3: Jarit Pogue  
Region 4: Dale Bullivant  
Region 5: Doug Burton  
Region 6: Daniel Young  
Region 7: Rich Pulsfort (absent)  
Region 8: Kevin White  
Region 9: Mark Bogoger  
NGJA Rep. – Craig Nesbit  
Jr. Rep. MPC – Sergei Pakanich (absent)  
Jr. Rep. MPC – Mike Serra (absent)  
Jr. Staff Rep – Tom Meadows

Men's Program Staff: voice, no vote

Vice President of Men's Program - Dennis McIntyre  
Junior Olympic Program Coordinator - Dusty Ritter  
High performance director Brett McClure  
Men's Program Manager – Lisa Mendel (absent)

Discussion regarding competition format for the 2018 Elite Team Cup

1. Background Information

- A. 6-5-4 format voted on by JOPC
- B. Technical Packet for ETC says 6-4-3
- C. Jeff Smith, USA Gymnastics Events Staff: concern with timing of meet

Motion: for the 2018 ETC, the 6-5-4 format will remain the same. Each region will have a 6 man team, 5 athletes will compete per event, and 4 scores will count.

Motion: Kevin White

Second: Tom Meadows

Approved Unanimously

2. Strategies to accommodate the time format of the ETC

- A. Expeditious judgments
- B. Athletes salute at start time
- C. Athletes move efficiently from event to event
- D. Athletes ready to compete directly after one touch; as the green flag is raised the athlete salutes.

Motion to adjourn:

Motion: Daniel Young

Second: Dale Bullivant

*Respectfully Submitted: Daniel E. Young, Sc.D., JOPC Secretary*