

MCSL Team Reps Meeting

March 13, 2025

Board Members Present: Kristine Frohman (President), Jessica Moore (Vice President), Rebecca Fayed (Treasurer), Tom Allison (Secretary), Marcie Ament, Jim Garner, Tom Lang, Eric Smith, Scott Witkin.

Teams Present: A, ARH, B, BE, C, CA, CB, CCR, CG, CLM, CTC, D, DA, DF, DT, EW, FH, FM, FO, FR, FV, G, GER, GM, GP, H, IF, JC, K, KFM, KL, LB, LF, LLD, LM, MB, MCF, MCT, MM, MO, MS, MW, NCC, NGV, NH, NMC, NO, NWB, OF, OG, OM, P, PA, PGL, PL, PLT, PO, PR, PW, QO, QV, RC, RE, RF, RH, RS, RV, SB, SG, SL, SO, TA, TB, TF, TH, TW, W, WCF, WG, WHI, WLP, WM, WTL, WWD (84/91 teams)

The meeting was called to order at 8:02 p.m. by President Kristine Frohman.

Sponsor presentations:

- Hammer Head Swim Caps (<https://hammerheadswimcaps.com/>)
- Nike Swim (<https://www.nike.com/w/surf-swimming-3c2dj>)
 - But see your local Nike dealer.
- Joe Flaherty's Dolphins (<https://www.jfdolphins.com/page/home>)

President's Report (Kristine Frohman)

- By or before the April meeting, you should meet as a division and decide on jobs (e.g. relay carnival, divisionals).
- All reps meetings are via Zoom except for the May meeting which will be held at 8 p.m. in Rockville (see the website for address and directions). You will receive meet materials at this meet, so it is important that you attend (or send someone to pick up your materials).

Vice President's Report (Jessica Moore)

- The transfer window is now open and will be open until June 1st. Please submit these as soon as possible.
- Presentation of proposed rule changes. The changes are as follows
 - Scoring for 7-team divisions
 - All Star relays
 - Relay entry cards

Treasurer's Report (Rebecca Fayed)

- Presentation of the summer budget.
- Team dues invoices are ready.
 - Teams should log in to the MCSL website and make sure A rep email addresses are up to date. Please make sure that you email Rebecca - do not use an old email address.
 - Invoices will be emailed over the weekend.

- Ideally payments will be made prior to the May meeting. If your team dues are not paid, you will not receive your meet materials at that meeting.
- Remember that our sponsors help to keep our dues low! If you know of a potential sponsor, please reach out to Marcie Ament (ads@mcsl.org).

Clinics/Officials (Scott Witkin)

- The clinics schedule is available online now.
- Online clinic registrations will be available by the time of the April meeting.
- Please make sure your officials sign up for clinics as appropriate.
- Read the requirements for officials at various positions to make sure officials apply appropriately.
- A coaches clinic will be held on May 18.
- USA Swimming officials have reciprocity with MCSL (stroke and turn and starters).

Awards (Tisha Schestopol)

- Put in your orders for B meet ribbons before the end of April if you want them by the May meeting.

SSL Hours and Starter Equipment (Jim Garner)

- MCSL can grant SSL hours to students. You can find the form on the MCSL website (<https://www.emailmeform.com/builder/form/967D2HSXWb2CaJ>).
- SSL hours can be submitted to the county at least through the end of August.
- Starting equipment: starter (new model, Infinity pro), tripod, extension speaker, three different microphones. Email Jim Garner (colorado@mcsl.org) for pricing info and to arrange for purchase.

Automation (Eric Smith and Tom Lang)

- Please update your information on the website. This is self service. If you have any issues, email Eric Smith (web@mcsl.org).
- Please keep coach emails up to date. This is important for scratches for the coaches long course and all stars meets.
- Please make sure someone on your team can log in to the website. Again, if you have any problems, email Eric Smith (web@mcsl.org).
- Make sure you have a computer that can run Meet Manager now. Do not wait until the last minute. If you can't find your flash drive with a copy of Meet Manager, email Eric Smith (web@mcsl.org) to arrange to receive a copy.
- Make sure your contact information is up to date for the handbook. The information for the handbook is taken from the information on the website.
- Automation training will be held on Monday, June 2. See the website for the time and for registration.
- See training videos for automation. These are available via the website.

Voting results

- The budget was approved.

- Rule change proposal 1 (scoring for 7-team divisions) was approved.
- Rule change proposal 2 (All Star Relays) failed.
- Rule change proposal 3 (updated relay entry cards) was approved.

The next meeting of the MCSL Team Reps will be held on Thursday, April 10, at 8:00 p.m. via Zoom.

The meeting concluded at 8:49 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Tom Allison
MCSL Secretary