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2020 ANNUAL PARENT MEETING & BOARD ELECTIONS AGENDA

WST Mission Statement: The mission of the Winchester Swim Team is to provide a diverse program which supports and encourages swimmers of all levels, and which promotes a sense of sportsmanship, healthy competition, and team spirit.

WST Vision Statement: The Winchester Swim Team (WST) seeks to always operate in an atmosphere where all swimmers feel welcomed, encouraged, and supported in achieving their goals. In addition, the WST seeks to develop a team spirit among family members, as well as swimmers, through continuing to educate them in the sport of swimming and always encouraging families to volunteer in support of their swimmers, their team, and their sport.

- I. Welcome – WST President – Paul Warnagiris
- II. Coach Trey Shafer

Covid Phase 2 Status Review

Procedures for entering and exiting the pools, social distancing, what to bring to practice

New Swimmer Evaluations - Jim Barnett Park vs Clearbrook Pool schedules

Swim Meets:

SVSL

USA/Virginia Swimming

WST Long Course meet update – tentative August 28 – 30, 2020

Yoga – Possibly returning Phase 3 – Tuesday Mornings 7:00am JBP grass area for Bronze, Silver, Gold, Senior Practice Groups

Weather – we only cancel due to thunder/lightening and the guidelines of the pool. Last minute text alerts. 30-minute delays for each occurrence.

- III. Kelly Warnagiris

Team Unify Account Information Update

Cell phone numbers – SMS Information

Email addresses – verification process

Summer Registration Updates – t-shirts and cap distribution

Fall Registration and Evaluations - July

Upcoming Social Events – on hold till Phase 3

Swim & Tri – equipment and swimsuits, tech suit ban September 2

- IV. Paul Warnagiris

WST Fundraiser- Why do we fundraise?

Fundraising is 15% of our budget & pays for t shirts, social events, yoga, & coach training

Fundraising is vital to keeping our team growing, strong, & fun

Sponsorships – Business & Individual (501c3)

Scholarships for USA Outreach Eligible

Volunteering

Swim is different than other sports – We need lots of parent participation

WST Long Course possibly rescheduled for August 28 – 30, 2020. We will need help from all WST Families. Timers, Marshalls, Concessions, Hospitality, Donations etc.

WST board meetings are always open to all WST parents. We encourage you to get involved. Our next Board Meeting will be July 14, 2020 7:00pm.

V. Board Elections

Our nominating committee consisting of our head coach, board president and a non-board team parent are excited to introduce The Slate of Nominees for 2020 - 2021 term are as follows...

President - Paul Warnagiris

Vice President - Michelle Irgens

Secretary - Faye Thompson

Treasurer - Elizabeth Espinoza

Member At Large – Kelly Masters

Current Open Committee Chair Positions:

Fundraising

Social

Volunteer Coordinator

Meet Director

Virginia Swimming Athlete Delegate for WST - Kimberly Warnagiris.

All Coach and Board member contact information can be found on the team website under the “About US” tab.



Thank you all for your time and support of the Winchester Swim Team!!