USMS LMSC Development Committee

Monthly Update for SPMS – Nancy Kirkpatrick-Reno LMSC Committee Member

This National Committee meets the 3rd Tuesday of odd-numbered months.

Committee Chair: Lisa Brown

Next Meeting July 21st.

No update since last SPMS meeting.

Last meeting was on May 19th, 2020

As reported on the SPMS Call May 21, 2020 this meeting focused heavily on the LMSC Standards Survey Results. Each year USMS sends out a survey to every LMSC to report back how each LMSC is following the recommended standards for operation as set forth by USMS. Not all LMSC Chairs had completed the survey. Out of 52 LMSC only 18 met all requirements. SPMS did not return their Survey. I contacted our Chairperson Mark Moore. I put the LMSC representative in charge of the survey in touch with Mark and Kenny via email so that they could complete the report for SPMS.

Recommended a joint Coaches Peer to Peer Meeting to discuss Open Water Workouts while pools are closed for COVID 19. Recommended putting together something with Coaches for restarting programs.

March 31, 2020 LMSC and Coaches Peer to Peer Call

This was a great meeting with several Coaches sharing their thoughts on what they are doing during closure and what they are doing to stay in contact with swimmers. Over 100 people were on the zoom call.

March 17, 2020 -

Most of this meeting was focused on helping LMSC's while out of the water due to COVID-19.

2/11/20 Peer to Peer Call with Officials Committee Leader Teri White.

This call was to inform volunteers of Training Materials and Power Point presentations available to meet hosts to make sure our officials and Meet Admins are running our meets correctly. They specifically went through things allowed in masters but not in USA Swimming.

Jan 20,20 1st call of 2020.

New members were recognized for 2020.

SPMS Representatives – Nancy Kirkpatrick Reno, Michael Heather, and Mary Hull

Reviewed Power Point from Dawson Hughes

Discussed possible Boundary Changes by Allegany and West Texas LMSC. Illinois LMSC?