

## YORKSHIRE SWIMMING ASSOCIATION

Minutes of the Masters Committee Meeting held at the Aquatic Centre, John Charles Centre for Sport, Leeds on January 19th 2010.

Members present: Mrs. C. McCabe, Committee Secretary, Mr. D. Alexander, Secretary, Mr. M. Hill, Treasurer, Mrs. A. Ibbotson, Mrs. J. Massey, Mr. D. Dickenson, Mr. S. Hoyle, Mr. P. Ingham and Mr. M. Kelly.

D. Alexander was unanimously elected as Chairman and he duly welcomed new committee member Mr. Stuart Hoyle.

**2010.1 APOLOGIES:**

None.

**2010.2 MINUTES OF LAST MEETING:**

Held on 6.10.09 Approved as a true record.

Proposed by M. Kelly and seconded by J.Massey.

**2010.3 MATTERS ARISING:**

None.

**2010.4 CORRESPONDENCE:**

See Open Championships Scarborough.

**2010.5 YORKSHIRE OPEN MASTERS SCARBOROUGH 2010:**

The pool, catering and timing have all been booked.

Elaine Shaw and Roger Perrell confirmed as Referees, Chris Bland, Starter and Wendy Emmerson, Judge.

Guests who have replied to say they will be confirm attending. Mrs. L. Gordon.

Mr. D. Dickenson, Mrs. J. Weatherington and the Mayor of Scarborough.

D. Alexander and C. McCabe to attend BUCS Meet at Sheffield and arrange a meeting with D. Fletcher to try and ascertain the new rules for university swimmers and encourage them to enter the Championships and thus get new contacts.

**2010.6 INTER COUNTY MEET NOVEMBER 2009.**

The team proved difficult to select as many swimmers were unable to attend. However the Team Manager Stuart Hoyle was optimistic that he may be able to recruit some new swimmers from Leeds. It was felt that several swimmers had to do too many swims and we need to get more swimmers involved to even out the swims. S. Hoyle to do a piece for the newsletter to inform swimmers about the event and to promote the prestige of swimming for the County. We had been placed second in the regional event behind Cheshire and a disappointing seventh in the national event which was won by Cheshire.

**2010.7 DEVELOPMENT:**

The committee reviewed the development work that had taken place in the past and agreed to look for fresh ideas for the future. S. Hoyle suggested a newsletter to be emailed to as many masters swimmers as possible and it was agreed to move this suggestion forward. Members of the committee to write various articles and the newsletter to be produced in the very near future. S. Hoyle also suggested a diving session be held at John Charles Center for Sport to assist swimmers in competing. The Committee decided that the possibility of a graded competition for Masters swimmers was not viable. All members felt that an underwater videoing session at John Charles Centre would be both beneficial and popular. S. Hoyle to ascertain viability, numbers, cost etc.

**2010.8 ANY OTHER BUSINESS:**

None.

**The Meeting closed at 8.23 pm and the next meeting will be held on Tuesday June 1st 2010 at 7.15 p.m.**