MINUTES

of the meeting of the

Texas Senior Circuit Committee Friday, February 23rd, 2007 at Texas A&M

TSC committee member's present/absent Clayton Cagle CFSC (Chair) George Block (Secretary) Ron Forrest **FAST** Aubrey Knapper **GOLD** Steve Mateer **COPS** Mook Rohdenbaugh DM **TXLA** Dave Kalange Tim Bauer **TWST** Ø Chris MacCurdy (Treasurer) Ø Mark Boerner (Time Standards) Ø • Other members/guests present **MEMBER TEAM** none Approval of minutes of September meeting m/s/a A) Treasurers report – Chris MacCurdy B) none Time Standards – Mark Boerner C) none

- D) Rules Changes (July approval required)
 - 1. (insert in all meet information) The Meet Management may adapt the starting procedures and timelines to accommodate unusually large, or small, meets.

- 2. (insert in all Sectionals meet information) Fax Entry Deadline: Only swims achieving the qualifying time standards for the first time from (Sectional meet entry deadline), through (Sunday prior to Sectionals), may be sent by FAX transmission. These faxed entries must be received no later than 11:59 p.m., Central time, (Monday prior to Sectionals). Fax entry can not be used to improve any the seed time of a prior entry.
- 3. Seed all of SC Sectionals prelims fastest to slowest
- 4. SC Sectionals: Drop awards and add one (1) heat of finals
- 5. SC Sectionals: Limit out-of-section swimmers to 100. The team that puts out-of-section entries to 100 or more would be the last out-of-section team allowed to enter. Steve Mateer will send verbiage from Greater Southwest.

E) Review of Legends of Texas Clinic m/s/a GEB to produce 200 flyers for Hospitality

F) Dates for 2007

USA Spring Champs	March 27-31	East Meadow, NY
Senior #1	May 12-13	
Senior #2	June 1-3	SMU
Senior #3	June 22-24	A&M
Senior Champs	July 12-15	UT
L.C. Sectionals	July 25-28	San Antonio
L.C. Nationals	July 31 – August 4	Indianapolis, IN
Junior Nationals	August 7-11	Indianapolis, IN
SC Nationals	Nov 29-Dec 1	Atlanta

2008 Schedule: Draft #1 attached

G) Old business

H) New Business

1. TSA All-Star Meet: The Senior Circuit Committee opposes a fall "all-star" meet. Weekends at this time of year should be devoted to significant training whenever possible. The competitive calendar in Texas is already too crowded and too much time is lost from training to non-championship meets.

At one time, the All-Star Meet met a significant need in Texas. Thanks to the efforts of those who pioneered the All-Star Meet and TAGS, that need no longer exists and swimmers would be better served with a less crowded competitive calendar that allowed more time for significant training.