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📅 **Date:** May 6, 2023
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2023 Penn-Del Fall Meeting Minutes May 6, 2023

PennDel Board Attendance:

- Jenn Woods, President
- Kelly Burk, Vice President
- Rick Carson, Boys Commissioner
- Ken Burk, Girls Commissioner
- Pat Ryan, Treasurer
- Bruce Cooper, Secretary
- Erik Nelson, Scheduling and Coaches Rep
- Mark Fisher, Hartley
- Kevin Rizzardi, At large
- Mike Petrakis, At large
- Sonia Wolbert, At large

Membership Attendance:

- Bethlehem YMCA, John Buttillo, Swim Coach
- Bethlehem YMCA, Noah Crawford
- Bloomsburg YMCA, Cindy Reck, Assistant Coach
- Boyertown YMCA, Raynelle Shirk, Head Coach
- Brandywine-PA YMCA, Seth Dippold, Head Coach
- Brandywine-DE YMCA, Elijah Dowell, Aquatic Director
- Brandywine-DE YMCA, Clark Bickling, Team Representative
- Central Bucks Region YMCA, Bill Bodor, Aquatics Director
- Central Bucks Region YMCA, Tim Ryan, Head Coach
- Freeland YMCA, Megan Miller, Head Coach
- Freeland YMCA, Heather Eberts, Team Representative
- Greater Scranton YMCA, Vicki Laboranti, Head Coach
- Kennett/Jennersville Area YMCA, Jake McDermott, Coach
- Lansdowne YMCA, Katie Marucci, Head Coach
- Lionville Community YMCA, Matt Bramucci, Head Coach
- Nazareth/Easton YMCA, Carlton Taylor, Head Coach
- North Penn YMCA, Pat Pellegrino, Head, Coach
- Phoenixville Area YMCA, Dave Rue, Head Coach
- Pocono Family YMCA, Mike Wolbert, Head Coach
- Pocono Family YMCA, Sonia Wolbert, Team Representative



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- Reading YMCA, Kim Evans, Head Coach
- Ridley Area YMCA, Erik Nelson, Head Coach
- Schuylkill YMCA, Lauren DelValle, Head Coach
- Upper Bucks Region YMCA, Sara Siegle, Head Coach
- Upper Main Line YMCA, Todd Conrad, Head Coach
- Upper Main Line YMCA, Owen Edwards, Coach
- West Chester YMCA, Barry Smith, Head Coach
- Western YMCA, Aleecia King, Head Coach
- Wilkes Barre YMCA, Lori Blue, Head Coach
- Willow Grove YMCA, Hedi Palau, Head Coach

Call to Order: Saturday May 6, 2023 at 9:33 am

Welcome and PennDel Board Introduction: Jenn Woods called the meeting to order and had a welcome message to all in attendance. She then introduced each of the current board members in attendance and their roles.

Fall 2022 Meeting Minutes: Approved by Membership. Minutes of the meeting are posted on the PD Web site.

PennDel Board Re-Elections: The Board Nominated Kelly Burk as Vice President, Bruce Cooper as Secretary, Ken Burk as Girls Commissioner, and Erik Nelson as scheduling/coaches representative. The members Nominated Todd Corad from UMLY to fill the vacant Aquatic Director position on the Board. The Nominations were approved by the Members. If anyone has interest or is aware of anyone interested in volunteering for the Board, please contact Jenn Woods.

2022-2023 Season Review: Rick Carson summarized the previous season by thanking the members for Submitting rosters on time, keeping the Commissioners informed, working together on rescheduling meets, responding quickly, and uploading accurate results. Ken Burk reminded coaches that he sent out a survey on the season looking for feedback.

2022-2023 Championship Meets: Several members discussed the challenges with the Districts and States meets.

USA Swimming Rules: Rick Carson reviewed the changes to the technical stroke and turn rules that affect PennDel swimming. In particular, the potential to have rules updated more frequently than previously will encourage the League to have a list of current Officials so that we can notify them of changes. Rick also reviewed general information on YMCA official training as well as PennDel specific training requirements for each year.



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PennDel Financial Report: Pat Ryan summarized the 2022-2022 PD Financial highlights. The season resulted in a small surplus due to expenses being less than budgeted. The proposed budget for 2023-2024 has no changes listed. The 2023-2024 budget was reviewed and approved by the members.

2023-2024 League Calendar: The proposed League calendar was presented and reviewed by the members.

Reference Information:

The League is working on expanding the amount of information available to members online. In particular members should be registered for the PennDel website and the PennDel Facebook group. The slides from the Meeting also have YMCA websites and Facebook groups for coaches.

NEW PDSL Web Site – <https://www.teamunify.com/team/penndelymca/page/home>

PDSL FaceBook Page – Please Join! – <https://www.facebook.com/groups/587761375270393>

Adjournment: The Board thanked all meeting attendees as the meeting adjourned at 10:16 AM