



## ***Sussex Swimming League***

Reply to Secretary

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Minutes of the league AGM held at K2 Crawley, Sunday 16<sup>th</sup> October 2022 @ 7.15 AM

Present

Chris Hobbs, Brian Smith, Lee Hammond, Trixie Nesbitt, Andy Lobley, Karen Sparling, Sacha Djerfi, Craig Steenhof, Mark Sargent, Chris Luesley, Nigel Carrucan, Lorraine Moore.

Apologies from beacon sc.

The minutes of the 2021 AGM were agreed as circulated. There were no matters arising from those minutes  
The secretary had published the results of the 2022 season and the trophies had been presented to the winning clubs, Mid Sussex marlins winning Division 1 & Eastbourne Division 2.

The league accounts were reported as the same as previous but with the addition of £0.29 interest.  
The secretary omitted to report that the Swim England annual insurance of £25 had been paid leaving a balance of £627.54

The dates for the next 4 years had been agreed at last years AGM and clubs were aware that some of these dates were likely to include school holidays.

2023 1<sup>st</sup> April 3<sup>rd</sup> June 1<sup>st</sup> July

2024 6<sup>th</sup> April 1<sup>st</sup> June 6<sup>th</sup> July

2025 5<sup>th</sup> April 7<sup>th</sup> June 5<sup>th</sup> July

2026 11<sup>th</sup> April 6<sup>th</sup> June 4<sup>th</sup> July

The clubs competing remain the same as last year.

### ***Proposal To alter rule 8 regarding lane draw from***

(The draw for these lane pairings will take place on the day of the gala.)

**To Read** - Lanes will be allocated from the lane seeding with the first (host) team swimming in lanes 1 & 4, 2<sup>nd</sup> listed team in lanes 2 & 5, with the 3<sup>rd</sup> team in lanes 3 & 6 or (2 & 5, 3 & 6, 4 & 7 if in an 8 lane pool)

This was agreed.

### ***Proposal to shorten the programme by making all relays mixed.***

This was agreed but clubs would now swim 2 teams in each relay event with points being altered to be the same as individual events.

A suggestion that the open category was dropped was fully discussed but the majority were in favour of retaining this category

A question was posed as whether the Squadron relay should be dropped as all relays were now mixed but the majority decision was to retain it in its present form however the points would be reduced to 6 – 4 – 2 from the double 12 – 8 – 4

The secretary requested that all clubs keep their contacts list up to date or they were likely to miss any information sent out to them.

There being no further business the meeting was closed at 7.40 AM.