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Chris Klinge – Non-Coach

Kyle Smith - Coach

Chris Klinge – NO REPORT

Kyle Smith –

When you budget for your upcoming season, you generally do it at the end of the prior season where you are setting fees, fundraising requirements, how many worker sessions parents need to put in, as well as other things. Not knowing whether or not you are hosting a major meet is poor planning. Building request form to use the facilities as early as possible before the next school year starts so that any potential conflicts that come up then we have the upper hand on. You are not talking about a budget fluxuation of $1,000, we're talking a potential change of $10,000 - 12,000. That is a lot of less fundraising that has to go on and / or not hiking up fees!! Sure, if you plan as if you aren't getting it then the extra money is just icing on the cake but the problem with that is still informing parents they may or may not have to work an extra three sessions or so of a meet that their children may not be swimming in presents more than a challenge. It is simply not fair to the clubs who are bidding nor is it fair to the hosts who have to work plans with four months less time to do so. Clubs that potentially have to travel to their Divisional site are being put in another situation, how are clubs expected to budget their travel expenses for a meet when they do not know where it will be held. Most club budget, as mentioned earlier, are completed prior to the season. If clubs do not know where there teams will be competing at for their divisional meet it leaves a big guessing game for their boards and their budget.

There is no reason why this cannot be discussed and voted upon at Age Group State. Number one, almost every team will be represented there, and if they do not have swimmers there then there isn't another meet conflict going on that they couldn't send someone down for a day. Two, teams would also have a parent and swimmer rep down there to give them the extra votes. Waiting until October HOD is absurd and unnecessary!! We can have a special meeting set up Saturday evening after finals right there at the Nat right there in the stands. We can run it just like HOD where only those who have responded to Lynn about who will attend will be allowed into the stands and checked off upon entry so as to not give some teams extra votes. I don't see a problem or even a conflict with this. While I realize that Sectionals is going on up at Purdue, teams whose coaches are there that want to have their position heard can send a representative in their place with notes to read off of their position. This gives those that would be hosting it plenty of time to plan, coordinate with the school system, set up rates with local hotels, and put together the best meet possible. There is a reason why this is always done so early in the year....cutting out a third of the year's planning time where you can make sure everything is set up and ready to go is simply irresponsible. This needs to happen prior to the October HOD.