

COACHE'S MEETING
Brookfield Parks and Recreational Center
Tuesday, September 11th, 2018
9:30AM-12:00PM

Minutes by: Jeanne Drzewiecki

1) SUMMER CHAMPIONSHIP MEET RECAP

- a. SILVER CHAMPIONSHIPS
 - i. Work on evening out the LC meets. Jacob had contacted teams prior to the 2018 Silver meet as to where they were going to compete.
 - ii. Look at possibly assigning teams that historically complete in the LC meet to split between WSAC and RecPlex.
- b. 12-UNDER LC CHAMPIONSHIPS
 - i. 14% drop in attendance.
 - ii. 2019 meet does not conflict with Madison's All-City Meet (will this change the meet outlook?)
- c. 13-OVER LC CHAMPIONSHIPS
 - i. Timeline OK
 - ii. 785 Athletes (60G/40B split)
 - iii. Look at some event and formatting changes.
 - iv. Eliminate 15-16 Time Standards for the Meet
 - v. Kevin Milak strongly encouraged eliminating the 200 Relays from both SC and LC Meet – Coaches' Meeting was agreeable to this.

2) ZONE RECAP

- a. POOL SIDE (Rob McCabe and Angela Monty)
 - i. 8 Coaches/1 Manager
 - ii. Team Unify worked great with communications – individuals/teams that do not use Team Unify were communicated with under separate email.
 - iii. No apparel problems
 - iv. Awesome Team Wisconsin performances by individual athletes – Team 3rd overall
 1. Girls (96 participants) – largest at meet
 2. Boys (39 participants) – smallest at meet
 - v. 2019 Meet coaches determination: SSTY (24), EBSC (14), LAKE (11)
 - vi. Issue with price of Admission into venue (topic going to Central Zones at USAS)
 - vii. Survey out to families – 30 returned.
 1. Most positive
 2. Complaints about Zones and WI 130 State Champs on same weekend.
- b. OPEN WATER SIDE (Kevin Milak)
 - i. FUN!!!!
 - ii. Largest stand-alone Meet held in USA Swimming
 - iii. Wisconsin took 2nd Place overall

3) TIME STANDARDS (Michael White – Handout)

- a. Working on 2019-2020 Time Standards
 - i. Trying to bridge “entry” gaps for some of the longer events.
 - ii. Allowing Bonus Cuts but using a Time Standards for those cuts
- b. Coaches' Meeting Thoughts:
 - i. Keep 10U standards as presented (except 500FR B – go back to old?)
 - ii. 11-12 Girls standards as presented are good – except keep old 200 FL standard
 - iii. 11-12 Boys – Keep “red” and “green” goes back to original standard.

4) WINTER CHAMPIONSHIP MEETS

- a. REGIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS
 - i. Keep Time Standards
 - ii. No change to event order
 - iii. Allow Meet Hosts for each Region to determine whether they run Time Trials on Saturday and Sunday.

- b. 12UNDER SC STATE CHAMPIONSHIPS
 - i. Working on Time Standards – Tech Planning Committee to OK.
 - ii. Friday events – Flipping 11-12 50FR with 11-12 200 BR.
 - iii. Switching 10U 100 IM with 10U 200 IM
- c. 130VER SC STATE CHAMPIONSHIPS
 - i. Working on Time Standards
 - ii. Eliminate 15-16 time standards (?)
 - iii. Eliminate 200 Relays – Coaches’ Meeting in consensus
 - iv. Limit to A,B relays – Coaches’ in consensus
 - v. No Relay-Only athletes – coaches’ in consensus
 - vi. No cuts for Bonus Swims – coaches’ in consensus

5) TRAVEL REIMBURSEMENTS

- a. Tech Planning Chair (Dave Westfahl) has current list of meets to be reviewed by Committee
- b. Dave Anderson requested adding Y Nationals (2 shares)
- c. ISCA reimbursement (?)
- d. Drew Walden wanted to add Winter Speedos (2 shares)
- e. Talk about adding 1 Share back into the reimbursements – what meets would be shifted?
- f. Drew Walden also talked about relooking at Policy 12.7 Requirement for Travel Fund Reimbursement.

6) NEW BUSINESS

- a. Positive Coaching Alliance – Jacob Johnson
 - i. Possible Swimposium Presenter (April 2019)
- b. Chris Martin Visit/LSC Evaluation – Dave Anderson
 - i. 3 Visits starting in October (Dates?)
 - 1. 2 sites per visit
 - a. Milwaukee/Green Bay
 - b. Madison/Fox Valley

NEXT MEETING: October (Dates TBD)

Tech Planning Committee
Sunday, September 16th, 2018 (7PM Phone Conference)

TECH PLANNING COMMITTEE MEETING TOPICS:

- 1) SILVER MEET
 - a. Change name from Silver Champs to Summer Regionals
 - b. Evening Out the meets
 - i. Assign Teams similar to Regionals
 - ii. Assign ONLY Teams that historically attend the LC Meets to one of two sites
 1. Give teams May 1st deadline
 - iii. Do Nothing
- 2) 13OVER STATE CHAMPIONSHIOPS (both SC and LC Meets)
 - a. Tighten Time Standards (?)
 - i. Eliminate 15-16 Time Standards
 - ii. Have Bonus Cut time standards
 - b. Bring back three heats for 15-16 and Seniors
 - i. Only score Top 2 heats
 - ii. How will this affect 15Y athletes (?)
 - c. Eliminate 200 Relays altogether
 - d. Limit Relays (A and B ONLY)
 - i. No Relay-Only athletes allowed
- 3) TIME STANDARDS
 - a. Review Time Standards handout (see Coaches's Meeting notes)
- 4) TRAVEL REIMBURSEMENT
 - a. See Coache's Meeting notes
- 5) NEW BUSINESS