UBURBAN LEAGUE SEEDING MEETING July 24, 2017

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Venue Addresses:

- Schenectady JCC, 2565 Balltown Road, Niskayuna, NY 12309
- Shenendehowa Aquatic Center: Gowana Middle School, 970 Route 146, Clifton Park, NY 12065

Meeting called to order by JoAnn Faucett at 6:10 pm.

Teams present: BSPA, EELS, FYFF, GH, Greater Glenville Y, GUY, JELLYFISH, KNOS, MOHON, NTP, RBGC, SJCC, USAM

JoAnn thanked SJCC for hosting diving meet. There were 30 divers and it went very well.

Treasury

 All checks still owed to the league should be made out to <u>Suburban Swim</u> <u>League</u>

Championships

- Meet Marshalls
 - o Primary duty is to keep parents off the deck
 - o It is important to keep spectators away from pool rail
 - Exit doors need to be covered
- Teams need to bring their watches and label them
- Label clipboards
- Athletes will be allowed to compete at Championships if they have not fulfilled the two dual meet requirement due to cancelled meets
- JoAnn will try to reassign an athlete who misses an event for a good reason
- No parents are allowed on deck unless working
- Warm-ups will be posted on website after Seeding Meeting
- Diving Worker Sheets: Slots must be filled and parents in those slots need to stay until the end of their slot
- Program information needs to be submitted to Jenn Dixon
 - o A Times, Swimmers' names, team, and a list of events in which A Times have been achieved. Actual times not needed

- Any A Time changes that need to be made should be submitted to Jenn, jenndixon@wildblue.net, by 5 pm on Wednesday, July 26
- o Jenn used the information from the website for the coaches, officers, and reps. for each team. If that information is incorrect, please let Jenn know the changes ASAP

• T-shirts

- Shirts will be at diving
- o Shirts will be sold all three days
- o Cost will be \$13

Trophies

- Each team receives a trophy; be sure to pick it up
- Be sure to pick up and check awards bags
- o Suburban will replace awards if there are problems
- o Trophies need to be at diving meet
- o Ribbons will be given to coaches
- o Need to have extra Championship ribbons available all days.

Facility

- o There will be concessions both Friday and Saturday
- o No glass containers on school property
- o Banners: Please use painter's tape and remove at end of meet
- o No barbeques are allowed

Parking

- No restrictions
- o Handicapped parking available
- o Between the school and pool is an area for tents
- Fans are requested. Please label with name and team.
- Awards table will be on the upper deck by the bleachers
- Hospitality will have lunch for coaches
- Coaches Relay: if there are not enough coaches, please use senior swimmers
- Adirondack Swimming has radios, which will be used. No need to bring your headsets
- Handicapped seating area needs to be marked as such
- GUY will take Schenectady slots on Worker Sheets

Entries

- Athletes swim the age they are on Wednesday, August 2, the first day of the meet
- Entries were to be emailed to Bill before tonight's meeting. SJCC needs to submit missing information and/or payments
- Warmup Schedule is posted online
- **Psyche Sheets** will be posted by Bill on Thursday, July 27 in the afternoon
- **Scratch Sheets** for Saturday should be submitted to Connie, <u>connie 70@verizon.net</u> by noon, Thursday, August 3
- Check with families to confirm attendance
- Bill's emails are <u>webmaster@adirondackswimming.org</u> or <u>slwebmaster@suburban-league.org</u>

Diving

- 12 and Unders required dive is the back dive
- 13 and Overs required dive is the inward dive
- Divers must perform three dives in three different categories
- Diving coaches must arrive at the meet with **TWO IDENTICAL DIVING SHEETS** filled out ahead in **PENCIL** with the three dives
- The first dive must be the required dive
- Meet schedule is listed below
- Be at warm-ups 20 minutes ahead. Your team will begin and end warm-ups at the scheduled time. We will not hold up another team's warm-ups or delay the meet because someone is late
- TWO IDENTICAL DIVING SHEETS needed for each diver
 - Use online diving sheets
 - o Make out all sheets IN PENCIL and then use a copier to ensure accuracy
 - o Required dive first and then two different dives
- No exhibition diving
- No diving program, therefore, no diving roster needed
- Ribbon Writers are needed to work throughout the meet
- Encourage swimmers to attend diving meet
- A parent is needed to add scores to determine ranking

Swimming

- Officials will DQ athletes performing illegal execution of strokes, especially breaststroke
- There will be Positive Check-in on Friday night
- Do not check in swimmers who are not present. Positive check in at front door will end at 2:00. Meet will start at 2:45
- Athletes must positively check themselves in. Parents/coaches cannot positively check in their athletes
- JoAnn will deck enter an athlete in the first heat if there is room
- Heat sheets will be sold
- Swimmers must arrive 20 minutes before scheduled warm up time. Your team will begin and end warm-ups at the scheduled time. Another team's warm up will not be delayed because someone is late
- KNOS will run the timing system
- David Stroup (KNOS) will run the computer system
- No bullpen for 8 and Unders. A coach needs to line the kids up
- Athletes of 25 yard races will dive off bulkhead and swim into the pads
- Parents are expected to work the entire shift
- Prepare athletes for the possibility of more DQs than a dual meet
- Meet Marshalls will allow the coaches on deck with the 8 and Unders. Parents will not be allowed on deck
- Coaches need to inform starters if there are athletes who are hearing impaired give name, events, heats, lanes. Hand signals may be used by starter
- Lane lines and a Meet Marshall are needed for the warm up pool

- Deep End (vendor) will be to the right of the front door at the end of the hall
- Each team needs to bring its own garbage bags for clean up
- Anticipate the meet will end around 4 pm
- Pick up ribbons, medals, and trophies for your team before you leave

Championship Schedule

- Diving Wednesday, August 2 RAINDATE Thursday, August 3
 - o Warm-ups: 12 and Unders 2:30-3:15 pm
 - o Warm-ups: 13 and Overs 3:15-4:00 pm
 - o Meet start: 4:15 pm
- Swimming Friday, August 4
 - o Warm-ups: 1:00-2:30 pm
 - o Meet start: 2:45 pm
- Swimming Saturday, August 5
 - o Warm-ups: 6:45-8:45 am
 - o Meet start: 9:00 am

Officials

- Uniform is navy bottoms, white top, white sneakers, white socks. No flip-flops
- All officials must arrive 45 minutes before the start of the meet for Officials meeting
- JoAnn would like to know who would be officiating
- Email JoAnn the names of officials at the meet. She will not set schedule until day of meet
- Officials must have officiated at least one meet this season

Visitor Etiquette

- We are guests of the school district
- No defacing or vandalizing school property in any way
- It is the responsibility of each team to inform attending families of the above stated policies
- Cleanup teams need to cleanup and bring garbage bags

Dual Meet

• SJCC has a meet scheduled for Tuesday, July 25. Warm-ups are at 3:00 pm, Meet starts at 4:00 pm. All divers are invited

No Wrap Up Meeting

Meeting adjourned by JoAnn Faucett at 6:50 pm

Respectfully submitted, Kathy Furman Secretary