

SWIM MAGAZINE EDITORIAL BOARD  
SEPTEMBER 23, 1993, 3PM

The SWIM Magazine Editorial Board was convened by Co-editor Suzanne Rague, who introduced Co-editors Tom Lyndon and Nancy Ridout and proposed a revolving chairmanship among them for the meeting agenda. Suzanne then introduced Karen and Dick Deal and Phil Whitten (of SWIM) and explained the allocation of the 13 USMS pages in SWIM.

The first agenda item was a review of the past six issues and some of the items we carry in specific issues: entry forms for 3 National Championships (SC, LC, 1 Hour Postal), 2 Fitness entries, and limited Championship Meet results. A discussion ensued concerning the printing of the Nationals information booklet in SWIM. The consensus was that the magazine seems to improve with every issue. The swimmers at home are very pleased with the product. Some of the topics attendants liked were those on were swimming technique, workouts and training tips, local news items and personalities. A packet for Fitness Clinics is planned for LMSC's to promote Masters and educate fitness swimmers. It will be available through the National Office.

Our next item of business was planning our USMS pages for the next 6 issues and chaired by Nancy Ridout. Many suggestions were offered. The Fitness Committee will try to contribute fitness-oriented articles regularly. Other committee chairmen will continue to be called upon to offer articles within their expertise. The value of a President's and Executive Secretary's column in each issue was discussed and it was proposed that this space could also be used to explain our decision-making processes to our members, such as how a rule is adopted, why we have certain policies and procedures.

Phil Whitten, the Editor of SWIM, reported steady improvement in the relationship between USMS and SWIM and that the SWIM editors are out to proselytize about swimming. Phil mentioned a variety of future topics relating to travel, vacation and training.

Tom Lyndon concluded the agenda with a discussion of the operation of SWIM, his views on USMS options and articles outside the field of horizontal swimming. Dick Deal responded that SWIM tries to be balanced and weigh the needs of all prospective readers and subscribers.

The meeting was adjourned at 4:30pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Tom Lyndon, Suzanne Rague, Nancy Ridout, Co-editors

UNITED STATES MASTERS SWIMMING CONVENTION

COMMITTEE ATTENDANCE

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COMMITTEE Swim Mag CHAIRMAN Suk. NR, TL

| NAME              | LMSC               | VOTING        |
|-------------------|--------------------|---------------|
| Nancy Ribout      | Pacific            | Yes           |
| Suzanne RAQUE     | Oregon             |               |
| Steve Hogan       | Potomac Valley     | No            |
| Betsy Owens       | Waukegan           | No            |
| Barbara H. Larsen | Indiana            | No            |
| Peg Buchanan      | Colorado           | No            |
| GENE DONNER       | NIAGARA            | No            |
| ANNA LEA ROOF     | MISSOURI VALLEY    | No            |
| RICHARD BURNS     | PACIFIC            | No            |
| Phyllis Gull      | PNA                | No            |
| RUTH WINN         | PACIFIC            | No            |
| Walt Reid         | PNA                | No            |
| Debbie Morrin     | Potomac Valley     | <del>NO</del> |
| DAVID LAMOTT      | SAN DIEGO-IMPERIAL | NO            |
| Scott RABALAIS    | SOUTHERN           | No            |
| DORE SCHWARZ JR   | PACIFIC            | No            |
| Todd Samland      | Midwestern         | No            |
| Leslie Ronacher   | Gulf               | No            |
| ERIC GUEST        | OMS                | No            |
| Jim Wheeler       | PACIFIC            | NO            |
| TOM LYNDON        | NEW ENGLAND        | ✓             |
| Dorothy Dannelly  | Nat'l Office       |               |
| MICHAEL COLLINS   | PMS                | NOPE          |
| Mark Clark        | North Texas        | No -          |
| Karen Deal        | SWIM MAG           | No            |
| EMMETT HINES      | GULF               | NO            |
| Phil Whitten      | N. Eng.            | Yes           |
| GERRY RODRIGUES   | SPMA               | YES           |

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RICHARD DEAL

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