

## **Minutes COSST Booster Club 1/12/11**

Meeting called to order by President, Brian Trudnak  
Minutes from December were read and approved.

**Treasurer Report:** Rhonda Briggs reported that the bank balance is \$42,318.46 as of 01/12/11

**Old Business:** Derek met with contractors about a new roof on the indoor pool and covering the outdoor pool at Southside. It will cost about \$160,000 to put a new roof, add additional deck and ventilate the indoor pool. This is an immediate need if LSU does not give COSST more pool time. The outdoor pool will be another \$540,000 for a total of \$700,000. There was a discussion about how to pay for this and will be continued to be worked on for the next month.

**Fundraising:** Thrifty Peanut income was \$22

**Coach's Report:** Dustin reported that the Chesapeake Meet was very fast (despite team illnesses). Matthew Wilson broke the COSST team record in the 100 Fly. There was a big drop in Varsity attendance due to family vacations between Christmas and New Years. Joe Ferguson reported that the swimming in Sulphur was very good, many swimmers swam best times. Derek reported that there were low attendance numbers in December due to illnesses and vacations however January was looking better. 22 swimmers are signed up to swim the mile at the Alexandria meet on Friday night, they are taking down a couple of vans and getting pizza. The Pitt meet had a low attendance due to the weather on Sunday, despite that a few COSST swimmers achieved their first state cuts. So far 47 swimmers have qualified for state and there are three more opportunities before state.

### **Upcoming Events:**

Jan 21-22	COAST Meet (Alexandria)
Jan 28-30	Crawfish Meet (Baton Rouge)
Feb 4-6	COLA Last Chance Meet (Lafayette)
Feb 17-20	State Meet (Sulphur-Qualifiers only)
Mar 3-6	Sectionals (Texas A&M-Qualifiers only)
Mar 11-12	COSST Winter Invitational (Centenary)
Apr 2	Banquet

**New Business:** None

COSST Winter Invitational is March 11-12. This will be the first time this is a two day meet. We are in need of a meet director and key volunteers for concessions, hospitality, officiating and computers.

COSST is also in need of a director for the Banquet.

The next meeting of the COSST Booster club will be February 9, 2011 at 6pm at the Centenary Board Room in the Natatorium. Everyone is encouraged to attend.

Jennifer Russell, Secretary