1. Two proposals – for 15 and over age group combining

   1. Swimming prelims like we currently have them, but only having A finals for 15-16 and 17-19
      a. It was stated this was a pretty big issue for the swimmers; there is something that needs
         to be changed as it was confusing for the swimmers. Extra stress that could be avoided.
      b. Swimmers see what they finish in the heat is confusing to where they finish in their age
         group. It is an administrative headache to try and organize and score properly.
      c. Drop off might be some of the older swimmers who don’t want to swim against the 15-16
         year olds in finals. The meet was a huge success, but would like to see the fastest
         swimmers per age group swimming together.
      d. Previously, the athletes remarked that they could coast through the prelims and still be
         able to make the finals. (eg. 7 swimmers only in the 17 – 19 200 breaststroke)
      e. Another alternative would be just swim an A final for every age group
      f. Option of swimming the mile Thursday night? Would help take the pressure off the
         timeline also.

2. Swim an A and B finals for all age groups

   g. Committee would prefer to put this proposal out there instead of just an A final for age
      groups.

2. Clarify 10 & Under Scratch rules/ Missing events/ afternoon session

   a. Moving the 10 and under session to the B Championships – What does this do for the
      swimmers who look forward to the B meet as it takes the faster swimmers out of the
      equation? Would like to keep the 10 and unders at the State A meet if possible.
   b. Scratch rule – missing an event does not mean they miss the next race
   c. 10 and unders with more breaks as the session time was really quick -

3. Distance events fastest to slowest, alternating heats

   a. Without the two pools, this is the best way to do these events; all one gender does not
      have to wait for the other to get done.

4. Change 11-12 500s to timed finals only

   a. Helps the finals session timeline; 13 and over swim prelim/finals helps the swimmers
      prepare for the next step of it as that is how it is swam at the higher level meets.

5. Move 11-12 relays to Saturday/Sunday

   a. Better to move to two days as it helps those relay only kids for them to come only two
      days

6. Move 13 and over relays

   a. Make 200 relays not 200/400 relays

7. Breaks in the meet – do not need to publish the breaks – this needs to be determined at the
   discretion of the meet referee. AO can run a report on where swimmers do not have enough
   time between races (20 minutes as a base). Language put together that AO and ref review an
   official report so breaks can be put in where breaks can be added.

Donna will write a proposal for the A and B final for all age groups
We as a tech planning committee will send out proposals in all forms. Kyle will send a proposal to have the mile swam on Thursday night. Kyle will have the 10 and under at the B meet in his report to start the discussion.

Adjourn at 10:30 p.m.