

Report of the Women's Artistic Olympic Selection Committee Meeting

Meeting Date: June 27, 2021

Meeting Location: 2021 Olympic Trials - St. Louis, MO

Report Date: June 30, 2021

Olympic Selection Committee Attendees:

IEC Representative	Tatiana Perskaia
High Performance Director	Tom Forster
Athlete Representative	Jessie DeZiel
VP Women's Program	Annie Heffernon (voice, no vote)
Independent Observer	Jonathan T. Marks (no voice, no vote)

The Women's Artistic Olympic Selection Procedures can be found here:

https://www.usagym.org/PDFs/Pressbox/Selection%20Procedures/w_20olympics_0423.pdf

The following results were produced for the Selection Committee prior to the start of the meeting:

- Final All Around results from both days of competition combined
- Final Individual Event results from both days of competition combined (1st Vault scores only)
- Day 1 + Day 2 unweighted 4-3 Team Score scenarios
- Best score 4-3 Team Score scenarios
- 2 Vault average results from both days of competition combined
- Day 1 + Day 2 D-score report

The Olympic Selection Committee met throughout the week prior to the meeting following Day 2 of competition. The first meeting was held Thursday, June 24 to discuss the data from previous competitions and the athletes' performances during Olympic Trials training week to date. In addition, they discussed the order of operations for selection and required results from each day of competition at Olympic Trials. They met for the second time following Day 1 of competition on Friday, June 25 to simulate the selection process.

The Committee met a third time on Saturday, June 26 to review the process from Day 1 and discussed possible scenarios that may occur during Day 2 that could affect selection. During this meeting, the Committee analyzed Day 1 results. In addition, domestic and international competition experience and results were discussed.

Summary of the Meeting held on Sunday, June 27, 2021

The Committee and the Independent Observer were present, along with the USA Gymnastics VP of Women's Program.

The discussion started with the confirmation of the automatic selected spots for the 4-person team according to Section 1.3.1.a of the Olympic Selection Procedures.

Simone Biles and Sunisa Lee both secured an automatic selection by placing first and second respectively in the final all-around results at the 2021 Olympic Trials.

Two spots remained on the 4-person team to be named by the Committee using discretionary selection listed in Section 2.2.

The Committee turned to the selection of the 4-person team by focusing on the unweighted 4-up, 3-count team score scenarios. The Committee evaluated all athletes who were identified within the top eight scoring scenarios, as they felt that the strongest team would come from those athletes. Nine-time National Team Member Jordan Chiles was listed as a team member in all eight scoring scenarios. That, combined with her consistency throughout the 2021 season resulted in selecting Jordan to the 4-person team.

After a review of all other athletes listed in the top eight scoring scenarios, the final spot on the 4-person team came down to a discussion between Grace McCallum and MyKayla Skinner, who finished fourth and fifth, respectively, in the final all-around results at the 2021 Olympic Trials.

In the Best Score Report, MyKayla shows up in the highest team scoring scenario while Grace shows up in the fourth highest scenario with a difference of 0.267 between the two. Using the final scores, MyKayla's scores would contribute to the team score on one event, while Grace's scores would contribute to the team score on two events. Grace demonstrated consistency and resilience across both days of competition at the Olympic Trials, hitting all eight routines. In addition, her past international experience and success as a member of the 2018 and 2019 World Championship Gold-Medal Teams contributed to the committee's final decision.

The Committee selected Grace McCallum to the Tokyo Olympic Team.

The Committee moved to discuss to the individual +1 NOC quota place to be selected. The Committee used the discretionary criteria listed in Section 2.2 as a basis of discussion. The Individual Event Final results as well as the 2-vault average results were reviewed. The Committee determined that MyKayla Skinner was the athlete with the greatest medal potential based on her Vault performances scoring 15.000 or higher consistently, coupled with her fifth-place all-around ranking in the final results from Olympic Trials. In addition, MyKayla's international competitiveness and experience along with her high vault D-scores, compared to the top competitors from other countries, helped the Committee determine that she would be selected to the individual +1 NOC quota place to Tokyo.

