

CONNECTICUT SWIMMING, INC.
Technical Planning Committee
Via Conference Call
November 8, 2016
MINUTES

Present: Henk Jansen, Ellen Johnson, Kaeley Steinnagel, Jen Lyman, Maura Stewart
Not Present: Omar Cruz,

Meeting called to order at 12:33p

APPROVAL of AGENDA

- Agenda Approved with no additions or changes

MINUTES

- Approved unanimously

ANNOUNCEMENTS AND REPORTS

- Congratulations to Ellen Johnston who celebrated her 30th anniversary at the Westport YMCA

New Business

- LC Regional Meet format
 - The committee agreed that Regionals and the date of July 7-9th should remain for the 2017 summer season. Committee okay with venue or event line-up changes.
 - Discussion centered on:
 - The need to keep a stepping stone meet for athletes to achieve a higher level of swimming.
 - Servicing the masses not just the top 20-25% with the LC Championship season.
 - Ideas:
 - Another meet after Age Groups which was also discussed and brainstormed at the previous PD meeting.
 - Bringing the top 2-3 Heats of 13/Overs from the morning Regional meets to Wesleyan for a final.
 - Surveying swimmers with the help of the athletes committee. Overall feeling on Regionals, How late into the summer is too late for meet?
 - Surveying Coaches at SC Championship meet about Regionals and the summer LC Championship meets.
 - Allowing hosts of CT Sanctioned meet to invite Teams to their meets – tabled

Meeting adjourned at 1:07p