



Athlete Meeting (NT and NDT Teams)_240314

Agenda:

- Athlete Agreements have been circulated
- Athlete PPEs
- Minor Athlete Travel Policy
- Team USA webpage
- World Cup Start Sheets
- Athlete Information Google Form
- Solicitation of Interest Google Form
- Start allocation process
- Funding available for 6 starts per discipline and for National Team.
- Registering shells for World Cups so we don't lose quota and can swap athletes after registration deadline.
- Team Selection discretion proposal
 - o Start order
 - o Additional competition starts
 - o Innsbruck competition starts
- Team Calendar
- Flight allocation and process for reimbursement
- Team Kit update
- WhatsApp (athletes and parents)
- Training Center access update
- Athlete Tier and Benefit update
- Commercial climbing gym benefit update
- Upcoming Training Camps
 - o Pre-World Cup training (March 29-April 2)
 - o Pre-SLC World Cup training (April 29-May 2)
 - o Post-SLC / Pre-OQS training (May 6-9)
- World Friendship Games
 - o We are not supporting this event.
 - o Not sending coaches
 - o Any athlete participation will be on individual basis like other high level pro comps.
 - o Not allowed to wear USA Climbing branded apparel.
 - o There may be sanctions for athletes competing from WADA, IOC and possibly the IFSC. In all cases we have not heard this will be a certainty but there are conversations being had that make this a possibility.
 - o This is not an IOC or IFSC sanctioned event.

- Major risk to athlete safety.
- We encourage you not to participate and any participation would certainly make a statement given the current environment.