Board of Directors, Executive Directors

Note: Additions and corrections are welcome! We’re missing some information and need help!

Board of Directors, Tri-Fed/USA, as of February 1984, as per Transition Times newsletter, Vol. 1, No. 1

Conrad Will, President
Sally Edwards
Carl Thomas
Jim Curl
Harald Johnson
Dave Horning
Jim Gayton
Valerie Silk
Morgan Nicol
Charlie Blanchard
Jean Hopeful
Dan Millet
Fletcher Hanks
Lyn Brooks
Ted Kumaki
Dan Honig
Dave McGillivary
Denis White, Executive Director

Added to the Board of Directors in 1984:

Steven Hegge, CO
Mike Ryan, IL
Paul Porter, IN

Added to the Board of Directors in 1985

Fletcher Hanks, MD
Dan Honig, NY
Brad Leonard, VA

Added to the Board of Directors in Dec 1986 as Eastern representatives:

J. R. Davison, VA
Paula Tocci, NY
Fred Sommer, FL

Board of Directors as of 1987
Executive Committee as of 1987:

Jon G. Noll, President
David P. Curnow, Senior Vice President
Sally Edwards, Senior Vice President
Linda Helgeson, Secretary
Bob Seeds, Treasurer
Mike Ryan, Chair, Board of Governors
Carl Thomas, Past President
Kirsten Hanssen, Member-at-Large
Verne Scott, Executive Director

Board of Directors as of 1990 - First Board directly elected by Tri-Fed/USA members

Western Region:
Michael Gilmore              Santa Monica, 2 yr. term  President
Flo Bryan                    Carlsbad, CA, 2 yr. term
Jim Davis                    Vail, CO, 1 yr. term
Bart Hackley, Jr.            Westlake Village, CA, 1 yr. term  Treasurer

Central Region:
Cheryl Davis                 Houston, TX, 2 yr. term
Paul Stern                   Detroit, MI, 2 yr. term
David Backer                 Indianapolis, IN, 1 yr. term  Secretary
Thomas C. Walker             Dallas, TX, 1 yr. term

Eastern Region
Lyn Brooks                   Baltimore, MD, 2 yr. term  1st Vice President
R. E. “Jim” Jimison          Hilton Head Island, SC, 2 yr. term  2nd Vice President
Dan Honig                    New York, NY, 1 yr. term
Robert Vigorito              Columbia, MD, 1 yr. term

Athlete Representatives
Ray Browning                 Escondido, CA, 2 yr. term
Anne McDonnell               White Bear Lake, CA, 1 yr. term
Paul Barford                 Marlborough, MA, 1 yr. term

Board of Directors as of 1991:

David Backer, President, Indianapolis, IN
Tom Walker, 1st Vice President, Dallas, TX
Lyn Brooks, 2nd Vice President, Baltimore, MD
Bart Hackley, Treasurer, Westlake Village, CA
Paul Barford, Maynard, MA
Flo Bryan, Carlsbad, CA
Cheryl Davis, Houston, TX
Jim Davis, Vail, CO
Terry Davis, Salinas, CA
Colleen Gibler, Lee Summit, MO
Cathie Koehler-Cote, Manchester, CT
Laurie Samuelson, Cupertino, CA
Paul M. Stern, Detroit, MI
Robert Vigorito, Columbia, MD
Tom Ziebart, Lauderhill, FL

Board of Directors as of summer, 1992

Jim Davis, CA - Western
Bart Hackley, CA - Western
Flo Bryan, CA - Western
Terry Davis, CA – Western
David Backer, IN – Central
Thomas Walker, TX – Central
Cheryl Davis, TX – Central
Paul Stern, MI – Central
Cathie Koehler-Cote, CT – Eastern
Robert Vigorito, MD – Eastern
Lynn Brooks, MD – Eastern
Tom Ziebart, FL – Eastern
Paul Barford, CT – Athlete
Laurie Samuelson, CA – Athlete
Colleen Gibler, MO – Athlete

1993 Board of Directors:

David Backer, IN - President
Cathie Koehler-Cote, CT, 1st Vice President
Robert Vigorito, MD
Lyn Brooks, MD – Secretary
Paul Stern, MI, Treasurer
Laurie Samuelson, CA, Athlete Rep.
Joan Hansen, AZ, Athlete Rep.
Cheryl Davis, TX
Mark Sisson, CA
Terry Davis, CA
Flo Bryan, CA
Bart Hackley, CA
Tom Ziebart, FL
Mike Greer, TX

1994 Board of Directors

1995 Board of Directors

Rick Margiotta, President
Scott Zagarino, Vice President
Gail Moore, Secretary
Don Dougherty, Treasurer
Stoney Mayock II
Joan Hansen
Paul Burton
William Fiske
Ed Morris
Jim Riccitello, Athlete Director

