

NORTHERN WESTCHESTER SWIMMING CONFERENCE

Wednesday May 24, 2023

Briarcliff Pavilion

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Call to order: The meeting was called to order at 7:08 by Mike Panzarino, President. Executive Committee members in attendance: John Osterhoudt, Treasurer, Meg Kaplan, Vice-President, and Kelly Blacker, Recording Secretary. Also present: Mike Kissane, Official's Liaison.

The Board welcomed all to the 2023 NWSC season. We are looking forward to a successful 2023 season.

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, Tarrycrest, Torview, Waccabuc, Whippoorwill, Willowbrook, Yorktown.

Reminder to clubs that there is a \$50 penalty for missed meetings.

2. Minutes July 28, 2022 – Motion to approve – Chappaqua, Seconded – Yorktown. Unanimously approved.

3. Election of Officers – There were no nominations from the floor. The following slate was presented:

President- Mike Panzarino, Treasurer- John Osterhoudt, and Melissa Trail- Corresponding Secretary.

Motion to accept – Willowbrook, Seconded – Lewisboro. Unanimously approved.

4. Treasurer's Report – John Osterhoudt

Per the constitution dues are to be paid two weeks prior to the first meet of the season which is June 29th, 2023. Clubs that have paid: Birchwood, Briarcliff, Cortlandt, Lakeside, MKMP, Mount Pleasant, Ossining, Peekskill, Seven Bridges, Tarrycrest, Torview, Waccabuc and Willowbrook. Invoice is on the website.

Team rosters – Rosters are due to John Osterhoudt one week prior to your first meet. **REMINDER: a swimmer or diver must be officially added to your roster TWO DAYS PRIOR to the meet if you wish them to compete in that meet. This includes B Meets.**

If you are just adding a couple of names, you do not have to send an entire new roster. You can just email the changes. John's contact information is on the website. Roster format is on the website under "Forms and Rules".

Please give any blank plates from your plaques to John Osterhoudt.

5. Team and Contact information – Please check this information on the website and send any updates to Melissa Trail, Corresponding Secretary, ASAP.

6. Championship Sites & Meets – Championship Sites:

Division 1: Swimming – Katonah

Diving – Pound Ridge

Division 2: Swimming – Mount Pleasant

Diving – MKMP

Division 3: Swimming – Lewisboro

Diving – Pocantico Hills

Division 4: Swimming – TBD

Diving – TBD (division 4 a 5)

Division 5: Swimming – MKCC

Diving – with Division 4

Reminder: Hosts of Division Championship Diving need to take their division banner to the Championship Swim meet. Championship Swim hosts need to bring the banners to the All Star Meet.

All Star Diving – July 27th at Lewisboro

All Star Swimming – July 30th at Briarcliff

B Meets: We need more Clubs to host B meets. Please email if you can host. If you are not going to attend a B Meet that you were scheduled to attend, please let the host Club know.

No jumps for B Dive meets, and no in water assistance for B swim meets.

Dual Meets – Please follow the constitution for events, relays and be aware of teams that do not have diving. Please note as approved at the July 28th, 2022 meeting 6 & under freestyle will take place with other freestyle events as it is presented on the score sheet.

Any change requests to the Dual-Meet schedule must be emailed to NWSC and cc Mike Panzarino.

7. Web Site - Please see the website for the Constitution, Club List, Score Sheets, Diving Sheets, etc. Please email to let us know if you notice anything that needs to be updated.

8. Old Business: 2022 Championship Diving results were not reported for all Divisions. If you hosted a Diving Championship, please email your paperwork.

9. New Business: Dan Levy Coach at Chappaqua Pool and Tennis announced that they will host “Swim Across America”. The event will take place July 23rd from 3:00-6:00pm. They are inviting all to participate and or donate. Information can be found at www.swimacrossamerica.org.

Donation to WCSO – Motion for the conference to donate \$500 to the WCSO - Yorktown, Seconded – Mount Pleasant. Yes – 23, No – 1. Motion passed.

NWSC Dues – The dues have not been increased in many years. The conference is proposing a \$25 to \$50 increase for the 2024 season. We will discuss this further and make a final decision at the next meeting.

Mike Kissane - Official's Liaison reminded all that you need to have up to date contact information on the website. Officials will reach out to the coach of the host club the night before a scheduled meet. If you do not hear from an official the night before your meet, you need to contact Mike Kissane . If you are hosting an Invitational and need officials or if you do not feel comfortable with a particular official, please let Mike know.

10. Next meeting: Thursday June 22, 2023, at 7:00 pm at Briarcliff Pavilion.

Motion to adjourn - Briarcliff, Seconded – MKCC. Meeting Adjourned at 8:20.

The minutes of the May 24, 2023, meeting is hereby submitted for approval, Kelly Blacker, Recording Secretary.