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Illinois USA Gymnastics Women's Committee Minutes  
Special Meeting February 10, 2021

A special meeting (Go To Meeting) of the Illinois USA Gymnastics Women's Committee was held on Monday, February 10, 2021. Norbert Bendixen called the meeting to order at 930p.

**In attendance:**

Norbert Bendixen, Illinois USA Gymnastics State Administrative Committee Chairman  
Cyndi Zimmerman, J.O. Chairman  
Ron Nasti, Elite Chairman  
Shane Sanders, Level 9/10 Chairman  
Sari Engle, Level 8 Chairman  
Nick Becker, Level 6/7 Chairman  
Andy Morreale, Level 4/5 Chairman  
Brad Tubbs, Level 3 Chairman  
Cindy Morano, Xcel Gold/Platinum Chairman  
Jessica Holtz, Xcel Bronze/Silver Chairman  
Don McPherson, Safety Chairman  
Mary Lou Ackman, Secretary  
Michael Regula, Legislative Liaison (Non-Voting)  
Linda McDonald, NAWGJ Representative (Non-Voting)

A motion was made to set the 2021 Illinois State Meet gate fee to a flat \$15. No other rates will apply, i.e. seniors, children, other USAG members.

Motion: Sari Engle. Second: Jessica Holtz  
All in favor.  
Motion Passed.

A motion was made that 2021 Illinois State Meet Directors will communicate mitigation factors prior to their meet information going out including number of spectators allowed per gymnast. This information should be in the form of an email to Cyndi Zimmerman.

Motion: Sari Engle. Second: Cindy Morano  
All in favor.  
Motion Passed.

A motion was made to continue running all Illinois State Meets by age group as we have done in the past. Every effort will be made to have as many gymnasts from the same club together within a rotation.

Motion: Sari Engle. Second: Cyndi Zimmerman  
11 in Favor; 1 Abstained

A motion was made that an individual's scores competing in a virtual state meet will not count towards the in person state meet team scores.

Motion: Sari Engle. Second: Shane Sanders  
11 in Favor; 1 Abstained

A motion was made that Virtual State Meets will have their own Team Awards following the same criteria as the in person State Meets.

Motion: Jessica Holtz. Second: Sari Engle  
11 in Favor; 1 Opposed

\*\*Virtual State Meets will also have their own individual awards following the same criteria as the in person State Meets.

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Meeting adjourned by Norbert Bendixen at 1140p.

Minutes submitted by: Mary Lou Ackman

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Norbert Bendixen  
Norbert Bendixen Illinois State Chairman