

WYOMING SWIMMING, INC.  
2007 House of Delegates Meeting  
November 4, 2007

Called to order 8:40 a.m.

1) **Roll Call;** Collection of written designation of representatives of group members. Members represented: Big Horn Basin, Casper Swim Club, Cheyenne Swim Club, Converse County Waves, Gillette Swim Team, Jackson Hole Stingrays, Lander Swim Club, Laramie Swim Club, Powell Swim Club, Rawlins Swim Team, Riverton Aquatic Team, Scottsbluff County, Wyoming Waves, Worland Waterjets.

2) **Reading, correction and adoption of minutes of previous meeting**

Motion to approve minutes of 7/28/07, seconded, approved

3) **Presentation and approval of the annual budget**

WSI has lost a total of \$21,000 over the last 4 years. This has been the result primarily of award expenses for the WSI Championship Meets. While zone meet expenses increased almost \$8,000, zone revenues increased by a similar amount, resulting in a net expenditure for zones of \$10,734. The proposed budget is based on 2007 expenditures with an additional \$5,000 budgeted for awards. Budget approved.

4) **Presentation and approval of the annual audit pursuant to Section 608.5, when applicable.** Chairman reported that an audit was not going to be done due to the expense but that a financial review was being undertaken.

5) **Unfinished (old) business**

a) Proposal to Raise WSI splash fees. Tabled 2006 proposal was amended to remove the participation fee increase and instead raise the event fee for the WSI Championship meet from \$2 to \$4. The discussion centered on the need to make the income more closely reflect the cost of awards for WSI championship meets. Proposal and amendment passed.

b) Other

6) **New business**

a) Selection of Summer State 2007—Gillette presented the only proposal to host Summer LSC Championships. Gillette stated that they are trying to have the pool facility costs reduced. Proposal passed.

b) Proposed Changes to WSI Handbook (see separate enclosure with agenda items)—610.3 of Bylaws changed by USA Swimming; Disciplinary action procedure provided by USA Swimming

c) Other—See List of Proposals at item No. 10

B State was dropped as part of one of the new proposals. Options for holding a B State were discussed. Motion to have proposals to host B State submitted to Gen. Chair or Age Group Chair by December 1, 2007. Motion passed.

7) **Elections**

a) Nominating Committee's slate. Since each officer was planning or willing to run for re-election, the committee did not present a slate.

- b) General Chair—Chuck Schmitt was re-elected
- c) Administrative Vice Chair—Mike Baldacci was re-elected
- d) Senior Chair—Jerry Rodriguez and Tom Johnson were both nominated; Jerry Rodriguez was elected
- e) Secretary—Bill Heiss was re-elected
- f) Board of Review
  - i) Non-Athlete— Dave Joy, Dennis Baker, Judy Crawford were elected
  - ii) Athlete--Bryan Shears was elected.

**8) Reports of officers/chairs**

- a) General Chair—Reported that he has had discussions with surrounding LSC's regarding promoting a regional meet similar to the NW Age Group Sectionals (CO, WY, UT, AZ, NM). Qualifying times would be similar to the NW Age Group meet. The idea would be to give age group swimmers a chance to swim against high level .
- b) Admin. Vice Chair-
- c) Sr. Chair—Western Zone Meet location for 2008 is Mt. Hood, Oregon. The Senior chair noted that the Sectional Team has grown every year for several years.
- d) Age Group Chair—Participating LSC's are looking at changing time, location of All-Star meet. Accommodations and planning for zones meet are in progress.
- e) Secretary—The secretary mentioned his desire to help high school swimmers interested in swimming in college.
- f) Treasurer-No report
- g) Coach representative
- h) Athlete representative--
- i) Membership/registration coordinator—Ellen Gashler was presented with a 15 year service pin.
- j) Safety Chair—not present
- k) Officials Chair—not present
- l) Zone Coordinator
- m) Top 16 times coordinator—Rick Robinson will act in this capacity for one more year. WSI needs to identify one or more people to serve in this capacity.
- n) Club development—Need to convey that WSI is part of USA Swimming. IMX Challenge is to emphasize that swimmers should be competing in different events and not specializing. 9 & unders are considered one event, with others event by each age. Trying to encourage bigger clubs to mentor and help smaller clubs in need of help.

