USA Swimming Senior Development Committee Minutes

Tuesday, August 22nd, 2023. Virtual Meeting.

Present: Jaime Lewis, Kristin Alfano, Brendan Hansen, Billy Doughty, Paul Silver, Paul Donovan, Kathleen Scandary, Aidan Pflieger, John Morse, Chris Plumb, MJ Truex, Todd Capen, Shawn Smith
Staff: Terry Jones, Dean Ekern, Erik Posegay, Beth Winkowski, Macie McNichols, Kaitlin Pawlowicz, Karin Olmsted, Patrick Murphy
Absent: Kate Ludsten, Amanda Weir, Revere Schmidt, Olga Espinosa
Guests:

Call to Order: Jaime called the August Senior Development Committee meeting to order at 9:__am

Conflict of Interest Disclosure: n/a

I. Approval of minutes from last meeting (summary)

II. Approval of agenda

- approved

III. Meet info for fall meets

-Jaime sent info, motion to swap 400 IM and 200 IM, approved.

-How are we communicating the relay change? Coaches Connection newsletter, events website.

IV. Overview of in-person meeting

-Jaime reviews how great the meeting was. Discussion was mostly around Futures, but there was a lot of communication.

V. Feedback from summer championship meets

VI. Futures

-As a host “fantastic meet”. Add another site in is the general consensus. All meets besides Fargo filled this year, but lots of teams went to other meets in the south (ISCA, etc.) because they didn’t get into Ocala. 5 sites have already been selected based on the boundaries, adding a 6th site will be tough for 2024.

-Motion to include faster 19&O times- passes.

-Motion to open borders for Futures and open entries April 15 (or 16th if 15 is a Monday)- passes.

-Patrick will come back to the committee with additional data for making 18U standards faster.
- Do we want to make it faster for next year, or the year after? Will be a big change in times.

- Both sets of times standards will be voted on by email.

- **Motion to cap at 1000, inclusive of relay only swimmers. Motion passes unanimously.**

VII. **Camps**

   Camp sub-committee meeting next week for first review of selection criteria and purpose of camps.

VIII. **18U Spring Cup Time Standards**

   - Vote to change or keep the same Look back on meeting- already done.

IX. **National Team / National Junior Team Updates**

   - NT will be announced September 11, NJT announced Sept 18.

   - Israel for Junior world champs next week.

X. **September meeting- around ABM (21st-23rd)**

   - Open / closed

XI. **Other Business**

   - Quad plan on September meeting agenda

Adjournment: 10:09am Mountain