

MSOA Executive Board

Brunswick, ME

November 18, 2012

- I. In attendance: Chris Branch, Amanda Branch, Tom Riker, Jerry Crouter, Sandy Labelle, Sandy Zimmerman, Mike Chambers, Duffy Akerley.
- II. The minutes of the September meeting was approved as revised.
- III. Old Business
 - A. Chris discussed the differences between NFHS and US rules and the observed swim protocol as approved by MPA. For observed swims, the coach must make a request for observed swims to the Maine Swimming national times person and provide notice to the meet director. Chris will prepare an observed swim policy to provide to Maine Swimming, and will discuss this at the clinics. Observed swims can occur only at conference/regional and state championships unless authorization in writing is provided by US Swim national.
 - B. There was a discussion of updating for the website.
 - C. The Board discussed the clinics, which were generally well received by the membership.
- IV. New Business
 - A. Sandy will send thank-you contributions to the UMaine swim team and the Portland Y.

The next meeting will be held at the Waterville Boys/Girls Club on January 20, 2013 at 9:30.

The meeting was adjourned.

