CIAC BOYS SWIM COMMITTEE MINUTES
September 11, 2017

Present: John O’Connor, Tom Moore, Suzi Hoyt, John McClure, Mike Huffman, Chris Zagorski, Craig Semple, Bob Lehr

Members were introduced

John O’Connor reviewed the 2017 class and open swim competitions. All went well at all of the meets with no significant incidents or issues reported. It was suggested that each divisional tournament director submit a brief report after their respective events conclude.

Sites were discussed – Bob will contact Jill Piedescaulo and Ed Steinagle to see if the use of East Hartford High School’s pool could be arranged. As of this date, EHHS does not have a boys’ swim coach, and Jill is reluctant to permit the use of the EHHS pool if she does not have a head coach capable of serving as a site director for our qualifying meets.

Shortening the length of the season by one week (at the end of the season) – After considerable discussion, it was decided to poll each school to determine whether or not the majority of schools wanted to retain the current dates or curtail the 2018-19 season by one week. Bob will survey the athletic directors at the annual CAAD conference, and he will notify schools prior to that conference so that the athletic directors can confer with their head coaches and their school principals.

Motion by Diane Callis – second by Suzi Hoyt – To be included in packet, “Individuals wishing to record a diver in a CIAC diving championship must gain permission from his/her respective athletic director. If that athletic director grants that permission, then the athletic director will contact the site director of the meet for final permission.” Motion passed

The packet was thoroughly reviewed and the qualifying times were adjusted. Mike Huffman and John O’Connor provided the data needed to determine those adjusted times. Motion by Chris Zagorski and seconded by Mike Huffman to accept the adjusted times. Motion passed.

Motion by John McClure and seconded by John O’Connor to add this to Article 10.9 – Diving alternates will only be utilized when there are fewer than 24 divers.

Chris Burns provided a suggested time table for voluntary dives. Motion to accept that schedule by Suzi Hoyt and seconded by Chris Zagorski. Motion passed. The schedule will be included in the packet.

Meeting adjourned at 5:04 p.m.