HAMPSHIRE COUNTY ASA MANAGEMENT MEETING MINUTES Wednesday 9th March 2022

Present:

Graham Cawte (CC) Chairperson
Jan Mattinson (JM) Secretary
Peter Harris (PH) Treasurer

Graham Stanley (GS) County Welfare Officer

George Adamson (GA) Officials
James McTavish (JMT) Masters

Susan Dewar (SD) Viv Firmin (VF) John Tripp (JT)

1. Apologies

Kristie Jarrett, Mike Lambert, Jenny Ball, Pauline Hogg, Madeline Campbell, Lynne Harrison, Emma Adams

2. Previous Minutes

2nd December 2021 - Accepted as a true record

3. South East Regional update

Changes are proposed to Region which will be discussed at the meeting on Monday. Swim England are working on where Counties fit in the national structure.

- 4. Executive Decisions NTR
- 5. **Decisions by e-mail** NTR
- 6. **Correspondence** NTR

7. Finance

Data is missing from the County Championships so no report can be given.

Five Clubs still to pay and no invoices received.

Money had been received from Clubs but £8k had been paid out in returned subscriptions.

Overall the County had a £5k loss overall but still had £60k in reserves.

8. County Welfare Officer

The meeting was informed that Lynne Harrison had been shadowing and will be taking over after the ACM.

9. Discipline Reports

Swimming & Open Water
 County Championships had been a fantastic well attended event.

Diving

12 divers successfully completed their level 1 divers coaching course, and many have already begun coaching classes.

Beginning of February, a team of 8 divers competed at the Senior British Diving Cup in Plymouth. A fantastic opportunity to compete against the best in GB at senior level.

- Ollie Cazaly Junior Boys Bronze 3m
- o Leon Baker Junior Boys Silver 3m
- Maya Kutty Junior synchro 3m– Silver
- Tilly Brown Junior synchro 3m Bronze
- Leon Baker Junior boys 1m Gold
- o Leon Baker Junior boys 3m synchro Gold and Bronze in the men's event!
- As well as a number of Ex SDA now at other clubs due to university study also being on the podium!

A team of 16 divers competed at the Armada Cup in Plymouth mid Feb – Great comp and so lovely to have an SDA chaperoned trip running again – as if Covid never existed!! Lots of finals and medals won.

SDA hosted the Gavin Brown Love to Dive competition for beginner divers from around the country on Sun 20th of Feb – a great success – again lovely for so many to be involved.

Tom Daley visited the Quay on Tues 11 th of Feb as part of his cycle challenge for Comic Relief. He was welcomed by lots of fans!!

5 divers were potentially to be chosen to represent GB at the upcoming Dresden International in April – Sadly due the Ukrainian Crisis this comp has now been cancelled.

We are currently planning for a trip to Bergen in April for 18 divers to compete at the Bergen Open.

Cammeron Gammage – now studying in his 1st Year at Michigan University USA has just made his Commonwealth points on the 1m to potentially compete for Scotland – fingers crossed it's enough to secure him a place

We have 9 divers travelling to Leeds at the end of March to compete in the G Star competition.

- Artistic Swimming
- Water Polo
- Masters Swimming

3 events had been held – Long Course at Crawley, RN Meet (which had over run by 2 hours) and the Welsh Nationals.

Hampshire Masters will be held on 25th June, hopefully at Winchester. Nationals will be in Aberdeen so doubt many will attend from the County.

- Disability Swimming NTR
- Officials

Officials training is going to be reviewed by Swim England, and now restrictions have all lifted training has restarted and so has poolside mentoring.

Timekeeping is not a standalone qualification which can be used at any competition, other than Swim Meets of Level 4 or "**not** Licensed" events.

There have been 56 registrations for the new judging course. Clubs are asked to encourage members to become J1's using the online course.

Unless candidates under the <u>old</u> J1 course have completed and been registered by 31 March, they will have to start from scratch on NEW online J1 course.

10. Any Other Business

- a. Annual Council Meeting It was agreed that the ACM will be held on Thursday 21st April by Zoom
- b. Swim Meet software This was first discussed a few years ago but nothing came of it. The software is used by officials and volunteers to sign up for meets and would streamline the process.
 - It was agreed to poll Clubs to see if any are using meet software. JT agreed to cover speed swimming clubs.
- c. Website A webmaster is needed. JMT had previously volunteered so will contact ML.
- d. FINA Update GA reported no changes to FINA rules.

 Technical Committee will meet in August so any changes maybe out in October.
- e. It was agreed to give a donation of £200 to help with Ukrainian refugees.

11. Date and Time of next Meeting

To be set after the ACM