

USMS Convention—Dallas, Texas. 2010

Committee Name: Long Distance	Session #: 2	Report #:14
Committee Chair: Heather Hagadorn	Vice Chair: Ann Svenson	
Minutes recorded by: Bruce Hopson	Date/time of meeting:	9/17/2010 8:00 p.m.

Actions Requiring Approval by the HOD:

1. Approve all Long Distance Rule Proposals as set forth on the attached Long Distance Rule Proposals.

Motions Passed:

1. MSA to approve the awarding of the 2012 Postal National Championships and the 2012 Open Water National Championships.
2. MSA L2 as amended.
3. MSA L3 as amended.
4. MSA LD104.
5. MSA LD105.

Number of committee members present: 11	Absent: 7	Number of other delegates present: 18
Committee members present (list all, including chair and vice chair): Heather Hagadorn, Ann Svenson, Ali Hall, Jill Wright, Bob Bruce, Jennie Quill, Donn Livoni, Tom Spence, Bruce Hopson, and Susan Kirk; Lynn Hazlewood, Mark Gill, and David Diehl, <i>ex officio</i>		

Minutes

The meeting was called to order at 8:00 p.m.

1. The committee announced the results of the 2012 Long Distance Postal Championships, as follows (winners in **BOLD**):
 - a. OHP – **Federal Way Masters**, Indy SwimFit, Long Beach Grunions, Mission Viejo (withdrawn)
 - b. 5K and 10K, **Hammerheads**, Long Beach Grunions, Indy SwimFit, Mission Viejo
 - c. 3000 and 6000 – **Long Beach Grunions**, Hammerheads, Indy SwimFit, Mission Viejo, COMA, Adirondack Masters
2. The committee announced the results of the 2012 Open Water National Championships, as follows (winners in **BOLD**):
 - a. 1-Mile OW – **Hickory Nut Gorge Olympiad, Lake Lore, NC**, Custom Coach, Adirondack Masters
 - b. <1/≥3 Mile OW- **Tom Wear Memorial Swim Committee (Garden State Masters), Lake Hopatcong, NJ (2-mile)**, Hickory Nut Gorge, NC, Adirondack Masters
 - c. <3/>6 Mile OW – **Team NASTI, Noblesville, IN (5K)**, Hickory Nut Gorge, NC
 - d. ≥6 Mile OW – **Rogue Valley Master, Jacksonville, OR (10K)**, Team NASTI
 - e. 2-Mile Cable - **COMA, Sweet Home, OR**
3. Rule Proposals:
 - a. All of the rules proposals were discussed, and additions, amendments and withdrawals were made.
 - b. LD 104 was proposed along with a discussion of the need for it. MSA
 - c. Legislative Committee Chair Sean Fitzgerald addressed the Committee. He reported on the amendments to L2 and L3 that his committee had just approved. The committee MSA L2 as amended and L3 as amended.
 - d. LD 105 was proposed along with a discussion. MSA

4. Other Business

- a. Bob Bruce brought up the issue of the possibility of R11, R12 and R13 passing, which would cause the Committee to examine the age group definitions for Long Distance.

The meeting was adjourned at 9:34 p.m.