Jade Carey will represent Team USA by earning the second +1 quota place by name via Criteria 5 of the Olympic Qualification Procedures found here -

https://www.gymnastics.sport/publicdir/rules/files/en_Olympic%20Qualification%20System%20Tokyo%202020%20ART.pdf.

After the team and the two +1 NOC quota place selections, a new set of 4-3 team scoring scenarios were produced with the six named Olympic Team athletes removed from the results.

The highest scoring team from the new scenarios featured experienced athletes, and each athlete could be used to replace either one or all Olympic Team members if the situation were presented prior to competition in Tokyo.

The Committee selected Kayla DiCello, Kara Eaker, Emma Malabuyo, and Leanne Wong as the replacement athletes for Tokyo.

Once the selection for Tokyo was complete, the High-Performance Director, IEC Representative, Athlete Representative, and Vice President left the room to meet with all athletes and coaches and disclosed the team members, the two +1 Individual quota places and replacement athletes for Tokyo. Those athletes were then announced live to the audience.

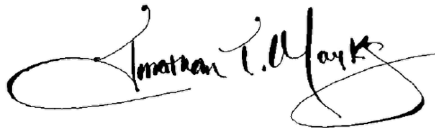
I confirm that, to the best of my knowledge, information, and belief, this report accurately reflects the June 27, 2021 meeting of the Women's Olympic Selection Committee for the selection of the 2020 Olympic Team, two +1 quota places, and replacement athletes.



July 2, 2021

Annie Heffernon
USA Gymnastics
VP Women's Program

Date



July 2, 2021

Jonathan T. Marks
Independent Observer

Date

Best Score (4-3)

Score	Name	Vault	Bars	Beam	Floor		
177.662		45.698	44.333	44.099	43.532	0.000	0.000
	MyKayla Skinner	15.266	(13.500)	(14.133)	(13.866)		
	Sunisa Lee	(14.600)	15.300	14.733	13.933		
	Simone Biles	15.466	14.600	15.133	15.366		
	Jordan Chiles	14.966	14.433	14.233	14.233		
177.596		45.632	44.333	44.099	43.532	0.000	0.000
	Jade Carey	15.200	(13.733)	(13.433)	(13.133)		
	Sunisa Lee	(14.600)	15.300	14.733	13.933		
	Simone Biles	15.466	14.600	15.133	15.366		
	Jordan Chiles	14.966	14.433	14.233	14.233		
177.396		45.132	44.333	44.099	43.832	0.000	0.000
	Leanne Wong	14.700	(13.800)	(14.000)	14.233		
	Sunisa Lee	(14.600)	15.300	14.733	(13.933)		
	Simone Biles	15.466	14.600	15.133	15.366		
	Jordan Chiles	14.966	14.433	14.233	14.233		
177.395		45.198	44.333	44.099	43.765	0.000	0.000
	Sunisa Lee	(14.600)	15.300	14.733	(13.933)		
	Grace McCallum	14.766	(14.000)	(13.866)	14.166		
	Simone Biles	15.466	14.600	15.133	15.366		
	Jordan Chiles	14.966	14.433	14.233	14.233		
177.363		45.032	44.700	44.099	43.532	0.000	0.000
	Riley McCusker		14.800				
	Sunisa Lee	14.600	15.300	14.733	13.933		
	Simone Biles	15.466	14.600	15.133	15.366		
	Jordan Chiles	14.966	(14.433)	14.233	14.233		
177.329		45.032	44.333	44.432	43.532	0.000	0.000
	Kara Eaker	(14.033)	(13.466)	14.566	(13.733)		
	Sunisa Lee	14.600	15.300	14.733	13.933		
	Simone Biles	15.466	14.600	15.133	15.366		
	Jordan Chiles	14.966	14.433	(14.233)	14.233		
177.296		45.332	44.333	44.099	43.532	0.000	0.000
	Shilese Jones	14.900	(13.166)	(13.533)	(13.533)		
	Sunisa Lee	(14.600)	15.300	14.733	13.933		
	Simone Biles	15.466	14.600	15.133	15.366		
	Jordan Chiles	14.966	14.433	14.233	14.233		
177.262		45.265	44.333	44.099	43.565	0.000	0.000
	Kayla DiCello	14.833	(13.966)	(13.800)	13.966		
	Sunisa Lee	(14.600)	15.300	14.733	(13.933)		
	Simone Biles	15.466	14.600	15.133	15.366		
	Jordan Chiles	14.966	14.433	14.233	14.233		
177.196		45.332	44.700	43.999	43.165	0.000	0.000
	Riley McCusker		14.800				
	MyKayla Skinner	15.266	(13.500)	14.133	13.866		

