

MINUTES

of **Technical Group** held on Tuesday 18 April, 2006 at 7.30pm at Sports House, Harbour Sport, Stadium Drive, Albany

Present: Rowan Campey, Ralph Lumsden, Jim Goodwin and Philippa Bouzaid

Apologies: Leigh Johns, Thomas Mann

1. Matters arising from previous Minutes:

Referees' Booklet and Updated Laminated Rules Cards:

Updated Rule cards have been received and will be laminated ready for May seminar. Referee's booklet will be forwarded to office to enable printing to be completed by May seminar.

DQ Specification Card:

To be reviewed at next meeting.

Old Starters Stand:

To be reviewed at next meeting.

Officials Logbook:

Philippa advised that this is now being printed and will be available to hand out in May.

2. General Business:

SwimFun Carnival:

Philippa advised the meeting that Geoff Sibun and Ernie Foy will run this carnival with Tonia and Philippa co-ordinating and managing the event on the days allocated.

Auckland Centenary:

Philippa outlined briefly the programme and Jim Goodwin raised the question with regard to contacting previous officials. After discussion, it was agreed that notices be put in the community newspapers and enquire whether Murray Deaker could make some announcements via his radio and TV show.

Auckland Officials Uniform:

Rowan Campey requested Philippa to contact Sandra Holden with regard to the SNZ Officials T Shirts that were supplied at Commonwealth Trials. A notice is to be put in the newsletter and on the website regarding the selling of old stock.

Clubs' supply of Officials Policy:

There has been some discussion over the previous months with regard to the 'Offical's Policy" for swim meets. It has been noted that at a few of the swim meets during the year there were officials on pool deck with no affiliation to the club running the meet and / or swimmers in the water. This Policy will be reviewed later in the season.

Inter-zone Meet:

Recommendation to EMG and CSG to look at holding an inter-zone meet during the year.

The meeting closed at 8.45 pm Next meeting Tuesday 13 June, 2006.