

The mission of NAWGJ is to provide professional development for it's members and to support and promote women's gymnastics in the United States

**NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF WOMEN'S GYMNASTICS JUDGES
WASHINGTON STATE COMMITTEE MINUTES
AUGUST 2, 2024**

The meeting was called to order by Michelle Ladow at 11:06am, at Ellensburg , WA.

Members Attending:

- Michelle Ladow: SJD
- Amanda Johnson: Secretary/Financial
- Pam Harper: At Large
- Laurel Tindall: At Large
- Michelle Ripple: Assigner
- Denise Green – Webmaster (Appointed)

Absent:

- Leah Mohtes-Chan: Education

COMMITTEE IDEAS/DISCUSSION

- Mission/Goals of NAWGJ
- Review of Committee Members Duties/Tasks
- Review of Bylaws/Canons
- Access to SJD:
 - Michelle will respond to emails within a timely manner
 - If unavailable her email will state so
 - Can be reached 5:00-7:00 am or after 4:00 pm
- Assigning
 - Emergency Plan for a late cancel Judge
 - Order of Assignments: clubs/judges (WA and Out of State)
 - Assigning Team plans to reach out to judges individually
 - Michelle R – will be implementing a reminder email for assignments/removals
 - MR assigning events was discussed. Committee agreed to continue as we have been doing.
- Fundraiser Meet: Dec 6-8
 - Pam Harper – organizer for NAWGJ
 - Athlete cards will be the same as last year (with technical updates)
- Membership
 - Reaching out to help UPDATE HISTORY

- Individual Judges will reach out to MEET DIRECTOR for travel arrangements

SJD/COMMITTEE GOALS

- Continue with a focus on Education
- Membership Encouragement/Acknowledgement
- Sending “team” to National Judges Cup 2026

MOTION to have RJD retain the 2024 membership disbursement: Laurel Tindall

SECOND: Michelle Ripple

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MOTION to place funds (\$30,000) in 7 month CD at US BANK; these funds set aside for Education/Testing for 2026: Michelle Ripple

SECOND: Amanda Johnson

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MOTION for SJD Michelle Ladow to request Laptop, up to \$1,500, purchase approval from RJD:
Amanda Johnson

SECOND: Laurel Tindall

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BUDGET

Proposed Budget for May 31, 2024 through Jan 31, 2025 has been emailed (8/2/2024) to State Committee for approval.

COMMITTEE ACTION

- Awards
 - Pam – Pins
 - Amanda – Voting for Awards to Membership
- Hall of Fame Update for Website - Denise

TOPICS FOR FUTURE DISCUSSION

- Additional Support for Committee/Subcommittee Formations
- Criteria for Education Reimbursement
- Paying for additional Judging fees: New Judges/Current Membership
- Mentorship/New Judges

NEXT MEETING TBD

Meeting Adjourned: 4:12pm