

SAL September 18, 2012

Call to Order:

EAST	#	CENTRAL	#	NORTH	#	WEST	#
NeshCore	1	DCAA	2	CBEast	2	LoMer	2
Centennial	1	PlyWhmsh	2	CBSWAC	2	Methacton	0
CounRock	2	Springfield	2	NorthPenn	2	Norristown	1
LoMoreland	2	UpDub	2	HatHorsh	2	PerkVal	2
Pennsbury	2	Wissahickon	2	Souderton	2	Radnor	2
				Pennridge	2	UpMer	2

1. Call to Order: Roberta Lichter, President. cell 215-651-7349. 2nd cell 267-337-0041. House 215-348-0899. Do not call house after 9PM. Work 267-893-5709. Motion from CBAC. Seconded by CR. Approved.

Thoughts and prayers to the family of Lin Kostelny from Methacton, long time diving coach.

2. Contact Information should be sent to Andrew Jesitias, WebMaster.

3. Copies of policies and procedures for each rep need to be downloaded from website.

4. Each team needs to submit letter of approval for invitational meets.

5. Treasurer: Tom McManus. Current balance \$19,053.76. SAL Charities \$3,312.00 Available Funds \$15,741.76. Four teams still owe for division champs, bills sent out. Once paid, bills for annual dues for each team will be sent out to the Team President. No other outstanding bills to be paid. Teams will be fined for not attending SAL meetings and late entries for championships.

6. Scheduling: Jamie Forlini - available on the website. Download version as of 9/18/12.

7. Registrars: Mark McElwee - Boys; Mike Dunn - Girls; Lisa Forlini - Diving

a. procedures/instructions on website - download and read.

b. rosters - clean up your US swim designations - due by coaches meeting 10/16/12. Make sure all potential athletes are registered timely. Athlete must be on the roster for 10 days before they compete in ANY meet, official or unofficial.

The issue is the USA Swimming ID number on the database by the entries for League Champs. This will also apply to invitationals that will be USA Swimming sanctioned.

Active/Inactive - when rosters go to registrars only those who are active when roster is received is eligible to swim/dive.

c. eligibility - must be on roster for 10 days.

d. transfers/releases - when athletes switch clubs make sure the release is obtained and sent to the registrar. Release is requested by the rep or club president, NOT the coach or parent. If an athlete competes without a release, any meet that athlete competed in will be forfeited.

Mike Dunn will send the entire roster of girls from LAST year, to each team, in alpha order in Excel. We'll let you know about the boys.

e. TM files w/ MM Back up to the webmaster and the email must contain the names of the teams and final score. Directions on website.

f. Diver designation on rosters - MUST be marked with a D. Can swim and dive with D. Eligibility is contingent on the athlete being marked as a D.

8. Presidents' reports:

Boys: Paul Mancini - no report. Read the rules and procedures. Must be at every table.

Girls: John McGinley - no report. Quiet year.

Diving: Jim Davidson

a. optional/mandatory judging & table clinic each fall. Thursday, 10/18 at CBSWAC @ 7:00 PM. Council Rock will host judging clinic on 10/4 at 6:30 PM. Email Jim Davidson if you can host a judging clinic. Clinics will be required next season. Make sure diving parents are trained to run a meet.

b. new computer program to be tested - to make diving registrar easier. Will keep paper sheet system in place - MUST submit sheets timely. Will do some test runs with different teams.

Diving results still need to be entered on Meet Manager for the completion of the meet.

c. Division diving champs- split the girls so wait is not so long. Either by east/west or central/north or by age level. Keep the divisional divers in order by division so that it is easier for spectators and athletes. Diving Coaching meeting on 10/11 will discuss the final recommendations for changes to be made. Motion by PerkValley, Seconded by UMAC.

Approved.

d. Invitationals will be posted on website.

e. Methacton and Pennridge still need diving coaches.

9. Officials - Mike Dunn - clinics are highly recommended this year, as of next year re-certification will be required every 2 years (SAL, Y, USA, or PIAA will be accepted). Stroke & Turn and Starter Ref.

Upper Merion, CBSWAC, Pennsbury, Souderon & Springfield will host clinics. Need TV & DVD. No pool time or swimmers.

10. Coaches' Rep: Brian Ziegler - coaches should have child abuse/criminal background check done. Appropriate conduct/contact.

11. Division Reps:

Central: Kristen Liebsch - DCAA
East: George Shaya - Council Rok
North: Jen Steinberg - SWAC
West: Katherine McClelland - Upper Merion

12. Senior Awards: Kathy Garro. Applications due 1/8/13, night of the reps meeting. MUST have letter from SAL coach. \$500 per boy and girl and per division.

13. Awards - Karen Palumbo - left over awards are to be returned to Karen.

14. Division Championships Hosted by:

North Boys:	North Penn	North Girls:	CBSWAC
West Boys:	PVAC	West Girls:	TBA
East Boys:	Centennial	East Girls:	Centennial
Central Boys:	TBA	Central Girls:	TBA (possibly UpDub)

Diving: CBSWAC or in each division

League Champs: Feb. 10th Sunday. Girls in the morning and boys in the afternoon at LaSalle

Diving Leagues Saturday, Feb. 9th at CBSWAC

15. Championship Sponsorship - will be handled by Division Reps. Each team needs to provide a club contact to the division rep.

16. Hall of Fame - Mark McElwee - Athlete, Coaches & Administration

17. Team directory needs to be updated to the webmaster ASAP.

18. Invitational Meets

CR DIVING 10/20

Pennridge Swimming 10/20

PVAC Fall Fest 11/4

CBSWAC Back into the Swim 11/11

Norristown Harvest Meet 11/25

North Penn Trophy 12/2

Central Buck Holiday Classic 12/9

Council Rock Tropical Holiday 12/29

Central Bucks DIVING 12/30

Centennial Odd Age 1/6

Pennsbury Splash 1/20

Upper Merion Last Chance 1/26
Upper Dublin Last Chance DIVING 1/27

Motion by Council Rock Seconded by CBAC. Approved

19. MM 3.0 and TM 6.0 are the current versions in use. Can use higher versions.

20. Swim Coaches' meeting 10/16. Dive Coaches' meeting 10/11.

Respectfully submitted,

Kathy Garro
Secretary SAL