## Assigning Procedures for NorCal Women's Gymnastics Meets

It is the Assigning Committee's goal to assign meets in such a way as to allow NorCal to host several competitive meets in a season that work for all the hosting clubs. That being stated, the following criteria will befollowed:

**Geographic Location** - Every attempt will be made to spread meets geographically on any given weekend throughout NorCal.

**Availability of Judges** - 32 Judges are available to be assigned on any given weekend day for Compulsory season. That means only 4 meets can be assigned per day. For Optional season, only 24 judges are available. That means only 3 meets can be assigned per day. For Optional season, one meet will be allowed up to Level 10 and the other meets that day will be allowed up to Level 8 or Xcel. Any Optional season meet can have Xcel and Compulsory competitors.

**Outside Facility Commitments** - If a club has committed to a specific weekend in an outside facility, every attempt will be made to honor that commitment.

**Length of Meet** - If your club hosted a compulsory meet with <u>over</u> 200 athletes last year, you will be assigned a two day meet for the Compulsory Season. If your club hosted a compulsory meet with <u>less than</u> 200 athletes last year, you will be assigned a one day meet for the Compulsory season. If an additional day is required due to increased numbers, every attempt will be made to secure the additional judges.

Remember, when submitting a request for a compulsory or optional meet, please submit <u>three acceptable dates</u> in order of preference. This request needs to be postmarked no later than April 15.

Compulsory season 8 week window – From the weekend after Labor Day through the fourth weekend before Thanksgiving. This allows 3 weeks of State meets before Thanksgiving. Optional season window – January 2 through the first weekend of March (subject to change due to Easter Weekend and changes to championship meet dates).

The request for judges form, copy of your sanction request, and a check made out to NAWGJ for \$3 per judge must be postmarked BY Saturday, April 15 and sent to P.J. Slater at the following address.

6545 Young Oak Court Orangevale, CA 95662

If you have any questions concerning the above, please email P.J. at pjpjslater@yahoo.com.