

Michigan Interscholastic Swimming Coaches Association

Executive Meeting – Winter – January 7, 2018

Present:

Greg Phill	Eric Talsma	Michael McHugh	Brad Huttenga	John Burch
Damon Robertson	David Le	David Zulkiewski	Cory Bergen	Gregg Brace
Brad Jones	Kyle Stumpf	Darrin Millar	Maureen Isaac	Ian Kobes

Meeting called to order by President Michael McHugh at 10:06 am.

Fall Exec. Board Meeting Minutes 2017 approved unanimously, Moved Damon R., Second Gregg B

Treasurer: Eric Talsma - Present
Typical January numbers

Clinic: Greg Phill - Present
2018 contract is squared away
We have 2019 contract is signed.
2018 date – September 14, 2018
Get speakers squared away and advertised by end of February
Need to get vendor fees squared away and on paper – Table/Advertising/etc.
Brad Jones looked at vendor fees online
There are customizable vendor contracts
Brad Jones will head this up with Z, Darren and Harfoot – Present at Spring Meeting

Clinic Speakers: Shannon Dunworth - Absent
Michael reached out to Shane Widlin (Speedo). Kevin Graner is going to help as well.

MISCA Meet: Shannon Dunworth/Greg Phill/Chuck Olson
EMU is willing to host and sign a contract
Contract needs to be put together – Ian Kobes and Brad Jones will work on it by Spring Meeting
The officials need to be aware of working with high school athletes
MISCA will provide the officials
No medals - Shirts for the winner

Awards: Cory Bergen
Waiting on Zone 2 award winners

Webmaster: Dave Z.
Security upgrades on the website – A good \$189 a year spent
Current template is not supported anymore. Z will work on a new template after boys season
Working with PrepSwimming to develop a bit more tools
Possibly Hytek as well

Diving: Brad Huttenga
Speaker for the clinic is the biggest issue

John Pearson is in contact with MHSAA
MISCA boys entries were low last year. Keep an eye on number of entries this year.
When do regional sites get determined and when is that information is provided?
Try again at the Swim Committee Meeting to nail this down

Middle School: Damon Robertson
Meets in a couple of weeks out
Going to 24 divers for 2018
All that have the cut may swim the event

Academic All State Team: Kyle Stumpf
Top team from the UP is Academic All State
104 applications last year
Online application for this year – hopefully increase applications
Head Coach must be a MISCA Member – included on online application

Academic All State Individual: Darrin Millar
Applications due end of March
Online application

Edwards Scholarship: John Burch
Waiting for applications to come in.

MHSCA Rep: Chuck Olson - Absent

Dream Team: Michael McHugh
Had all pictures by Saturday night.
Had Dream Team out by Sunday morning
Try to get it to Dan D'Addona – Holland Sentinel/Swimming World
Also Morgan Priestly at SwimSwam

Top Times List: Don Kimble, Absent
Had a few hiccups this fall with the uploads, etc.
Latest version of Meet Manager can direct upload to PrepSwimming
Z and Don continue to work with PrepSwimming to continue to develop
Survey coming out to help PrepSwimming and Hytek work together better

Golf Outing: Rob Damuth
A-Ga-Ming: Best price by far - \$325 this year

Zone Reports: Only info from below zones
Zone 1: John Pearson – Absent
Zone 2: Mike Harfoot – Absent
Zone 3: Dave Le – A few questions during Fall season on 17 days of competition – Looking for clarification from MHSAA on what defines a JV date/Varsity date.
Zone 4: Mojo Isaac –It would be nice to have a template for the zone report – especially for the new people in the organization. Gregg Brace will put together a write-up of his process as Zone VP for his Zone Report

Zone 5: Ian Kobes – Trying get together – Continuing to try to get more participation in end of season voting, etc. Discussions for the COY, SOY, etc. It can be tough for each coach to be aware of the job that other coaches in the zone are doing if they are not in the same conference, etc.

Zone 6: Corrin Buck – Absent

Zone 7: Gregg Brace – Two new coaches in Zone 7 at Lansing and Lansing Waverly. Jackson is leaving the conference – They are heading to the SEC. They will head to Zone 4.

Zone 8: Brad Jones – Google form worked great for the COY. Contact Brad for more info on that.

Zone 9: Erik Johnson – Absent

MHSAA State Meet	Girls/Boys		
Hospitality		Awards	Dream Team
D1-Steve Bowyer		Steve Bowyer	Steve Bowyer
D2-Rob Damuth		Cory Bergen/Michael McHugh	Brad Jones
D3-Gregg Brace		Ben Herrman/Todd Smeenge	Dan Heikka

Old Business:

Different Strokes Contract Payment

\$2,000 after the clinic, \$2,000 after the girls meet, \$2,000 after the boys meet

Clinic Luncheon Program – Need someone to lead

David Le will take care of it this year unless there is someone else that would like to do it

Swimmer/Diver of the Year – Two event winners not getting SOY – Maureen Isaac

It comes down to what we reward – Place or Times

There are positives and negatives to all systems – PP is clean and clear though it may not always give the best picture of who the SOY is.

Top Times Participation

PrepSwimming.com – Participation continues to increase. Keep promoting it.

New Business:

MISCA Clinic – Brad Jones:

Clinic gift – we can do better

Door Prizes -Early registration only door prize – big prize, etc.

-Workout bible – if you submit a workout – add to a door prize – make workouts available for all attendees

Every board member to provide two workouts for next years clinic plus workouts from two other coaches

Year one give them out

Every year after – submit a workout and get a book or pay \$10

Use our resources – COY, successful HS coaches, coach's panels

Dryland talks – Core training, etc.

Tech Talks

See above for vendor contract info

Add something for our coaches from our vendors with their logo – portfolio, bag, mug, etc.

****A free diving coach registration is included for each school that has a registered swim coach.

****Workout binders for all attendees

MISCA Meet Contract:

See above

D3 State Meet Issues @ EMU:

- EMU – 56 time adjustments, OU – 4, HAC – 1
- Timing systems need to be ready to go
- GR Christian swimmer

Officials and Exhibition Heats:

- Officials are telling coaches that teams can only run exhibition heats of the 50 and 100 free, etc.
 - Include a slide with “Mutual agreement of both coaches ...”
- Submit officials names recommended for state finals

Time Standards:

July or August for cuts for the following year – wait for opt-ups, etc.

Fall Executive Board Meeting – MHSAA Offices, April 22, 10:00 am

Meeting adjourned at 1:03 pm