# FL NAWGJ News





## **JANUARY 2022**



### Celebrating FL NAWGJ Judges



#### From your FL NAWGJ Board

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#### **HAPPY BIRTHDAY – MAY YOUR DAY BE WONDERFUL!!**



Maria IankovaJanuary	l	Jessica JohnstonJanuary	13
Mari SchroederJanuary	3	Brianna CoakleyJanuary	16
Darcy FrenchJanuary	4	Carlos SanchezJanuary	25
Carrie RawlingsJanuary 5	5	Darinka KoroJanuary	26
Kathy StuenkelJanuary	5	Tiffany BishopJanuary	30
Katie KollmeverJanuary 10	)	Bill BevilJanuary	31



#### FL NAWGJ - What You Need To Know



Effective January 1, 2022 the standard business IRS mileage rate goes up to 58.5 cents per mile.

USA Gymnastics Membership sent the below information out recently. I am sure you've noticed that Region 8 Congress is not listed. Well, that's because National Congress will be conducted in Region 8 this year (location to be announced very soon). When National Congress is held in a Region, that Region doesn't have a Regional Congress in that year.

You now have the dates that testing will be held for the National/Brevet. The exact locations and registration for all congresses will be released in early 2022. Judges may test at any Regional or National Congress.

- National Congress: August 19-21, 2022 (held in conjunction with U.S. Gymnastics Championships) To be held in Region 8
- Region 1 Congress: August 26-28, 2022
- Region 2 Congress: August 13-14, 2022
- Region 3 Congress: June 10-12, 2022
- Region 4 Congress: June 17-19, 2022
- Region 5 Congress: July 15-17, 2022
- Region 6 Congress: August 5-7, 2022
- Region 7 Congress: June 24-26, 2022



Reminder: The Optional Season is HERE! Take a little time and get prepared for your assignments. National NAWGJ has some great practice judging videos on their YouTube site. They can be accessed at:

**Practice Judging – National Association of Women's Gymnastics Judges (nawgj.org)** 

There's also some interesting practice videos on YouTube at GymnasticsHQ's Judging Series (search for this name) that show the routine and then goes back and breaks down the deductions.

And you can always get together with a few of your judging buddies and do some practice judging as a group too. Opportunities abound – take advantage!

#### CPE 2022 - What You Need To Know



It may seem early, but it's never too early to think and plan for upcoming CPE. As of January 1, 2022, I will be accepting completed CPE forms for the 2021-2022 judging season. Due to Covid and a variety of other things, the requirements were modified for the past 2 years, but effective immediately, the requirements are going BACK to what they were. Here's what you need to know:

- Completed forms are being accepted now and the deadline is May 31, 2022.
- Forms can be found on the USAG website and our nawgiforida.org site.
- Fill out, scan and send a PDF please no phone pics or jpegs. Send to susan\_78726@hotmail.com
- Activities dated June 1, 2021 and forward may be used for the upcoming year.
- YEAR: August 1, 2021 July 31, 2022 HIGHEST RATING HELD AS OF AUGUST 1: \_\_\_\_\_
   (whatever your rating was on August 1, 2021, then put it here and that determines what requirements you need to meet below)

•	Requirements:	Rating	Hrs. Required	Min Clinic Hrs	Max Carryover Hrs *
		4/5	12	6	2
		7/8	12	6	2
		9	16	8	3
		10	20	10	4
		Nat/Bre	20	10	4

- SGB Member or SJD/RJD or National NAWGJ officer can receive 2 Volunteer (misc) hours.
- Practice Judging (misc) must have pre-approval from the SAC or SJD. Currently, only our FL NAWGJ Judges' Cup has this approval.
- In-Gym (misc) must be interactive with coaches/gymnasts. You cannot sit in the stands watching and/or judging to receive credit. You need to get permission from the coach/owner to be on the floor and one of them need to sign your CPE form when you're done.
- If you did not submit CPE this year (and obviously did not judge), then you do not need to make up those hours. You just need to submit CPE prior to your return to judging.
- Though CPE is due May 31, 2022, late submissions are accepted throughout the year you just cannot be assigned or judge until you are CPE compliant.
- Please contact your Mentor if you need assistance with a CPE plan. Please contact me if you do not have a Mentor and need assistance with a CPE plan.
- Currently, FL is not hosting any Regional or higher competitions in 2022, but we are hosting Level 9/10
  Regionals (Bradenton) and Xcel Regionals (Ft Lauderdale) in 2023. Plan accordingly for these are
  wonderful opportunities to receive volunteer hours, meet National/Brevet eligibility and we always need
  your help!

<sup>\*</sup> See attachment that was sent along with this newsletter to view your carryover hours that I have on file for you from last year.

#### Calendar & Reminders

January 1	HAPPY NEW YEAR
January 1	2022 CPE is being accepted (deadline 5/31/22)
January 7-9	Tampa Bay Classic, LCG, Wiregrass in Wesley Chapel
January 7-9	Emerald Coast Vacation Classic, Panhandle Perfection, Ft Walton Beach
January 7-9	Vero Beach Coastal Classic, Maximum Velocity, IG Rec Center
January 8-9	2022 Critique Meet, Meet Expectations, Longwood
January 12	U112 Course DEADLINE for coaches and owners
January 14-16	TBT Invite, Bradenton Convention Center
January 14-16	Think Pink Invite 2022, Gym Like This, West Palm Beach
January 14-16	2022 Gym Force Classic, Tallahassee
January 15-16	Golden Ticket Invite, Tumbleweeds, Viera
January 15-17	2022 Cruise Classic, Park Avenue, Cooper City
January 21-23	Sand Dollar Invite, Orlando Metro, Hyatt Regency
January 21-23	Conquistador Classic, Destination Meets, St. Augustine WGV
January 21-23	2022 Leyva Cup, Miami Springs
January 28-30	Sun & Surf Invite, USA Competitions, Coral Springs
January 28-30	Acro for Autism 2022, DGA, Wiregrass in Wesley Chapel
January 28-30	Spirit Classic, Winter Haven
January 28-30	Capital City Classic, Trousdell Gymnastics, Tallahassee CANCELLED
January 28-30	Dolphin Classic 2022, Orlando Gymnastics, Silver Spurs, Kissimmee

Need CPE Clinic hours and wondering where you can get them? Check out the clinic listings on the USA Gymnastics website at USA Gymnastics | USA Gymnastics University - Live Courses Scroll down to the bottom of the page.

# MARK YOUR CALENDAR Upcoming Events in 2022

- ❖ May 21, 2022 National/Brevet test prep clinic with Evelyn & Cookie, location yet to be determined
- **❖** June 5-12, 2022 Special Olympics USA Games at WWSC Disney World.