Score	Name	Vault	Bars	Beam	Floor		
	Sunisa Lee	14.600	15.300	14.733	13.933		
	Simone Biles	15.466	14.600	15.133	15.366		
176.996		45.032	44.333	44.099	43.532	0.000	0.000
	Sunisa Lee	14.600	15.300	14.733	13.933		
	Addison Fatta	(14.566)	(13.400)	(12.800)	(13.000)		
	Simone Biles	15.466	14.600	15.133	15.366		
	Jordan Chiles	14.966	14.433	14.233	14.233		
176.996		45.032	44.333	44.099	43.532	0.000	0.000
	Sunisa Lee	14.600	15.300	14.733	13.933		
	Emma Malabuyo	(14.366)	(13.900)	(14.200)	(13.733)		
	Simone Biles	15.466	14.600	15.133	15.366		
	Jordan Chiles	14.966	14.433	14.233	14.233		
176.996		45.032	44.333	44.099	43.532	0.000	0.000
	Sunisa Lee	14.600	15.300	14.733	13.933		
	Emily Lee	(14.466)	(12.900)	(13.833)	(13.733)		
	Simone Biles	15.466	14.600	15.133	15.366		
	Jordan Chiles	14.966	14.433	14.233	14.233		
176.996		45.032	44.333	44.099	43.532	0.000	0.000
	Sunisa Lee	14.600	15.300	14.733	13.933		
	Simone Biles	15.466	14.600	15.133	15.366		
	Jordan Chiles	14.966	14.433	14.233	14.233		
	Amari Drayton	(14.333)	(13.566)	(12.600)	(13.300)		
176.996		45.032	44.333	44.099	43.532	0.000	0.000
	Sunisa Lee	14.600	15.300	14.733	13.933		
	Simone Biles	15.466	14.600	15.133	15.366		
	Jordan Chiles	14.966	14.433	14.233	14.233		
	Zoe Miller	(13.933)	(13.766)	(13.133)	(12.866)		
176.996		45.032	44.333	44.099	43.532	0.000	0.000
	Sunisa Lee	14.600	15.300	14.733	13.933		
	Simone Biles	15.466	14.600	15.133	15.366		
	Jordan Chiles	14.966	14.433	14.233	14.233		
	Ava Siegfeldt	(14.166)	(13.466)	(13.166)	(12.433)		
176.996		45.032	44.333	44.099	43.532	0.000	0.000
	Sunisa Lee	14.600	15.300	14.733	13.933		
	Simone Biles	15.466	14.600	15.133	15.366		
	Jordan Chiles	14.966	14.433	14.233	14.233		
	Skye Blakely						
176.864		44.766	44.700	43.866	43.532	0.000	0.000
	Riley McCusker		14.800				
	Leanne Wong	14.700	(13.800)	14.000	14.233		
	Sunisa Lee	14.600	15.300	14.733	13.933		
	Simone Biles	15.466	14.600	15.133	15.366		
176.862		45.498	43.900	43.999	43.465	0.000	0.000

