

**Michigan Interscholastic Swim Coaches Associations
Executive Board Meeting – January 29, 2023 @MHSAA**

Agenda

10:00 AM

Executive Board Meeting

Approval of Minutes, September 16, 2022 Executive Board Meeting

1st – Burtch, 2nd – Pearson

Motion – every winter meet will be virtual. Motion carried.

Comittee Chairman Reports

Treasurer

Steve Bowyer

Membership is up. In good financial standing.

MISCA Clinic

Greg Phil

Clinic went well. Need to adjust the social to reduce cost and waste.

Question:

Could we add a pool session?

Will look into the possibility of this, Stevenson is right down the road.

Could we live stream a pool session?

Do we need help with speakers?

More on this later in the meeting.

MISCA Speakers

Michael McHugh

Use coaches connections? Looking to move away from speedo to arena, this will impact speakers.

MISCA Meet

Ian Kobes

Boys diving at Haslett, swimming at Jenison. All entries through swim cloud.

NISCA

Ian Kobes

Knoxville, second weekend in March for the women's NCAA finals.

Awards

Cory Bergen

Girls swimmer and diver of the year plaques have been sent out. Our relationship with Maxwell continues to be

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strong.

Webmaster

Dave Zulkiewski

Flipped over to the new platform (team unify).

Diving

John Pearson

Working on a MISCA speaker for the fall. Thanks for support on diving regional coach of the year. All boys regional spots are determined.

Different pool set ups may be leading to different regional meets. Judges distance from athletes set an unfair playing field.

Middle School

Damon Robertson

Meet yesterday at lakeview, numbers are down.

Academic All-State Team

Kyle Stumpf

Applications should start rolling in soon.

UP should apply as separate boys and girls teams.

Academic All-State Individual

Darrin Millar

Couple so far, more in the spring.

Edwards Scholarship

John Burch

Applications in the spring.

MHSCA Rep

Darrin Millar

More coaches applying for hall of fame.

Dream Team

Michael McHugh

Sometimes we get lost in the shuffle of college meets but will continue to send out to local and national organizations.

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Top Times List

Dave Zulkiewski / Swim Cloud

Swim cloud involvement is going up. Some issues with middle school teams and abbreviations.

MISCA Golf Outing

Rob Damuth

Agaming again, signed 2 year contract to keep the cost down.

Zone Vice President Reports – Posted on the webpage.

Zone 1 Austin Bateman (Utica Ford)

- Small team sizes.

Zone 2 Mike Harfoot (North Farmington)

- Shortage of officials.

Zone 3 Ed Weber (Canton)

- Some coaches listed in the wrong zone.

Zone 4 Mojo Murrett (Ann Arbor Skyline)

- Diving issue, addressed earlier in the meeting

Zone 5 Ian Kobes (Hudsonville)

- Nothing new.

Zone 6 Daryl Belton (Otsego)

- Alma may need to move zones?

Zone 7 Gregg Brace (DeWitt)

- CAC has new division based on enrollment.

Zone 8 Brad Jones (Fenton)

- Encouraging swim cloud.

Zone 9 Erik Johnson (Houghton)

- Encouraging people to join the organization.

MHSAA State Meet

D1 – Calvin / D2 – Holland / D3 - Oakland

State Meet Assignments for Girls' State Meets

Hospitality

D-1 Steve Bowyer
D-2 Rob Damuth
D-3 Daryl Belton

Dream Team

D-1 Steve Bowyer
D-2 McHugh
D-3 Daryl Belton/Z

Awards

D-1 Steve Bowyer
D-2 McHugh
D-3 Daryl Belton

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Old Business

- All State Certs \$20/ cert for nonmembers starting Fall 2022
 - \$5 replacement, duplicate.
- UP Swimmer of the Year using power points
 - All set
- Mr / Ms Swimmer / Diver
 - Most awards are - senior, 4 year award, coach should be a member.
 - Bring your suggestion and formulate a plan in the spring.
- Coach Mentor Program
 - 56 coaches willing to participate.
 - We will get more feedback in the spring.
- School Abbreviations
 - Double Check, try and do your best.

New Business

- MHSAA President Meeting Info
 - Coaches must wait 9 months after retirement to continue coaching or officiating.
 - This may change.
 - Possible officials week.
 - Emphasis on looking at and reviewing EAP's.
 - Sportsmanship continues to be an issue across the state.
 - MHSAA is stepping up its enforcement of fair play.
- State Meet Assignments (Hospitality / Awards / Dream Team)
- Items that you would like brought to Swim Committee Meeting (FEB 1)
 - 10 min break after the 200 free relay – Greg Phil
 - All approve, will work on language.
- Timeline for challenges at State Meet (Rob Damuth)
 - Rule book does not state when a challenge needs to be submitted.
 - It is in the rule book. Andi will let us know the specific rule.
- Backstroke Start Wedge / Poll results (Gregg Brace / Eve Julian)
- Arena
 - 2 years left on speedo contract; can this be dissolved.
 - Will ask speedo to dissolve contract, then move to arena.
- Regional Diving COY
 - This is a great way to recognize more of our membership.
 - Will be announced the Saturday after regionals.
- Spring Meeting (End of March / Early April)
 - April 16 or 23.
- Clinic Notes – How do we get better?

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- Table to spring
- Coach Social
 - Table to spring
- Additional MISCA Middle School meets
 - Table to spring
- New Middle School / Junior High Chair
 - Table to spring