

MINUTES OF THE TRAMPOLINE SPORTS SMC MEETING HELD 28TH APRIL 2003 AT 78 CAMILLO DRIVE, KELMSCOTT

MEETING OPENED AT 6.45 PM

PRESENT: PAM WALKER, GERRY WOODS, ROY ROBINSON, MELISSA BERRINGTON, PHILLIPA PREUSS, MICHELLE MATTHEWS, MAUREEN TURK, DICK TOWNSEND.

APOLOGIES: HANS MENGEL

BUSINESS ARISING FROM PREVIOUS MINUTES:

2b. Leotard was shown at TCTC comp not at Cirque de Gymnastique due to time.

1. Michelle to contact media, she said that the pack she was given said that media had already been given info on Cirque.

Roy asked if the SMC could give Lynn some feedback on the Cirque.

9. Michelle presented some info on car number plates, cost \$110 a pair, retail approx \$150.

10. Car stickers no info available yet.

CORRESPONDENCE IN AND OUT

	National Levels info
Colin Pretorius	New Tumbling coach in Vic Derek Hanson from Canada
Victoria	New rules for short track tumbling
NSW	State Age May 24/25
Russell Smart	Nominations for Athletes and Coach of the Year
G.A.	Tech Bulletin No 1
Lynn Martin	Cirque de Gymnastique wrap up
Hans Mengel	Resignation as State Coach
Gratton Wilson	request for Annual report
Tasmania	Competition 26 th April
Ben Kelley	UTA challenge info
“ “	ACT now part of Alliance
Sports MC	Board update

GENERAL BUSINESS

1 Qualifying Comp

40 Bouncers, Tramp in the morning and DMT in the afternoon.

The State team will be announced after the comp. New forms and rules to be given to bouncers. Parents will need to be there to sign forms and need to get medical clearance.

2 Rockingham Comp

will now be on June 14th and 15th and will not be a qualifying comp. There will be a qualifying comp at State training on May 25th for those who haven't qualified both disciplines.

State training will be on the following dates:

25th May, 2nd June, 21st June, times to be decided.

3 South Australia Tour

Michelle Firman may not be able to go to South Australia, due to health problems, her flight has already been booked. Pam to check with Qantas to see if her ticket can be changed, if necessary.

4 Nationals

Airfares for Nationals are approx \$900 – cheaper flights are available if leaving on Thursday. Roy suggested to Pam to contact Gratton to see if he can get a better deal. Pam, Dick and approx 12 bouncers will be going. Pam and Dick have courses on the Friday and Saturday and will need to talk to Gratton regarding the problem of supervision whilst at the courses. Pam and Roy to organise Nationals 2003 in consultation with Gymnastics WA. Moved Dick, seconded Gerry.

5 State Team Guidelines

These were given to coaches to give to their club bouncers who are going to Nationals.

6 Coaching - Gym Clubs

Some gym clubs are having problems with trampolining in their clubs. Dick, Pam and Lynn to meet to discuss the problems and see if ideas for training and coaching methods can be implemented.

7 Athletes with Disabilities

Maureen raised the issue of Medical Clearance for Athletes with Disabilities, physical or medical. Trampolining is not suitable for athletes with certain disabilities, unless a Doctor has issued a Medical Clearance; this includes things like Down's syndrome, Epilepsy, Spina Bifida etc. If in doubt insist on a clearance to cover yourself.

8. Other Business

a With Hans resigning, Dick has agreed to step in as State Coach, Motion put that Dick to be State Coach, moved Pam, seconded Michelle. Phil and Melissa are helping out at State Training.

b Gymnastics WA State Competition to be held Sunday 7th September. A draft format was issued by Roy. There will only be a set and vol for Tramp and normal 4 passes for DMT.

c Parents have queried why the bouncers can't compete on only one day. It was discussed and one issue was equipment being set up and down. Parents need to realise that it is a two day competition and understand that it is not normally feasible to have both events on the same day.

d Roy would like the date of the SMC meetings in advance so he can plan ahead. Pam said that they are on the calendar issued at Conference but they will need to be reorganised as they do clash with other things. Dates set at the moment are July 21st and October 13th.

e Dick raised the issue of Spectator noise at competitions. At the Armadale comp a bouncer was given the chance to redo her routine. According to FIG code of points 5.4 DMT 5.4. Spectator noise is not classed as an interruption to a routine for DMT, nothing is said about tramp but it is assumed that the same ruling applies. We need to have a dispute panel set up to decide on these sort of issues at comp. The panel should consist of: Judging Co-ordinator, Superior Judge, D.D judge and 2 other judges. All should be level 2 and above and of different clubs if possible. The dispute panel will meet at the end of the round to discuss the issue and not during the round the problem occurred to prevent disruption to the comp.

Meeting Closed 8.35 pm.