

Club Development Report

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2008 Swimposium

- Planning is almost completed. We are putting loose ends together and getting finalizing details.
- We have a wide variety of seminars and workshops this year. I am very pleased how well this has turned out thus far.
- Topics include:
 1. ASCA Level II course with Brian Kuprefer.
 2. Coaches' talks with USA-S Sport Performance Consultant MarieJo Pasion. (Hopefully we have topics selected by end of meetings Sunday)
 3. Officials' component. (Please refer to Officials committee report for details)
 4. Athlete clinic presented by Olympian Gil Stovall (Pool is in process of being secured. Registration form will be posted as soon as this occurs)
 5. College recruiting seminar for parents, coaches and all swimmers.
 - a. Schools proposed to attend:
 - i. Georgetown University
 - ii. Radford University
 - iii. Mary Washington University
 - iv. Millersville University
 - v. Old Dominion University
 - vi. Washington and Lee University
 - vii. Marymount University
 - viii. Saint Mary's College
- A group lunch is being proposed that will include all portions of the swimposium with a possible guest speaker.
- In addition to swimposium presenters being at the swimposium, Carol Burch will also be on hand. She is the director of member services for USA Swimming and has been an instrumental part in making this year's swimposium a reality for us at Virginia Swimming.
- A block of rooms has been made available for the swimposium at the Kroger Center for \$99/night. Reservations need to be made by September 19th for this rate.
- There will be no workshop for clubs at this year's swimposium, however we are planning to possibly hold a Club Leadership and Business Management Seminar later this year or early 2009.
- We do need supplies for the swimposium, such as projectors and screens. If anyone could help out with this aspect or any other needs the individual components may need, it would be greatly appreciated.
- All registration forms and information should be posted by Sunday evening without complication with the exception of possibly the athlete clinic, which will be posted as soon as a pool has been secured.