

Heartland Area YMCA Swim Committee
August 21, 2022--1:00 PM
Four Rivers Family YMCA

Minutes

Attendance: *BWST*-Mary Sortland, Kurt Sortland, Brent Graham; *CHILY*-Dena Forck; *CMTY*-August Nugent; *CRCY*-Mike Pappas; *EJFY*- Kat Sloan; *FAFY*-Lyman Burr; *FRAY*-Samantha Riegel; *HTCY*-Makenzie Pate; *JCAY*-Don Eisinger, John Harding; *KWBY*- Rachel Graczzak; *LEBY*-Olivia Reid; *MAYM*- Charles LaGarce, *MEXY*-Matthias McManus, Chris Burle; *OPFY*- Terea Goodwin, Torrie Preciado; *OPY*-Michaela Shows; *SCCY*-Talon Green; *SCFY*-Rachel Graczak; *SCTY*-Katrina Johnson, Krystyna Nicely; *SEYY*-Scott Hepko; *TPFY*-Joe MacLaughlin; *WWFY*- Jen Humphries, Taylor Abbott; *YOCC*-Sara McDaniel, Kimmi Schattgen; *YOFM*- Anne Schneider; *YOSI*-Stephanie Kraus

Absent: *HHST*, *PJFY*

Executive Committee: Dana LeVasseur; Doug Telford; Patty Draves, Sara McDaniel, Anne Schneider

Dana welcomed everyone to the meeting. Everyone was asked to sign in and update their respective team's roster information.

Minutes – April Minutes were approved. Charles LaGarce 1st, Chris Burle 2nd.

Financial Statement

- Statement balance as of July 2022 was noted as \$4430.26.
- Currently, outstanding payments include 2 checks for \$59 and \$270.

Old Business

- **Area and Regional Championships**
 - Proposed rule change states "Regional Championship to be held no more than 3 weeks and no less than 2 weeks prior to Area Championships." **PASSED**
 - Proposed rule change states "Regional host will decide how large and small team awards are determined. How large and small teams are determined will be written into the Regional Championship bid." **PASSED**
 - Proposed rule change states "Large and small team divisions will be determined after ranking the teams in order from largest to smallest by roster number then dividing at the midline." **PASSED**
 - The 2023 Area Championship will be managed by the committee at large.
 - Brent Graham (*BWST*) offered to present a bid as the host team for insurance purposes.
 - The Chuck Fruit Aquatic Center remains on hold as an option provided there is a volunteer as the host team for insurance purposes.

- All bids for hosting and revenue slots should be made by October 1, 2022.
 - Votes for hosting locations will be made via email.
 - Assignments for revenue slots will be assigned on a first come, first served basis. Any slots unaccounted for will be assigned to teams.
- **Qualifying Times**
 - Qualifying times will be completed within 2 weeks of the season's beginning.
 - Qualifying times will be reviewed based upon a comparison between the 2022 Regional and Area Championships' top 25's and our previously held qualifying times.
 - As it pertains to Area entries, the Meet Manager file will be modified to allow for call-up considerations.
 - Regardless of qualifying times, top 24 swimmers will be called up to complete mandatory 3 heats per event.
 - Please forward all meet results in an unlocked Hytek backup file format within ONE WEEK of competition's end for qualifying time consideration.
 - Forward all meet results to Patty Draves at hrtlndYswim@hotmail.com.

New Business

- **Officials' Trainings**
 - West Region
 - September 18, 2022 at YOCC
 - September 24-25, 2022 at BWST
 - East Region
 - September 24, 2022 at YOSI
 - Central Region- TBA
- **Regional Bids**
 - Central Region
 - .TPFY
 - March 3-5, 2023
 - East Region
 - CRCY
 - March 3-5, 2023
 - West Region
 - MAYM
 - February 24-26, 2023
- **Meets**
 - September
 - 17 SCFY Invitational
 - October
 - 21-23 FAFY National Virtual Meet
 - 22-23 YOSI Halloween Invitational
 - 22 YCAY Invitational
 - November
 - 4-6 MAYM Invitational

- 12 OPY Invitational
- 19-30 SCCY Invitational
- December
 - 9-11 CRCY Christmas Classic
 - 10-11 SEYY Polar Plunge
 - 17 MEXY Come Meet Santa Pentathlon
- January
 - 7 JCAY Pentathlon
 - 15 CMTY Kings of the Pool
- February
 - 3-5 Tom and Becky
 - 4 BWST Last Chance
 - 4 CRCY Heartbreaker
 - 11 KWBY/SQUIDS Last Chance
 - 24-26 West Regional Championships
- March
 - 3-5 Central Regional Championships
 - 3-5 East Regional Championships
 - 17-19 Area Championships

Next Meeting

Next meeting will be held in person on April 23, 2023 at 1:00 pm at St. Charles County Family YMCA.

Adjournment Brent Graham 1st; Stephanie Kraus 2nd.