

## **JH Stingrays Board of Directors**

June 30, 2024 4:00 p.m. via Zoom

1. Roll call: Dessa Reimer, Molly Frobouck, Samantha Hannon, Jen Givens, Scott Eastman, Ricardo Villanueva Ordonez and Tracy Haling all participated by Zoom.
2. Minutes from the June 2, 2024 meeting were approved.
3. Officer Reports: None.
4. Old Business
  - a. Missoula swim meet: Tracy reported that two coaches, Connor McGinnis and Sam Hannon, attended the meet along with 16 swimmers. There were two first time state qualifiers: Ellie Baker and Polina Salmina. Congratulations to those swimmers!
5. New Business
  - a. Upcoming meets
    - i. Summer State: Tracy reported that 27 qualified swimmers will attend the WYSI state meet in Ft. Collins along with three coaches: Craig Robrock, Connor McGinnis and Sam Hannon.
    - ii. Fall/Winter meet lineup – tabled until July to finalize.
  - b. Fall session and beyond –
    - i. Current status of Rec Center decision: On June 25, Dessa met with Emmett Shaul and John Beye from the Rec Center and the decision that came from Rec Center management is that the Stingrays have 8 lanes from September 1 to March 15 then no spring or summer program, no morning lanes and no coaches could be on deck if swimmers paid to access the pool. Board members met with the county commissioners to lobby support for the Stingrays given this completely unexpected and non-negotiable decision that was handed down. The board believes some pressure may have been put on the Rec Center to come up with a work around, as Dessa received an email from Steve on June 30<sup>th</sup> asking for a meeting to discuss scheduling. Update 7/2: Dessa conferenced with Steve and the decision to cut the spring and summer programs was walked back. When Rachael Zimmerman and Emmett Shaul return from time off, Dessa will meet with them to finalize a schedule and hopefully negotiate morning lanes.
    - ii. Dessa requested that Tracy build this next year's program in Active and have available for registration starting around the first of August.
    - iii. Fees and coaching on hold until we set a schedule.

- c. Adding Team Snap – current considerations: Sam reported that Moose Hockey and Soccer will be moving away from Team Snap to a different platform. There was discussion that whatever platform is chosen that it would help with communication between coaches and team members.
  - d. Fall in the Hole Status: Tracy reported that the meet announcement has been resubmitted for approval.
  - e. Consideration for changing LSC – any updates: This is a topic for ongoing discussion and the item will continue to remain on the agenda for future consideration.
6. Next meeting -- August 4, 2024, 4:00 pm