

**Southern California Swimming
Eastern Committee Meeting**

**January 11, 2011
Thompson Aquatic Center Lounge
University of Redlands, Redlands, CA**

Attendees: Scott Gainey (EAC), Camille Dang (FAC), Susie Sheppard (RAA), Clem West (UNAT), Matt Osmond (RST), Deanne Barsi (EAC), Tim Mahar (MVAQ), Mike Cody (TRID), Susan Richardson (EAC), John Salvino (CROC), Doug Thorne (STAR), Darlys Ankeny (EAST), Mike Helby (MESA), James Billbrey (MESA), Wendall Corley (RST), Ervin Caver (EHRD), Ed Gornay (RST), Brian Pry (RST), Rodney Pilman (RAA), Ellie Abihider (STAR), Bryan Straight (HILL), Chelsea Straight (HILL), Jan Szuszkiewicz (UNAT), Vicky West (PSP), Wayne Layral (CCAQ), Jason Bradbury (YST), Stacy Schoberth (YST), John Ries (TCC), Mark Carlson (TMEC), David Jackson (TMEC), Jennifer Beech (TMEC), Travis Lansing (HVDA), Tressa Ries (TCC), Nancy Kawahara (EAC), Julie Fredericks (UNAT), Casey Heinen (FAC), Tracey Garcia (FAC), John Ries (TCC)

TOPIC	DISCUSSION	FURTHER ACTION
CALL TO ORDER	8:00 pm by Scott Gainey.	
Agenda Item 1	November 9, 2010 minutes approved as posted online at SCS website.	
Agenda Item 2	Treasurer's Report by Suzie Shepard: A) Balance is \$8374.96 through November 2010 meets.	
Agenda Item 3	Chair's Report- Scott Gainey: A) Online Clinics (USA Swimming) "Hiring & Retaining Asst. Coaches" by Guy Edson of ASCA is on 1/12/11 @ 10am. "Age Group Program Structure to Build Success" by Ad'm Dusenbury of Mission Viejo Nadadores on 1/26/11 @ 10am. If unable to attend you can view clinics as pdf slides and audio a few days after clinic on the same website. B) New Background Screenings began on 1/10/11. Two levels: Level 1- Board Members or individuals indirectly involved w/swimmers (non-athlete) @ \$19.00. Level 2- Coaches and individuals directly involved w/ swimmers @ \$39.00. Renew every 2 years. C) USA Swimming Registrations: Swimmer Registrations and Team Charter. D) Up for discussion is to possibly remove the March 2011 ECM from calendar.	A) Go Online to USA Swimming Website> Coaches> Clinics & Workshops>Online Coach Clinics B) New registrants have until 2/15/11 to complete background check. If you completed background check prior to 9/1/10 you have until 4/30/11 to complete. If you completed background after 9/1/10 you have until 12/31/11. C) Ensure your swimmers haven't slipped through the cracks before you enter them into meets if you have parents responsible for swimmer registration. Cost will be \$125 instead of \$55 if entered without renewal first. Team Charters must be renewed or swimmers will be UN at the meet. D) Discuss for new business.
Agenda Item 4	Vice Chair's Report- Camille Dang: A) No Report B) Congratulated SCS for bringing home Pacific Coast All Star Title. 3 Eastern Sections teams entered swimmers. {TCC: Sonia Wang, FAC: Tyler Ocasio-Pare, RST: Kyle Gornay} and Coach Rep. Jennifer Tarazona.	

Agenda Item 5	Coach's Report- Mike Cody: A) World ASCA Clinic is in San Diego in Sept. B) Kevin Clements: Asst. Coach @ USC is offering clinics at USC or he can come to your pool. C) USA Swimming sent DVD to clubs of the World Championships- they put numerous races on each DVD. Races are listed on jacket of DVD.	A) Registration is open B) Kevin Clements: swimaz@gmail.com Phone: 626-345-5537
Agenda Item 6	Senior Report- Rodney Pilman: D) No Report	
Agenda Item 7	Age Group Report- Matthew Osmond: A) No Report B) Advised by Mary Jo that Swim Festival in Feb. still needs a host pool and would need coaches. Forms will be avail on SCS website when facility is secured. If you are interested in sending any of your coaches to contact Jay Anderson @ Canyon. C) Book Reccomendation: "Swimming to Antartica" by Lynne Cox.	
Agenda Item 8	Program Report- Clem West: A) Program Committee members are Jason Bradbury, John Ries, Matt Osmond, Ervin Caver and Ken Dealy. B) Updated Swimmer Splash counts sent out with agenda. C) BRW Championship will be slated to run 2 pools. AM Session (11 & unders) with 1 pool- PM Session (13 & overs) D) 2011 Swim meets will run Fastest to Slowest (starty with BRW Champs).	
Agenda Item 9	Review Committee Report- Tim Mahar: A) No Report	
Agenda Item 10	Athlete Representative Report- Chelsea Straight: A) No Report	
Agenda Item 11	Official's Report- Jan Szuszkiewicz: A) No Report	
Agenda Item 12	Safety Report- Ellie Abihider: A) No Report	

Agenda Item 13	Ad-Hoc Committee Reports- No Committee	
Agenda Item 14	Unfinished Business- A) None	
Agenda Item 15	New Business- A) Clem West advised teams to please remind their parents of the cod of conduct, with respect toward officials. Also disucss appropriate places to photograph swimmers. B) November Swim Meet will need to be confirmed by Elite by May 2011. C) Mike Cody (TRID) asked Eastern Committee for permission to host a dual meet w/ a team from Metro section on March 27, 2011 or Mar 12/13 th as back-up to help increase meet participation. MOTION: Allow TRID to participate in a dual meet with a team from Metro Section on March 27 th 2011 as 1 st choice or March 12 or 13 th as 2 nd choice. M/S/Discussion/C D) Eastern Committee 2011 Meeting Calendar- MOTION: Remove the March 2011 meeting from the Eastern Committee schedule. M/S/C.	D) Rationale: Between two seasons (SC & LC), High School season starting, typically a slower meeting.
Agenda Item 16	Special Announcements- A) John Ries announced that TCC had broke the National record in Boys 15-16-200 Free Relay and the SoCal Record in Boys 400 & 800 Free at the Winter Age Group Championships. B) Jennifer Beech (TMEC) announced thier new board members- President: Mark Carlson and Vice President: David Jackson. C) New Swim guides are out, be sure to look at the new time standards and Sports Authority discount in on the back. Guide will be available online in pdf. format soon.	
Adjourned	Time 8:36 pm.	

Next Meeting- Tuesday, February 8, 2011 University of Redlands