



2008 USA Gymnastics Wisconsin Spring Newsletter (Waynz World 3/29/08)

Submitted by Judy Schalk - WI USAG Secretary

State Administrative Committee

State Chair..... Rick Nelson
 Secretary..... Judy Schalk
 Meet Assigner..... Jan Adkins
 Competitive Chair..... Jane Schrimpf
 Member at Large..... Jim Melcarek
 Board Member..... Dale Hardt
 Board Member..... Greg LaFleur
 Board Member..... J. Orkowski
 Ethics Committee..... Dale Hardt &
 (Non-voting) Lynn Peterson

State Web Site

www.WisconsinWomensGymnastics.com

NOTICE: No General Membership Summer State Meeting—A State Board meeting will be scheduled after Nationals. No State Meeting was held in December at the Compulsory State Meet.

State Meet Qualifying Scores & Entry Fees for the 2008-2009 season.

Level 4	33.00	AA	\$28	\$32
Level 5	32.00	AA		\$35
Level 6	31.00	AA		\$35
Level 7	31.00	AA		TBD
Level 8	30.00	AA		TBD
Level 9	32.00	AA		TBD
Level 10	32.00	AA		TBD
Compulsory State Meet				\$60
Optional State Meet			\$70	\$75

2-Judge Panels now Required at all Seasonal Level 4 Meets. The Level 4 meet entry fee was raised as a result of this decision. Optional State Meet fee was raised to stay in line with the Regional entry fee.

Level 5 Placement Awards – using Level 6 guidelines are now required. Achievement ribbons have been dropped for Level 5.

Off-Site State Meet Bids – will continue to receive priority. On-site bids may be submitted but given lower priority unless no other bids are submitted.

Online Surveys – are being implemented to get membership feedback on current Wisconsin issues. The Level 3 competition is currently being debated

with decisions forthcoming at the next State Board Meeting. We thank Jay Orkowski for his technical efforts in this undertaking.

Affiliation of Judges at State Meet – It has been our state policy not to assign affiliated judges to State Meet though by the national standard they may be assigned but not as Chief Judge. We will defer to the national policy in cases where the State Board deems it prudent to do so especially regarding National Judges eligible for the Regional Meet rotation.

Rick Nelson Unopposed in 2008 State Chairperson Election. Thanks for your continued service, Rick.

2008 Compulsory State Clinic – Late July. North Shore Academy submitted the only bid and will host the Wisconsin State Compulsory Clinic.

2009 Optional Schedule as of now:

Harley Invite – Mar. 6-8

Submit seasonal meet dates and bids for State Meet to State Chairman by **June 1 deadline.**

2009 Optional State Meet Date – April 4-5. This is one week later to accommodate a conflict with Region 4 Championships and NCAA Nationals.

Contributor of the Year Award – Jan Adkins

Congratulations to Jan and thanks for your contributions to Wisconsin Gymnastics.

USAG-WI \$1000 Donation to Apparel Fund – The Regional Administrative Committee solicited a recommended \$1,000 donation from the States. We complied as requested.

REMINDER: Head Tax Past Due – Many clubs are in the arrears for payment for this past season. Please check your records and send Rick Nelson a complete roster of competitive athletes along with \$2/athlete.

Region 4 Board Meeting Notes

2009 Regionals moved to April 23-26, Chula Vista, Wisconsin Dells due to a conflict with NCAA Nationals to be held in Lincoln, NE, Apr. 16-18.

Regional Mini-Congress July 11-13, Coralville, IA

National Technical Meeting May 19-20 – Your input of agenda items is welcome. Go to: [www.http://region4gymnastics.com](http://region4gymnastics.com)

Congratulations Level 8, 9 & 10 Regional Competitors

2008 Regional Training Camps:

Training Camp #1 – Sept 5-7 TBD
 Training Camp #2 – Sept 26-28 TBD
 High Performance – Oct. 17-19 TBD
 (Bid submitted by Greg LaFleur)

Regional Coach of the Year – Mike Hunger

**2008 Wisconsin USAG
 Level 4, 5, & 6 Meet Schedule**

DATE '08	LEVEL	SITE
Sept. 6-7	4,5&6	Racine Gym. Ctr
	4,5&6	Gymfinity
Sept. 13-14	4,5&6	M&M
Sept. 20-21	4,5&6	Swiss Turners
	4,5&6	Madtown Twisters
Sept. 27-28	4,5&6	Judges Meet - Scamps
Oct. 4-5	4,5&6	Altius
Oct. 11-12	4,5&6	WCGC
Oct. 18-19	4,5,&6	Northshore
	4,5&6	Carousel
Oct. 25-26	4,5&6	Salto
Nov. 1-2	4,5,&6	LaFleur's
	4,5,&6	WGA
Nov. 8-9	4,5,&6	Midwest-OC
	4,5,&6	GymTastics
Nov. 15-16	4,5,&6	CSA
Nov. 22-23	4,5,&6	Scamps
	4,5,&6	OGC
Dec. 6-7	4,5,&6 State	Gymfinity – MAC Verona

L-10 Team Results

- MN 187.925
- WI 186.625**
- MO 186.125
- NE 183.950
- IA 180.625

L-9 Team Results

- MN 186.050
- IA 184.775
- NE 182.975
- WI 182.150**
- MO 181.050

L-8 Team Results

- MO 190.400
- IA 188.550
- MN 187.375
- WI 187.150**
- NE 185.475
- SD 180.950
- ND 177.825

Good Luck !

Level 10 Nationals & Level 9 Westerns Qualifiers.
 Due to the partial publication of results on the Regional web site, I'm unable to list the qualifiers and scores.