

Rhythmic Gymnastics Sport Development Committee Chair Position

This document has been put together to help prospective Rhythmic Gymnastics Sport Development Committee Members understand the criteria for selecting a Chair person. It is not possible for one person to have all of the skills so don't be afraid to put yourself forward.

If you have any queries regarding this position please contact Sarah Ashmole, GSNZ CEO on sarah.ashmole@gymsportsnz.com

Sport Development Committee Regulation

Each SDC shall comprise of seven (7) Members, as follows:

- a. a Chairperson appointed by the Board on the recommendation of the Chief Executive; and
- b. six (6) persons appointed by the Board on the recommendation of the Chief Executive and the Chairperson of the SDC, as determined by the Board.

Appointed Sport Development Committee Members: In determining the appointed SDC Members, the Board shall appoint on merit and in doing so shall take into account the following factors in considering potential appointees:

- a. their prior experience in a governance role at national or regional level in New Zealand, whether generally or related to Gymsports;
- b. their knowledge of, and experience, in the sport of Gymsports and/or sport in New Zealand generally;
- c. their occupational skills, abilities and experience, in coaching, judging, volunteering, management, planning, programme development and/or project co-ordination;
- d. the need for conflicts of interest to be minimised; and
- e. the need for a wide range of skills and experience on the SDCs.

Upon the receipt of any application/s, the Chief Executive and the Chairperson of the SDC shall consider them and make recommendations to the Board who will then determine any appointments. The Board is not required to appoint a person as a Member of the SDC if it considers there are no suitable applicants. The Board shall make their decisions regarding the appointment or otherwise of a member of a SDC by no later than 30 November each year, or such other date as determined by the Board. At the same time, the Chief Executive shall notify all the Members of GymSports NZ of any persons who have been appointed as Members of a SDC.

Key skills	Importance Ranking (out of 10)
Prior experience in a governance role at national or regional level in New Zealand, whether generally or related to Gymsports	10
Knowledge of, and experience, in the sport of Gymsports and especially Rhythmic Gymnastics	10
Excellent communication skills	10
Occupational skills, abilities and experience, in volunteering, management, planning, programme development and/or project co-ordination	10
Need for conflicts of interest to be minimised	10
Availability to achieve the outcomes of the position	10
Has strong proven leadership skills and is able to maintain focus on the future of the sport	10
IT capability (email, word and excel)	10
Understands and agrees with the athlete performance level set for Rhythmic Gymnastics in New Zealand	10
Ability to build & create a strong, future focused Rhythmic Gymnastics Sport Development Committee	10
Understands and supports all levels of the Rhythmic Gymnastics community	10
Has credibility within the Rhythmic Gymnastics community	10
Ability to consider all levels within a Club	10
Ability to consider all levels of athlete competing in the sport	10
Fit with the current Members of the Rhythmic Gymnastic Sport Development Committee	10
TOTAL SCORE	150