

ODSL Board Meeting
Thursday February 25, 2021
Via Zoom Meeting
Meeting Minutes

Teams In Attendance:

Belmont CC
Brambleton
Broadlands
Dulles Farms
Evergreen Meadows
Exeter
Greenway Farms
Kirkpatrick Farms
Lansdowne
Lenah Mill
Lenah Run
Loudoun Valley Estates
Loudoun Valley Village
Martin's Chase
One Loudoun
Potomac Crossing
Potomac Station
Red Rocks
Rivercrest
Stone Ridge
South Riding
Stratford
Tavistock
Willowsford
Woodlea

Opening Remarks:

- The ODSL Executive Board has voted to move forward with the 2021 swim season.
- In order to ensure a safe and productive summer season all teams and individuals must adhere to Loudoun County Health Department and ODSL League Covid-19 protocols at all times.
- This season will have modifications that are in place only for the 2021 season. Changes include (but are not limited to):
 - No parents on deck during practices or competitions
 - Limit to 5 swimmers per lane during practices and meet warm-ups
 - Modification of meet schedule/protocols
 - Live-streaming meets via Facebook or some other form of digital communication

Insurance:

- The ODSL league insurance provider has requested that the ODSL Executive Board provide the number of teams participating in the 2021 season by March 1. Teams that have not confirmed/received approval from their HOAs should work to solidify approval as soon as possible.
- There will be no Covid-19 liability coverage from the league insurance provider.
- Contact Eleconra Martinez if you have any questions or concerns.

League Schedule:

- Team reps voted to select proposed option 2 for the league schedule.
 - First practices will be held Tuesday, June 1
 - Team Time Trials will be held Saturday, June 12
 - League-wide no competition dates of Wednesday, June 30 and Saturday, July 3
 - Last dual meets will be held Saturday, July 24
 - All-Stars will be held Saturday, July 31. Location of All-Stars is tentatively scheduled at Brambleton pending HOA approval.
 - The general league schedule will include 5 dual meets split between Wednesdays and Saturdays.

Meet Schedules/Protocols:

- A questionnaire will be distributed by the ODSL Executive Board regarding team needs for the upcoming competition schedule.
- The schedule will be built such that two teams compete against each other on Wednesday and Saturday. The Board recommendations that 11 and overs compete on Wednesdays and 10 and unders compete on Saturdays. Team representatives will have the ability to modify the competition age groups based on the needs of teams paired to compete.
- Teams paired to compete should split the duties of hosting - one team hosts the Wednesday meet the other team hosts that Saturday meet.
- Teams will have the option to compete virtually if needed. The details will be discussed at the April membership meeting.
- Decisions regarding meet protocols including max entries per swimmers and allowance of relays will be made at the April membership meeting.
- The league will survey teams regarding the possibility of adding a meet for 19 year old swimmers who were unable to compete last season. This survey will be included in the league scheduling survey.
- The ODSL Executive Board is developing meet protocols/safety guidelines that will be distributed to all teams prior to the start of competition. It is expected that all teams follow these guidelines at all times.

Communication:

- Team representatives are encouraged to share all documentation regarding Covid-19 protocols, FAQs, and other information posted on the ODSL TeamUnify website with their team's board of directors. These documents will be updated by the ODSL Executive Board as new information becomes available.

Officials:

- Eric Ramey will provide additional information regarding officials training once the details have been finalized.

Please contact the ODSL Executive Board if you have any questions or concerns at officers@odslswim.us