

## **Notices to all USAPL Members, Re NGB MEETING, 2003**

### **1) Executive Committee Elections**

USA Powerlifting will be electing one new officer and 2 new board members to our Executive Committee at the National Governing Body meeting in Rapid City, South Dakota at the Men's National Championships on July 18, 2003.

The following positions are up for election:

President  
2 Board Members

Deadline for placing your name for election is 5pm EST on May 19, 2003.

If you are interested in any of the above positions, please forward your letter of interest to:

Karen Miller  
USAPL Secretary  
73 N. Pine Rd.  
Plainwell, MI 49080

OR: Email [usaplsec@aol.com](mailto:usaplsec@aol.com)

Please contact the National Office at 260-248-4889, or any Executive Committee member with questions.

### **2) Proposed By-Law Amendments:**

This is to notify you that proposed amendments to the By-laws for USA Powerlifting must be submitted to the President by 5pm Eastern Time, May 2, 2003, to allow proper review and submittal to the National Governing Body.

Please type and forward your submissions to:

Michael Overdeer, President  
USA Powerlifting  
124 W. Van Buren St.  
Columbia City, IN 46725

OR:  
Email: [USAPL@FWI.com](mailto:USAPL@FWI.com)

**Deadline for all other items requiring an NGB vote is 5pm EST, May 23, 2003.**

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Any items which require an NGB vote will be delivered to the members of the NGB at least 30 days prior to the annual meeting.

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### **3) Nominations for THE BROTHER BENNET AWARD 2003**

USA Powerlifting is requesting nominations for the 2003 Brother Bennet Award. Nominations should be submitted to the National Office by 5pm EST, May 23, 2003.

This award honors dedicated effort, and pro-active vision for the promotion of drug-free powerlifting in our world. It is presented in honor of Brother Bennet, S.C., the founder of our organization, and the drug-free powerlifting movement.

### **4) Nominations for COACH OF THE YEAR 2003**

USA Powerlifting is requesting nominations for the 2003 Coach of the Year Award. This award honors outstanding coaching ability and achievements. It is presented in the name of Dr. Billy Jack Talton – one of Powerlifting's all-time great and prolific coaches.

Nominations and support should be submitted to the National Office by 5pm EST on May 23, 2003.

### **5) Nominations for ATHLETES REPRESENTATIVES**

USA Powerlifting will be electing 5 Athlete's Representatives. These Representatives will be announced at the National Governing Body Meeting in Rapid City, South Dakota at the Men's National Championship on July 18, 2003.

If you are interested in representing the membership and making a contribution to the future of powerlifting, we urge you to consider running for election.

The deadline for nominations is May 19, 2003.

Nominees will be posted to the website and voting will close on Thursday, July 17, 2003 at 5pm EST.

Please contact the National Office at [USAPL@FWI.com](mailto:USAPL@FWI.com) / 260-248-4889, or the USAPL Secretary Karen Miller at [usaplsec@aol.com](mailto:usaplsec@aol.com) / 269-664-4814 with your nominee or any questions.