



## **UNITED STATES MASTERS SWIMMING OZARK LOCAL MASTERS SWIM COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES December 10, 2006**

The Ozark Local Masters Swim Committee of United States Masters Swimming met for an open meeting on Sunday, December 10, 2006 at Ladue Horton Watkins High School.

The following members were present:

Richard Gentry  
William Cannon  
Roberta Holst  
Donna Springer  
Gussie Crawford  
Karen Goodwin  
Norma Vogelweid  
Lori Payne  
Teresa McDowell  
Catherine Kohn  
Donald Levy  
Pete Trapani  
Eliana Kliev

### Introductions

Membership Report – 290 members in 2006, one unattached, 289 SLAM

Goal 300+ as in 2005. This entitles us to 2 delegates at National Convention  
Carbondale, IL swimmers plan to join us in 2007 – perhaps as many as 50.

Registrar – 23 members are already registered for 2007

There are some glitches with the USMS computer program (11.B version)

Plans for going online (issues, e.g, how to pay)

Newsletter will be sent to people who have done steps 1 and 2

Go to website and download waiver form, pay fees and donations and mail to Hap  
If no email? Find someone to help them. Get a list of these people. Hap (membership chair) has no time to deal with exceptions. No one volunteered to forward email by snail mail to these individuals. Perhaps this could be a job for the new secretary? Keeping info accurate is up to the individual. Get this message across clearly to everyone.

What about groups that do not require USMS membership?

Cannot force

Exclusivity

Social activities

Treasurer's Report - ? bank balance. Ozark Treasury pays reimbursement for delegates to go to annual USMS meeting and other regional activities.

Extra money that needs to be used?

The Ozark region extends west to Columbia, MO (does not include Columbia and east to Carbondale, IL) Currently does not include Carbondale, but a USMS legislative amendment is proposed.

New Bylaws were presented. Lori Payne moved to accept. Norma Vogelweid seconded. MSA unanimously to accept new Bylaws. We may have been the only LMSC to not have bylaws on file with USMS.

Election of officers

Gussie Crawford moved and Norma Vogelweid seconded to retain the current officers until the 2007 annual meeting. MSA unanimously.

Meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully Submitted,

Richard (Hap) Gentry – LMSC Chair