

USAW Masters Council Meeting Minutes

Date: June 12, 2025

Platform: Zoom

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Participants

- **Present:** Gwen Chamberlain, Aimee Everett, Tom Sroka (joined 9:10 ET), Mira Kwon Gracia, Carlos Hernandez, Mike Choi (board liaison)
 - **Absent:** Melissa Doherty, JP (staff liaison), Bob Takano
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1. Call to order:

- **Time:** 9:05 PM (ET)
 - **Facilitator:** Mike Choi
 - **COI Disclosures:**
 - AE: Athlete, club owner and coach
 - CH: Athlete club owner and coach
 - GC: Athlete and coach, WSO member
 - MG: Athlete and coach, referee, WSO member
 - TS: Coach and club owner
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2. Old Business

- **Masters Qualifying Totals (QT):** Topic tabled until JP is able to give an update. Was unable to attend meeting because of personal business.
 - Next action: Staff update on review of council's proposal.
- **Hall of Fame Points (HoF):** Mira engaged her statistician friend. He has a framework he thinks that works. Sample Athlete given to test assumptions.. May get an update from the statistician in a week.
 - Next action: Gwen will email a spreadsheet of her results to provide another sample data set.

3. Discussion Topics

- **Masters uniforms.** All for purchase, includes shirt, jacket pants, and singlet. Components for discussion include: USAW masters logo, athlete name. Other suggestions include “USA” and USA flag. TS suggested we include elements required by IMWA so athlete has flexibility to buy only one singlet.
 - Next action: Mike to provide merch samples to group. Group to decide on designs. Requested simple, minimal, subtle.
 - **Social media for UMWF.** AE, TS provided their teams resources to help with UMWF social media. MG
 - Next steps: Mike to provide UMWF Brand Kit with ChatGPT.
 - **Sport80 filters.** New weight classes showing old classes in filters. Not possible to filter with new weight classes unless the user scrapes from Sport80 data and sorts in Excel. Will be researched and resolved by staff asap.
 - **Follow-up from JP (June 13):** The issue with old categories appearing in the entry list filter will be resolved after National Championships Week 2025. These categories were left in the event sanctions (but hidden from athlete registration) to allow entry for those who qualified under the old standards. However, the filter still picked them up. Going forward, as seen in Virus 2 and Virus Finals, only the new categories will appear.
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3. Adjournment

- **Time:** 9:30 PM (ET)