**State Meet Notes For January**

**January 13, 2021**

**Attended by Chelsi, Morgan, and Allison**

**- Chelsi brought to our attention, that a suggestion was made from a WV coach to postpone the State Meet until April or May for everyone, except 8/9/10 and do the rest virtual.**

 **-We all agreed to consider the option and include thoughts of the logistics (facility, equipment, judges)**

**January 19, 2021**

**Attended by Chelsi and Morgan**

**-Chelsi had found out PA was moving their state meet back, and we continued discussing that option for us. We also discussed looking at surrounding states to see what they were doing.**

 **-The idea we talked about was pushing back states for 8 and under, including a cell. Then possibly do a small in house meet for level 9/10 States.**

 **Questions we had...**

 **1) Can we secure judges for this? And were the current ones under contract already?**

 **2) Where do we have the meet?**

 **-Chelsi was going to email Jen Bortz to see our options.**

**January 22, 2021**

**Zoom meeting between Chelsi and Morgan**

**-Discussed moving state meet for levels 8 and under to April, not in conflict with regionals already occurring.**

 **- It would need to be a venue that is not a school. Chelsi will ask Armory.**

**- Discussed more options for level 9/10 States**

 **-Can we have it in person?**

 **-Do we have a gym big enough in the state to host? Maybe no spectators?**

 **-How many 9/10 gymnasts are in the state? Got a rough estimate of 22**

**-Voted to keep pin design from last year, since we never used them.**

**-Discussed pushing back declaration dates so more gyms have time to start competing.**

**January 24, 2021**

**Meeting between Chelsi, Morgan, and Adam**

**-Brought up idea of changing State meet in order to try and do it in person.**

 **-Worry about equipment rental along with other purchases that we may lose money on if we need to cancel/reschedule again this year.**

 **-Also if our governor changes his restrictions again and we have to change immediately.**

**-Decision was made to stay virtual due to too many unknowns and trying to ensure health and safety.**

 **-Entry fee for virtual meet based off of list of all expenses and adding 10%. Need declarations first.**

 **-Move state meet declarations back to Feb 15th, but no qualifying score is need for this year only.**

 **-We will try an online program for everyone.**

 **-We will still do 2 senior banners and gifts.**

 **-There is a hold on Regional Jackets until details about Regionals are made.**

**January 26, 2021**

**~~Conversation between Chelsi and Morgan~~**

**~~- After Regional Meeting and receiving information from there, as well as feedback from the state about a virtual State meet, we will send out an email saying we will continue to consider options for States. We will also wait to make a final decision until after March 1st, in case the governor changes his restrictions. We will present 3 options.~~**

**~~January 27, 2021~~**

**~~Conversation between Chelsi and Morgan~~**

**~~- Finalized 3 options~~**

**~~1) Postpone State meet for 8/9/10 indefinitely for 2020-2021 season. Move Xcel and levels 2-7 to weekend in April, with the hope of it being in person. This option will also include a senior showcase.~~**

**~~2) Virtual, all levels, March 19-21~~**

**~~3) Run levels 9/10 at FlipStarz March 19-21, move Xcel and Level 2-8 to April. Also have a senior showcase.~~**

**~~- Votes due by Feb 5th~~**

**~~-Make decision after March 1st to see if governor changes anything.~~**