

Committee Reporting Form

Committee name: Officials Committee

Function of committee:

Committee is to develop and conduct mentoring programs to recruit, educate, train and certify USA Swimming officials to provide high quality and consistent officiating for our athletes. Our goal is to set standards that will accomplish the following:

- ensure clear and consistent knowledge of the rules.
- provide sufficient time in training to assure familiarity with all levels of competition.
- ensure professionalism in all aspects of the word "team" both on and off the deck.

Committee Chair: Aimee McMillan

Members Present: Jason Overby

Kent Easty

Victortia Culbertson

Eddie Hughes Ella Penny Danka Ndubuisi

Date of last meeting: 3/16/21 Date of next meeting: TBD

Action items in progress/pending:

- 1. Recertification Clinic no action
- 2. Open Water Certification- in progress

Recommendations: none

Committee report:

Budget requests for 21-22

- New Officials items increase budget by \$100
- Officials Supplies increase to \$1800
- National meets keep budget same
- Meet Evaluators keep budget same
- Clinics & Workshops keep budget same
- State meet travel and lodging increase by \$1000 (4 state meets in a calendar year have yet to be run)

Action taken: Budget requests for upcoming fiscal year have been sent

- 2. Legislation for April HoD meeting
- legislation has been submitted to HoD for increasing travel reimbursement for officials selected to work Olympic Trials



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Action taken: Legislation has been submitted and will be voted on at April HoD meeting

- 3. Officials of the Year
- Male and female officials of the year nominees were discussed and selected Action taken: Two officials selected for award that will be presented at All State Banquet
- 4. Long Course State Meets
- meet referees were selected for meets

LC Age Group = Aimee Onoszko; LC Senior = Aimee McMillan Action taken: Meet referees selected for 2021 long course meets

- 5. All State Meeting
- Officials clinic to be held; clinic can be used for recertification (Aimee Onoszko spearheading clinic; Eddie Hughes to talk about National Officials Committee; Kent trying to get a paraswimming speaker)

Action taken: Officials clinic at All State planned for Unfinished Business

1. Championship meets recap - all things reported to be good at meets given the conditions of the situations with the meets
Meeting adjourned at 8:00 pm

Questions for the SC LSC: None

Other comments: none