

## **VSI LSC Officials Committee ZOOM Meeting**

Agenda

May 27th, 2021 @ 7:00 PM

- 1. Cooper and Lewis update were not on the conference
  - Will need to new Athlete reps for next year
  - Asked to Bryan to funnel through Mary
- 2. Georg turning over to database coordinator position to Ralph?
  - If so, we have a vacancy any recommendations?
  - Ralph will be working with Georg to take over the role
  - May have an At-Large vacancy, any issues with asking Kelly Warnagiris?
- 3. Meet Referees for LC Championship Meets
  - LC Seniors Ralph? Genny Kimbel volunteered
  - LC AGC John? Ralph volunteered
  - MRs choose their ARs and let Mary know for rooms
- 4. Are you receiving inquiries for Summer Awards?
  - I would like for the DC to be involved in this process.
  - We can provide recommendations based on building a pool of MRs that can be slotted as MRs to fill future roles in our VSI championship meets.
- 5. NOC and request for N3i evaluators
  - The potential candidates are Genny Kimbel, Bryan Wallin, Bob Rustin and Kevin Hogan.
  - I clarified with Dana, as there was somewhat of a literal discrepancy between the application on USA Swimming and the bullet points the NOC sent out. There is a requirement of working in the position at the 3-star meet at least twice. Whether they received an evaluation in the position is not required.
  - Additionally, since we had a gap year (2020) with COVID, the look back will be from 2017.
- 6. Jamie Cahn has sent out info on N2 evaluators
- 7. Eval sheets on USA Swimming have been updated/new delete the old
- 8. Status of current training



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- DRs Jeff Ward (CGBD), Jack Granger (ECAT), Keith Davis (CA-Y), Leanne Overton (VSTP), Chris Jaeger (PSDN), Erica Devito-LaFalce (GATR), John Rockwell (HOKI) are all under way.
- Ralph noted that SRVA has produced a bunch of new S&T Officials
- Discussion as to what they are doing versus other teams
- Some new officials are showing up on deck for the "walks in whites" without completing the requirement set forth on the training card? Where is the disconnect?
- Discussed Clinic for Team chairs what are they up against?
- Maybe survey the folks who took the training and get their feedback? Who wants to take this on?

#### 9. Training Clinics – Dates for fall and names

- Start looking at the fall for training dates
- If you want to have them in person that is fine
- If you want to do them on Zoom, let me know the dates. I am not planning to conduct every training clinic next year.
- In a previous meeting we talked about designating some trainers/clinicians, do you have any capable/interested candidates who would be interested in this opportunity and share the load?

#### 10. OTS & RTO Excel workbooks on website?

Ralph will clean them up and send them to Emily for posting

#### 11. Any other burning items?

- SWAG?
- Gym bags for Futures. Contacted Anissa (MR) and she will send me the final list next week. (Action item for Scott)
- Mini rule books for officials Ordering from Swim Outlet.

Invited: Dan Demers, Beth Arnold, Bob Rustin, Michael Sizemore, Ralph Jones, Genny Kimbel, John Squires, Scott Farrar, Georg Fuhs, Will Murphy, Cooper Muench, Lewis Rockwell, George Zolovick, Bryan Wallin



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