

Senior Chair Report
VSI Board Meeting
January 6, 2008

Short Course Senior Champs

Meet information is complete with the exception of the event costs. Thank you Kevin Hogan for once again taking the initiative and putting the meet information together. David Strider has received the contract from UVA and will be putting together the fee matrix to determine the event costs. Then we can post to the website.

Long Course Senior Champs

Progress is being made with securing the Triangle Aquatic Center in Cary, NC. Below is the most recent correspondence between myself and Randy Roberts, Sports Director for TAC.

Dear Randy,

It is a 3.5 day meet with a distance session (the 1500) on Thursday evening.

Attached is a draft meet information and also the timeline from last year. Note: the 200 free relay that was on Thursday evening is being moved to Saturday morning prelims.

I believe I already forwarded to you my request with respect to lane requests and hours of operation.

VSI is prepared to move forward and sign a contract.

Looking forward to hearing from you in the near future.

Thanks.

Live Slow, Swim Fast,

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From: Randy Roberts [mailto:rroberts@triangleaquatics.org]

Sent: Thursday, January 03, 2008 1:30 PM

To: 'George Massey'

Subject: RE: Triangle Aquatic Center

George,

RSA and Wave think they can work around your meet on 7/17-20, and support it being held at TAC – I think they may petition to be in it...

One clarification, it is a 4 day meet, correct? (you referenced 7/17-24 in an email)

What is the next step for VSI? I will hold that weekend until I hear from you.

Thanks.

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Travel Funding

After posting on the VSI website since the last House of Delegates meeting there has been no request for changes/additions/deletions to the statement below. Therefore, the following is submitted for Board approval and placement on the House of Delegates docket in the Spring of 2008.

F. TRAVEL FUND CRITERIA

1. To be eligible for travel expense athlete reimbursement, the following criteria must be met:

a. Be a VSI registered amateur swimmer at a National Championship, Junior National Championship, National Disability Championship, U.S. Open or any Trial class meet.

b. Swimmers must have swum an individual event in at least one (1) USA Swimming sanctioned meets as a VSI registered swimmer within the six-month period immediately prior to their reimbursable competition. Exceptions for documented illness, injury etc., will be considered on an individual basis.

c. USA Swimming sanctioned meets, as defined under this Travel Fund Criteria, do not include individual team time trials, intra-squad meets, or any other type of meets that limit entries to only one swim club.

d. College swimmers are eligible for travel reimbursement only if they were a VSI registered swimmer prior to college and participated in at least one VSI sanctioned meet that occurred before March 1st of the year prior to attending college. Exceptions will be considered for swimmers whose families moved to the Commonwealth of Virginia. Swimmers may petition for eligibility to the VSI Board of Directors at any time up through 30 working days after the meet.

e. Requests for reimbursement must be submitted to the treasurer of VSI within 30 working days after the meet for full funding. For requests submitted after the 30 working days after the meet, extenuating circumstances can be submitted in writing to the VSI Board of Directors for review and consideration for full or partial funding.

Senior Swimming

Currently there are 21 swimmers listed as early college signees.

Two swimmers (Stuart Ferguson and Todd McGraw) are currently attending the Victorian Championships in Melbourne, Australia as members of the USA Swimming Junior Team.

Halfway through the Short Course season, Toyota Club Virtual Championships:

NOVA	4	(7)
CGBD	16	(10)
PSDN	25	(29)
QDD	76	(64)
TIDE	86	(82)
GTRS	95	
WAC	106	(110)
ODAC	107	

4 VSI records broken

Evan Gregg	– 15-16 boys 50 free.	20.98
Stuart Ferguson	– 15-16 boys 100 breast	54.96
Stuart Ferguson	– 15-16 boys 200 breast	2:00.12
Kallie Golden	– 15-16 girls 200 back	2:00.31

Respectfully submitted,

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