

Administrative Vice Chair Report

PVS House of Delegates

July, 2020

Membership

These are the membership numbers through 6/1/2020.

Athletes

Premium – 11,385

Flex – 1232

Outreach – 21

Total – 12,638 (as per 2019 report: 12,628)

Non-Athletes

Individual – 1228

Life – 18

Total – 1246 (as per 2019 report: 1274)

While the total number of athlete members has remained steady, we saw a significant increase (29%) in the number of Flex memberships for the 2019-2020 competition year.

Policy & Procedures Manual

The PVS Policy & Procedures Manual has been updated and posted on the website.

Changes to the document fall into three categories:

1. Items that were included in the old by-laws but are not found in the new by-laws;
2. New policies and clarifications to existing policies enacted by the Board of Directors during this competition year;
3. Obsolete items.

The majority of changes are in the first category.

Olympic Trials Qualifiers

As of this date, 24 athletes currently registered with Potomac Valley Swimming have qualified for the 2021 U.S. Olympic Team Trials.

Phoebe Bacon	NCAP	4 events
Ryan Baker	AAC	2 events
Cassidy Bayer	NCAP	2 events
Caroline Bentz	NCAP	2 events
Megan Clark	NCAP	2 events
Alex Colson	RMSC	1 event
Sean Conway	NCAP	4 events
Lexi Cuomo	MAKO	2 events
Erin Gemmell	NCAP	4 events
Anthony Grimm	MAKO	1 event
Abby Harter	NCAP	2 events
Torri Huske	AAC	6 events

Georgia Johnson	NCAP	1 event
Anna Keating	MACH	2 events
Katie Ledecky	NCAP	7 events
Mackenzie McConagha	NCAP	1 event
Paige McKenna	NCAP	3 events
Noah Rutberg	NCAP	1 event
Corey Shepard	OCCS	1 event
Camille Spink	NCAP	2 events
Eleanor Sun	NCAP	1 event
Mary Claire Tansill	NCAP	1 event
Chase Travis	NCAP	3 events
Tatum Wall	NCAP	1 event

Paralympians

2 PVS athletes participated in the 2019 World Para Swimming Championships, September, 2019 in London: Lawrence Sapp (S14) and Becca Meyers (S12 & S13). Lawrence won silver in the 100M Butterfly. Becca won gold in the 400M Freestyle, silver in the 200M IM, and bronze in the 100M Freestyle and 100M Butterfly; in the process, she set 2 World records and 5 American records.

Minimum Number of Officials

17 PVS clubs were recently notified that they failed to meet the requirement for a minimum number of officials. Due to the sudden curtailment of the competition season, the fines were waived by the Board for this year. But all clubs are reminded of this requirement, and are encouraged to step-up their efforts in recruiting and retaining officials.

PVS relies on its clubs to encourage parents to become deck officials—it's a very positive way for parents to become involved with swimming. The PVS Officials Committee and USA Swimming have a variety of resources available to assist in recruiting and retaining officials. Many in-person and online clinics are offered throughout the year. Please contact us if we can assist you.

Tech Suits

A reminder to all clubs and coaches that Article 102.8.1F goes into effect September 1, 2020: "No Technical Suit may be worn by any 12 & Under USA Swimming athlete member in competition at any Sanctioned, Approved or Observed meet."

Respectfully submitted,
 Jack Neill
 Administrative Vice Chair