Score	Name	Vault	Bars	Beam	Floor		
	MyKayla Skinner	15.266	(13.500)	14.133	(13.866)		
	Sunisa Lee	(14.600)	15.300	14.733	13.933		
	Grace McCallum	14.766	14.000	(13.866)	14.166		
	Simone Biles	15.466	14.600	15.133	15.366		
176.729		44.832	44.700	43.732	43.465	0.000	0.000
	Riley McCusker		14.800				
	Sunisa Lee	14.600	15.300	14.733	13.933		
	Grace McCallum	14.766	(14.000)	13.866	14.166		
	Simone Biles	15.466	14.600	15.133	15.366		
176.729		45.932	43.633	43.999	43.165	0.000	0.000
	Jade Carey	15.200	13.733	(13.433)	(13.133)		
	MyKayla Skinner	15.266	(13.500)	14.133	13.866		
	Sunisa Lee	(14.600)	15.300	14.733	13.933		
	Simone Biles	15.466	14.600	15.133	15.366		

Best Score (4-3) Replacement Athletes

Score	Name	Vault	Bars	Beam	Floor		
170.497		43.899	42.666	42.000	41.932	0.000	0.000
	Riley McCusker		14.800				
	Leanne Wong	14.700	(13.800)	14.000	14.233		
	Kayla DiCello	14.833	13.966	13.800	13.966		
	Emma Malabuyo	14.366	13.900	14.200	13.733		
170.430		43.566	42.566	42.366	41.932	0.000	0.000
	Riley McCusker		14.800				
	Kara Eaker	14.033	(13.466)	14.566	13.733		
	Leanne Wong	14.700	13.800	14.000	14.233		
	Kayla DiCello	14.833	13.966	13.800	13.966		
170.263		43.899	41.666	42.766	41.932	0.000	0.000
	Kara Eaker	(14.033)	(13.466)	14.566	13.733		
	Leanne Wong	14.700	13.800	14.000	14.233		
	Kayla DiCello	14.833	13.966	(13.800)	13.966		
	Emma Malabuyo	14.366	13.900	14.200	(13.733)		
170.130		43.999	42.566	41.633	41.932	0.000	0.000
	Riley McCusker		14.800				
	Leanne Wong	14.700	13.800	14.000	14.233		
	Kayla DiCello	14.833	13.966	13.800	13.966		
	Emily Lee	14.466	(12.900)	13.833	13.733		
170.064		43.099	42.500	42.766	41.699	0.000	0.000
	Riley McCusker		14.800				
	Kara Eaker	14.033	(13.466)	14.566	13.733		
	Leanne Wong	14.700	13.800	14.000	14.233		
	Emma Malabuyo	14.366	13.900	14.200	13.733		
170.064		44.433	42.566	41.333	41.732	0.000	0.000
	Riley McCusker		14.800				
	Shilese Jones	14.900	(13.166)	13.533	13.533		
	Leanne Wong	14.700	13.800	14.000	14.233		
	Kayla DiCello	14.833	13.966	13.800	13.966		
170.031		44.433	41.666	42.000	41.932	0.000	0.000
	Shilese Jones	14.900	(13.166)	(13.533)	(13.533)		
	Leanne Wong	14.700	13.800	14.000	14.233		
	Kayla DiCello	14.833	13.966	13.800	13.966		
	Emma Malabuyo	(14.366)	13.900	14.200	13.733		
169.963		44.433	41.232	42.366	41.932	0.000	0.000
	Shilese Jones	14.900	(13.166)	(13.533)	(13.533)		
	Kara Eaker	(14.033)	13.466	14.566	13.733		
	Leanne Wong	14.700	13.800	14.000	14.233		
	Kayla DiCello	14.833	13.966	13.800	13.966		
169.896		43.232	42.666	42.566	41.432	0.000	0.000
	Riley McCusker		14.800				
	Kara Eaker	14.033	(13.466)	14.566	13.733		