**9) Review of Strategic Planning Session**

**10)**

**WYOMING SWIMMING, INC.  
Proposals for 2007 House of Delegates  
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**1. Proposal to remove all requirements in the WSI handbook which require the meet marshal to be a registered USA Swimming member and specifically to Change WSI Rule (On page 30of Handbook) as shown**

Reason- This was changed in the USA Rules and Regulations effective September 29 at the National HOD meeting in September. By changing our handbook, this will place the same

requirements on WSI meets as is required by USA Swimming in other LSC's. The justification was made that meet are being conducted with fewer if any marshals because paid facility staff or volunteers were not members of USA Swimming. By removing the membership requirement more marshals can be placed in the venue. Insurance coverage will cover the marshals the same as if would for timers or other meet personnel.

I. WYOMING SWIMMING, INC. WARM-UP GUIDELINES

A. ORGANIZATION FOR IMPLEMENTATION

3. MARSHALS

1. Pre-Meet Warm-up Sessions:

- b) Marshals shall be ~~current members of USA SWIMMING and~~ clearly identified ~~as marshals~~. ~~The marshals shall be responsible and capable of performing the assigned duties, but need not be a registered member of USA Swimming.~~

**Action taken:** Approved

**2. Proposal to Change WSI Rule (On page 36) as shown**

\_\_\_\_\_ Meet format must contain a statement requiring all coaches, officials, ~~meet marshals~~, and meet director(s) to have their USA Swimming cards on person and in plain view while on deck.

**Action taken:** Approved

**3. Proposal to remove requirement of asking that coaches supply USA registration and related certification for every meet sanction if they are listed on the current WSI certified coaches list and change WSI Rule (On page 35) as shown**

\_\_\_\_\_ Meet format must contain a statement that coaches, ~~if the coach is not listed on the WSI certified coaches list~~, ~~must include~~ a copy of their current USA Swimming registration, and related certifications at the time of entering a team in a meet. Failure to do may result in the coach being unable to enter on to the deck at anytime during the meet.

Reason- There is no need to keep copying this information, it is not required by the registration chair. Who uses it? We will post a certified coaches list on the Web.

**Action taken:** Approved

**4. Proposal to add the following statement to the application for sanction checklist.**

~~Meet information shall contain the following statement; the meet referee with concurrence with the meet director may consolidate events in accordance with Section 102.1.4 of the USA Rules and Regulations.~~

Reason – This will clarify and solidify the rules in Section 102.1.4, that it is allowable for the referee and meet director to combine events within their meet. This will allow the referee and meet director to maximize the competition for the swimmers and decrease the length (time) of the meet by reducing the numbers of heats.

**Action taken:** Approved

**5. Proposal to clarify requirement in the USA Registration compliance form to cover unattached swimmers that may not have a team of a coach as shown**

Meet format must include a statement advising that all swimmers must be registered members of USA Swimming and that the accompanying *USA Registration Compliance* form must be signed by a registered coach or club representative, or the entries will not be accepted. **If the swimmers are unattached, the swimmer or their parent shall sign the compliance form.**

**Action taken:** Approved

**6. Proposal to change the WSI rule on background checks for zone coaches to make it match the USA required background check as shown**

H. ZONE MEETS

~~4. Prior to any coach being approved to coach a zone level or higher team, the individual shall be subject to the following background checks: (a) standard reference check of the coach's prior employers and others with knowledge and (b) criminal background check by Wyoming DCI and FBI. The cost of fingerprinting and background checks will be borne by WSI. Applicant must submit a notarized affidavit listing all offenses for which he/she has been convicted.~~

4. Zone coaches shall meet all background screening requirements established by USA Swimming for coaches.

**Action taken:** Approved

**7. Proposal to clarify rule III.F.2. adopted at the 2004 HOD meeting**

III.F.

2. Except for backstroke or individual medley events, which must be observed by a WSI official on deck, times achieved in any Wyoming high school, meet by a swimmer registered with WSI at the time of the swim, may be used to qualify for any meet with time standards established by WSI; provided, however, all times used to qualify for the western zone meet must be achieved at a USA Swimming or USA Swimming observed meet.

Rule IV.H. primarily addresses the time during which WSI Championship Meet qualifying times may be swum. In order to make it consistent with Rule III.F.2 it proposed to make IV.H.2. read as follows:

IV.H.

2. Qualifying times for both summer and winter state championships must have been swum during the period beginning the day following the same meet one year earlier.

