



Region 8 Committee Meeting Agenda

12:30 – 2:15

July 29, 2023

Salem Ballroom 2

- I. Welcome – Meeting called to order at 12/39pm

- II. Roll Call

Mike Holdefer – AL	Mendi Knisley – SC
Toni Rand – FL	Larry Corrigan - TN
Becky Oppenheimer– GA	Michelle Pomerantz - RACC
Jackie Latino – LA	Brad Harris - RDPCC
Cynthia Dedeaux – MS (absent due to family emergency)	Evelyn Chandler - RTCC
Pam Kitchen – RXCC	
Karen Pleasants – NC	Diane Thompson – RJD
	Deb Kornegay – Former RACC

Cell phones and computers requested to be turned off.

(Request to move apparel to end of the meeting).

2025 Region 8 Regional bids:

*Brad Harris and Larry Corrigan recused 12:40pm

MOTION: Toni, Jackie 2nd

Award Level 9/10 Regionals April, 10-13 2025 to Tampa Bay Turners/Brad Harris in Bradenton, FL

PASSED - unanimous

*Brad returned to meeting 12:42pm

(Larry still recused)

MOTION: Mike, Karen 2nd

Award Level 6/7/8 Regionals April 25-27, 2025, to Gymnastics Counts/Josh Counts in Knoxville, TN

PASSED – unanimous

*Larry returned to meeting 12:47pm

MOTION: Pam, Larry 2nd

Award Xcel Regionals May 2-4, 2025, to Gymnastics Academy of Atlanta/Keina Dunn

PASSED – unanimous

2024 Regional Congress dates:

1st choice – June 13-16, 2024

2nd choice – June 6-9, 2024

-New planners were distributed to committee.

-Address books will be coming soon from Deb.

2026 Regional Competition dates:

April 10-12, 2026 Level 9/10

April 17-19, 2026 Level 6/7/8

May 1-3, 2026 Xcel

MOTION: Brad, Karen 2nd

Accept 2026 Regional Competition dates as presented.

PASSED – unanimous

National Congress

- State Chairman Workshop – Thursday August 24th 12:00pm - 6:00pm
- Women's Program reception, Thursday August 24th 6:00pm
 - Toni receiving 35yr award, and Mike receiving 5yr award.
- HOF banquet – table purchased/contribution from Region 8

New Business:

- Michelle requesting ~\$5k in funds to support a new and updated Regional website.

Winter meeting:

Considering December 5th or 6th, or the 12th or 13th in the Atlanta area.

Meeting adjourned 1:09pm

*Following the meeting apparel was shown and decided upon for Xcel and L6/7/8 teams.