## **Technical Planning Committee**

- 1. The 2006-2007 calendar has been updated. We have added a B/C Meet for the North District. We have accepted a bid from Quantico Sharks to host this meet. We have established the schedule for both the SC and LC seasons. There is still a need for a November 13&O meet in the central district, a January 13&O Meet for the North District, and a February 13&O meet for the Central District.
- 2. I have spoken with the new Head Coach at Hargrave Military Academy and he assures me that his team is still very committed to hosting the LSC-wide 13&O BB+ meet in December and Virginia Age Group Champs in March. He is currently looking into whatever equipment needs they may have or maintenance that is required to ensure they can host the meet in dual courses.
- 3. The webmaster is still developing the webpage bid form and sanction request. He is close to having these request forms available for testing.
- 4. All meet invitations have been posted for meets up to the beginning of November with more to follow shortly. Teams have done an excellent job of getting invitations prepared and sent in with sanction requests earlier than in previous years.
- 5. The RAYS have moved their LC A/BB/B/C meet from the first weekend in June to the third weekend in May. Any teams wishing to host a LC meet in early June and early July will likely be favorably considered. Currently the first weekend of June and July offer an opportunity for teams to host LSC-wide meets with any conflicting meets in the LSC.
- 6. Team assignments for the region championship meets will be released no later the November 1, 2006. Also the team assignments for the Commonwealth Games, and Summer Awards will be released at that time. Teams wishing to express their preferences should do so no later than October 20, 2006. Remember, the Commonwealth Games hosted by SMAC is a two part meet, Friday-Saturday, and Sunday, Monday.
- 7. Teams hosting meets during the LC season that wish to double up on weekends (meet of similar scope on the same weekend or consecutive weekends) to provide adequate opportunities for swimmers throughout the LSC will not be restricted to assigned teams of specific districts or regions. We will expect the hosts of such meets to work with the "sister" meet should there be two meets to communicate the alternate opportunity should one meet close due to over-subscription before the other. It is important to note that LSC wide LC A/BB/B/C meets will attract at least 1000 swimmers if there is no alternate meet offered.

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