

## BOD Report

Executive Secretary

March 27, 2018

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- **Sanctions/Meet Schedules/Requests for Bids** – Meets for 2018-2019 have been reviewed by the Sanction Committee. Long course schedule has been posted and flyers have been reviewed by the Sanction committee. Meet flyers and event files are being posted as they become available (Ts crossed, Is dotted). The June ISWM meet may be swum in the new Fremont pool using 6 lanes, 50 meters. Fremont has requested a 5 team meet to vet the LCM pool for further competition and use.
- **MW Short Course Championship** – Fees from all clubs have been received although one was short and club has been notified. Bills were sent prior to the meet but the first set of bills did not include the splash fee for the relay-only swimmers. Meet Manager added the ability to change the fee for relay-only swimmers and that was not noted before sending the first billing. After it was called to my attention by an honest coach, re-bills were sent and most clubs were caught before checks were sent. The two weeks between the qualifier meets and the championship meet worked very well for getting things done in a timely manner (and I'll bet most didn't even notice that I was in TX). (The same schedule will be recommended for 2019 as the Sectional meet will be two weeks after State HS Meet – March 7-10, Columbia, MO).
- **Reimbursement Requests** – Reimbursement requests for the Junior National meet in Iowa City have been processed. Sectional reimbursements will be processed as they are received. Club coaches will be sent reminders and the form is posted on the MW website on the athlete page.
- **Outreach Reimbursement:** Requests for reimbursement are processed every two weeks. Clubs that have eligible swimmers are taking advantage of this program. So far for short course \$2016.23 has been reimbursed (office records).
- **Zone Meet:** Zone meet host site for MW for August 2-5, 2018 is Minneapolis, MN. Application forms are ready to be posted. Head Zone coach will be determined by application (open April 1-20) and ballot (open May 1-21). Swimmer applications using GoogleForms will be posted mid-June on the website and PayPal will be used for payment. Meet sites for 2019 are Fargo ND and Pleasant Prairie WI. MW's 2019 site will be determined at the September 2018 Central Zone meeting.
- **High School Swimming:** The Nebraska High School observed meets were all uploaded to SWIMS in a timely manner. Several swimmers were not registered at the time of the swim and coaches requested their times be put into SWIMS. That was done – times go in for the unregistered swimmer as UN-US rather than UN-MW.
- **BOD Elections:** Nomination forms were posted on the Midwestern website and several notifications were sent to clubs and current officers requesting nominations for the open positions.
- **Multi-Cultural Camp:** Camp will be at Cleveland State University hosted by the Mason Manta Rays and Ohio Swimming June 21-24, 2018. Application forms have emailed to all clubs with encouragement to have eligible athletes apply. MW can take 4 athletes and 1 coach and is encouraged to have alternates as there may be slots available if other LSCs do not send their allotment of athletes.
- **MW Records:** Short course records were posted in News on the MW website and will be updated when we are sure all short course times are in SWIMS.
- **MW Time Standards:** Qualifying times for the 2019 Short Course season will be calculated later this spring and the sanction committee will evaluate before times are finalized.
- **FYI:** I will be traveling again this summer (June 14-June 26) with limited internet access. I will again make arrangements to have covered what needs to be covered.