

## **CSPA Judging Committee**

### **Report to the 2019 CSPA AGM**

The Committee is responsible for any and all aspects of judging, including the Competition Rules (PIM 4B), the Judges Rating Program (PIM 4E) and Judges initial and recurrent training.

The current composition of the Committee is:

Randy Holmes, Chair  
Doreen West-Gemmell  
Neil McGrath  
Rina Gallo  
Vera Asquith

The Judge Rating Administrator position is vacant. In July, after 30 years in the position, Joe Ablitt resigned as the Judges Rating Administrator. The functions associated with the position are being performed by the committee chair until a way forward is approved.

During the last 12 months, the Committee has;

- a) Completed the annual update of the Competition Rules (PIM 4B),
- b) Completed minor revision of the Judges' Rating Program (PIM 4E),
- c) Completed development of a Policy for the selection of Chief Judge for National Championships,
- d) Completed a revision to the Chief Judge's Handbook,
- e) Completed a Policy to cover On-line exams for Provincial with Portfolio ratings, and
- f) Conducted the 2018 National Judges Seminar.

We have progressed the implementation of a project to make all written judge rating exams available on-line. The initial focus is on the Provincial with Portfolio level exams.

The next National Judges Seminar will take place in Toronto March 22 - 24 and will be preceded by a full Committee Meeting.

On behalf of the Judging Committee and all the CSPA judges I would like to thank both Richard Buzz Bennett and Joe Ablitt for their exceptional leadership and outstanding support to the judging community. Their successes have provided a solid baseline upon which we can continue to build and improve for future skydivers.

It is an honor and privilege to work with such a group of competent, hard working and dedicated volunteers.

Randy Holmes  
Chair