

YORKSHIRE SYNCHRONISED SWIMMING COMMITTEE MEETING
FEBRUARY 16th 2011 GALPHARM STADIUM 7.30 pm

Present:- Bill Cooper, David Alexander, Sue Barrington, Sue Blackstone, Ian Watson, Gemma Wright, Anita Carr

- 1] Bill Cooper was elected as Chairperson.
- 2] Apologies: Emma Proctor.
- 3] Minutes of meeting: 27/10/2010 accepted as a true record. Proposed S. Barrington
Seconded D. Alexander.
- 4] Matters arising: None
- 5] Development: It was agreed to hold a Development day at Knottingley (subject to availability) in June 2011 for Novice/Grade1/Grade 2 swimmers. The Selection to be taken from the May 15th Results. It was agreed that Gemma Wright would coordinate the Development day. Anita Carr to organise Landwork and Sue Barrington to look into T Shirts or Swim caps for swimmers. The numbers suggested are 5 Novice/10 Grade 1/ 10Grade 2 swimmers.
- 6] Novice/Grade1/2 Competition: The committee agreed to withdraw Front Tuck Somersault from the Novice Figure Competition and use Front Layout instead.
It was agreed that Clubs Nominate a Club Representative when submitting their entries.
- 7] Junior/Senior Competition: The committee agreed that the Secretary draw up Draft Conditions and Figures for this Competition.
- 8] Tri/Quad Competition: It was agreed that this Competition would best be deferred to 2012 with the Competition being scheduled for June 2012. So far only Lancashire has responded so The Secretary to contact Scotland and Midlands again to verify their interest etc.
- 9] Yorkshire Grades Update: The Secretary was invited to explain the Yorkshire Synchronised Swimming Grade award system to the Yorkshire S.A. Board. The Board was in favour of the System and agreed that it should be supported by them.
Ian Watson advised the Committee that Support Scull with Feet against the poolside was not advisable (Health and Safety issue). The Committee decided that this should be altered to Travelling Support Scull for 3 metres. This to come into effect April 2011.
The Committee also agreed to review the Grades at the end of 2011.
- 10] Any Other Relevant Business: None.

The meeting closed at 8.45pm.