

Minutes From the Swim Team Parents Meeting

Tues. Nov. 10th 2009



- All in attendance signed in.
- Re-order for swimsuits and spiritwear were placed.
- Fundraising was discussed:
- Erie coupon books are available for you to pick up at the County Y desk. The books contain coupons for Erie and surrounding areas for restaurants, entertainment, and other businesses. The books sell for \$20 and the swim team gets \$8 for every book sold. You can sign out up to 5 books and deliver the money after they are sold. Each family is asked to buy/sell at least one book.
- We will have a swim-a-thon in January to raise money also. Dates and more info will follow soon. We would like to see each child raise a minimum of \$25.
- A family/community pool party is also being planned. Swim team friends and family will be able to come to an open swim for \$2 per person. Date to be announced.
- Swim practice will resume at McComb field house at EUP starting Mon. Nov 16th from 6pm-7pm.
- A wish list of things the swim team needs was also discussed. We are in need of new flippers. A total of 30 pairs is needed. We will buy ten pairs now, and buy more later so as not to deplete funds on one item.
- A new storage shed is needed immediately for equipment used at the pool. The cost is \$300.
- Blue Dolphins will be hosting championships next winter. Feb. 12th 2011 is the tentative date. A volunteer is needed to call area pools for rental cost/availability. Allegany College, Penn State Behrend, and West Minister colleges are some possibilities. The Pool at McComb cannot be used as it does not meet YMCA requirements.
- We will also need to form committees to help with T-shirt design, orders forms etc, and also to help with ordering medals, ribbons, trophies, and plaques for championships.
- This year's championships are being held in Clarion, Pa. on Feb. 13th 2010. Older swimmers have to arrive by 6:00 am. If you wish to spend the night, make hotel reservations soon, as they fill up quickly.
- We have a new assistant swim coach. Kathleen Iszkula will split the assistant coach position for the winter.
- The next parent meeting is Dec. 7th at McComb. Please check web site often for changes in the practice schedule.