

**SOUTHERN INLAND SWIMMING ASSOCIATION INC
MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES**

Tuesday 29 April 2025, commencing at 7.30pm

Held via ZOOM

ATTENDANCE

Ingrid Corcoran
Merv Penny
Stephen Mawbey
Jason O'Loughlin
Phil Evans
Naomi Jones
Mark Lake



APOLOGIES

Alycia McLean
Rochelle Trembath

SISA Meeting opened at 7.30 pm.

CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES

That the Southern Inland Swimming Association general committee meeting minutes held on 25 March 2025 be confirmed as a true and accurate record.

Moved, Phil Evans. ***Seconded by*** Jason O'Loughlin, ***Carried***

BUSINESS ARISING – MINUTES

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DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

nil

CORRESPONDENCE IN

- Email: 26/3/25 Pool Deck Protocols March 2025
- Email 27/3/25 Belinda Havron Subject: Re: Winter Season Calendar requesting information Will those two inter-club meets be labelled as a development or a qualifying? Some other areas specify what type of meet each club can hold.
- Email 28/3/25 LYN CONNELL Club Support Officer re-2025 SNSW Swim Development Clinics Saturday 1 November 2025 - Wagga Sunday 2 November 2025 - Griffith
- Email 28/3/25 Event Merchandise: SNSW Speedo Sprints - Southern Inland (SISA)
- Email 28/3/25 KIRSTEN THOMSON OLY Chief Executive Officer re Small amendment to the SNSW rules attached.
- Email 28/3/25 officiating@swimming.org.au Swimming Australia A Pool Deck Protocols April 2025, which include MC events.
- Email 28/3/25 Hot off the blocks swimming NSW 🏊 Maximise Your Club's Grant Success!
- Email 29/3/25 cc committee Mark Lake to Junee pool re Junee Swimming Entry Fee - SNSW Development Clinic

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- *Email 1/4/25 Swimming NSW 2025-2026 Club Affiliation*
- *Email 1/4/25 Swimming NSW re 2025 SWIMMING NSW AWARDS NOMINATE NOW FOR THE 2025 SWIMMING NSW AWARDS!*
- *Email 4/4/25 MELISSA GORGIJOVSKI memo advising an amendment to the 2026 competition dates.*
- *Email 4/4/25 Swimming NSW Splash News Winter SC Updates, State Relays Named, JX Clinic Wrap & More!*
- *Email 4/4/25 Kirsten re Competition Schedule, and thank you for your feedback at the recent Area Presidents meeting regarding our competition dates. We took your feedback on board and have made some changes.*
- *Email 4/4/25 Mark Lake re SISA Management Committee, costings for Albury Wodonga Pool for SC Championships in June*
- *Email 4/4/25 Mark Lake forwarding email from Chris Hayes re Speedo Sprint Heats*
- *Email 5/4/25 Mark Lake re AGM and request for reports*
- *Email 5/4/25 SISA vice president re information for all SISA Club members about important upcoming dates and information clubs should be aware of.*
- *Email 5/4/25 SISA Vice President re SISA By-Laws dated March 2025*
- *Email 6/4/25 SISA Vice President Stephen re 2025 LC Records, Premier Club & Shield holders*
- *Email 7/4/25 Swimming NSW Swim NSW Regional Participation Scholarships Now Open!*
- *Email 7/4/25 KIRSTEN THOMSON OLY Chief Executive Officer- draw your attention to Rule GR15 from within the SNSW Rules.*
- *Email 8/4/25 DRAFT SISA Development Squad Invitational Letter.*
- *Email 9/4/25 RILEY MILES Club Support Officer, new Swimming NSW Club Engagement Series recently implemented. These webinars are designed to assist with all aspects of club development and strengthen the connection between your clubs and SNSW.*
- *Email 11/4/25 Swimming NSW Hot off the blocks 11 April 2025 edition of the Swimming NSW e-newsletter*
- *Email 12/4/25 Mark Lake 2025 SISA Development Squad Invitations*
- *Email 13/4/25 SISA SC Champs Meet 8-6-2025 The SISA SC Champ meet has been uploaded to Swim Central*
- *Email 14/4/25 Mark Lake SISA Development Squad Acceptance as of 14/04/2025*
- *Email 15/4/25 James Hickman, Swimming NSW, is still waiting on some areas' winter calendars for SNC, M&P, Western, ACT, and New England NW.*
- *Email 18/4/25 Swimming NSW Splash News Entries open for SC Prep Meet and Nationals highlights!*
- *Email 20/4/25 Mark Lake to the committee and clubs, Swimming NSW Award Nominations*
- *Email 23/4/25 Swimming NSW re NSW Mighty Blues Dominate National Stage with Historic Medal Haul in Brisbane*
- *Email 23/4/25 Lyn Connell re NSW Development Clinic - SISA Area dates*
- *Email 25/4/25 Mark Lake re SISA Development Squad - Sunday 4th May 2025*
- *Email 28/4/25 Merv Penny Treasurer's report for the committee meeting, and also 13 ATS COMMITTEE bylaw may need changing*
- *Email 28/4/25 Mark Lake, president, re: see attached Spreadsheet of Final SISA Development*

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Squad for 2025. A total of 78 swimmers have accepted this invitation.

