

Seymour Community Swim Club Meeting
August 8th, 2005
Seymour High School Aquatics Classroom

Sign-in Sheet: Sheet was routed but was not returned. If you have this sheet, please get it to Sarah Tracy or Paula Weyers

Call to order: The meeting was called to order by P. Weyers.

Fundraisers:

Breakfast on the Farm: The money from Breakfast on the Farm has been received. A 'Thank You' has been sent to the Schaumberg's to thank them for considering us to help out and for the personal donation to the club.

Barnes and Noble Bookstore: We raised \$77.00 from the book sale. We were also told that the library received many books because of the sale. We may look to do this again in the spring.

Ice Cream Sale: The ice cream sale after swim lessons for the 3 sessions that we did was a large success. Thanks to everyone who helped out in any way with this fundraiser.

We will need more fundraisers for this fall and next spring. Please get any ideas to Paula Weyers so they can be added to the agenda for discussion.

Hamburger Days Float: The club did create a float for the Hamburger Day parade. Thanks to all club members, swim team members and parents who helped in anyway. Pictures have been posted to the website. Thank you's were sent to Dick and Colleen Poquette, Mike and Jeanne VerVoort and Janice Eick for their support.

Thank You's: These have been sent to Dairy Queen, Mark Zahn and the Pool Staff, Dick and Colleen Poquette, Scott and Sarah Schaumberg and Mike and Jeanne VerVoort. Thank you to Kay Schultz for doing these.

Buses for Meets: A suggestion was made by Sarah Tracy to look into buses for the swim club away meets. The size of the bus will depend on the number of kids/parent that will be using the bus. We will be checking with Huettl Bus and Lamers Bus.

T-Shirts: A small supply of T-shirts were ordered for the Hamburger Day Parade. They are lime green with navy lettering (front – Seymour Water Warriors; back – www.seymourswim.org). There are still some various sizes available. They are \$10 and can be purchased by contacting Paula Weyers. We are still thinking about ordering other clothing once a logo is decided on.

Suits: Some parents have approached the officers of the swim club with concerns on the projected price of the suits. A suggestion to go with a GN suit and possibly have them screen printed or left blank. Information on suits will be gathered and brought to the September meeting.

Logos: All submitted logos will be put on a sheet and distributed at the September meeting. We will vote on a logo that night, so please plan to attend this meeting if you are interested in having a say in this matter.

End of the summer picnic: We will be having a picnic for the summer swim club members. This will be at Recknagel Park on Monday, August 29th beginning approximately 5:30. The club will provide the hamburgers and paper products. We will ask each family that attends to bring a dish to pass.

Legal Assistance: The club needs some help filling out some legal papers including tax exempt papers. The club will begin looking for someone to help. If you know of anyone that can help with this task, please contact Paula Weyers.

Coaching for the fall session: We may need parents support to continue to have the swim club in session in the future. Sarah may be getting deployed and volunteers will be helpful to assist whoever will lead the club while she is gone. Please consider helping out. Even if you can only help for one hour or one night, it will be greatly appreciated. Help is even currently welcome.

Youth Night: We are having the youth night for the swim club on the first home meet for the High School team. This will be September 13th against New London. Youth swimmers will be recognized. A suggestion was made to have a cookie and juice social after the meet for swim club and swim team members. This will be discussed at the next meeting.

Meeting: The next meeting will be held on September 13th at 6:30pm in the Aquatics classroom at Seymour High School.

Facilitator: Paula Weyers

Recorder: Paula Weyers

Club Officers: Paula Weyers, Pam Meulemans, Dakota Webster, Dan Steffes, Bob Belter, Connie Boerst, Kim Krause, Carrie Gorges