Amended to remove Wyoming from III.F.2.

**Action taken:** Approved as amended

**8. Proposal to change Bylaw 607.1.2 and .3 as follows: (2/3 majority required)**

.2 AGE GROUP DIVISION - Age Group Vice-chairman

Adaptive Swimming  
Age Group  
Camps/Clinics  
Meet Sanctions  
Zone Team

.3 SENIOR DIVISION - Senior Vice-chairman

Meet Evaluation  
Meet Management  
Meet Sponsorship  
Officials  
National Times Database  
Program Development  
Safety  
Senior

**Action taken:** Approved

**9. Proposal to clarify that for WSI Championship qualifying times, no altitude adjustment will be allowed**

H. Qualifying Times

1. The Top 16/Records Chairman shall prepare the qualifying times for both championship meets using the results of past championship meets as the guideline. For each event, the qualifying time will be the faster of the 24<sup>th</sup> place time from the previous year or the USA Swimming national "B" motivational time. **Altitude adjusted times will not be accepted.**

Reason: all of our times are computed based on our Winter state and Summer state championship meets, which are already swum at high altitude. Therefore the times are already taking into account swimming at high altitude.

**Action taken:** Approved

**10. Establish a procedure to document split times and relay takeoff times to insure inclusion of those times in the current time reporting system (SWIMS). The procedure shall be established by the Time reporting coordinator, the officials chair, age group chair and the general chair. The draft procedure shall be posted on the Web for**

**implementation for the season with the final version submitted for incorporation into the handbook in November 2008.**

Reason- Within the last year or two we have lost times from split time and leadoff relay swims. This procedure will give the meet director and meet referee guidance on how to document and inform the time reporting chair of the completed swims.

**Action taken:** Approved

**11. Proposal to have swimmers in the 1650, 1500, 500 and 400 at the summer and winter championships provide their own timers and to have the meet information reflect such requirement.**

**Action taken:** Failed

**ITEMS 12A AND 12B and 12C CONCERN THE SAME ISSUE. PLEASE REVIEW AND CONSIDER BOTH ITEMS**

**12A. If at least one but less than 4 swimmers qualify for zones in a given gender/age group, the zone committee may select additional swimmers until there are 4 swimmers in each gender/age group based on objective criteria to be chosen by the zone committee by March 2, 2008 for approval by the board .**

**Action taken:** Approved

**12B. This is proposal to change the Zones qualifying standards for swimmers age 14 and younger.** The Zones meet is an age group meet, however Team Wyoming has consisted mainly of swimmers age 15 – 18 for the past several years. This is a direct result of a change in the qualifying times from AAA only to the lower of AAA or the Western Zones time standards. This had the effect of lowering qualifying times for older swimmers but had little to no impact on the qualifying times for swimmers age 14 and younger. For example, the 2007 Wyoming Zones team consisted of two 10 & U girls, one 10 & U boy, one 11-12 girl, no 11-12 boys, one 13-14 girl and three 13-14 boys. In contrast, there were four 15-16 girls, four 15-16 boys, five 17-18 girls and four 17-18 boys on the team. Due to the low numbers of swimmers, Team Wyoming has been unable to field relays in the younger age groups

2007 Zones qualifiers consisted of two 10 & U girls, one 10 & U boy, one 11-12 girl, one 11-12 boy, one 13-14 girl, three 13-14 boys, seven 15-16 girls, six 15-16 boys, twenty-one 17-18 girls and twenty-six 17-18 boys. Zones is an age group meet with an emphasis on team spirit, camaraderie and sportsmanship. Team Wyoming has been a presence at Zones for the past three years and is no longer overlooked by the “big” teams. Wyoming’s younger swimmers should have a better opportunity to represent out state at Western Zones.

