

## HEARTLAND ZONE MEETING

The Heartland Zone met on October 22, 1988 in St. Louis. The Meeting was called to order at 8:40 by Chairperson Pat Maley. The members of various LMSCs introduced themselves and thier LMSC.

The treasurer's report was given. We have approximately \$1,950.00 from the postal Zone Championship. Long course championship patches still have to be sent. There was motion to accept the treasurer's report as given. It was seconded and carried unanimously.

A discussion was next held concerning the postal Zone Championships. So far we have had 4 Zone postal meets. It was felt by all present that Heartland Zone is now ready to do an actual Zone Championship meet. It was moved seconded and carried that we continue the short course zone postal championship through 1989. The motion carried unanimously. The next motion made and seconded was to have a short course zone meet in mid-November, 1990, to be bid competitively, and bids received were to be discussed and awarded at convention. This was carried unanimously. It was moved and seconded that bids be taken for a long course zone championship to be held in June, July, or August, 1990 according the same process for short course. This motion carried unanimously. It was moved and seconded that the bids for 1990 be awarded and announced at the Portland convention. We will adopt the South Central Zone form for our use. This motion was carried unanimously. It was moved and seconded to keep the Zone treasury going until the Zone meets are established with a \$1.00 surcharge per swimmer. This carried unanimously.

The chair announced that instead of have a long course postal championship that 2 meets would be the Zone championship. These are the meet at Lakeside swim club in Kentucky and a meet hosted by the Wisconsin masters.

The patches for Zone champions are in short supply. They have been reordered and will be sent when they are received.

The chair would like to have input from the LMSCs for the newsletter. She would like to have meet schedules before November 1 for publication.

The chair announced that a team has been established in West Virginia. Pat is the contact person for this team right now.

The chair expressed concern about the registering of swimmers for meets. She stated that the Zone Committee was very concerned about swimmers not being registered and this could create problems now that we are self insured.

It was moved, seconded and carried that Pat could use Zone funds to purchase 1 copy of the Austrailia results. These will be copied by Bill Tingley and distributed to the LMSCs.

It was announced that legislation has formed a sub-committee on mega teams. This was done to prevent us from going off half cocked.

National elections are being held next year. It was announced that if you had someone in mind to get their names in to Edie Grunder before February 28.

The meeting was adjourned at 10:00.

Respectfully submitted,

Chairperson

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OCTOBER 19-23, 1988  
ST. LOUIS, MISSOURI

COMMITTEE Heartland Zone

CHAIRMAN Mary Pat Malley RECORDER \_\_\_\_\_

VOTING MEMBERS PRESENT:

Pat Malley - OHIO  
Joanne ~~by~~ Tingley KY  
Jan ~~by~~ ~~by~~  
Cynthia Jones

Bar Ferguson  
Marilyn Early - Mich  
JOAN DIERCK - INDIANA

NON-VOTING MEMBERS. VOICE AT OPTION OF THE CHAIR.

Dorothy Methner - Kentucky  
Lail Dummer - Michigan  
Pat Angstock - Central  
Russ Lyman - Central  
Betty Bennett - Central  
Betty Colburn Indiana  
JOAN DIERCK INDIANA  
LAURA - O'Shaughnessy - OHIO  
Dennis Hamilton Ky.  
~~Marilyn Early~~

Jennifer Parks - Mich.  
MEL GOLDSTEIN

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