

INTERNATIONAL ELITE COMMITTEE

April 22, 2010

Chairman	Steve	Rybacki
Coach Representatives		Marvin Sharp
		Mihai Brestyan
	Valeri	Liukin
National Team Coordinator		Martha Karolyi
Vice President Program		Kathy Kelly

- I. Pan American Selection Procedures
The committee discussed the selection process and made the following recommendation.
Recommendation to accept the 2011 Pan American Selection Procedures as amended.
Motion Brestyan
Second Sharp
PASSED

- II. Team Size
The top 6 All Around Junior and Senior rank are automatically on the national team and fully funded. The Selection Committee will select a minimum of 8 additional slots fully funded for 3 months. The Selection Committee may select an additional unfunded 8 slots.
Motion Nastia Liukin
Second Brestyan
PASSED

- III. The committee discussed the national team responsibilities and instructed Kathy to strengthen the language in the National Team Manual regarding athlete responsibility and travel policies.

- IV. PAGU
The committee looked at the calendar and decided upon the November 9-14, 2010 for the PAGU camp.

- V. Elite Program
The committee reviewed the new initiatives introduced this year to the program (Zones, Judging Assignments, National Qualifiers, etc) and we for the most part pleased with the outcome. The committee requested that a call for bids for the 2011 National Qualifiers be sent out with a bid submission date of July 15th so that the calendar can be finalized at the Classic Meet. This will allow for the host clubs to promote better and the participating athletes clubs to better plan for attendance.