

Minnesota Masters Swimming: 2012 Goals, Board Membership & Committee Structure

as of 1/10/2012

Minnesota Masters Swimming promotes swimming throughout our region* as part of a healthy lifestyle for adults of all swimming experience levels, from novice to expert. We have a wide range of programs for all adult swimmers (fitness, triathlete, competitive) that provide organized workouts, technique instruction and skills development, opportunities for pool or open water competition, as well as opportunities for community involvement. We relish the camaraderie of fellow swimmers as we support each other in striving to reach our personal goals.

^{*} Our region consists of Minnesota and the western Wisconsin counties of St. Croix, Dunn, and Pierce

Minnesota Masters Swimming – 2012 Board of Directors

- Elected Positions (Executive Committee members)
 - Chair: Brian Holthus
 - Vice-Chair: Tom Moore
 - Treasurer: Nancy Kryka
 - Secretary: Tricia Wallace
 - Registrar: Pam Ogden
- Appointed Positions
 - IT / Website: Pam Ogden (acting)
 - Sanctions / Officials: Karen Zemlin
 - Open Water / Safety: Sandra Frimmerman
 - Top Times/Meet Management: Mike Abegg
- Committee Chairs
 - Social: Katie Melmer
 - Fitness, Training & Skills: Tricia Wallace
 - Pool Competition: Tom Moore (acting)
 - Open Water Competition: Sandra Bergquist
 - Community: Tom Moore
 - Member Communication: Pam Ogden (acting)

Club Reps

- 1 Atlantis Swimming Federation
- 2 Barracuda Aquatics Club
- 3 Blue Gills
- 4 Edina Swim Club
- 5 Hastings Area Swim Team
- 6 Hopkins Masters Swimming
- 7 KnightCrawlers
- 8 Marshall Area YMCA
- 9 Minneapolis YW Masters
- 10 Minnesota Masters Swim Club
- 11 Minnetonka Masters
- 12 North Suburban Aquatic Club
- 13 Nort'landers Swim Club
- 14 Owatonna Area Swim Club
- 15 Red Dragon Swimming
- 16 Red River Channel Cats
- 17 Richfield Swim Club
- 18 South East Metro Sharks
- 19 South Metro Storm Swim Club
- 20 St Cloud Area Family YMCA
- 21 STAR Masters
- 22 UW Stout Swim Club
- 23 WEST Express



Mark Vininski

Jennie Lee-Burns

Todd King

Jeff Rodriguez

Kim Olson

Scott Tripps

Tom Bisel

Cindy Rosa

Dave Cameron

Pam Ogden

Barb Scouler

Tricia Wallace

Jim Hafdahl

Mark Mattox

Crysta Krause

Ralf Mehnert-Meland

Kerry O'Neill

Sharon Simpson

Chuck Smith

Celeste Walz

Sue Lundsten

Whitney Anderson

Heidi Miler

Minnesota Masters Swimming – 2012 Committees

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- "Board Facing" Committees
 - Executive Committee Brian Holthus
 - Manage Board Meetings
 - Manage Interface with USMS
 - Budget Committee Nancy Kryka
 - Budget creation, approval and tracking
 - IT / Website Pam Ogden (acting)
 - Technical Infrastructure, including:
 - web hosing services
 - website development
 - administration of website security
 - Registration Pam Ogden
 - Processing registrations and interfacing with USMS Registrar
 - Sanctions / Officials Karen Zemlin
 - Processing sanctions and interfacing with USMS Sanctions
 - Helping Meet and Event organizers to understand and meet sanction requirements
 - Coordinate officials for each Meet or Event.
 - Open Water / Safety Sandra Frimmerman
 - Helping Meet and Event organizers to understand and meet open water requirements
 - Coordinate safety for each Event.
 - Top Times / Meet Management Mike Abegg
 - Track Local LMSC and LMSC "open" records and interface with USMS Top Times

- "Member Facing" Committees
 - Social Katie Melmer
 - special events to build a sense of community and camaraderie between swimmers
 - Fitness, Training & Skills Tricia Wallace
 - health-related (lifestyle, diet, wellness) activities
 - workout-related activities
 - coordinating and managing skills clinics
 - coordinating and managing coach's clinics
 - Pool Competition Tom Moore
 - coordinating and managing swim meets
 - planning our representation at Nationals
 - helping new meet directors / meet planners navigate the process and requirements
 - Open Water Competition Sandra Bergquist
 - coordinating and managing open water swims
 - helping new event planners navigate the process and requirements
 - Community Tom Moore
 - opportunities for swimmers to serve local communities
 - Member Communication Pam Ogden
 - post updated information to website
 - two-way communication with members
 - soliciting news and information from members
 - outreach to new member communities

Minnesota Masters Swimming – 2012 Goals

Social

- Hold an awards banquet / annual meeting event
- Develop MN Masters Hall of Fame

<u>Fitness, Training & Skills</u>

- Hold 6 successful group workouts and clinics
- Hold 2012 SwimFest coach's clinic

Pool Competition

Hold 8 successful meets during the year

Open Water Competition

- Host national open water event
- Continue "Open Water Half Marathon" Series

Community

Hold a "Swimming Saves Lives" free swim lesson event

Executive Committee

- Increase Membership by 15% to 1,150
- Meet USMS "minimum standards" for LMSC
- Increase involvement of Coaches in Board Meetings and event planning

