

MINUTES

of **Competitive Swim Group** held on Monday 3 April, 2006 at 10.00am at Sports House, Harbour Sport, Stadium Drive, Albany

Present: Gwen Ryan, Dan Feisst, Mihai Mandache,

Glen Hamblyn, Paul Kent and Philippa Bouzaid

Apologies: Norma Williams

Matters Arising from previous minutes

SwimFun:

Gwen reminded coaches of their commitment to attend one of the SwimFun days. Once meet has been run, CSG to look at how we can incorporate further participation from schools.

Inward Correspondence:

SNZ - Regional Assessment Days

General Business:

Automated Update System:

Paul suggested that we look at a way of the calendar being automatically updated to coaches files when any changes are made. Paul to investigate and liaise with Philippa.

National Meets – Pools:

CSG discussed the situation with running national meets at some of the nominated pools around the country. The following outcomes:

Kilbernie: Youth & Opens - Pool depth too shallow

Waterflow from jets is still posing problems for all swimmers Touch pads at both ends should be required at national events

Taupo: Division 2 Competition – now that this event is being run

together, problems arose with seating and the venue being far

too small to accommodate this sort of event.

NZ Juniors: Pools that have been nominated to run this event are well

equipped to do so as long as this event stays regional.

Auckland Relay Teams:

CSG to write a policy with regard to the selection of Auckland swimmers for Regional Relay teams.

<u>Auckland Teams:</u>

CSG is going to explore the idea of having a representative Auckland Team over the course of 2006.

Regional Assessment Days:

Gwen advised the members of SNZ's recommendation that regions take up the 3 training camps under the RADs. After much discussion it was unanimously agreed that Swimming Auckland run the 3 camps as suggested by SNZ. Philippa to enquire with regard to availability of venues and all coaches will be given the opportunity to apply for the Head Coach position as well as Assistant Coaches.

The meeting closed at 11.45am

Next meeting Monday 8 May – Quarterly Report and Development Camps