

Southern California T&T General Meeting  
Saturday, June 20, 2009  
Team OC, Costa Mesa

Meeting called to order 12:15 pm

I. Roll Call

Danita Barnard  
Glenn Wilson  
Susan Wilson  
Lesley Gill  
Deanna Hanford  
Karl Ziehn  
Justice Frangipane  
Doug Boger  
Patti Silvis  
Matt Williams  
Peter Dodd, late

II. Board member reports

- A. Danita Barnard, State Chair report
- 1) 18 registered teams, 6 are new
  - 2) 280 athletes in levels 4 through Sr Elite. State championships had between 244 - 238 athletes.
- B. Lesley Gill, Treasurer's report
- 1) Reported current balance as \$6,143.17 before new year's income and expenses are considered. This amount is lower than desired for going into a Worlds/WAG year.
  - 2) Major purchases included a scoring system at \$2,087.00 and reimbursing Logan Dooley \$500 for the Olympics as well as yearly obligations for web site, mobility tracking, State Pins and miscellaneous supplies. Total payables were \$3,561.09 for 2008-9 competition year.
  - 3) Anticipate a large funding responsibility for many State athletes who are expected to qualify for WAG or for Worlds in St. Petersburg, Russia.
  - 4) Waiting for Regional (2007, 2008, and 2009) and National (2006, 2007, 2008) rebates due.
  - 5) Importance of earmarking all monies received reviewed by Danita.
- C. Rich Trimboli, Elite report, submitted to Danita Barnard in absentia
- 1) Strong elite program with 14 State elites, 5 Sr and 9 Jr amongst 5 clubs
  - 2) 4 athletes are in the Elite Development Program
  - 3) 15 athletes are on the National JumpStart team
  - 4) Large numbers of level 10 athletes, some will enter the elite program this year
- D. Deanna Hanford, Judge's report
- 1) Discussed protocol for Inquiries at JO Nationals, competition cards and handed out updated difficulty sheets.
  - 2) Advised meet hosts to provide separate meals for judges and coaches.
  - 3) Suggested coaches in the northern areas of So Cal take the judges courses and recruit individuals from their gyms to become judges. No need for more judges in the southern San Diego area.
- E. Karl Ziehn, Coach's report
- 1) Discussion of lack of national funding for Dm and Tumbling.

- 2) Report on the success of the 2008 Region 2 TnT Benefit Camp. 120 Athletes and 24 coaches. Profits from the camp will go to Region 2 Worlds/WAG qualifiers who attended the camp.
- 3) Plans are to expand the scope of the camp and invite elite athletes, since there is no more national team camps for DM and Tumbling athletes.
- 4) Discussion of what this year's camp will be like, with a separate preparation group for the final selection qualifiers

F. Justice Frangipane, Athlete's report

- 1) While the competition format is good for JO kids, the elite athletes are hidden within the level 10 competitors, usually at the end of the night. He suggested that local meets might have the elites exhibition while waiting for awards. It would be motivating for both the developmental athletes as well as rewarding for the elite athletes.
- 2) Will produce a T&T promotional dvd using SoCal athletes.

II. Discussion of upcoming events: JO Nationals, Visa Championships, World Championships/WAG

III. Discussion of hosting a State clinic for athletes, coaches and judges

IV. Discussion of developing a request form for Athlete Funding and update the policies.

V. Announcement and transition of 2009-11 State Board

State Chair	Danita Barnard
Treasurer	Lesley Gill
Secretary	TBN
JO Rep	Glenn Wilson
Elite Rep	Karl Ziehn
Technical Rep	Deanna Hanford
Coaches Rep	Rich Trimboli
Athlete Rep	Peter Dodd

Meeting adjourned at 1:55 pm.