- *Email 28/4/25 Merv Penny Revised treasurer's report.*
- *Email 28/4/25 Marl Lake President SISA with President's report for the meeting*
- *Email 28/4/25 Stephen Mawbey with the South West zone report for the meeting*
- *Email 29/4/25 Sarah Stevens, Junee Junction Recreation and Aquatic Centre redevelopment squad day whiteboard that you can borrow, as well as squad training signs that we can put out.*
- *Email 29/4/25 Alycia McLean, apology for the meeting*

CORRESPONDENCE OUT

- *Email 27/3/25 Stephen to Belinda Havron Subject: Re: Winter Season Calendar Belinda, Southern Inland have three inter-club meet requests for the Winter 2025 season: Sunday, 8th Junee SISA SC Champs, Sunday, 15th Junee Wagga Wagga SC Meet, Sunday, 10th August, Griffith SC Meet*
- *Email 28/3/25 Stephen to Wagga Swim club re: maybe clash of events dates. Annette, please see below S NSW development clinic, which has been set for the same day you have requested your LC swim meet.*
- *Email 28/3/25 Event Merchandise: SNSW Speedo Sprints - Southern Inland (SISA)*
- *Email 29/3/25 Mark Lake to Junee pool re Junee Swimming Entry Fee - SNSW Development Clinic*
- *Email 30/3/25 Mark Lake to Lyn Connell re SNSW Development Clinic - SISA Area clash of dates.*
- *Email 1/4/25 Swimming NSW 2025-2026 Club Affiliation sent to all SISA clubs.*
- *Email 1/4/25 Mark Lake to all clubs re 2025 Swimming NSW Awards*
- *Email 3/4/25 Mark Lake forwarding email from THE PHO3NIX JX PROGRAM re Pho3nix JX Update: Rewards and Recognition*
- *Email 3/4/25 Mark Lake to Riley Club Support Officer re SISA CSO webinar agenda*
- *Email 5/4/25 Mark Lake to Junee pool re SISA Junior Development Squads*
Please see the attached letter in relation to making a tentative booking for Junee Aquatic Centre to run our pilot program - SISA Junior Development Programs.
- *Email 5/4/25 President Mark Lake to all Clubs re attached information for all SISA Clubs about important upcoming dates and information clubs should be aware of.*
- *Email 6/4/25 SISA Vice President Stephen re 2025 LC Records, Premier Club & Shield holders*
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- *Email 20/4/25 Mark Lake to the committee and clubs, Swimming NSW Award Nominations*
- *Email 27/4/25 Mark Lake to Swimming NSW re Nomination for Area of Year Category - SNSW Awards*
- *Email 28/4/25 President Mark Lake to Junee Aquatic centre Sessions for Sunday 4th May 2025.*

Moved, Phil Evans. **Seconded by** Naomi Jones

Carried

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REPORTS

PRESIDENT'S REPORT – Mark Lake

The end of March and month April 2025 saw the following things occurring at SISA.

- • Congratulations to all Swimmers and Officials that attended Brophy 2025 in Canberra
- • I officiated at the Brophy Meet and nil issues, the meet ran smoothly, and I would like to thank Phil Evans, Kristen Toomey for offering their time to officiate.
- • I would like to congratulate all Swimmers that participated in Age and MC National Championships in Brisbane for 2025. SISA was well represented and several of our swimmers in our area received medals, broke records and obtained personal best times. I thank all Coaches who have travelled on this journey with their swimmers. This season saw swimmers from the Area succeed and is one of the best meets for Medals that SISA swimmers walked away with when they represented their respective clubs.
- • Well done to all Swimmers / Coaches that participated in the National Open Meet immediately following Age Nationals in Brisbane.
- • Special Mention to Priscilla Horsley, who officiated at Age Nationals in Brisbane for 2025
- • I have worked with Jason O’Loughlin completing the admin work and collating information for SISA Junior Development Squads which kicks off this Sunday 4th May 2025. Squads have been sorted and I thank Jason for his time in preparing and selecting the swimmers from various age groups. This is a new initiative for the area.
- • Clubs NSW awards nominations close on the 1st May 2025
- • I have spoken directly to Kirsten Thomson OLLY, CEO of NSW, in relation to our new Initiative of SISA Junior Development Squads.
- • We need to commence promoting SISA SC Championships through Clubs / Facebook, and the Website.

