

SAL Rep Meeting 2021 - October 16, 2021

The meeting was called to order at 4:20pm by Roberta.

Introduction and Welcome

Introductions of league officers and board members

Induction of Officers

Solicitations for officers and board members

President - Roberta Lichter

Treasurer - Beth Keenan

Secretary - Charlene Lawton

Boys President - Larry Spector

Girls President - Darren Hardel

Boys Registrar - Mark McElwee

Girls Registrar - Mike Dunn

Scheduling - Jamie Forlini

Officials Chair - Mike Dunn

General Housekeeping

We need all insurance accords (with proper wording), affidavits with signatures, and invitational information. Corrected information for the league Directory should have been submitted as well.

Please review the SAL operating procedures including mandated reporting. Please email Roberta or anyone appropriate on the Board with any questions - include your name, phone number, and your team.

Rosters

No releases for transfers are needed this year or next year. We will require them the following year (23/24 season). The 10 day rule is still in place regarding adding swimmers, however there will not be any fines. Please make sure a swimmer is not listed on 2 teams. Even though there are no official releases needed, please communicate with the other team if there is a transfer.

We need the boys roster, girls roster, and dive roster sent to the appropriate reps. (Mike and Mark)

For additions to rosters, please remember to put your team name, date of birth, and gender. Divers must have a "D" designation in the appropriate area.

Hosting meets:

Host team - please communicate with the away teams asap. Then confirm again a few days before the meet. Confirm Times, space, building entry, spectator limitations if any, COVID protocols if any, and any other information necessary.

Minimum requirements for parent volunteer workers: 1 timer per lane. 1 starter/ref, 2 stroke and turn judges, 1 place judge. Also an announcer, computer worker, and console worker. You may have more workers if your location allows. This is just the minimum to run a meet.

Diving

Workers: Minimum 3 or 5 judges and 1 announcer depending on space and time limits. Please mail diving sheets to Gina. Diving does not need to be submitted electronically. Have a USA Dive rule book available on deck.

General League/Meet Information

Please note this will unfortunately not be a “normal” season.

If you are not having high school swimmers participate, it is ok. As this is not an official season, scoring of meets is optional. This season is just for a fun season to allow swimmers to compete. There will not be any Championship meets or league records recorded this season. Please communicate this between both teams.

All teams/facilities must adhere to their own rules and protocols for this year regarding hosting back to back meets and spectator limitations.

The Top times for swimming will be posted on the website each month.
Diving will be posted midway and at the end of season.

Schedules

The teams with an asterisk is the host team. If there is no asterisk, you need figure it out between the teams who will host. It doesn't matter how it is done, just please communicate. Keep in mind that Diving does not always match up with swimming as far as the location and team.

Conference B -

11/13 PWAC has a bye

11/20 Wissahickon has a bye

12/11 tops, upper merion and radnor have a bye

PWAC and CCA discussing bathroom situation and hosting.

After discussion at this meeting, it was decided and confirmed that the entire schedule will be redone and resubmitted. Please disregard the current schedule.

Officials clinics - update from Mike Dunn

Stroke and turn clinics: an email with a link to the training videos has been sent out to teams. Currently we have 6 USA officials, 1 new official is ready, 1 new official is almost ready, 2 others are interested. That is a total of 10; We need more!

Starter/Referee training will be in early or mid November. It will be an on line meeting for training. A Test will be included.

Diving clinics

East - CRSC - NOV 8th 7pm

Central - CBST NOV 7th 1pm at CBSouth

SW - none yet

NW - none yet

Senior Awards- Please tell your teams/seniors about this. Some years there are no submissions for divisions. The award is \$500 for a boy and a girl in each division for a total of 8 awards. The requirements may change slightly this year. Check the website mid November for the information on this. The essays/applications are usually due sometime in early January. Encourage Senior Divers to apply as well.

Treasurer

Due dates for league fee - no later than 11/15. No fines but please pay by deadline!

Other

Special Committees will be selected in the Spring. There will be No winter meeting. There will be a Spring meeting to prepare for next year, hopefully for a normal season in 22/23.

Meeting adjourned approximately 5:10.