Score	Name	Vault	Bars	Beam	Floor		
	Kayla DiCello	14.833	13.966	13.800	13.966		
	Emma Malabuyo	14.366	13.900	14.200	13.733		
169.764		43.532	42.500	42.033	41.699	0.000	0.000
	Riley McCusker		14.800				
	Leanne Wong	14.700	13.800	14.000	14.233		
	Emma Malabuyo	14.366	13.900	14.200	13.733		
	Emily Lee	14.466	(12.900)	13.833	13.733		
169.698		43.966	42.500	41.733	41.499	0.000	0.000
	Riley McCusker		14.800				
	Shilese Jones	14.900	(13.166)	13.533	13.533		
	Leanne Wong	14.700	13.800	14.000	14.233		
	Emma Malabuyo	14.366	13.900	14.200	13.733		
169.697		44.099	41.666	42.000	41.932	0.000	0.000
	Leanne Wong	14.700	13.800	14.000	14.233		
	Kayla DiCello	14.833	13.966	13.800	13.966		
	Addison Fatta	14.566	(13.400)	(12.800)	(13.000)		
	Emma Malabuyo	(14.366)	13.900	14.200	13.733		
169.630		43.999	41.666	42.033	41.932	0.000	0.000
	Leanne Wong	14.700	13.800	14.000	14.233		
	Kayla DiCello	14.833	13.966	(13.800)	13.966		
	Emma Malabuyo	(14.366)	13.900	14.200	13.733		
	Emily Lee	14.466	(12.900)	13.833	(13.733)		
169.629		44.099	41.232	42.366	41.932	0.000	0.000
	Kara Eaker	(14.033)	13.466	14.566	13.733		
	Leanne Wong	14.700	13.800	14.000	14.233		
	Kayla DiCello	14.833	13.966	13.800	13.966		
	Addison Fatta	14.566	(13.400)	(12.800)	(13.000)		
169.597		43.966	41.166	42.766	41.699	0.000	0.000
	Shilese Jones	14.900	(13.166)	(13.533)	(13.533)		
	Kara Eaker	(14.033)	13.466	14.566	13.733		
	Leanne Wong	14.700	13.800	14.000	14.233		
	Emma Malabuyo	14.366	13.900	14.200	13.733		
169.596		43.665	42.666	41.833	41.432	0.000	0.000
	Riley McCusker		14.800				
	Kayla DiCello	14.833	13.966	13.800	13.966		
	Emma Malabuyo	14.366	13.900	14.200	13.733		
	Emily Lee	14.466	(12.900)	13.833	13.733		
169.562		43.999	41.232	42.399	41.932	0.000	0.000
	Kara Eaker	(14.033)	13.466	14.566	13.733		
	Leanne Wong	14.700	13.800	14.000	14.233		
	Kayla DiCello	14.833	13.966	(13.800)	13.966		
	Emily Lee	14.466	(12.900)	13.833	(13.733)		
169.530		44.099	42.666	41.533	41.232	0.000	0.000

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	Riley McCusker		14.800				
	Shilese Jones	14.900	(13.166)	13.533	13.533		
	Kayla DiCello	14.833	13.966	13.800	13.966		
	Emma Malabuyo	14.366	13.900	14.200	13.733		
169.497		43.899	41.666	42.000	41.932	0.000	0.000
	Leanne Wong	14.700	13.800	14.000	14.233		
	Kayla DiCello	14.833	13.966	13.800	13.966		
	Emma Malabuyo	14.366	13.900	14.200	13.733		
	Amari Drayton	(14.333)	(13.566)	(12.600)	(13.300)		
169.497		43.899	41.666	42.000	41.932	0.000	0.000
	Leanne Wong	14.700	13.800	14.000	14.233		
	Kayla DiCello	14.833	13.966	13.800	13.966		
	Emma Malabuyo	14.366	13.900	14.200	13.733		
	Zoe Miller	(13.933)	(13.766)	(13.133)	(12.866)		