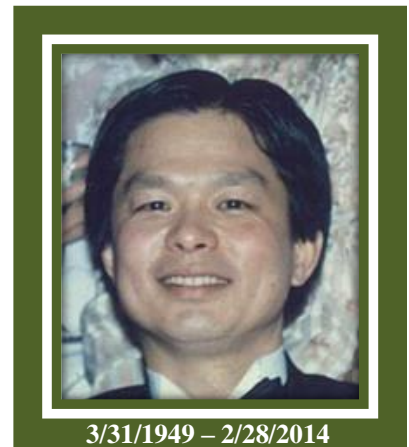


Hiroshi Fujimoto

RECOGNITION AWARD

This award is handed out each year at the Men's Region 1 Championships. The recipient of the award is a person in the Region who has given of himself/herself above and beyond other members of Region 1. This award is in recognition of selflessness of the recipient in either the prior year, or in a cumulative basis throughout many years. This award is the most prestigious award given to a member of our Region 1 Men's Gymnastics community. It reflects the dedication of that years' recipient to the development, administration, vision and/or quality of men's gymnastics in Region 1 in the spirit of Hiroshi Fujimoto's contribution to our Region.

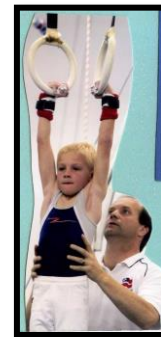
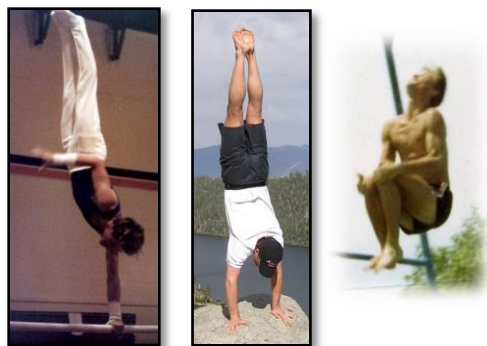


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The 2019 Hiroshi Fujimoto Recognition Award is presented to:

Tim Klemmner



Tim's first passion in the sport of gymnastics has always been coaching. In his 38 years of coaching, he has helped coach **10** JO National Team Members (*starting in 1985*), **15** National Future Star Team Members, **2** USA Event Champions (*both on PH*), **12** JO National Champions (*4 on PH*), & **12** USA Championship Qualifiers. Tim has been a presenter at the **USAG Congress**, National Coaches Workshop, and State & Regional workshops. Tim has been a coach or clinician at many Region 1 Select Team Camps & Regional Team Clinics, the Future Star Nationals, and many Regional & State clinics.

Tim's second passion is directing Events. He has been a Meet Director for **6 JO National Championships** and **9 Region 1 Championships**. He has worked at the 2004 & 2006 Pacific Alliance Championships, the 2004 Olympic Trials, and the **2003 World Championships!**

Tim has been a constant member of the Region 1 Board for 30 years. Tim has been a **Region 1 Chairman**, the **So Cal State Chairman** and now the **Nevada State Chairman**. In 1989, three of the State Chairmen were Hiroshi (*Nor Cal*), Tim (*So Cal*), & Roger (*NV*)! Together, the 3 of them worked continuously over the next 25 years shaping Region 1. Tim was the gym owner of US Gymnastics Training Center for 16 years. He was the **President** of the USA Men's Gymnastics Coaches Association and has served on the **USA Gymnastics Board of Directors**. He has served on many National Committees including the USAG Age Group Competition Committee. Tim was also an **FIG judge** and judged the USA Championships in 1997 & 1998. Tim has maintained his National certification for 34 years. In 2003, Tim received the **Frank Cumiskey Award** (*the highest award in USA Men's Gymnastics*)! Tim was a 4 time recipient of the SCMGA Coach of the Year Award & 5 time Iron Man Award winner. As a gymnast, he was the **LA City Champion** on PH in 1979! **Yeah Pommel Horse!**