Proposed changes to WSI Rules:

## H. ZONE MEETS

### 1. Qualification

a. Any swimmer age 15 - 18 having achieved a Western Zones Qualifying Time or a National AAA time during the previous winter or summer season in an event swum at the Western Zone Championship Meet shall qualify for the Zone Meet. Any swimmer age 14 or younger having achieved a Western Zones Qualifying Time or a National AAA time during the previous winter or summer season or who has finished in first place at the WSI Summer State Championship Meet immediately preceding the Zones meet in an event swum at the Western Zone Championship Meet shall qualify for the Zone Meet.

b. Each swimmer desiring to compete for Team Wyoming at the Zone meet must complete and submit to the Age Group Chairman the zone team application form found in this handbook.

c. Each swimmer competing at the zone meet must have been registered with WSI for the full year prior to the first day of the zone meet. Each swimmer competing at the zone meet must have been registered with WSI for the full year prior to the first day of the zone meet. Swimmers must have competed in at least four WSI sanctioned meets including the winter and summer state championships during the swim season beginning the September 1 immediately prior to the zone meet. These requirements may be waived by a decision of a committee comprised of the Senior Chair, the Age Group Chair and the Senior Athlete Representative. In the event of a conflict of interest of any member of this committee, the waiver shall be considered, and may be granted by, the Board of Review. Athletes desiring an exemption must make their request in writing addressed to the General Chair. Written denial or approval from the Senior Chair will be furnished to the requesting athlete.

**Action taken: Withdrawn**

**12C. Proposal to alter the selection process for the WSI Zone Team (90% majority required)**

Selection Process For Zone Team

Goal: To create more of a balance in the number of swimmers per age group (i.e. more younger swimmers) and gender, yet still maintain the competitive status of making the Zone Team.

A) Automatic- “AAA” time. Any swimmer who has achieved a National “AAA” time shall automatically be eligible for the team provided that they complete the team registration requirements within the given time period.

Reason- This is a standard that is the same across the board for both older and younger swimmers. There have been more than 50 older swimmers each year with “AAA” times.

B) Consideration

1) Western Zone Time- If there are not already four swimmers in an age group with a “AAA” time that have applied for the team.

2) In the event that there is at least 1 swimmer but not more than 4 swimmers in an age group with a “AAA” or Western Zone Qualifying Time, the Zone committee may attempt to field a relay team in that age group by selecting a swimmer or swimmers (up to 3 as needed) from Summer State Champions to complete the relay team

**Action taken:            Withdrawn**

**13.    Proposal to change rule to require boys and girls 400/500 to be swum separately at state championship meets.**

**Action taken:            Failed**

**PROPOSALS 14A, and 14B CONCERN THE SAME SUBJECT. PLEASE CONSIDER ALL THREE TOGETHER.**

**14A.   Proposal to separate 15-16 from senior group at WSI Championships with the following rule change**

I. Age Classifications:

1. Age classifications for individual events at the winter WSI Championships shall be: 8-under, 10-under, 11-12, 13-14, 15-16, and Senior. Age classifications for individual events at the summer WSI Championships shall be: 8-under, 10-under, 11-12, 13-14, 15-16 and Senior. Age as of the first day of the meet will determine the age group designation for the entire meet. Any swimmer younger than 15 may compete in 15 and over events if they have achieved the qualifying time for these events, but would not score any individual points in the 15-16 or Senior events.

**Action taken:            Failed**

**14B.   Proposal to split 15/16 and 17/18 age groups for summer championships in the same manner as for winter championships**

**Action taken:            Failed**

**All of Proposals numbered 15 concern the LSC Championship events.**

**15A.   Proposal to reinstate the Wyoming Winter State Championship as an “A” championship only. All participants would be required to meet the established Wyoming State qualifying times. Proposal would take effect at the 2008 Wyoming Winter State Championship.**

Reason-Our A qualifying times are a reasonable standard for Wyoming swimmers. Time and facility constraints have continued to be an issue when B State is swum in conjunction with A State. Including B state with A diminishes the overall level of swimming at the LSC Championship.

**Action taken:           Approved**

**15B. For “B” State portion of the Winter State meet it is proposed to swim all of the events combined by age group and by gender.**

Reason – At the last Winter State meet we had numerous events that had 2, 3, 4 swimmers in an event. This proposal would maximize the competition by allowing swimmer the chance to compete against an entire field. It would significantly reduce the time required for completion of the B session. It would also give each swimmer the best chance of winning their heat. This seems to be a very important component for B state swimmers, since the races would be seated by time the field/ competition would be as close as possible giving each swimmer the best chance to win a heat.

