

Northern Lights Swim Boosters

April 16, 2024

Call to Order: 7:31 pm

Role call: Bethany, Jennie, Kim, Faith, Christen, Andrea, Mindi, Sharon, Molly, Amanda, Kaydee

**Consent Agenda:**

-Change next meeting May 7<sup>th</sup> at 7:30 PM

Motion to approve by Kim, passed

**Report of Officers:**

**President:**

Requirements for moving levels, can't put in pool, so requirements in swim case and on BAND.

Fall – new Dryland coordinator , Justin Trice. Last day is Monday 22<sup>nd</sup>

Grant from MEA for \$2697, almost covered pace clocks. Ordered sign and sending pictures of clocks.

**ANC:** ASD schedule, meet updates, 237 swimmers total, Jennie thinks that their student reps are a good idea for us to copy eventually.

**Treasurer's Report:** lots of expenses for swim-a-thon and banquet. Motion to approve by Jennie, seconded by Sharon, passed

**Swim-a-thon:**

All goodie bag stuff, pool is setup, some nice donations this week. Need lap counters.

**Banquet:**

Need more RSVP, we are at 77. BAND app. Too far out for RSVP yet for that time of year. All decs are bought, on track. Need sign up for sign up on 16<sup>th</sup>, Tara and Bethany will set up in morning. Greeters and clean up.

Personalized swim caps: order is out

**New Business:**

Colony Parade – we've done last few years, night before for float. June 8<sup>th</sup>, 10:30 – 12:30, we won something last year. Jerry usually brings truck and trailer or Tara offered up hers. Do we want to do it or not? Do we get much benefit others than kids? Same date as Why

Not Try? Should we ask the Gold Swimmers? Have the Gold do the work of planning? Actual volunteers, tabling it for now, asking Gold. Committee chair: Kaylee Brenner. Who will talk to Golds? Molly will talk to them, report back to Bethany

Red White and Cool Pool Party - need a party planner? July 6<sup>th</sup>, fun day. Hour of swim, hour of bleachers

Scholarship application of cycles: applications due dates are Jan 15<sup>th</sup>, August 15<sup>th</sup>. Changes on application. January is missing from form. Only NLSC fees, help with inactive fees. We have 3 on scholarship right now, of some sort. Make sure to let know it is possible.

Jan - Apr, May - Aug, Sept - Dec

Dec 15<sup>th</sup>, April 15<sup>th</sup>, Aug 15<sup>th</sup>

Family scholarship? Approve by application, want to spread across as many as possible. The committee just meets via email, fill out more applications, more reviews. Single swimmer applications.

Motion to change the applications cycles as such listed above, motion by Amanda, seconded by Christin.

Fundraiser Opportunity - firehouse/blaze pizza. Wanted to know if we want to do a fundraiser with them. Percentage of sales for organization, during period. Before end of May, up to 25% contributions. We did the Cane's for senior travel, it was like \$100. Bake sale was the money. We can do it anytime, just incentive for doing it now. Wait for summer and do it for later.

### **Coach Report:**

Jerry: banquet awards is his job tonight....our kids did well at Zones, 8 kids went from the Valley. We were able to support them. A lot of bronzes right now.

### **Parent Rep:**

Bronze: Kaydee: when is Jorge done? Will he be at state? Banquet?

Silver: Bethany: they are good

Gold: TBD: they are good

### **Questions:**

No applicants or Jorge's position yet. We've put it out as much as possible. He can handle it through October, then there will be problems. He wants to do some changes, good time to make then before a new person. Restructuring. Jr coaches will work over the summer, Kaylee is planning to work more with Jorge leaving.

Laurie might come back? Need lifeguard cert - maybe Fairbanks?

Adjournment: 8:17 pm