

SUBURBAN LEAGUE

April 8, 2014

The meeting was called to order by JoAnn Faucett at 6:31 pm at Niskayuna Town Hall.

Teams not present: SJCC, EELS, Ciccotto Pool Crocodiles

The minutes were read and approved.

Treasurer's Report

- Balance: \$6241.80

League Membership

- Charvale Pool was dissolved. New owner will pair with Greater Glenville Y. Meets will be held at Charvale, with Greater Glenville Y as a back up pool. No diving.
- Fulton Flying Fish - Don't know status of membership yet.
- The league is comprised of 15 teams including Fulton Flying Fish., but not Greenbush Y, which was accepted into the league at this meeting.

Championships

- Diving Championships will be held Wednesday, July 30, 2014. Rain date is July 31. Location: SJCC.
- Swimming Championships will be held Friday, August 1, 2014 and Saturday, August 2, 2014. Location: Schenectady Patriots pool.
- July diving meet, July 12, 2014, and diving championships location: SJCC.
- Insurance quote: \$1500 budgeted by Jill for this year. JoAnn is waiting to receive a quote from Bruce Rowledge for event insurance.
- Programs will be created by Jenn Dixon.
- T-Shirts will be created by Denise McGraw.
- Denise had teams approve logo designs or will have teams email the logos to her.
- Vendor will be Deep End with 10% of proceeds going to Suburban League.
- Timing system: Bobby Keys will be asked to run the timing system. Jill budgeted \$225 for his services. JoAnn will find out if this amount is acceptable.
- Computer system: Andre Levasseur. Comfortable chairs are needed for computer and timing system people. Denise will be keeping people away from the table.
- Meet Referee: JoAnn Faucett.
- Worker Sheets: Connie Miller. Slots are dependent on roster numbers.
 - BSPA will patrol the men's room as a worker slot.
 - Stopwatches are an issue. Label watches so they can be returned to rightful owners.

- Connie will vary assignments for teams from last year.
- Entries require use of a swimmer's legal name.
- Financing of lifeguards at warm-ups is already budgeted - \$425
- Positive check in Friday night for IMs. Procedure and times will be determined by Denise and Connie.

Ribbons and Trophies

- Ribbons have been purchased by Denise McGraw.
- Trophies are still to be ordered.
- Denise McGraw will order cards for dual meets after this meeting, as team participation is solidified.
 - AJCC, EELS, MOHON do not need cards
 - Remind teams at Coaches & Representative meeting of the difficulty in combining heats when teams use both computer and card systems.

League Fees

- Team fee is \$100 due June 15.
- Roster fee is \$6 per athlete and due July 15 with a Hy-Tek roster.
- Send a hard copy of the roster or email a copy to Jill.
- If athletes join after July 15, please send names and remit \$6 fee for each new athlete to Jill.

Representatives and Coaches List

- Names, addresses, CELL phone numbers, and email addresses need to be sent to JoAnn at faucettjm@aol.com
- When all teams submit information, Bill will post on www.suburban-league.org.

Team Binders

- All information is online.
- Teams should have retained binders at the end of last season.
- Teams will be able to update binders themselves accessing the updates electronically.
- Updates will be posted on Suburban League's website: www.suburban-league.org
- Let JoAnn know the tentative numbers of swimmers on each team.

Dual Meets

- Suzanne Nye (MOHON), snye@nycap.rr.com, has created the dual meet schedule for this season.
- Suzanne will add Greenbush Y and Fulton Flying Fish to the meet schedule, contingent upon Fulton Flying Fish joining this year.
- Meet dates are still tentative at this time.

Schedules and Clinics

- Coaches and Representatives meeting: 6:00 pm, June 3, 2014, Niskayuna Town Hall.
- Diving Clinic: 6 pm, Thursday, June 12, 2014, BSPA.
- Officials Clinic: 6 pm, Tuesday, June 17, 2014, MOHON.
- Seeding Meeting: 6pm, Monday, July 21, Niskayuna Town Hall
 - Send Bill your meet entries electronically ahead of this meeting. He can determine what problems need to be resolved with entries.

Old Business

- It is the preference of Suburban League that a senior USA official be the meet referee/starter, if one is present, for a dual meet.
- BSPA will have a diving team this year.
- If you need something posted, such as a job vacancy, contact Bill and he will post to our website.

New Business

- Greenbush Y petitioned to join.
 - 8 lane pool.
 - 20-30 athletes.
 - 2 home meets.
- Unanimous vote of acceptance.

Next Meeting: June 3, 2014 Coaches and Representatives Meeting, 6:00 pm

Adjournment: Meeting was adjourned by JoAnn at 7:40 pm.

Respectfully submitted,
Kathy Furman
Secretary