

Rocky Mountain Swim League

April 14, 2009

Sue Kreitman welcomed parent reps and reminded everyone to sign in and make note any changes for the parent roster.

It was moved and seconded to approve the April minutes.

Treasurer's Report – Layla thanked everyone for turning in their proof of insurance, insurance money and \$100 team fees. She announced the teams that still needed to get these in and reminded all teams that no swimmers can get in the water without these items and a signed waiver.

Sue thanked everyone who volunteered their time instructing the TM/MM training and the stroke judge, starter/ref, and coaches' clinics!!!

Old Business

Sue reminded teams that have open enrollment to send all information on each swimmer, including address and neighborhood name to Sue K. and Carol E.

Committee Reports.

Rosters and Waivers – BF collected rosters and waivers.

Stroke Judge/Starter Referee Clinics –

May 17th, 1 – 3 beginner stroke judge clinic at Cherry Knolls. **LAST CHANCE FOR STROKE JUDGES TO BE CERTIFIED THIS SEASON.**

All requests for exemptions are due to Sue Kreitman by May 17th.

Deck Cards – handed out after meeting. There are extras if your team runs short during the season.

Ribbons – Collected money and passed out ribbons

Webmaster – The new website will up as of Friday. The new address is RMSL.org, but RMSL.info will still work. Teams that were attached to the old site will follow along. For those teams that are not attached, and want to join the new site, there will be a one-time \$100 fee to set that up.

Coaches Clinics/Database – Sunday, May 17 from 10 – 1:30 pm at the Knolls. Each team **must** have at least one of their coaches attend this meeting but it is preferable to have all coaches attend. There will be a break between the coaches' clinic and the TM training, for lunch and then the coaches TM training will follow the clinic from (time approximate) 12:30 to 1:30pm. All coaches should plan to attend the first 15 minutes of the TM training (after lunch) and then the experienced coaches are allowed to leave if they want. It is up to the coaches from each team to share all the info they learn with their other coaches.

Trophies and Medals – will follow up and they should be ordered this month.

New Business

HFII's pool has been fixed, so they will not need to use other pools. They want to thank all the teams who were willing to let them share lanes. What a great league we have!

Tech in training needed immediately: Jed and Lora Louise want to retire. We need someone who is willing to shadow them this year and learn this job. Please send out an alert to all your parents and see if we can get any interest. It is of top importance to find a volunteer to train this year, and assume lead tech next year. Lora Louise and Jed will train this year and, of course, be there next year, as support, to make sure the transition is smooth.

Each team reported the number of swimmers they expect for the season and the Prelim/Finals volunteer assignments will be determined based on these numbers.

Back-up pools for Prelims/Finals:

CCV – Stonegate

HFII – Hunters Hill

Homestead – Heritage Village

Heritage Greens – Preserve

Stonegate – CCV

A reminder was made that the away team at each meet needs to bring their starting system, fully charged and ready to go, in case of a malfunction with the hosting team's system.

Visiting teams are not to supply food for their swimmers. It is expected that they support the snack bar of the hosting team, as it is a fund raiser for them. Of course, individual coolers, are ok. But, no "tailgate" set-ups, as it would not be appreciated by any home team.

Be thinking of people who might want to serve on the Executive Board next year. We will have openings for VP, Treasurer, and Secretary. Nominations will be taken in the fall. Those eligible are past parent reps, or current parent reps whose parent rep responsibilities will end at the end of this season. There was also discussion of amending the by-laws to include the Tech person as a board member.

No other business was discussed and the meeting was adjourned.

Next RMSL Meeting June 9, 2009 at 7:00 at The Knolls Clubhouse.