

CT Swim Officials Committee

Agenda for November 17, 2022 meeting (minutes in blue)

Present: Dave Pite, Dylan Lee, Lauren Lee, Luis Tejada, Jeremy Virgil, Sarah Bollman, Sandra-Jane Mancini, Margy Sargent, Ed Becker, Liza Heller, Mark Wollen, Yolanda Jahan

Absent: Mike Huffman, Jonah Tyler, Walt Carroll, Suzannah Rogers, Ken Gray, Lisa Whitaker

- 1) Welcome
- 2) OTS / SWIMS3.0 update – from Dave, there should be more information released next week
 - a. MR zoom training for OTS session entry – schedule this as soon as possible (subsequently replaced with an email distributed to all MR)
- 3) Clinic update – AO 11 new, 2 recert; ST Oct 23 new; ST Nov 25 new
Schedule Ref clinic – Dave, Mark, target second week of December. Look at online option
Schedule Starter clinic – need to cover the state. Dylan work on schedule
Schedule additional ST for December - Dylan
- 4) CJ Cert – timeline for rollout
Target launch early after Thanksgiving. Ed coordinate with Margy, Dylan. Coordinate clinic timing with Dave, Mark. Determine list of who gets grandfathered in. Ed put an email together to with thoughts about the clinic before Thanksgiving.
- 5) CIAC report – girls observations / upcoming boys season (Mike)
Girls season winding down. Yolanda approved observation requests. People have been following Mike’s observation reports.
Notes from Mike (after the meeting): “Everything has run smoothly as far as observations go. There was a request for observation for 2 YMCA mid season dual meets that was filed incorrectly. They used the season culminating championship meet form(Form B) as opposed to Form A (non-season culminating meet) which requires different approval. After talking with them I believe they actually wanted the meet Approved and not Observed. Should be no changes for the Boys season. A reminder will be sent out that conference meets (FCIAC, CCC, SEC, etc) can have parents of participating athletes work as officials as they are not CIAC sponsored. The Same holds true for prep school championships.”
- 6) Athlete representative input
Jeremy – stroke&turn can generally be better
Lauren – no input at this time, just finished high school season
- 7) New business – none at this time