Minutes KISL General Membership Meeting Farragut High School Cafeteria August, 21, 2014 @ 7:00 p.m.

- 1. Meeting called to order at 7:00 p.m.
- 2. Update contact sheets were made available.
- 3. Treasurer Margaret Jett gave the financial report. KISL has a current balance of \$12,780.55.
- 4. KISL affiliated swim meets include:
 - The Ray Bussard Invitational –Dec. 13, 2014 @ Allan Jones Pool. Any school wishing to co-host with Berean and Hardin Valley should contact Annabel Henley @ <u>Annabel henley@comcast.net</u>. The team needs to be able to supply skilled workers.
 - KISL Championship Meet—Jan. 30 & 31, 2015 @ Allan Jones Pool
 - KMSSL Championship Meet—Feb. 1, 2015 @ Allan Jones Pool

5. NFSHSA Rule Changes

- Minor change: swimmer must continue to break the water surface during the finish of Backstroke.
- Minor change: swimmer may not normally step off starting block when Starter issues command to "Stand Up."

6. TISCA:

- Fall Meeting, Sept. 20 @ Riverdale High School, 10:00 am Central Time followed by the Coaches Lunch and Clinic @ 12:00 CDT
- State Championship Meet—Feb. 13 & 14, Allan Jones Pool, Knoxville

7. Old Business:

- Middle School Swimming will meet on Aug. 26 @ 6:30 p.m. in the West Valley Middle School Library.
- A checklist for deadlines and fees for KISL will be posted on the website.

8. New Business

- Election Results
 - KISL Coaches Rep—David Cooper
 - o KISL/TISCA Regional Rep—Tom Schumann
 - o TISCA Review Committee Member—Steve Glandon
- Officials Clinics—a request was made for teams to host.
- A Change to Team Coach Requirements will be rewritten and presented to the membership for vote at the scheduling meeting.
- Championship Rule changes voted in:
 - 2.1 All entries must be made using an electronic entry file compatible with Hy-Tek© Meet Manager.
 - 2.7 Entry deadlines will specified in meet information.
 - 3.3 Starting and False Start Recall procedures shall be in conformance to the current NFSHSA rules with the Starter being KISL certified for that position.

- Section 4.4 was deleted for being obsolete.
- 5.2 Relay Takeoff judging shall follow the NFSHSA Dual Confirmation protocol without the use of the infraction signal.
- 7.1 Medals will be awarded for all places in the finals heat and ribbons will be awarded for all places in the consolation heat. Team trophies and other awards will be described in the meet information.
- Any exceptions to the NFSHSA protocols will be identified in the meet information.
- KISL Championship Meet Awards will include trophies for three divisions; D-I, D-II, and D-III. The divisions will be determined by the KISL board based on team size as entered in the meet. This is place of awards for the top five teams overall.
- Diving is considered another event and if a team has no divers, they forfeit points just as in any other event.
- There is interest in creating a Coaches' Registry to keep track of training certifications of coaches for Athlete Protection and Concussion Training. This would benefit all swimming leagues in Knoxville: KISL, KMSSL, GKAISA, & USA. Annabel Henley will be spearheading this.
- Brenda McGrath shared a new policy for Knox County Schools regarding School Volunteers: Policy IFCD. All Knox County Schools need to check with their Athletic Director and make sure they are in compliance.
- 9. Future KISL Meeting Dates:
 - KISL Scheduling Meeting—Monday, Sept. 22 @ 6:30 in the Farragut High School Library.
 - KISL Post-Season Membership Meeting—January 31, 2015 prior to finals of the KISL Championship.
- 10. Meeting Adjourned: 8:52 p.m.

Submitted August 23, 2014 Mollie DeLozier Secretary, KISL