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Program Operations Vice-Chair Report
HOD Meeting – October 4, 2020

Included in this report is a summary of items both completed and in-progress:

- Attended all Illinois Swimming Board of Directors meetings.
- Attended multiple Performance Committee meetings. Spear-headed the planning of the now delayed Hall of Fame Induction Celebration.
- Participated in the COVID-19 related discussions and tasks:
 - Helped with group working to get pools re-opened.
 - Supported the work of the task force that set up the club support money to help clubs financially navigate the pandemic.
 - Worked with Pam Lowenthal and Jack Yetter to re-work the Meet Sanction Application and set parameters for teams to host meets in the COVID era.
 - Set short course meet sanction application deadlines (14 days prior for intrasquad and dual meets and 30 days prior for multi-team meets.)
- Participated as a member of the Rules & Regulations committee.
- Attended the 2020 USA Swimming Virtual Convention
- Worked with Officials, Age Group & Senior Chairs, and the Illinois Swimming office to ensure smooth running of our Championship meets that were held.
- Attended Championship meet host meeting in January at Burr Ridge Marriott. Informational and productive event coordinated by Pam Lowenthal.
- Worked with multiple meet hosts to ensure they were planning their meet sessions to adhere to USA & Illinois Swimming time schedule rules & regulations.

Respectively Submitted,

Brian Brown
Program Operations Vice-Chair
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