

2015 USA Swimming Safety Chairs Workshop

Friday, June 26, 2015

5:00 PM

- Check- In/Registration – Need at least 2 VOLUNTEERS !!!!!

6:00 PM

- Introductions - Mixer
- Overview of Meeting Schedule
- **Hypoxic Blackout – It Can Happen in YOUR Pool:** Bobbi Houghton - speaker (followed by Q&A)

7:30 PM

- Group Social
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Saturday, June 27, 2015

8-8:30 AM – **Facility First Aid Kits** (Starre Haney and Allan Meier)

- Discussion of Club owned First Aid kits in Rental Facilities & what should be included

8:30 - 9:00 AM - **Coaching Credentials** (Jen Ridge and Jeff Chu)

- Coaching Requirements to be USA Swimming certified
- Potential liabilities when Coaching with lapsed credentials (no insurance)
- How do we "strongly encourage" coaches to maintain current credentials

9:00 - 9:20 AM - **Small Group Breakout**

- How does your LSC "strongly encourage" coaches to maintain current credentials
- Best Practices?

9:20 - 9:30 AM - Large Group - Report on Breakout

9:30 - 9:45 AM - BREAK

9:45 - 10:30 AM - **Safety Chair** => LSC Communication Techniques (Mike Seip)

- How do you "push down" information to the clubs in your LSC (report out from "pre-meeting homework" assignment)
- How do you gauge the effectiveness of information dissemination
- Best Practices

10:30 - 11:15 AM **Deck Control** (Lynne Shine and Andrew Gormley)

- Warm-up Safety & Meet Marshalls
- Checking credentials : Indoor vs. Outdoor venues
- Photography Restriction Enforcement

11:15 - 11:30 AM - **Small Group Breakout**

11:30 - 11:45 AM - Large Group - Report on Breakout

11:45 - 12:00 PM - **Safety Award 2015** (Chuck Kunsman)

- Solicitation of Safety Award Nominations

12:00 - 1:00 PM **LUNCH**

Topic: Ideas for going forward for USA Swimming safety contest (2016 and beyond)

1:00 - 1:30 PM **Risk Management** – (Sandi Blumit and John Kline)

- Report of Occurrence
- Safety Concerns from Insurance Perspective

1:30 - 2:00 PM **Stroke Specific Issue** – Backstroke (Mary Jo Swalley and Jen Ridge)

- Backstroke Ledges
- Backstroke Starts in Depth less than Four feet
- Proposed Legislation from Operational Risk Committee

2:00 – 2:15 PM **Cooperation – A Key to Success** (Mike Espino, Y, and Connie Harvey, ARC)

2:15 - 2:30 PM Break

2:30 - 5:00 PM Concussion – Medical, Practical and Legal

2:30 – 4:00 PM – Dr. Danny Mistry – Primary Care Team Physician, USA Swimming
State of Concussion research –What we know – Concussion in Youth Sports

4:00 – 4:20 PM – Starre Haney, RN – Practical evaluation on site/ER

4:20 – 5:00 PM – Rich Young, Bryan & Cave Counsel to USA Swimming

The Legal Record - Question and Answer Period