

Aspen Speedos Board Meeting
April 13, 2005

Attending: Laura, Kelley, Candice, Greg, Jenny, Archie, Steve, Elaine, Cindy, Nona, Gordon

Registrations- 2005: It looks like we may have about 10-12 new swimmers this season. We really won't know until we get all the paper work in. Greg has still not received all the forms from returning swimmers and encourages everyone to get them in as soon as possible.

Zone 4 Meeting: Laura filled us in on the Zone 4 meeting. The scheduling was the main topic and the fact that Sopris had chosen the same weekend as Aspen to hold their meet was discussed. Aspen had lots of support. Sopris was told that they would not have a sanctioned meet if they were to hold it the same dates as ours. No one was there representing Sopris, however within a few days they announced that they would hold their meet the weekend of June 17th. Because of finances, the committee has suspended the reimbursement of official travel. They also have instituted stricter rules governing the payment of dues, splash fees, etc. Teams will not be allowed to compete until they have paid all their dues. Laura gave Elaine a copy of the Zone 4 by-laws she has been working on. Kathy Krohn has resigned from her position and nominated Greg to be the Zone 4 representative. He was approved by the Zone 4 members. We were all unanimous in agreement- Thank you Greg!!

Meet Schedule- select meets: We selected the meets that we will be attending. They will be posted on the web-site. At first we considered taking a bye weekend for everyone, but then it was decided that many people will be missing several meets anyway because of vacations or other plans, so we will not have a bye weekend. However, Marc and Jenny may decide to take a bye weekend with only one of them attending a meet. Marc was out of town so that will be discussed later.

Sponsors- Ernie Frywald has donated \$1,000 to the club. It was in the form of a credit card payment which the team cannot process. Candice volunteered to run it through Robert's office.

Swim Meet organizational meeting- The first meeting will be held April 19th 6:00 pm at the hospital in a conference room. The committee heads will be asked to attend. Laura and Elaine will contact these people by e-mail.

Timing System Practice- May 25th has been chosen to practice with the timing system. Depending on how much time is needed, kids may be asked to stay longer at practice.

Pre-season picnic- The Gersons have offered to host the picnic again this year on May 30th.

Ducky Derby/Triathlon- Pat Buettow will handle all the paper work for the Ducky Derby again this year. We still need to find someone to man the booth the day of the Derby. Pat will check and see if it is really necessary that we have a booth and to ask that she be listed as the team contact. They still have Barbara Wickes listed. Archie will ask Ann if she will be in charge of organizing volunteers for the Triathlon again this year.

Registration- voting members- Greg will sign up Gordon, Elise Fornell and himself as official voting members.

Coach/officials recerts/registrations- Jenny has sent hers in. Gordon needs his certification for coaching. Archie and Steve need certification for coaching.

Next Meeting- May 10th 6:00pm- Place to be determined.