

Committee Name: Coaches	Session #:	Report #:
Committee Chair: Scott Bay	Vice Chair: Cokie Lepinski	
Minutes recorded by: Bob Jennings	Date/time of meeting: September 2, 2015	

Motions Passed:

Number of committee members present: 12	Absent: 6	Number of other delegates present:
<p>Committee members present (list all, including chair and vice chair): Chair: Scott Bay (Dixie), Vice Chair: Cokie Lepinski (Oceana), Ex-Officio: Bill Brenner, Assoc: Jim Miller, Ex E.C. Jody Smith, Ken Brisbin (Southwest), Chris Campbell (Oceana), Dave Clark (Great Lakes), Laurie Hug (Colonies), Bob Jennings (Dixie), Helen Naylor (Dixie), Jillian Wilkins (Dixie)</p> <p>Not present Matthew Edde (Northwest), Heather Howland (Great Lakes), Katherine Longwell (Great Lakes), Erin Matthews (Colonies), Kerry O'Brien (Oceana), Dustin Poe (South Central)</p>		

Minutes

The meeting was called to order at 8:02 p.m. eastern

- Summer Nationals** – Bill Brenner – The On Deck Coaching went well at Summer Nationals. It was very organized and everyone did his or her job. Feedback was positive
- Convention Preview** – Scott Bay – Subcommittee and Task Force Chairs, are asked to create a brief report on what they have done this year, what they are doing now, and their plans for the future in preparation. Please send the reports to Scott Bay so he can prepare for the convention. The report may be made up of bullet points.
- On Deck sign up** – Scott Bay – Coaching Committee members are asked to sign up for one or two morning practices at convention. The workouts will be one hour long. Scott will ask Erin Matthews to set up the online Sign Up Genius so coaches can sign up for dry land and pool workouts at convention. Committee members will get the first chance to sign up.
- Subcommittee and Task Force Reports**
Awards – Scott Bay – The Coach of the Year Award has been selected. Scott Bay and Kerry O'Brien are in the process of finalizing the Kerry O'Brien Coaching Awards.

Certification – Bill Brenner – The Level 1 & 2 certification classes are winding down, with only three left this year. The Level 3 certification classes are ramping up. There will be 7 or 8 more this year. Scott Bay asked that any coaches interested in helping review Levels 1, 2, & 3 to make sure they are meeting the needs of coaches, please e-mail him.

Championship – No Report

Fitness – No Report

High Performance – No Report

[International Coaching](#) – No Report

[LMSC Communications](#) – Ken Brisbin – Minutes from the last two Peer-to-Peer teleconferences will be sent out this week. A future goal will be how to improve distribution of information to coaches.

[National Coaching Clinic](#) – No Report

[Summer Nationals](#) – See #1

[Open Water](#) – Laurie Hug – Helen Naylor is helping with an OW clinic that will be presented by TNAQ and UT.

[Sports Medicine and Science](#) – No Report

[Publications](#) – Cokie Lepinski – 21 articles have been submitted this year so far. This is one more than all of last year. Please submit any favorite workouts, drills, or ideas that work for you. Coaching improves when we share ideas with each other.

[Web Workouts](#) – Laurie Hug – Everything is running smoothly

1. **Old Business** - None
2. **New Business** – Chris Campbell asked if it would be possible to have an informal coach's round table/meet and greet at convention to share ideas. Tentatively it was set for Thursday evening.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:32 p.m. eastern
