

INTERNATIONAL ELITE COMMITTEE
April 20, 2011

Chairman Steve Rybacki
Coach Representatives Valeri Liukin
 Mihai Brestyan
 Mary Lee Tracy

Alternate:

National Team Coordinator Martha Karolyi
Athlete Representative Absent
Vice President Program Kathy Kelly

Meeting convened at 12:30 p.m.

I. Qualification Scores to Classics/Championships

The committee discussed the current qualification scores and made the following recommendation.

Recommendation that for the 2011 season the Senior scores are:

Senior International	Three event score	Two event score
To classic	40.50	27.50
To Championships	41.25	28.00

Motion Mihai Brestyan
Second Mary Lee Tracy
PASSED

CLARIFICATION

These scores are retroactive for any 2011 competition which includes the two national qualifiers that have taken place in Feb.

- Athletes competing on all 4 events MAY qualify with a 2 or 3 event score.
- Athletes qualifying from a national qualifier to the classics meets with a 2 or 3 event score MAY compete on all 4 events at a classic.
- Athletes qualifying to the 2011 Visa Championships with a 2 or 3 event score MAY ONLY compete on the events which they qualified with.
- If a vault score is used there is no longer the requirement to perform 2 vaults.

II. 2012 Calendar

A general discussion regarding the 2012 calendar with a proposal for preparing the Olympic Team. The committee agreed with the proposal. Kathy will begin communication with the event staff and other countries.

III. National Qualifier

The first date for the 2012 National Qualifiers will be February 3-4 weekend. Those interested in hosting a Qualifier should submit a bid to Steve Rybacki by May 20, 2011.

IV. Funding

The committee reviewed funding for the team members who were awarded funding by being named to the National Team in November. One athlete did not meet requirements but the following team members will continue to receive funding: Jordyn Wieber, Bridgette Caquatto and Shawn Johnson. Committee members who had athletes considered for funding recused themselves from the discussion.

Meeting Adjourned at 1:45 p.m.