

# MCSL Team Reps Meeting Minutes

## July 14, 2011

1) Preliminaries

- a) Meeting Start—8:10pm at the Executive Office Building Cafeteria in Rockville.
- b) Roll Call
  - i) Teams represented based on sign in sheets.

|   |                       |   |                  |   |                   |   |                 |   |                     |
|---|-----------------------|---|------------------|---|-------------------|---|-----------------|---|---------------------|
| ✓ | Ashton                | ✓ | Flower Valley    |   | Long Branch       |   | Palisades       | ✓ | Stonegate           |
| ✓ | Bannockburn           | ✓ | Forest Knolls    | ✓ | Manchester Farm   |   | Parkland        | ✓ | Tallyho             |
|   | Bethesda              |   | Franklin Knolls  |   | Manor Woods       | ✓ | Plantations     | ✓ | Tanglewood          |
| ✓ | Calverton             | ✓ | Garrett Park     | ✓ | Merrimack Park    |   | Poolesville     |   | Tanterra            |
|   | Carderock Springs     | ✓ | Germantown       | ✓ | Middlebridge      | ✓ | Potomac         | ✓ | Tilden Woods        |
| ✓ | Cedarbrook            | ✓ | Glenmont         |   | Mill Creek Towne  | ✓ | Potomac Glen    | ✓ | Twin Farms          |
| ✓ | Chevy Chase Rec Assoc | ✓ | Glenwood         |   | Mohican           | ✓ | Potomac Woods   | ✓ | Twinbrook           |
| ✓ | Clopper's Mill        | ✓ | Hallowell        | ✓ | Montgomery Square | ✓ | Quail Valley    | ✓ | Upper County        |
| ✓ | Connecticut Belair    | ✓ | Hillandale       |   | New Mark Commons  |   | Quince Orchard  | ✓ | Washingtonian Woods |
| ✓ | Country Glen          |   | Inverness Forest |   | Norbeck Grove     | ✓ | Regency Estates | ✓ | Waters Landing      |
| ✓ | Daleview              |   | James Creek      | ✓ | Norbeck Hills     |   | River Falls     | ✓ | West Hillandale     |
| ✓ | Damascus              | ✓ | Kemp Mill        | ✓ | North Chevy Chase | ✓ | Robin Hood      |   | Westleigh           |
| ✓ | Darnestown            | ✓ | Kenmont          | ✓ | North Creek       |   | Rock Creek      | ✓ | Wheaton Woods       |
| ✓ | Diamond Farm          | ✓ | Kentlands        | ✓ | Northwest Branch  |   | Rockshire       | ✓ | Whetstone           |
| ✓ | East Gate             | ✓ | King Farm        |   | Oakview           | ✓ | Rockville       |   | Wildwood Manor      |
| ✓ | Eldwick               | ✓ | Lake Marion      |   | Old Farm          | ✓ | Seven Locks     |   | Woodcliffe          |
| ✓ | Fallsmead             | ✓ | Lakelands        | ✓ | Old Georgetown    | ✓ | Somerset        | ✓ | Woodley Gardens     |
| ✓ | Flower Hill           | ✓ | Little Falls     | ✓ | Olney Mill        | ✓ | Stonebridge     |   |                     |

ii) Executive Committee

|   |                 |   |                |   |              |   |               |   |              |
|---|-----------------|---|----------------|---|--------------|---|---------------|---|--------------|
| ✓ | Dave Mengering  | ✓ | Robbye Fox     | ✓ | Brian Crilly | ✓ | Lionel Bejean | ✓ | Pam Ambrose  |
| ✓ | Marty Cohen     |   | Jim Garner     | ✓ | Bob Hincke   |   | Peg Hincke    |   | Mike Lincoln |
| ✓ | Sally MacKenzie | ✓ | Debi Mengering | ✓ | Liz Novatny  | ✓ | Linda Raab    | ✓ | Scott Witkin |

