

Fall Section Rep Meeting Minutes  
November 9, 2013

1. **Introductions**
2. **Season Timeline:** Updated and changes made. Be sure you pay close attention to the deadlines of various things on the timeline.
3. **Rankings:** Please refer to the Website for the weekly Rankings. Colleen will post them there and in the newspapers but she will not be sending out mass emails. Please Please also send her your scores...start sending them to her after your first two meets or so. Her email address is on the season timeline.
4. **Team Academic Award:** Note the deadlines on the season timeline...foam is on the mggca website.
5. **MGGCA Website:** The gymnastic coaches association website is frequently updated. You may have to push your refresh button to get the latest up date on your computer.
6. **All State-All State Honorable Mention:** There has been one change on the All State Honorable Mention...Bars HM we have changed from an 8.5 to an 8.4. Remember to Refresh the website in order to get the latest updated stuff.
7. **Remember DEADLINES are DEADLINES!**
8. **Hall of Fame:** Kim Mikyla was at the meeting to share information about the Hall of Fame. The process has been reevaluated, updated and everything put on paper so it is NEW and IMPROVED! Opening up better communication so everyone has a better understanding of how the process works. Thank you to our present Hall of Fame committee: Kim, Dave Maras, Mark Curley, Mike Flatten, Mark Sikich, Lynn Strand, Sandy Boss for all your hard work on that process! Enclosed in the Winter Chalk Talk is the new information and process. The information can also be found on the Website.  
\*\*it was also decided by the Section Reps that Class AA is greatly represented on the Hall of Fame committee but we needed some Class A people to represent the outstate coaches and help to bring in nominations from all the coaches around the state so LeeAnn Steen from MCW and Betty Haukabo from Park Rapids were voted on to the Hall of Fame Committee.
9. **Fall Clinic Evaluations:** A HUGE Thank you to our Clinicians that presented at our Fall Clinic! Each of you did an amazing job and we appreciate your willingness to share your valuable information to your peers! Thank YOU! We believe it was one of the best Clinics yet! We had very positive responses and some said it was one of the best in 30 years! So thank you again!  
Some Clinic Ideas for next fall:
  - \*Beginning spotting clinic
  - \*Sport psychologist
  - \*Resources to turn into long-term coaches

\*How to handle parents

\*Coaches mentoring young coaches – mentor – mentee program

THANK YOU to Terry Hardy for Hosting the Clinic at Park!! Great Venue!

**10. State Banquet:** Minneapolis Marriott – State Banquet information will be posted on the MGGCA website.

**11. Advisory Committee: Met with Jody Redman in October 2013**

a. Tabled the State Qualification Ideas

b. Talked about Invites and possibly change the wording so we can have more gymnasts compete at an Invite. With that in mind though we need to remember that the total number of meets we can have is 16.

If we change the verbiage of the invites it could affect the number of meets we are allowed. Something we will continue to discuss and look at. Talk with your Section Rep if you have questions or ideas.

Please Remember not to miss the DEADLINES for things!! Deadlines are Deadlines!!

Have a great season!

Meeting Adjourned

If you have questions or concerns please feel free to email me.

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Happy Holidays!

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