

Seymour Community Swim Club Meeting
Monday, March 10, 2008
Seymour High School Aquatic Classroom

The meeting was called to order by Connie Boerst. Minutes from the February 11, 2008 meeting were approved as written.

The treasurer's report was given \$2693.45. The main coach for the winter season was paid \$500; the assist coach was paid \$250; high school girl assistant coaches were paid \$50 for a full season and \$25 for a half season.

The recruitment swim meet went well. There was lots of food and fun. The event lasted about 2 hours. Any remaining ribbons from meets will be mailed out to club members.

The future of the club was discussed. Sarah Tracy has returned from active duty. She will be the head coach for the club. In her role, she will make the decisions for what event each child will swim in for each meet. Roles of each of the club officers was discussed as well. Discussion will continue at future meetings. An appreciation was expressed for Steve and Paula Weyers for their continued support and carry of the club since the start of swim club.

Sarah Tracy provided an update as to her role in the Military. She will be required to attend two weeks of drills in South Carolina in the summer. The dates are June 15-28, 2008. Sarah will also be inducted in to the Milton High School Hall of Fame Wednesday, April 23, 2008. Her goal is to schedule five meets for the summer session and for future sessions.

Discussion followed about the future of the club and possible USA or USS certification. The process, perks, cost to participate in events, and how the fee structure works will be discussed at the next meeting.

Summer practices will be scheduled and the goal is to have five practices a week. The length of the practice will be 1 and 1/2 to 2 hours long. Dan will check with Lacey to determine the practice schedule.

Fundraising ideas will be discussed at the next meeting. Connie will check with Mr. Zahn about keeping a freezer in the concession area during the summer. Discussion was held about member input on the club. Bob will develop a brief survey for the next meeting.

The new officers are:

President - Dan Steffes

Vice President - Kent Abel

Secretary - Lisa Blohm, Valerie Abel

Treasurer - Brenda DeGroot

Board Trustees - Sheri Steffes, Valerie Abel, Carrie Gorges, Steve Weyers

The meeting adjourned at 8:30 pm.

Members present: Carrie Gorges, Dan & Sheri Steffes, Bob Belter, Tom & Robin Beyer, Val Abel, Connie Boerst. Club members present: Jesse and Cheyenne Steffes, Leisha Abel.