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**Names:** LINDSAY ABNEY AND CAREN MANSHOLT; running as CO-SJD's  
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**Rating:** Level 10/NCAA Level 10

### NAWGJ Background:

- Caren has been a Judge for 16 years; 2 yrs in Region 5 and 14 years in Region 1 in Arizona.
- Lindsay has been a Judge for 12 years in Region 1 in Arizona.
- **WE ARE STRONG SUPPORTERS OF ARIZONA GYMNASTICS, ARIZONA GYMNASTS, COACHES AND JUDGES AND WILL HAVE A STRONG VOICE WHEN IT COMES TO REPRESENTING OUR STATE FOR ANY REGION 1 CONSIDERATIONS.**
- We have supported our Arizona Judges Cup by planning, volunteering and judging many hours every year.
- We have a vast amount of experience with our Regional and State clinics, congresses and meets.
- We have traveled and judged with many other judges throughout Arizona and the Region and are ready to partner with our other SJD's in the Region as needed.

### Years of Service:

- We have been members of the Arizona NAWGJ Board for 5 years.
- We have many years of experience volunteering for State, Regional, National and NCAA events.

### Additional Credits:

- Lindsay is the Recipient of the 2019 Helping Hands award at the 2019 National Judges Symposium.
- Lindsay was a J.O. Compulsory, Xcel and Optional Coach with the Arizona Olympians Team.

As co-chairs, we both acknowledge that there is a solid and effective system, in place, that was established through the past leadership of Jen Ditmer. We are committed to continuing with those established policies and procedures, and feel it is important to note that we do not intend to enact any structural changes with the current board, unless all members agree to a need, or if someone would voluntarily leave the board.

Our goal, in this position, is to facilitate a collaborative and unified approach as we provide service to our community of judges, coaches and athletes. By continuing the legacy of integrity, equity, and transparency that our most recent State Judging Directors have enacted, we believe we can continue to make a difference in Arizona Gymnastics.

As current board members, we each bring different strengths to the Co-SJD position. By capitalizing on our individual strengths, as co-chairs, we believe we can achieve so much more within our state than one individual alone.

**THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONSIDERATION!!**

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