# Iowa Flyers Parent Advisory Committee Meeting September 16<sup>th</sup> 6:00 PM

# Present:

Amme Wilkins

Steve Bird

Steve Polyak

Carter Clan

Kelli Teager

Nathan Mundt

**Emily Downes** 

# Not Present:

Abby Bowman

Damian Krysan

Tom Carstensen

**Stephanie Coons** 

# 1. Fall Practice Schedule

- Start time 4:45pm for the first PM practice
- How to increase practice times overtime

#### 2. Potential Meets

- Outside of state meet opportunities
- How do we continue to keep athletes motivated?
- o Intrasquad during practices-competitions within practices
- Time trials throughout practices
- Use Linn-Mar high school for swim meet opportunity

# 3. Hawkeye Swimming & Diving

o Concern with how future events are impacted by no collegiate team

### 4. A3

- Concern with pushback from families on particular swimsuits/brands
- o Concern with mandating a specific brand that does not fit appropriately for all
- Concern with financial stability for families
- Follow up with if a swimmer who does not want an A3 swimsuit or can't purchase one.
- Team uniform color, etc.

# 5. Locker Room use with cold weather approaching

- o IFLY plan will be sent out in the next couple of weeks
- 6. New Committee Member Vote

- o All Committee member's votes were gathered via email prior to the meeting.
- Applicants:
  - i. Mary Landon (9 votes)
  - ii. Kelly Cwiertny (8 votes)
  - iii. Patrick Staber (7 votes)
  - iv. Amanda Chidister (9 votes)
- Based on majority vote, Mary, Kelly, and Amanda have agreed to their nomination to serve on the IFLY Parent Advisory Committee.
- These individuals will be replacing Amee Wilkins, Tom Carstensen, and Steve Polyak. Thank you for the last 3 years!
- o This change will take affect December 2<sup>nd</sup>.
- 7. Next IFLY Parent Advisory Committee Meeting
  - o Wednesday, Dec. 2<sup>nd</sup> 6:00 PM