1996 Board of Directors

Paul Burton – Central
Jim Jimison – Eastern
Bill Fiske – at large
Rick Margiotta – Central – President
John Duke – Western
Gail Moore – Central – Secretary
Ed Morris – Eastern
Jimmy Riccitello – Athlete
Karen Smyers – Athlete
Sharon Ackles – at large

1997 Board of Directors

Sharron Ackles – at large – Secretary-General
John Duke - Western
Jonathan Grinder –Western - Treasurer
Wes Hobson - Athlete
Kate Knight-Perry - Eastern
Chris Larkin - Athlete
Rick Margiotta – Central - President
Ed Morris – Eastern – Vice President
Jimmy Riccitello – Athlete
Jack Weiss – Central

Later in 1997:

Rick Margiotta, President
Ed Morris, Vice President
Jonathan Grinder, Treasurer
Sharron Ackles, Secretary-general
John Duke
Katie Knight-Perry
Chris Larkin
Jack Weiss
Jim Riccitello, Athlete Director
Wes Hobson, Athlete Representative

1998 Board of Directors

Jonathan Grinder, President
Chris Larkin, Vice President
Mike Highfield, Treasurer
Sharron Ackles, Secretary-General
John Duke
Katie Knight-Perry
Jack Weiss
Wes Hobson, Athlete Representative
Martha Sorenson, Athlete Representative
Juliana Nevergelt, Athlete Representative

1999 Board of Directors

Mike Highfield, President
Sharron Ackles, Vice President
Jack Weiss, Treasurer
Katie Knight-Perry, Secretary-General
Chris Larkin
John Duke
Fred Sommer
Tim Becker
Wes Hobson, Athlete Director
Martha Sorenson, Athlete Representative
Jill Newman, Athlete Representative

2000 Board of Directors

Mike Highfield, President
Sharron Ackles, Vice President
Jack Weiss, Treasurer
Katie Knight-Perry, Secretary-General
Ray Plotecia
John Duke
Fred Sommer
Tim Becker
Jimmy Riccitello, Athlete Director
Josh Dapice, Athlete Representative
Eric Schwartz, Athlete Representative
2001 Board of Directors

Mike Highfield, President
Ray Plotecia, Vice President
Jack Weiss, Treasurer
Kate Knight-Perry, Secretary-General
Sharron Ackles
John Duke
Fred Sommer
Tim Becker
Jimmy Riccitello, Athlete Director
Victor Plata, Athlete Representative
Eric Schwartz, Athlete Representative

2002 Board of Directors

Karen Buxton
Ray Plotecia, President
Jack Weiss
Jim Girand
Diane Travis
Valerie Gattis
Fred Sommer
Tim Becker
Jimmy Riccitello, Athlete Director
Eric Schwartz, Athlete Representative
Victor Plata, Athlete Representative

2003 Board of Directors

Valerie Gattis, President
Jim Girand, Vice President
Diane Travis, Treasurer
Karen Buxton, Secretary-General
Ray Plotecia
Fred Sommer
Brad Davison
Tim Becker
Eric Schwartz, Athlete Representative
Eric Bean, Athlete Representative
Amanda Pagon, Athlete Representative

Initial 2003 Election Results Thrown Out; New Election was held.

2004 Board of Directors
Rob Kasper, Eastern Region
Jack Weiss, Central Region
Dan Empfield, Western Region
Tim Becker, Western Region
Brad Davison, Central Region
Ray Plotecia, At-large
Fred Sommer, Eastern Region
Steve Locke, At-large
Erik Bean, Elite Athlete Representative
Kevin Carter, Elite Athlete Representative
Susie Gallucci, Elite Athlete Representative

2005 Board of Directors

2006 Board of Directors

    Rob Kasper – Southeast Region – President
    Melissa Merson – MidAtlantic Region – Vice President
    Celeste Callahan – Midwest/RockyMtn/Pacific Regions – Secretary
    Jim Davidson – Mideast Region – Treasurer
    Eric Averill – New England Region
    Mark Fretta – Elite Athlete Rep.
    Mike Greer – South Midwest Region
    Brian Harrington – Florida Region
    Jeff Matlow – Southwest Region

**Executive Directors**

Murphy Reinschreiber was the first Executive Director in 1983.

Denis White became Executive Director in 1983? And served until 1984?

Verne Scott became Executive Director in 1984 and served until 1987.

Jim Freim became Executive Director in 1987 and served until 1990.

Mark Sisson became Executive Director in 1990 and served until 1991.

Steve Locke became executive director in December 1991 and served until 2003

Mike Greer served as acting executive director from January 2004 until 2005.

Skip Gilbert served as Executive Director from 2006 until 2010.
Rob Urbach has been Chief Executive Officer since 2011.

Gary Scott was deputy executive director in the late 1980’s and team manager for the first world championships in 1989.

Tim Yount served as acting executive director on two occasions when a new executive director was being selected.