# Artistic Sport Committee meeting March 27th, 2024 at 8:30pm EST –

*Present:* Joyann Donaldson (athlete), Jody Harrah (chair), John Hultquist, Jaymee Meloy (athlete), Lawaun Modrich (arrived at 8:40pm), Stephanie Moore, Janet Pavilonis, Katelyn Rodgers (athlete) (arrived at 8:45pm), Kristen Taylor, Amy Waters (arrived at 8:38pm)

Absent:

## Meeting was called to order at 8:33pm EST.

- 1. Officials Committee Update
  - a. Patricia Bauler joined to provide the update
  - b. Discussed use of Sport80 to upload judge certifications and the logistics that would be required.
  - c. Discussed costume checks, determining that doing this at the regional and national level is necessary. ASC will communicate to the Regions the criteria for costume checks.
  - d. Discussed updating the medals and logos on the national podium presentation and contacting Bob Styma to do this.
  - e. Discussed the "three jump rule" and how the way it is worded and B and C event this rule would not apply.

## 2. Sport80

- a. Jody to contact Brent to see if World Skate credentials can be added for Judges for easier reference for meet qualifications. Officials Committee will determine how they will keep judges current.
- 3. Three Jump Rule
  - a. Determined to revisit this rule for next season
- 4. World Skate Participation Survey
  - a. Amy and John to work with Nellie on taking a survey of which judges wish to remain active with their World Skate credentials. This work to begin now to be ready for next season.
- 5. Declaration of Conflicts
  - a. No new conflicts to declare
- 6. 2024 February Meeting Minutes
  - a. Joyann motioned to approve the 2024 February Meeting minutes, Amy seconded. Motion approved by acclamation.
- 7. Subcommittees
  - a. Academy Leaders
    - i. Kristen discussed positive feedback from Free Skating Webinars
    - ii. Accepted 2024 January and February minutes.
  - b. Regional Reps

- i. Lawaun gave a brief summary of the minutes, highlighting the use of the integer system on judges' sheets and requests to declare intention of skipping nationals if qualifying so that next skater can have the spot, and splitting Freshman and Sophomore B, and move out rules for Sophomore and other proposals.
- ii. Minutes accepted

#### c. Officials committee

- i. Amy summarized the 2024 March meeting minutes, highlighting data operator commissions, updates in Sports80, and continuing education to be further discussed in April.
- ii. Jody to reach out to Scott about updates on World Skate Judging System license.
- iii. Proposed a request of the officials committee to create a flowchart of data operators.
- iv. Minutes accepted

### 8. Old Business

- a. Sport80 Update
  - Discussed earlier
- b. Judge training for Nationals
  - i. Discussed earlier
- c. Music Certification Letter
  - i. Accepted by officials committee and to be presented during webinar
- d. Adult and youth regional move-up rules
  - i. Joyann to make a fix to the PDF and then send them to Jody to send to Brent
- e. World Skate Script
  - i. Janet to send out a condensed version for approval.
- f. World Team Trainer
  - i. John to reach back out to see if any more info has been received as far as which trainers are available on those dates
- g. Webinars
  - i. Discussed coordinating with Carlesa to run the content sheet webinar after her precision webinar
  - ii. Determined to pre record the OCD webinar and send it out

### 9. New Business

- a. Petition from Penny Marchiel
  - i. Joyann motioned to approve the petition for J. Smith-Coonse to skate at the Bronze level. Janet seconded. Motion approved by acclamation.
- b. Email from Jodee Viola

- i. Discussed Jodee's concern about the adult schedule being physically demanding. Determined there was not anything we could do to change this in a way that is fair for all skaters.
- c. Kerri Hefner's request for World Cup series and Regional conflict
  - i. Discussed the steps she would need to take to approve the conflict
  - ii. Jody to email her a reminder of the March 31st deadline to complete the jotform and submit the proper documentation.
- d. Question from McElhiney
  - i. Skating the Classic International Solo does not count toward the three requirement. Jody to email her with answer.
- e. Question from Holms
  - i. Discussed the adult and youth crossover and determined per the 2024 rulebook, a skater can skate an adult freestyle event and a youth freestyle event in the same season (i.e. advanced and classic)
- f. National Schedule
  - i. Submit any final suggestions to Jody.
  - ii. Team coaches to submit possible team meeting times to be added to schedule
- g. Head Injury Protocol
  - i. Jody to reach out to Ricci about any protocol our organization follows
  - ii. Janet to check the meet director packet to see if anything already exists
- h. International Task Force
  - i. Janet to provide info to Vickie for the team handbook
  - ii. Jody to pass handbook to Ricci once updates are made
- i. Word Team & Figure Cup
  - Joyann to send out Jotform collecting info for potential World Team & Figure Cup participants

Next meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, April 24th, 2024 at 8:30pm EST.

#### Action items:

- ASC will communicate to the Regions the criteria for costume checks. Jody
- Reach out to Bob Styma to update logos and medals on podium presentation. Jody
- Amy and John to contact Nellie about World Skate credentials survey.
- Jody to reach out to Scott about updates on World Skate Judging System license.
- Joyann to make a fix to the PDF and then send them to Jody to send to Brent
- Janet to send out a condensed version of World Skate script for approval.
- John to reach back out to see if any more info has been received as far as which trainers are available for Worlds
- Jody to email a reminder of the March 31st deadline to complete the jotform and submit the proper documentation for Trieste World Cup

- Jody to email McElhiney in response to her question
- Jody to reach out to Ricci about any head injury protocol our organization follows
- Janet to check the meet director packet to see if anything already exists on head injury protocol
- Janet to provide info to Vickie for the World team handbook
- Jody to pass World Team handbook to Ricci once updates are made
- Joyann to send out Jotform collecting info for potential figure cup participants

Meeting adjourned at 11:01pm EST. (Joyann made a motion, Amy seconded). Motion approved by acclamation.

Submitted

Jaymee Meloy Secretary