2) Advertiser Presentations

- a) Daleview (Carol Clayton) – Tickets offered for Six Flags Swim Spectacular on July 18, 2011

3) Executive Committee Reports

a) Dave Mengering

- i) Optional September meeting will not be scheduled

ii) Calendar for 2012 (Approved by membership)

- (1) First "A" Meet – June 16<sup>th</sup>
- (2) Relay Window – June 24<sup>th</sup> through July 9<sup>th</sup>
- (3) Divisionals – July 21<sup>st</sup>
- (4) All-Stars – July 27<sup>th</sup>/28<sup>th</sup>

iii) Iona Brown Award

- (1) Intended for individuals who go above and beyond to make a positive impact on the league
- (2) Nominations are due by Saturday, July 23<sup>rd</sup>
- (3) Submit nominations to [president@mcsl.org](mailto:president@mcsl.org) or [web@mcsl.org](http://web@mcsl.org)

iv) New Officers

- (1) Mike Lincoln is stepping down from the Executive Committee after many years of service. We appreciate his time and dedication to the MCSL.
- (2) President – Brian Crilly

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- (3) Vice President – Lionel Bejean
- (4) Secretary – Robbye Fox
- (5) Treasurer – Debi Mengering
- v) New Executive Committee Members
  - (1) Scott Witkin – Approved
  - (2) Liz Novatny – Approved
- b) Linda Raab
  - i) Records – certificates distributed to Team Reps
    - (1) Dual Meets – 6 new records
    - (2) Relays – 3 new records
    - (3) Long Course – 11 new records
- c) Scott Witkin
  - i) Officials Clinics
    - (1) More than 750 participants this year
    - (2) New Officials Guide very popular
  - ii) Printed Material
    - (1) During the off-season there will be a concerted effort to reconcile content of all printed material
    - (2) Will find a way to highlight rule changes for 2012
- d) Robbye Fox
  - i) Rules
    - (1) Will work to clarify rules during the off-season. Will primarily focus on rules that have been found to be in conflict, or rules that are otherwise unclear.
      - (a) Example – The additional heat of freestyle was intended to offer additional swim opportunities for swimmers of the correct age, not to encourage more swim-ups. Therefore, the swim-up rule will be further clarified.
    - (2) New Rule / Rule Change proposals for 2012 are due by November 1, 2011.
  - ii) Special thanks to Dave Mengering, outgoing President, for his years of exceptional service
- e) Debi Mengering
  - i) Awards
    - (1) Ordered 31,000 Finisher ribbons and all are gone. Will consider another order of 40,000 Finisher ribbons next year.
    - (2) If you have any left-over medals from Relays or Divisionals, please return them to the Awards Committee. They can be given to other teams who need extra medals due to ties in their meets.
- f) Bob Hincke
  - i) Results
    - (1) Please be sure your Divisionals results are turned in as soon as possible in order to help preparation of All-Star seeding
  - ii) Scratches

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- (1) All-Star scratches are due by 5:00p on July 24<sup>th</sup>. Swimmers are allowed to swim 2 individual events in All-Stars.
- g) Marty Cohen
  - i) Need volunteers for All-Stars
    - (1) First reminder sent out earlier this week
    - (2) Relays – Each Division must supply 5 individuals to serve as Timer and/or Take-Off Judge
    - (3) Individual – Each Division must supply 2 individuals to serve as Timer
    - (4) Both meets – Need nominations for Referee, Starter and S&T Judges
    - (5) Nominations needed by July 23<sup>rd</sup>. Respond to [competition@mcsl.org](mailto:competition@mcsl.org)
  - ii) Officials for Divisionals
    - (1) Please work within your Division to utilize the best officials available
- 4) Wrap-up
  - a) Next Meeting: See you in 2012... Good luck to you and your team for the rest of the season, and thank you for your support this year.
  - b) Meeting adjourned – 8:40 pm