



USATOWA

The Official Newsletter of the United States Amateur Tug of War Association

March 2020

Annual Membership meeting Agenda – March 28, 2020 10:00 am

8970 Enterprise Dr Peosta IA.



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Peosta Iowa

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TWIF Congress – Rijssen Neherlands April 17 and 18, 2020

TWIF Congress Agenda

Chief Judge

Judge's course

Judge list update

Committee Reports

Rulebook – new rulebook print

Equipment – meter head

Newsletter/webpage

Garment sales

Youth Development – Loren Long

New Business

Proposal by the National Board

Change in age limits for USATOWA:

MEN – 14 years old for all men's categories, 4x4 and Open

WOMEN – 12 years old

Discussion on if this would affect Worlds qualifying at Nationals, decided that it not be significantly different than how teams are put together now.

Proposal by Mt Vernon

1. The age limit for both men and women should be the same - twelve (12) years of age.

2. Teams should be able to put women on men's weight classes to make more teams.

Any other business for the good of USATOWA

Elections:

Vice President – Joe Hunter

Secretary – Lisa Heindel

Kim Warren

International Rep – Bill Gallagher

Nominations will open again at the meeting



Indoor Pull and Fun Day

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Weigh-in at 1:30 pm - Pulling at 2 pm

Weight classes - Open 6-person 450k (990 lbs), Open 6-person 480k (1056 lbs), Open WT 6-person, W 396 six women (890 lbs), Mixed - 450k (990 lbs) all six-person teams.

This is a fun day of pulling, training and camaraderie. Come join the fun even if you are short teammates. We will get everyone a pull who wants to join in!

USATOWA Membership application

All members must complete an application to participate in USATOWA events. This is a one-time application. Please complete, sign and return with membership dues to Treasurer Tim Feller. Copies may be printed from the link above. Applications are to submitted prior to May 1, 2020.



United States Tug of War Association Membership Application

Membership Status (Please check one):

New Member (\$15) High School Member (\$15) Returning Adult Member (\$30)

Club Name: _____

First & Last Name: _____

Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

Home Phone: _____ **Cell Phone:** _____ (XXX-XXX-XXXX)

Date of Birth: _____ (MM/DD/YYYY) **Email:** _____

Gender: _____ **Year started:** _____

This is an application to become a member of the United States Tug of War Association. This application MUST be completed and accepted before full membership can be granted. The USATOWA is a not for profit organization. Please read the following conditions before you sign.

In consideration of my participation in the sport of tug of war the undersigned independently and collectively and on behalf of himself/herself, his/her heirs, legatees, personal representatives and all those claiming by or through him/her, contest to and does hereby discharge, release, and hold harmless the United States Amateur Tug of War Association from any and all claims, actions, losses, damages or expenses for personal or bodily (including death) and property loss or damage incurred by him/her or arising from or in connection with his/her participation in the aforementioned association. Any Individual whose initials do not appear on this form will not be considered for membership and therefore, disqualifies that individual from participation.

By initialing the form here _____ you acknowledge that you may be drug tested. Failure to do so will prohibit your participation. If under 17 years of age a parent must initial here _____. By initialing the form here _____ you are agreeing that you have read the foregoing and are of legal age to consent to this waiver.

If the applicant is seventeen (17) years or under, this application must also be initialed by his/her legal guardian or parent. _____

Date Completed: _____ (MM/DD/YYYY)

Signature of USATOWA officer

Date

Please mail completed membership form and funds to:
Tim Feller W3131 CTY RD EE Monticello WI 53570

TWIF World Indoor Tug of War Championships Letterkenny Ireland

[Results of WC Indoor 2020](#) - click here for results from the WC 2020



Galder Etxebarripe Basque Country International Rep accepts the TWIF flag from Ireland International Rep Denis Donlea and TWIF President Anton Robe. The flag will fly over the 2020 TWIF World Championships Outdoor Tug of War September 16-20 in Getxo Basque Country.



More photos may be found
At Tug of War Memorie on
Facebook or
[Photos by Eddie](#)



Results of the Men 600 kg:

1. Netherlands
2. Northern Ireland
3. Ireland
4. Basque Country

Results of the Men 560 kg:

1. Chinese Taipei
2. Northern Ireland
3. Ireland
4. Netherlands

Results of the Women 500 kg:

1. Chinese Taipei
2. Basque Country
3. Netherlands
4. Germany

Results of the Women 540 kg:

1. Chinese Taipei
2. Basque Country
3. Netherlands
4. Ireland

Results of the Men 640 kg:

1. Scotland
2. Netherlands
3. Ireland
4. Chinese Taipei

Results of the Men 680 kg:

1. Scotland
2. Netherlands
3. Ireland
4. Chinese Taipei

Results of the Under 23 Men 600:

1. Chinese Taipei
2. Netherlands
3. Basque Country
4. Ireland

Results of the Senior Mix 580 kg:

1. Netherlands
2. Chinese Taipei
3. Basque Country
4. Italy

Results of the Under 23 Mix 560 kg:

1. Netherlands
2. Basque Country
3. Russia
4. Ireland

Open team results

Results of the Men 600 kg:

1. Clonmany B Ireland
2. Mountain View Ireland
3. Beti Gazte Basque Country
4. Ibarra Basque Country

Results Men 560 kg:

1. Country Club Northern Ireland
2. Clonmany B Ireland
3. Ibarra Basque Country
4. Gaztedi Basque Country

Results in the Women 500 kg:

1. Badaiotz Basque Country
2. Jingmei Chinese Taipei
3. Beti Gazte Basque Country
4. Txantrea Basque Country

Results 540 kg Women:

1. Badaiotz Basque Country
2. Beti Gazte Basque Country
3. Gaztedi Basque Country
4. Monnickendam Netherlands

Total results Men 640 kg:

1. Mountain View Ireland
2. Deinum Britsum Netherlands
3. Monnickendam Netherlands
4. Fitness Factory Chinese Taipei

Results 680 kg Men

1. Cornhill Scotland
2. Monnickendam Netherlands
3. Mountain View Ireland
4. Fitness Factory Chinese Taipei

Results U23 men 600 kg:

1. Dabenniu Chinese Taipei
2. Taipei University Chinese Taipei
3. Watermannen Netherlands
4. Berriozar Basque Country

Results of the Senior Mix 580 kg:

1. Monnickendam Netherlands
2. Beti Gazte Basque Country
3. Lagerweij Netherlands
4. Zuraidarrak A Basque Country

