



## **Champaign County HEAT Booster Club Steering Committee Meeting agenda for: AUGUST 12, 2022 at 6 p.m.**

Location: Stephens Family YMCA Community Room

Zoom: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/85992022866?pwd=UkRNNmlBVjlrNGQ1UDB0WTY2OWNMz09>

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***Present: Will Barker, Natalie Kenny Marquez, Jan Reynolds, Ann Fahnestock, Liz Howard***

### **1. Presidents Report - Natalie Kenny Marquez**

Natalie reported that meetings will continue to take place the second Thursday of each month. A calendar invite was sent out to all of the emails she was given, along with a link to the Google folder that will house all meeting agendas and minutes. She also shared that meetings will be hybrid, and that you can join by Zoom (link provided in meeting invite) or come in person to the Community Room. The Community Room has been reserved for the next year - so plan to come to that room for all meetings. Finally, Natalie shared that the sponsorship packet is ready and has already been distributed to a few businesses. She has a tracking document for sponsorship requests so that no one is "double asking" for sponsorships. As of the meeting date, there have been two committed sponsorships amounting to \$2,000 in total.

### **2. Coaches Report - Coach Will Barker**

The registration link is live on the website. Practice times are still being finalized and will hopefully be published in mid-August after Will works with the Y to confirm times. Times will be similar to last season, but hopefully ending a little earlier in the evening for the older swimmers. Evaluations are coming up on Monday and Tuesday, August 29 and 30 at the YMCA. Will is meeting with the coaches to talk about practices, and swimmers that may be "moving up" groups. More details will be shared soon. Will shared that Annika Miller, Jack Vazquez will both be coaching this season. A few more coaches will likely also join the roster and he will make that announcement soon.

### **3. Meets**

Most meets for the season are posted on the website, but additional meets will be added as meet details are posted/shared with Will.

### **4. Treasurer's Report - Jennifer White**

The Executive Committee is working on a budget to share at the September meeting. A July summary was shared along with a summer 2022 addendum of expenses and revenue.

**5. Team Apparel & Equipment** - Jennifer Maxfield

The Elsmore store will be live on September 1st. The group talked about having a clothing swap to take place at the season kick-off party.

**6. Practice Group Updates**

No group updates at this time.

**7. Social** - Liz Howard and Betsy Bradley

The group discussed having a season kick-off party at the Y pavilion on the Sunday before the first meet of the season. Save the date for the end of season banquet: April 16, 2023 at iHotel and Conference Center.

**8. Digital**

What additional updates do we need to make to the website? Will get into touch with Ryan Bradley to teach him how to use the website. The group also talked about doing a Facebook LIVE with Will and also recording short informational videos for new and returning families.

**9. HEAT Masters**

There is a HEAT picnic at Coach Tina's pool on August 14th, otherwise, no other updates at this time.