

INTERNATIONAL ELITE COMMITTEE  
September 17, 2012

Chairman	Steve Rybacki
Coach Representatives	Valeri Liukin Mary Lee Tracy Mihai Brestyan
Alternate	Liang Qiao (absent)
National Team Coordinator	Martha Karolyi
Vice President Program	Kathy Kelly
Managing Director Athlete And Coaching	Kim Riley

I. Administration Issues

Steve informed the committee that the Women's Program Committee accepted the IEC recommendation to streamline the program by having all decisions regarding the elite athlete development be under the jurisdiction of the IEC.

II. Calendar

The committee reviewed and produced the 2013 calendar which will be distributed to the coaches.

III. TOPS & Developmental Programs

The committee reviewed the most recent camp reports and the feedback we have received from the coaches. The overall report is that both programs have been well received and participation is high.

IV. Judges' Issues

The committee discussed Judge Selection for the Intercontinental Course, and made the following recommendation for judges to attend the course.

Cheryl Hamilton, Pat Panichas and Tatiana Perskaia

The committee requested that a Judges' Protocol be established for communication concerning judging issues and concerns.

V. Physical Ability Testing

The committee discussed the National Team Physical Abilities Testing and made the following recommendation.

Recommendation to replace the High Jump test with 3 back tucks to a rebound.

Motion Brestyan

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