RRVY Swim Team Parent Meeting 7:00 PM Tuesday, September 27, 2011

Call to order: Carol Svendson

Secretary's report: Tonya Murphy

No Report

Treasurer's report: Julie Simon

Checking: \$6067.00, Savings: \$14,501.00, CD: \$17,500.00

Chair Reports:

Registration: Lisa Loegering

2012 Registrations will be collected at the November meeting. It is very important to get these done early so that swimmers will be insured and eligible to swim on January 1st.

Officials: Irene Wrenn

We need more officials. Come out and try it. We would like to be able to have enough officials on our team to not need out of town officials at our home meets.

Apparel: Kelly Foley

An order form for team apparel has been created and will be sent out via e-mail.

Marketing: Tricia Johnson

Grand Forks Public School' Kid's Connection will have a one page ad for RRVY Wahoos. Bryan agreed to participate in an interview with Latent Broadcasting as part of a radio campaign to promote swimming and RRVY Wahoos.

Coach's Report: Bryan Walls

The season is going well so far. Beau Simon and Emily Eardensohn are working with the swimmers and doing a good job. We have lots of new swimmers this season. The first meet will be our home meet on Sunday, November 13.

Old Business: None

New Business:

- 1. Budget and fee increase: Carol handed out a sheet summarizing the 2011 budget. She explained that in the past the club has held large meets (State and Zones) which have helped to fund our club and allowed us to operate with a deficit each year. These meets will not happen as often in the future so as a result, we have had to increase fees and look for other sources of income, such as fund raisers. Fees this year have increased \$5.00 per month. The multi-swimmer discount has decreased from \$15 per additional swimmer to \$10 per additional swimmer.
- 2. Team Suit: Discussion was held on whether to make the team suit mandatory and to have a mandatory team shirt. A show of hands indicated that 90% of those in attendance would be in favor of making the team suit mandatory. About 60 % were in favor of a mandatory team shirt. The board will take this information into consideration and come up with a policy. The team suit will be posted in the team store on the website soon.
- 3. Election of Officers: There will be an election for the positions of President and Vice President at the November Parent meeting. Rich Mosher has volunteered to run for President and Tom Behm for Vice President. If anyone is interested in running for these positions, please contact a board member and we will pass on the information to the general membership.

Meeting was adjourned at 7:50 pm