



Minutes of Swimming Committee

12th May 2021

BY ZOOM 7.30pm

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Attendees: Karin Vazirani, Flo Barnes, Brian Kapp, Sofia Marcal Whittles, Leah Pullen, Jeanette Edmiston, Pam Crofts, Wayne Hirst.

Apologies: Bob Bloomfield, Gillian Neal, Gerry Gillespie

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19/2

Minutes of the last meeting

- a) No minutes of the last meeting have been circulated yet.
- b) This meeting was called to progress the discussion on whether the County can hold a Festival of Swimming meet in mid July (17/18) to encourage competitive swimming to return.

19/3

Festival of Swimming meet

- a) Following the meeting on 6 May, this meeting was called to progress the discussion and discuss the logistical challenges of holding a meet.
- b) LP has contacted the three pools and the results were:
 - i. Barnet – not taking bookings for competition at the moment
 - ii. Northolt – open to taking a booking but could only be for one day on a Saturday as ESC have the pool for squad training on Sunday afternoons.
 - iii. Enfield – open to taking a booking .
- c) Following more discussion it was decided:
 - i. LP to book the pools: Northolt Saturday 17th July from 12pm to 6pm and Sunbury Road Enfield on Sunday 18th July from 12pm to 6pm and get quote for costs and details of their current Covid protocols. **LP**
 - ii. JE would email all the club coaches with the proposals and ask if they would support the meet. The email to include the age groups and suggested events and to gauge interest in relays and skins if time allows. **JE**
 - iii. JE would try and establish what officials were still active and whether they would support the meet **JE**
 - iv. Age groups to be 9/10 yrs, 11/12 yrs and 13/14 yrs
 - v. Events to be all 50m plus 100IM for all ages.
- d) Thought needs to be given to how to maintain social distancing and whether we need evidence of recent clear covid tests from swimmers and coaches etc.
- e) We also need to decide whether to run the same programme both days or split the programme over the weekend and what relays and skins events we can fit in.

19/4

The next meeting will be by Zoom on Wednesday 19th May at 7.30pm.

Jeanette Edmiston, Secretary

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