

NORTHERN WESTCHESTER SWIMMING CONFERENCE

Monday, June 18, 2007

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Michael Panzarino, President, welcomed everyone to the meeting held at the Briarcliff Pool at Law Park. The meeting was called to order at 7:07 p.m.

ATTENDANCE: All clubs were in attendance.

MINUTES: There is a correction for the minutes of the May 21, 2007 meeting: Officials' Rating Cards are to be sent to John SANTOS, not John Osterhoudt. The correction is on the website, but was not on the copy mailed to everyone. Patty Kelly motioned to accept the minutes with the change; John Osterhoudt seconded; minutes were accepted with change.

TREASURER'S REPORT:

- Dues (\$675.00) need to be mailed to John Osterhoudt by 6/22/07. The following clubs have not yet paid: Lewisboro, Mount Pleasant, Whippoorwill, Waccabuc.
- Rosters are due to John Osterhoudt by Saturday, 6/30/07.

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ASSOCIATE MEMBERS: Bea Rhodes and Michael Panzarino, although not currently parent reps, are active and in good standing with NWSC and were voted in unanimously as Associate Members. The motion was made by Carolyn Johnson, seconded by Patty Kelly, and voted upon by the entire membership.

CHAMPIONSHIPS

Carolyn Johnson passed out Championships format sheets to all. Michael Panzarino stressed that ALL clubs must help at the championships, not only the hosting teams. The host pool will contact the other clubs. The more organization there is prior to the meet, the more smoothly the meet will run. On the website there is specific information about the championship meets stating what each club should bring. Below are the sites:

Division	SWIM	DIVE
I	Chappaqua	Yorktown
II	A.L.E.	Mount Kisco Memorial
III	Mount Pleasant	Lewisboro
IV	Bedford Village	Twin Oaks
V	Bedford Golf and Tennis	Will go to Lewisboro Div. III

ALL STAR MEET- John Osterhoudt explained the parking situation may be different this year, but he will have people directing traffic for parking at the meet.

PACKETS- all information was handed out to each team and is also available on the website. Bea Rhodes explained that e-mail blasts will be sent out as reminders regarding forms, rules, etc. as well as a copy of the updated constitution. Everyone is asked to check the website for information and let us know if there are any corrections that need to be made. These corrections can be sent to NWSCmail@aol.com.

OLD BUSINESS:

- There is a change to the roster format due to the new eligibility cut-off date for swimmers.
- The change has been added to the constitution.
- B-meet schedule is on website.

NEW BUSINESS

- Suzannah Rudel is doing a Girl Scout Gold Award project which involves collecting food for local food pantries. She handed out packets to all asking for participation by all swim clubs.
- John Santos explained the importance of handing in the rating cards. Last year we had 90 meets and only 21 rating cards were handed in. Please send in the cards whether you had a good or bad experience at a meet. Division Chairs were given a sheet containing contact information for officials and Michael Panzarino offered the same information to any coach at the meeting.
- Meeting Times: Communication has been sent to the Board asking that the meetings start on time. A suggestion has been made that, in order to do so, everyone should arrive 15 minutes prior to the actual start time to get the paperwork, etc. and be ready and seated for a prompt start.
- Paul Simco spoke about the Empire State Games. They are from July 26-29th. Volunteers are needed (especially 9-12 yr olds.)

NEXT MEETING:

Thursday July 26th at 7:00 at Pocantico Hills Pool immediately following the All-Star Diving Championships. **PLEASE ARRIVE At 6:45!!!** Please do NOT park in the bus circle at the school.

A motion to adjourn to meeting was made by Greg Sims and seconded by Bea Rhodes. The meeting was adjourned at 7:52 p.m.