

Judges and Judging

Judge's Requests

1. Complete the Request for Judges Form in the USAG R & P (appendix V). Send the form plus a check for **\$3 per judge requested** to IL-NAWGJ to the appropriate assignor.
North Assignor Sue Brosnan 4556 N. Mobile Chicago IL 60630 (773) – 202-8146
South Assignor Mary Kraus 6600 S. 6th St. Rd #210 Springfield IL 62707 (217)-523-8827
2. The meet must be sanctioned by the USAG or a certificate of insurance must be on file with the State Judging Director. Priority will be given to sanctioned meets.
3. Cancellations must be made at least 7 days prior to the meet. Late cancellations will result in the meet director paying each contracted official one session fee plus non-refundable expenses. Officials who fail to show up to a meet will be responsible for paying the meet director a one session fee plus non-refundable expenses.
4. Requests must be made at least 30 days in advance. Fees for late requests are \$5 per judge per day.
5. Please submit problems and questions to the appropriate assignor or to the State Judging Director, Jean Johnson 5501 Wolf, La Grange, IL 60525 (708) 246 – 1643 NAWGJ / Fax ilsjd@comcast.net

Judging Panels

Level 4's, 5's, and 6's are allowed to use a **one judge** panel but the scores that the gymnasts attain cannot be used to qualify for Sectional or State Meets. A club may use a one judge panel by following the procedures listed below.

1. Meet must be advertised in advance that one judge panel will be used.
2. All clubs attending must agree.
3. The Level Chair must be made aware that a one judge panel will be used prior to meet.
4. IL NAWGJ assigning person must be aware one judge panel will be used on judges request form or via telephone before assignment.
5. **Level 5,6 meets may use 1 Judge panels but only scores from 2 Judge panels can be used to qualify to the State meet**
6. A Level 5/6 judge must have at least one year's experience if used as 1 Judge panel.

Sectional, state and regional meets - please refer to the competition charts as to number of judges per panel.