

March 25, 2016, 5:30 MT/7:30 ET: BOD Meeting Minutes

Present on conference call: Garrett Long – President, Keith Rodney – VP, Cory Snyder – Events Coordinator, Ty Upson – Head Coach, Al Rosenthal – Outgoing Treasurer

Requirements for World Cup Team were discussed and it was decided that for 2017 one race series will be required for European races. Should the US have a race series Team members would be required to attend the US races and one European series.

Discussion regarding Team members who did not fulfill contract obligations. Devon Wright was discussed to be offered Devo Team or Ambassador (see below). Jacob Carter Gibbs was discussed to offer Devo Team rather than National Team.

Discussion regarding 'Ambassador' It was felt that now is the time to offer an Ambassador program for those that enjoy being promoters/supporters of telemark racing but no longer feel they can compete at the Elite level. Discussion included lower cost \$125 to \$150 range and the Ambassador would receive a jacket and would be expected to promote the USTSA at their local ski area and to either race or be a volunteer at regional races. This was to be discussed further via email.

Team Membership was discussed for 2017 as follows:

Women WC: Lyta Foulk

Mens WC: Tanner Visnick, Jeffrey Gay, Cory Snyder, Tommie Gogolen

Women US Team: Sarah Carley, Taylor Finn, Farli Boden, Melinda Long, Sara Godek

Mens US Team: Birk Larsen, Garrett Long, Dylan Weglarz, Joel Nylander, Jack Rosenthal, Noah Block, Nathan Fogell, Norm Miller, Henry Barth, Steve Weglarz, Hardy Merrill, Keith Radick, Keith Rodney, Cedar Mattole, Nicholas Belissent

All others with results were to be offered Devo Team or Ambassador.

Finally Grand Targhee was discussed as possible for Nationals 2017.