

# All Around News

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## Region 8 JO Chairman Election

Deb Kornegay, RACC

Due to Tim Rand's untimely death, Region 8 will call for nominations for the Junior Olympic Committee Chairman again. I felt that there may be a possibility of more nominations with Tim's name not on the ballot. There will be an online election run by USAG National office. The nomination deadline will be October 15, 2007 and the election will be online, October 16-31, 2007.



## National Awards

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**Mike McCabe**, Florida State Chairman, received the National Silver Quill award at USA Gymnastics National Congress. The National Silver Quill award is for the best state newsletter by USA Gymnastics State Chairman. Congratulations Mike!

**Deb Walls**, Alabama Administrative Committee Chairman, received an award from USA Gymnastics for 10 years of Volunteer Service.

**Joanne Child**, South Carolina Administrative Committee Chairman, received an award from USA Gymnastics for 5 years of Volunteer Service.

**Mike McCabe**, Florida Administrative Committee Chairman, received an award from USA Gymnastics for 5 years of Volunteer Service.

**Thanks to all our volunteers!**

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## Rules & Policies

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The 2007-2008 version of the *USA Gymnastics Women's Rules and Policies* is available at <http://www.usa-gymnastics.org/women/rules-and-policies/>

You can also request a hard copy at:

[https://www.usa-gymnastics.org/membership/wrp\\_request.html](https://www.usa-gymnastics.org/membership/wrp_request.html)



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Thanks to **Mark Weber** and *Harbor City Gymnastics* for hosting Level 8 & 9 Training camp in July. All athletes, coaches and judges had a wonderful time.

Region 8 also thanks **Tampa Bay Turners** for providing apparel for the coaches and athletes on the Region 8 All Star trip to Grand Cayman Island.

## Bid Awarded / Bid Needed

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**Level 8 Regionals** will be held in *Camp Jordan Arena in East Ridge, TN near Chattanooga*. **Larry Denham** and the *Tennessee Academy of Gymnastics* will be the hosts.

**We still need a bid for 2009 Level 9 & 10 Regionals**. The date is April 16-19. There is a bid form in this newsletter.

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## State Calendars

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Please use the links below to find invitationals listed on state calendars in Region 8.

Alabama:	<a href="http://www.alausag.org/pages/calendar.html">http://www.alausag.org/pages/calendar.html</a>
Florida:	<a href="http://www.usag-fl.org/calendar.htm">http://www.usag-fl.org/calendar.htm</a>
Georgia:	<a href="http://www.gausag.org/pages/calendar.php">http://www.gausag.org/pages/calendar.php</a>
Louisiana:	<a href="http://www.gymnasticsla.com/">http://www.gymnasticsla.com/</a>
Mississippi:	<a href="http://www.msusag.org/pages/calendar/">http://www.msusag.org/pages/calendar/</a>
North Carolina:	<a href="http://www.nc-usag.org/modules.php?name=GCalendar">http://www.nc-usag.org/modules.php?name=GCalendar</a>
South Carolina:	<a href="http://eteamz.active.com/scgym/files//2007-2008CompetitionCalendar.pdf">http://eteamz.active.com/scgym/files//2007-2008CompetitionCalendar.pdf</a>
Tennessee:	<a href="http://www.tnusag.org/pages/calendar.php">http://www.tnusag.org/pages/calendar.php</a>

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## Region 8 Rules and Regulations

*Deb Kornegay, RACC*

An updated version of Region 8's Rules and Regulations are available in this Newsletter.

Please refer to pages 41-45.

## Region 8 Planner

*Deb Kornegay, RACC*

An updated planner for 2007-2010 is available for sale. This planner contains date and sites for Region 8 competition, training camps and congresses bid to date. An order form is available in this newsletter. Proceeds from the sales go to Region 8.

## ELITE CLINIC

**R**egion 8 will host an Elite National Testing and Elite clinic in December at Orlando Metro. Additional information and an entry form are in this newsletter on pages 8-9.



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## USA Team for 2007 World Championships

**Shayla Worley**, from *Orlando Metro*, earned a spot on the 2007 team for World Championships held in Stuttgart, Germany, by scoring 2nd All Around at the 2007 Visa Championships in San Jose, CA. At World Championships, Shayla was 8th AA and competed for the USA team on Bars and Floor in the team finals helping the USA team win the GOLD medal.



### US Classic

July 28, 2007

Kellogg Arena, Battle Creek, MI

### 2007 Visa Championships

August 16-18, 2007  
San Jose, CA

#### JUNIORS

<b>Rhegan Courville</b> Elite Gymnastics, LA	5th AllAround, 7th Vault, 4th Beam
<b>Olivia Courtney</b> Orlando Metro, FL	7th All Around, 4th Vault, 4th Bars, 9th Floor
<b>Morgan Smith</b> Brandy Johnson's,FL	9th Bars
<b>Sarah Persinger</b> Southeastern Gymnastics, NC	10th Beam.

#### SENIORS

<b>Shayla Worley</b> Orlando Metro, FL	2nd All Around, 2nd Bars, 4th Beam, 4th on Floor
<b>Jana Bieger</b> Bieger International, FL	8th All Around, 7th Bars, 8th Beam

#### JUNIOR INTERNATIONALS

<b>Rhegan Courville</b> Elite Gymnastics, LA	1st Beam and All Around, 2nd Floor, 6th Vault.
<b>Olivia Courtney</b> Orlando Metro, FL	2nd Vault, 4th Bars, 5th Floor, 4th All Around.
<b>Sarah Persinger</b> Southeastern Gymn., NC	5th on Beam, 6th Floor.
<b>Morgan Smith</b> Brandy Johnson's, FL	10th Bars, 7th Floor

#### SENIOR INTERNATIONALS

<b>Kimberly Jacobs</b> Superior Gymnastics, NC	4th Vault, 6th All Around
<b>Jana Bieger</b> Bieger's International, FL	2nd Vault, 1st Bars, 7th Beam
<b>Shayla Worley</b> Orlando Metro, FL .	2nd Beam

### US Challenge

July 27-29, 2007

Kellogg Arena, Battle Creek, MI

#### HOPES 11-12

<b>Kennedy Baker</b> Gymstars, TN	6th Vault and Bars, 9th Beam, 8th All Around
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#### JUNIOR 14-15

<b>Stephani Canizaro</b> Gymstars – TN	8th Bars, 6th Beam, 7th Floor, 9th All Around
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