



**Minutes of Swimming Committee**

**6<sup>th</sup> May 2021**

**BY ZOOM 7.30pm**

**19/1**

**Attendees:** Gillian Neal, Karin Vazirani, Flo Barnes, Brian Kapp, Sofia Marcal Whittles, Leah Pullen, Jeanette Edmiston, Pam Crofts, Wayne Hirst, and part of the call: Gerry Gillespie (joined late after training).

Gerry Gillespie will be late joining as he is coaching

**Apologies:** Bob Bloomfield

Ref	Note	Action
<b>19/2</b>	<p><b>Minutes of the last meeting</b></p> <p>a) The last meeting was some time ago and the minutes are accepted.</p> <p>b) This meeting was called primarily in response to the SE note about providing a Festival of Swimming to encourage competitive swimming to return. The County wished to discuss whether we can hold a meet in mid July.</p>	
<b>19/3</b>	<p><b>Festival of Swimming meet</b></p> <p>a) The purpose of the meeting was to discuss the SE call for a return to competition and whether a meet was feasible and desired in mid July.</p> <p>b) JE began by outlining what London Region are proposing (a survey document has recently been issued to all clubs). Following this a discussion was opened on whether the county could run a similar meet and whether it would be supported by the clubs.</p> <p>c) It was decided that the proposed meet:</p> <p>a. Would take place over one weekend on 17/18 July</p> <p>b. Could be run at three pools depending on availability (Northolt, Barnet and Enfield)</p> <p>c. Could use afternoon and evenings so that the public still had access in the mornings</p> <p>d. Would be a level 3 meet, but would try and include fun events and relays</p> <p>e. Would focus on the younger swimmers (as the LR event would attract older swimmers)</p> <p>f. That the County would canvass all clubs to see if they would support our proposals (following on from the feedback that GG had obtained already)</p> <p>g. That the County would canvass all club officials to see if they would support this meet</p>	<p>LP</p> <p>JE</p> <p>JE</p>
<b>19/4</b>	The next meeting will be by Zoom on Wednesday 12 <sup>th</sup> May at 7.30pm to follow up on the proposals.	

Jeanette Edmiston, Secretary

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