**Action taken:           Failed**

**15C. Proposal to have the B championships for winter and summer state on Friday and Saturday.**

**Action taken:           Failed**

**15D. Proposal to have only timed finals on Sunday of the winter and summer championships**

**Action taken:           Failed**

**15E. Proposal to have**

1. All 8 & Under events would be swum on Friday and Saturday.
2. Relays would be held during Finals on Friday and Saturday
3. Change the 200 Free to Friday, the 100 Free to Saturday and the 50 Free to Sunday

Reasoning: Winter State Meet is running very late on Sunday evening. Families are either having to stay an extra day or are driving late into the night to get home. A majority of the B event swimmers also have A qualifying times and are attending the meet for all three days. Relays are time consuming events and should not be run on the last evening of the meet. Often relays are scratched or relay swimmers leave prior to the relays being swum on Sunday evening. “Q” times have been published for the 50 yard distance events for 8 & Under swimmers but those events have not been offered at the Winter State Meet. 50 yard events are routinely offered for 8 & Under swimmers at most Wyoming meets during the season. Since the Winter State Meet is THE event of the season for most Wyoming swimmers including B event and 8 & Under swimmers, all swimmers should have the opportunity to participate during the entire meet.

**Action taken:           Approved as modified**

**15G. Proposal to have relays at the winter and summer championships on Friday and Saturday only**

**Board Recommendation:           Approved as part of 15E**

**15H. Proposal to change Winter State format as follows**

B. Even  
Year

<b>Friday</b>		<b>"A" Events Even year</b>	
Girls	Event	P	Boys
1	8 & Under 100 Free	TF	2
3	10 & Under 100 Free	P	4
5	11-12 100 Free	P	6
7	13-14 100 Free	P	8
9	15 -16 100 Free	P	10
11	Senior 100 Free	P	12
13	8 & Under 25 Breast	TF	14
15	10 & Under 100 Breast	TF	16
17	11-12 100 Breast	TF	18
19	13-14 200 Breast	TF	20
21	15 -16 200 Breast	TF	22
23	Senior 200 Breast	TF	24
25	8 & Under 25 Back	TF	26
27	10 & Under 50 Back	P	28
29	11-12 50 Back	P	30
31	13-14 100 Back	P	32
33	15-16 100 Back	P	34
35	Senior 100 Back	P	36
37	8 & Under 100 Free Relay	TF	38
39	10 & Under 500 Free	TF	40
41	11 & Over 1650 Free	TF	42

<b>Friday</b>		<b>"B" Events Even year</b>	
Girls	Event		
43	8 & Under 100 Free		
45	10 & Under 100 Free		
47	11-12 100 Free		
49	13-14 100 Free		
51	15 -16 100 Free		
53	Senior 100 Free		
55	8 & Under 25 Breast		
57	10 & Under 50 Breast		
59	11-12 50 Breast		
61	13-14 100 Breast		
63	15 -16 100 Breast		
65	Senior 100 Breast		
67	8 & Under 25 Back		
69	10 & Under 50 Back		
71	11-12 50 Back		
73	13-14 100 Back		
75	15-16 100 Back		
77	Senior 100 Back		

<b>Friday Finals</b>		
Girls	Event	Boys
3	10 & Under 100 Free	
5	11-12 100 Free	
7	13-14 100 Free	
9	15 -16 100 Free	
11	Senior 100 Free	
27	10 & Under 50 Back	
29	11-12 50 Back	
31	13-14 100 Back	
33	15-16 100 Back	
35	Senior 100 Back	
79	11-12 200 Free Relay	
81	13-14 200 Free Relay	
83	15-16 400 Free Relay	

**Saturday "A" Events Even Year**

Girls	Event		Boys
87	8 & Under 25 Free	TF	88
89	10 & Under 50 Free	P	90
91	11-12 50 Free	P	92
93	13-14 50 Free	P	94
95	15-16 50 Free	P	96
97	Senior 50 Free	P	98
99	8 & Under 25 Fly	TF	100
101	10 & Under 100 Fly	TF	102
103	11-12 100 Fly	TF	104
105	13-14 200 Fly	TF	106
107	15 -16 200 Fly	TF	108
109	Senior 200 Fly	TF	110
111	8 & Under 50 Free	TF	112
113	10 & Under 50 Breast	P	114
115	11-12 50 Breast	P	116
117	13-14 100 Breast	P	118
119	15 -16 100 Breast	P	120
121	Senior 100 Breast	P	122
123	8 & Under 100 IM	TF	124
125	10 & Under 100 IM	TF	126
127	11-12 100 IM	TF	128
129	13-14 200 IM	TF	130
131	15 -16 200 IM	TF	132
133	Senior 200 IM	TF	134
135	8 & U 100 Med Relay	TF	136
137	11 & Over 500 Free	TF	138

