

NATIONAL JUDGES REPRESENTATIVE
AGM REPORT
JULY, 2011
Respectfully Submitted by Ron Kopas

--Submitted a detailed report of the WBTF Winter Meeting (judges and combined meeting) at Jacksonville, Florida. Reports from Elan and Ron on CBTF website.

--Presented the new score sheet for Theme Production and submitted the new scale of proficiency/chart; with a scoring out of 100, since we use to have caption scores only. On website.

--Member of the committee that formatted the new procedure for selecting judges for all Canadian Championships and qualifier. On website.

--Was very proud that the USTA requested me to be on their Judges Selection Committee for their International Cup judges in Florida. The committee was Jackie Stewart, Dale White and Ron. There were 11 applicants and they selected 3. Events were 3 Baton, Teams and Artistic Twirl, plus a tie breaker for the 3rd spot.

--Developed an assignment for the CBTF IC qualifier, Canadian/Winner Championships and IC judges' selection. 15 applicants, including 2 USA judges and the events were Solo, 2& 3 Baton and Team. A big Thank You to Jeff, for sending out the assignments with a personal number assigned to each applicant, so they could not be identified during grading.

--Deardra Leslie and Ron updated the Pre Events Focuses and also a Medley Update; including score sheets. Thanks to Dana P. for producing the new score sheets. On website.

--SDP-Committee was Denise Johnson (Chair), Sandi Watt and Ron Kopas. Updated all the badge levels, (6 meetings of 5 to 6 hours each).

--Elan, Maureen and Ron did an assignment from Paola (WBTF Technical Chair), on the new TJS (Twirling Judges System). Elan and Maureen filled out the fiche and Ron did the judging. There were 8 performances on the assignment. Paola sent to the countries to complete the assignment.

--There is new role models for IC cup Solo event and I have done the scripts for those performances. There is a Jr. and Sr. example on the DVD. These role models will be used at the 2011 IC cup. They have raised the bar, especially in the average and good ranges. There will be a meeting with the judges and coaches during the athletes warm up period at the International Cup Training Camp this year; to view the new role model dvd.

--Judges Database: Updated as of June 16, 2011.

--Judges Courses Taken during 2010 and 2011.

M1 – 3 courses-

Date-Oct.1/10--CC-Tina
3 participants

Date-Jan/11--CC-Wendy C.-
8 participants

Date-Jan.15/11-CC-Tina
6 participants

M2/3-2courses

Feb.20-22/10-CC-Wendy C.
5 participants

Oct.16/17/1CC Ron K.
4 participants

Masters-2 courses-including a re-testing.

Aug.10--CC-Jackie S.
1 participant -at worlds

Jan.2011-CC-Lynda G.
7 participants

-- Personally conducted two modules and 1 coaches course this season.

--coached at 2 clinics and 2 critique events.

--judged 26 days of competitions, including Canadians and IC cup.

--will be coaching 2 summer camps

--CBTF website www.cbtf.ca Please continue to use the website, it has a world of information. Jeff does a wonderful job of posting all the necessary information for all CBTF Professionals and members.