



RICHMOND KIGOOS SWIM CLUB

Directors Planning Meeting – Meeting Notes

June 16, 2014

IN ATTENDANCE: Andre, Nishi, Danna Batara, Craig Nistor,, Bruce Sifton, Joanne Rooney, Zoe Lee, Renata Hyrman, Rosemary Nickerson, Paul Thom, Chris Kennedy, Chandra Pham, Nancy Lemaire , Claudia Lee, Sonja Dong, Ruby Labao, Lisa Cowell, Colleen Lee

1. Call to Order
2. Minutes from last meeting
 - Approved as shared via email
3. Old Business
 - None
4. New Business
 - Aquatics Update
 - Aquatic centre will be from about 38,000 to 68,000 sq feet
 - There will be 1.5 x the water space with the new pool complex
 - Will be a multi-use facility to meet growing downtown core
 - Will have multi-use water space –teaching, lanes, therapy etc.
 - Larger fitness centre, changing rooms etc.
 - Same architects as those who did Hillcrest Pool in Vancouver
 - Will be open in 2017
 - Regional Update
 - None at this time
 - Treasurer Report
 - Revenue was about \$12,000 for the Icebreaker Meet this year
 - We should net about \$7,000 profit – up from about \$3,000 last year



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- Head Coach Report
 - Season start has been good so far
 - Dealt with some minor changing room incidents
 - Icebreaker – very good start to the season
 - B4 – was frustrating with last minute changing and relay cancelations
 - Will be charging no-shows starting from this point forward
 - First JD Meet this week
 - Discussion on relays, new family orientation, sign-up procedures, earlier posting of lists at the pool
 - We are going to Salt Spring with seniors and siblings – with parents or someone who is responsible for the swimmer
- Ice Breaker Review
 - Excellent overall feedback on the meet
 - Reviewed online feedback – discussed concerns around computer glitches, cheers, wearing volunteer shirts
 - Positive discussion around how the meet turned out
 - Needed to have more parents help at the end of the meet also could have some seniors more involved
 - Won't put out for timers in advance next year
 - Excellent food services this year and Food for Officials went very well
 - Will report results next year based on times people swim – as A or B
 - Look to turn 6 and Under to a Development to also include Division 1's
 - Focus more on the "time trial" nature of the event
- Social
 - Pub Night – have sold about 200 tickets – can sell up to 300
 - Have about 30 prizes available so far
 - Still looking for more prizes if people have connections
- Salmon Festival Parade
 - Will use the same trailer as last year
 - Need to send out a Notifier to help coordinate this event
- Fund Development
 - Application is pending for Ministry funding



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- A couple of donations of cash – still getting the word out about this
- Need to help explain where the money goes for funds
- Still an opportunity to connect to alumni in the community

- Website
 - Trying to run a beta test for online tracking of hours in July

- Provincials in Kamloops
 - Block of rooms closed last weekend

- Next Meeting
 - Week of July 16th

Adjournment