**Saturday "B" Events Even Year**

Girls	Event	Boys
139	8 & Under 25 Free	140
141	10 & Under 50 Free	142
143	11-12 50 Free	144
145	13-14 50 Free	146
147	15-16 50 Free	148
149	Senior 50 Free	150
151	8 & Under 25 Fly	152
153	10 & Under 50 Fly	154
155	11-12 50 Fly	156
157	13-14 100 Fly	158
159	15 -16 100 Fly	160
161	Senior 100 Fly	162
163	8 & Under 100 IM	164
165	10 & Under 100 IM	166
167	11-12 100 IM	168
169	13-14 200 IM	170
171	15 -16 200 IM	172
173	Senior 200 IM	174

**Saturday Finals**

Girls	Event	Boys
89	10 & Under 50 Free	90
91	11-12 50 Free	92
93	13-14 50 Free	94
95	15-16 50 Free	96
97	Senior 50 Free	98
113	10 & Under 50 Breast	114
115	11-12 50 Breast	116
117	13-14 100 Breast	118
119	15 -16 100 Breast	120
121	Senior 100 Breast	122
175	10 & U 200 Medley Relay	176
177	11-12 200 Medley Relay	178
179	13-14 200 Medley Relay	180
181	15 & Over 400 Med. Relay	182

**Sunday "A" Events Even Year**

Girls	Event		Boys
183	10 & Under 200 Free	TF	184
185	11-12 200 Free	TF	186
187	13-14 200 Free	TF	188
189	15-16 200 Free	TF	190
191	Senior 200 Free	TF	192
193	10 & Under 50 Fly	TF	194
195	11-12 50 Fly	TF	196
197	13-14 100 Fly	TF	198
199	15 -16 100 Fly	TF	200
201	Senior 100 Fly	TF	202
203	10 & Under 100 Back	TF	204
205	11-12 100 Back	TF	206
207	13-14 200 Back	TF	208
209	15 -16 200 Back	TF	210
211	Senior 200 Back	TF	212
213	10 & Under 200 IM	TF	214
215	11-12 200 IM	TF	216
217	13-14 400 IM	TF	218
219	15-16 400 IM	TF	220
221	Senior 400 IM	TF	222

**Odd Year****Friday "A" Events Odd Year**

Girls	Event	P	Boys
1	8 & Under 100 Free	TF	2
3	10 & Under 100 Free	P	4
5	11-12 100 Free	P	6
7	13-14 100 Free	P	8
9	15 -16 100 Free	P	10
11	Senior 100 Free	P	12
13	8 & Under 25 Breast	TF	14
15	10 & Under 100 Breast	TF	16
17	11-12 100 Breast	TF	18
19	13-14 200 Breast	TF	20
21	15 -16 200 Breast	TF	22
23	Senior 200 Breast	TF	24
25	8 & Under 25 Fly	TF	26

**Friday "B" Events Odd Year**

Girls	Event	Boys
43	8 & Under 100 Free	44
45	10 & Under 100 Free	46
47	11-12 100 Free	48
49	13-14 100 Free	50
51	15 -16 100 Free	52
53	Senior 100 Free	54
55	8 & Under 25 Breast	56
57	10 & Under 50 Breast	58
59	11-1200 Breast	60
61	13-14 100 Breast	62
63	15 -16 100 Breast	64
65	Senior 100 Breast	66
67	8 & Under 25 Fly	68

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35	Senior 100 Fly	P	36
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69	10 & Under 50 Fly	70
71	11-12 50 Fly	72
73	13-14 100 Fly	74
75	15-16 100 Fly	76
77	Senior 100 Fly	78

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99	10 & Under 100 Fly	TF	100
101	11-12 100 Fly	TF	102
103	13-14 200 Fly	TF	104
105	15 -16 200 Fly	TF	106
107	Senior 200 Fly	TF	108
109	8 & Under 50 Free	TF	110
111	8 & Under 25 Back	TF	112

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141	10 & Under 50 Free	142
143	11-12 50 Free	144
145	13-14 50 Free	146
147	15-16 50 Free	148
149	Senior 50 Free	150
151	8 & Under 25 Back	152
153	10 & Under 50 Back	154
155	11-12 50 Back	156
157	13-14 100 Back	158
159	15 -16 100 Back	160
161	Senior 100 Back	162
163	8 & Under 100 IM	164
165	10 & Under 100 IM	166

