

NORTHERN WESTCHESTER SWIMMING CONFERENCE

Thursday July 28, 2016

Pocantico Hills Pool

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Call to order: The meeting was called to order at 7:05 by Michael Panzarino, President. Executive Committee members in attendance: Meg Kaplan, Carolyn Johnson, John Osterhoudt, and Kelly Blacker

1. Attendees: BG&T, Bedford Hills, Bedford Village, Birchwood, Briarcliff, Chappaqua, Cortlandt, Katonah, Lakeside, Lewisboro, MKCC, MKMP, Mount Pleasant, Ossining, Peekskill, Pleasantville, Pocantico Hills, Pound Ridge, Seven Bridges, Torview, Waccabuc, Whippoorwill, Willowbrook, Windmill, Yorktown. **Absent:** Tarrycrest

2. Minutes of the June 15, 2016 Meeting: Motion to accept – Waccabuc, Seconded – Briarcliff. Unanimously approved.

3. Treasurer's Report

Dues were all in on time. Please continue to make every effort to get the dues in on time. Whippoorwill received their plates. It was noted that there was a misspelling on Pocantico Hills plates and that this will be fixed. One team turned in their roster late and as a result had to forfeit a meet. Please remember to have your rosters in on time.

4. Dual Meet Results as of 7/28/2016:

<u>Division I</u>	<u>Division II</u>	<u>Division III</u>	<u>Division IV</u>	<u>Division V</u>
Up Willowbrook Chappaqua	Katonah	Pleasantville * Pound Ridge * Torview *	Mount Pleasant	Bedford G & T
Down Cortlandt	Lakeside	Pocantico Hills	Bedford Hills	

5. B Meets, weather delays and procedures: If there is a weather delay we need to be aware that there is a cutoff point at which you will not be able to complete the meet before dark. Please respect the pool director's call on this. Also we can never be on a pool deck when there is lightning and or thunder. Procedures – make sure that you are using the correct dive sheets. Please consult the website as all of the dive sheets are there. No jumps in B dive meets.

6. Information on Swim Championships and All Star Swim Meet (review) THANK YOU TO TEAMS HOSTING!! Reminders: each club enters one person per event and one relay per event. Maximum number of events that a swimmer can enter is 3. 2 individual and 1 relay, 1 individual and 2 relays, or 3 relays. Diving champs events do not count toward swimming champs events. To participate in Championships a swimmer must have participated in two meets and B meets count. Each team should provide 3 timers, 1 scorer, and 1 ribbon writer. Please make sure that they report to the scoring table. Host brings scoresheet to All Star meet. You do not have to make copies of the score sheet. Judgement calls cannot be protested. What the official calls is the final call. If your team places 1st, 2nd, or 3rd at

Championships your team must provide a timer for All Stars. Host teams please return unused awards. Host teams also need to bring their division banner to the All Star meet. If the first place swimmer is unable to go to All Stars then please contact the 2nd and third swimmer to ensure every lane is filled at All Stars. If a swimmer on a winning relay team is unable to attend All Stars then that team can use another one of their swimmer or they can reach out to other teams in the division for a swimmer. All swims at All Stars this year will be records as Katonah is a meter pool. At All Star meet the first events are the Girls and Boys 8 & Under freestyle relay. Remind your swimmers that they can get their T-shirt after they swim.

7. Schedule of Meets for 2017: Carolyn Johnson presented two options:

option 1: 11 meet dates and season ends July 30th.

option 2: 12 meet dates however season ends August 6th.

Motion to accept option 1 meet schedule: Pocantico Hills, Seconded – Cortlandt. Unanimously approved.

The approved meet schedule is as follows:

Dual meet: June 29, July 1, 6, 8, 11, 13, 15, 18, 20, 22, 25.

Dive Champs July 26th. Dive All Stars July 27th.

Swim Champs July 29th. All Stars July 30th.

B Dive meets are Mondays July 10, 17, 24.

B swim meets are Wednesdays July 5, 12, 19.

Motion to accept the B meet schedule: Lewisboro, Seconded – Katonah. Motion passed.

Let us know by February 1, 2017 if you have issues with particular dates.

8. Championship and All-Star Sites for 2017. Please sign up and note the guidelines for hosting meets. We are trying to spread the hosting around. Please sign up for only one championship. If you are hosting diving championships do not also sign up for swimming championships.

Based on signup during meeting:

Division 1: Swimming – Lewisboro

Diving –

Division 2: Swimming –

Diving –

Division 3: Swimming – Mount Pleasant

Diving –

Division 4: Swimming – Pocantico Hills

Diving – Pocantico Hills

Division 5: Swimming –

Diving – Will join Division 4

All Star Swimming:

All Star Diving: Pocantico Hills

9. Meeting Dates for 2017:

- a) January/February: Executive Committee Meeting
- b) May: Monday May 22, 2017 or Tuesday May 23, 2017
- c) Coaches & Reps: Wednesday June 21, 2017 or Thursday June 22, 2017
- d) Wrap-up: After All Star Diving Meet

10. Old Business – Swim Across America – exceeded their expectations by having the most swimmers ever to participate and raising \$72,000 so far.

11. New Business – Motion: to realign the conference so that teams that do not have diving become division 5. Current division 5 would become 6. Windmill, Seconded – Pocantico Hills.

Motion does not pass.

Cortlandt offered to hold a diving invitational meet during the 2017 season.

Motion to return 6 & Under freestyle to exhibition, non-scoring. Torview, Seconded – Bedford Hills.

Motion does not pass.

12. Next Meeting — May 22 or 23, 2016. Site TBA

13. Motion to adjourn: Lewisboro, Seconded Willowbrook. Meeting Adjourned at 8:17.

The minutes of the July 28, 2016 meeting are hereby submitted for approval, Kelly Blacker, Recording Secretary.