

Women's International Elite Committee

Meeting
July 28, 2007

I. Roll Call:

IECC	Steve Rybacki
Cochair Representatives	Mihai Brestyan
	Valeri Luikin (Absent for items I & II)
	Mary Lee Tracy (Absent for items I & II)
Alternate	Donna Strauss (Voting on items I & II)
National Team Coordinator	Martha Karolyi
Athlete Representative	Kim Zmeskal
Senior Director Women's Prog	Kathy Kelly

II. National Championships qualifiers

Recommendation to approve 24 junior international entries to the championships of USA. To include score qualified athletes, accepted petitioned athletes and by naming an additional 8 non score qualified athletes in rank order from the US Classic.

Recommendation to approve 19 senior international entries to the championships of USA. To include score qualified athletes, accepted petitioned athletes and by naming an additional 2 non score qualified athletes in rank order from the US Classic.

Motion: Donna Strauss
Second: Kim Zmeskal
PASSED

III. Junior and senior national team selection

Recommendation to add an additional requirement that any junior athlete at the 2007 USA Championships must have an average score of 54.00 or better to be automatically placed on the national team.

Recommendation to add an additional requirement that any senior athlete at the 2007 USA Championships must have an average score of 56.00 or better to be automatically placed on the national team.

Any national team spots that are not used at championships will be added to the 4 wild card spots to be determined by the athlete selection committee. Junior athletes who did not average a 54.00 or better and senior athletes who did not average a 56.00 or better at the 2007 VISA Championships are still eligible for wild card spots onto the National Team."

Motion: Mihai Brestyan
Second: Donna Strauss
PASSED

IV. Right to petition

Motion that if an athlete receives the necessary score to qualify to a classic competition during the current competitive year according to the elite qualification chart, she has the right to petition to championships if she is unable to compete at classics due to an injury. In this case no requirement to attend a training camp applies during that year.

Motion: Mihai Brestyan
Second: Donna Strauss
PASSED