

## **Minutes COSST Booster Club 9/28/11**

Meeting called to order by President, Brian Trudnak

**Treasurer Report:** Rhonda Briggs reported that the bank balance is \$39,140.37. Expenses for the past two months included coach travel reimbursement, state meet T-shirts and website.

**Old Business:** None

**Coach's Report:** Coach Patrick reported that there are currently 204 year round swimmers and approximately 50 home school and high school swimmers. Coach Dustin attended the ASCA meeting in San Diego, CA and Coach Derek attended the NSCA meeting in Jacksonville, FL over the summer. Last week was the LSA state meeting in Lafayette and Coach Derek was elected Age Group Chairman. There will be some changes in the state meets, distance swimmers must provide their own timers and swimmers will receive two bonus cuts for every state cut as long as they make the BB standard. College swimmers will all now swim under "Louisiana Lightning" instead of their club teams.

**Fundraising:** Swim A Thon-there was discussion about where/when to hold the swim-a-thon. Centenary Natatorium is booked solid until 2012 so if we wanted to keep this in the fall we would have to hold it at Southside. It was decided to continue holding this event in the fall so it will be at Southside on November 5. More information to follow.

Buffalo Wild Wings-Fundraiser tonight (9/28)

### **Upcoming Events:**

Oct 4	JV and Developmental move to LSU-S
Oct 7-9	Makos Meet in Jackson, MS (for all swimmers)
Oct 29	B Meet at Centenary (for all swimmers)
Nov 5	Swim-a-thon at Southside
Nov 12	Tri meet at Centenary (for all swimmers)

**New Business:** B Meet is coming up. Leslie Little has graciously volunteered to be meet director. Everyone is encourage to assist Leslie in this endeavor.

Heater-there will be a new heater installed in the indoor pool at Southside. This will allow the Pre Varsity group to swim at an earlier time and will allow COSST to expand their pool time to a home school group and a high school group. The Booster Club approved spending approximately \$8000 for the purchase, removal of old system and installation of new system.

Officials-Bill Kamphuis will be "corralling" the officials this year along with Brian Dockendorf. Please contact them if you are interested in becoming an official.

The next meeting of the COSST Booster club will be Oct 12<sup>th</sup> at 6:00 pm at Centenary in the board room behind the Natatorium. Everyone is encouraged to attend.

Jennifer Russell, Secretary