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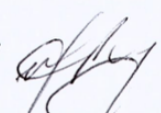
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TREASURER'S REPORT (Merv)

26th April 2025

Southern Inland Swimming Association Inc.			
Bank Reconciliation 26th April 2025			
Commonwealth Bank Account No. 10129024		Bendigo Bank Term Deposit 149603359	
Cash Book Balance as at 1st April 2025	\$32,402.02	Balance as at 1st April 2025	\$6,231.15
Income	\$877.00		
Expenditure	\$255.00	Interest Capitalized	
	\$33,024.02		
Cash Book Balance as at 26th April 2025	\$33,024.02	Balance as at 26th April 2025	\$6,231.15
Unpresented Cheques	\$0.00		
Cheques Not Deposited	\$0.00		
	\$33,024.02		
Bank Statement as at 26th April 2025	\$33,024.02	Total Financial Asset as at 26th April 2025	\$39,255.17
Merv Penny  28/4/2025			

1st April 2025 to 26th April 2025

Income	Affiliation	2025/26 Club Affiliation	\$390.00
		2024/25 Full Swim Regoo	\$10.00
		2025 SC Event Entry	\$296.00
		2025 SC Senior Event Entry	\$6.00
		2025 SC Pool Admission	\$40.00
	Sundry	2024 June Devel Clinic Entry Reimbursement	\$135.00
		Total	\$877.00
	Swim Meets		
	Development	24/25 SwimmingNSW Affiliation	\$255.00
Expenditure	Total		\$255.00
	Administration	Period Nett Profit/Loss	\$622.00

Club Affiliation

Cubs Affiliated	13
24/25 full swim rego	5

2025 SC Meet

2025 SC Event Entry	37
2025 SC Senior Event Entry	4
2025 SC Pool Admission	8

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Moved Merv Penny, seconded, Naomi Jones that the Treasurer's report be approved and accounts, as presented, be passed for payment – carried.

MURRAY ZONE REPORT (Phil Evans)

Verbal Report

RIVERINA ZONE REPORT (Rochelle Trembath)

SOUTHWEST ZONE REPORT (Stephen Mawbey, SW Zone Secretary)

From all reports, the SISA swimmers had a blast at Brophy 2025

Otherwise, pretty quiet in the South West this month

We have our AGM set for Thursday, 8th May at 7 PM to look at host clubs for the 2025-26 summer season

I have created the 2025-26 meet calendar, which is in draft & not ready for publication. There are still quite a few clubs that have not yet submitted a meet request form.

The SISA SC Champ meet is now open in Swim Central, currently, there are 14 swimmers entered.

It was great to see SISA swimmers compete at the Swim Aus Age & Open Championships over the last few weeks.

AREA TECHNICAL CONVENOR Southern Inland ATSCC (Naomi Jones)

Suggestion: we have a Technical official session update on any new rules

DEVELOPMENT CONVENOR REPORT – Jason O'Loughlin

Move that all reports be accepted:

Moved, Jason O'Loughlin. Seconded Phil Evans, Carried

GENERAL BUSINESS

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- ☐ SISA Development dates Western have moved their clinics to 6/7 December, so the weekend of 8/9 November is now an option for SISA, but December dates aren't an option for SISA.
- **Discussion** North Albury requested 9th November for their carnival (so still have a clash or North Albury could be asked to change the date of their carnival to the 16th November).
- ☐ Scheduling for AGM Date, time, etc: **Tuesday, 24th June 2025 via ZOOM to start at 7.00 pm**

- ☐ Should we do a Sponsorship Drive for the Southern Inland Swimming Association?

- ☐ If SISA can cover the cost of the SISA Junior Development Squad Shirt, which has been quoted at around \$30.00 a shirt, and it will be through the same supplier we get our National Shirt through in Wagga. The same supplier can do a shirt.

Motion;

SISA to cover the cost of the SISA Junior Performance Squad Shirt @\$30 per shirt

Moved Naomi Jones, **Seconded**, Stephen Mawbey, **Carried**

Motion;

SISA to investigate and price a Polo dress shirt for the SISA committee members to wear to official functions

Moved, Ingrid Corcoran, **Seconded**, Mark Lake, **Carried**

- ☐ Speedo Sprint Heats query and suggested changes from Chris Hayes.
Discussion- logistical nightmare for coordinators, having enough Technical officials, the pools are not the same length.

The committee decided to stay at the one venue. We need to look at centralising our SISA champs and speedo sprints heats in the future.

- ☐ Merv to order Rep shirts, reversible swim caps as advised by Stephen.
Merv to order 2025 Rep badges - number to be advised by Stephen
- ☐ 2025 Long Course Pennants and Banners to be sent by Merv to Wagga, Young and Griffith with winning clubs requested to send a photo of banners with team captains and or swimmers to Rochelle for publication on website
- ☐

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- ☐ Treasurer requested committee members to review By-Law 13, as it is probably outdated and requires amendment, and discuss at future meeting
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- ☐ Need to order our SISA Representative badges to distribute to Swimmers. Stephen is to order badges.

SISA Committee NEXT MEETING

via ZOOM Tuesday, 27 MAY 2025, 7.30 PM

TERMINATION

There being no further business, the meeting closed at 8.59 pm

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