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119	15 -16 100 Back	P	120
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181	15 & Over 400 Med. Relay	182

### Sunday "A" Events Odd Year

Girls	Event		Boys
183	10 & Under 200 Free	TF	184
185	11-12 200 Free	TF	186
187	13-14 200 Free	TF	188
189	15-16 200 Free	TF	190
191	Senior 200 Free	TF	192
193	10 & Under 50 Breast	TF	194
195	11-12 50 Breast	TF	196
197	13-14 100 Breast	TF	198
199	15 -16 100 Breast	TF	200
201	Senior 100 Breast	TF	202
203	10 & Under 100 Back	TF	204
205	11-12 100 Back	TF	206
207	13-14 200 Back	TF	208
209	15 -16 200 Back	TF	210

211	Senior 200 Back	TF	212
213	10 & Under 200 IM	TF	214
215	11-12 200 IM	TF	216
217	13-14 400 IM	TF	218
219	15-16 400 IM	TF	220
221	Senior 400 IM	TF	222

X.1 Events not swum at finals will rotate every other year. Friday will alternate between back and fly, Saturday will alternate between breast and back and Sunday will alternate between breast and back.

Above format changes to winter state are:

1. B state swimmers and 8 and unders swim only Friday and Saturday.
2. Sunday events will be timed finals only and the events will rotate depending on even and odd years.
3. Relays will be swum only on Friday and Saturday during finals.

Reason: Make Sunday more travel friendly for parents and allow the top team awards to be given out in a timely manner, making it more exciting. We had originally thought that having B swimmers not compete on Friday would decrease the number of kids out of school, but after looking at the roster of swimmers competing at Winter State 2007, this is not true.

Winter State March 2007 - 492 Total swimmers:

- 252 Swimmers with A only swims
- 69 Swimmers with B only swims
- 171 Swimmers with A&B swims
- 25 Swimmers with A only swims with an obvious sibling present
- 44 Swimmers with B only swims with no obvious sibling present

**Action taken: Failed**

**16. Direct WSI to have a time trial session after the conclusion of finals each day of the winter and Summer State meets. Time trials for events over 200 yards/meters will be held on Sunday only.**

**II. WYOMING SWIMMING, INC. CHAMPIONSHIP MEETS**

A. Time Trials

WSI has sanctioned time trials for all state championship meets. ~~These may be held at the discretion of the meet director.~~ A time trail shall be conducted after the conclusion of the finals each day of the winter and summer LSC Championship meets. The time trails shall be swum from shortest to longest events, i.e. 25's first, 50's second, 100's third etc. Time trials for events over 200 yards/meters will be held on Sunday only. The time trials shall be combined with all age groups and gender swimming in the same heats for the given length. Seeding for lane assignment shall be random and lanes assigned by the deck referee. Different stroke types for the given lengths shall be swum simultaneously, room permitting, with one lane between the swimmers using different strokes. A referee other than the Championship Meet Referee shall be delegated as the referee for the time trail.

Reason – Several years ago I (Chuck Schmitt) proposed the change to sanction time trails at the state championship meets. The spirit of change was to have time trail and if time permitted, thus the statement held at the discretion of the meet director. I believe the ruling is being interpreted differently then the spirit of the changes was submitted and thus time trails are not being allowed. By accepting this change to the handbook, swimmers would be afforded the opportunity to swim a time trail to qualify for a higher level meet (sectionals, zones) especially if circumstances did not allow them to swim to their top performance during the state meet (sickness, DQ, etc). We have in the past tried to offer meets

**Action taken:           Approved as modified**

**17. Proposal to have WSI hire a part-time sports/club consultant to assist in the development of swimming in Wyoming.** There is a lot of information associated with this proposal and is currently being summarized to help explain this proposal.

**Action taken: Tabled**

**18. Shallow water starts.** Many parents were very upset that shallow water starts off the bulkhead were allowed at Winter State in Riverton. This certainly came about because one of our past swimmers is now a paraplegic due to an accident at a swim clinic that had allowed shallow water starts and unfortunately broke her neck from hitting the bottom of the pool. Although this issue was discussed no motion for action was made.

11) Adjourn 12:30 p.m.