

PARENTS ADVISORY COMMITTEE MINUTES  
April 10, 2006

1. MOMENT OF INSPIRATION: Stacie DePas  
“Don't wait for your ship to come in – swim to it.”  
Author Unknown  
Karen will provide the moment of inspiration for the May meeting.
2. OPEN FORUM: For the 2006/2007 swim season, the committee decided to split food service from the meet & equipment committee. It was also decided to combine PR/Recruiting with New Family/Retention. This will keep the total number of committees at seven.
3. COMMITTEE REPORTS
  - A. MEET COMMITTEE/EQUIPMENT/food service: Patti Lower/Karen McDermid: The Meet Committee will need to meet sometime near the end of April to start planning the Super Summer Splash. Sue Blohm and Joann Bushman should also be invited to the meeting to assist with planning.
  - B. FINANCIAL: Steve Heraly: Steve handed out the policy for subsidizing National team swimmers. The parents advisory committee will review and discuss at the May meeting.
  - C. SENIOR/NATIONALS: JoAnn Bushman: JoAnn mentioned that the national team swimmers were very thankful for the \$200.00 the parents advisory committee provided the swimmers.  
The Senior/National fund raising will go back to using a point system for fund raising. Some swimmers are available to do more fund raising than others and some want to do more fund raising than others. Fund raising will be limited to National Team Swimmers. JoAnn will document the point system for fund raising for the handbook.  
A “lessons learned” will be done to determine what worked out well for the National Meet and what did not work out well. The goal is to document a list of things swimmers and parents need to know when attending a Y National Meet.
  - D. PR/RECRUITING: Karen Doster: Pictures will be distributed at the banquet. If they are not picked up at the banquet they will be mailed. Jill Zablocki found information about a summer swimming program that will be held in DePere. Dave will make a contact to see if he can recruit at the DePere swim program for GBY for the fall season.
  - E. FUND RAISING/RECOGNITION/AWARDS NIGHT: Stacie DePas :  
Stacie will send Dave an email to send out to remind people about the banquet and that pictures are still needed for the video.

F. CHAPERONES/SOCIAL/TRAVEL: Sue Blohm: None

G. NEW FAMILY/RETENTION: Jan Klika: None

4. ATHLETE'S REPORT: Daniel Heraly: Swimmers liked the coolers on deck at Nationals. It was a good week for all at Nationals.
5. COACHES REPORT: Dave Korst: Fifty towels are leftover from the order of towels for the sectional gift. The fifty extra towels caused the sectional gift budget to be over by \$800. Therefore these towels need to be sold to recoup the \$800. Details need to be worked out about the best way and time to sell the towels. The Partner with Youth Swim Group exceeded their goal of dollars to raise. Dave will soon be looking for chaperones for summer nationals. Dave has been/will be sending out flyers to recruit for GBY. He will also contact Jeanne Bader about recruiting home schooled children.

All parents meeting will be held May 9<sup>th</sup>, 6:30 – 7:30.

6. ADJOURNMENT: Next meeting Monday, May 8, 5:30 pm at the Downtown Y.