

USA Swimming Senior Development Committee Minutes

Tuesday, April 25th, 2023. Virtual Meeting.

Present: Shawn Smith, Paul Silver, Kevin Zacher, Chris Plumb, Kathleen Scandary, John Morse, Jaime Lewis, Billy Doughty, Kate Lundsten, Amanda Weir, Paul Donovan, Olga Espinosa, Todd Capen.

Absent:

Guests: Beth Winkowski, Joel Shinofield, Lindsay Mintenko, Brendan Hansen, Erik Posegay, Dean Ekern, Macie McNichols, Patrick Murphy, Matt Barbini, Kaitlin Pawlowicz, Bruce Gemmell.

Call to Order: Jaime called the March meeting of the Senior Development Committee to order at 10:00am

Conflict of Interest Disclosure: n/a

1. Approval of minutes from last meeting (summary)- *Approved*
2. Approval of agenda- *Approved*
3. Workshop Report & Follow-up- *Jaime reports on positive feedback on Workshop. Spoke specifically to the coaches technical committee panel.*
 - i. Open meetings moving forward- *Discussion. Keep some closed.*
4. Steering Committee Meeting- *Update from Bruce. Reviewed the March NT/NJT camps, upcoming summer camps and meets.*
 - i. US Open Meet Cap –*Time standards should keep meet around 800. Closer to trials standards than ever. Moving forward with no cap on the 2023 US Open.*
5. Spring Cup Location Discussion

Minutes – March Meeting:

“Motion for 3 Spring Cup meets the first weekend of May. Left to discretion of host for either Wednesday-Saturday or Thursday- Sunday. *Motion passes.*”

-Discussion for location of meets, save for next meeting or email conversation. “

-Motion for East / West / Central locations. Motion passes. Look for facilities that can accommodate 800 swimmers. Motion to tentatively put a cap of 800, and then relook at the caps once we have facilities identified. Motion passes.

-California HS state championships this weekend- keep in mind when selecting western meet location.

6. Age Group Development Committee update- Paul

7. National Team / National Junior Team Updates- *Webinar on 4-meet selection process tomorrow.*

8. Other Business- *Summarization of legislative review at Workshop. CAC working to increase the participation of coach votes in HOD.*

Discussion:

Adjournment: Jaime adjourned the April meeting of the Senior Development Committee at 11am MST.