

SCOTTISH AMATEUR SWIMMING ASSOCIATION

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WATER POLO SEMINAR-REFEREEING and COACHING held on 19.11.95  
in the Lovat Hotel, Perth at 10.30 am

In attendance MR R T ELDER (Convener)  
David Bathurst and Howie Cartwright, attached is a copy of the  
list of those who attended thr seminar

Convener introduced and welcomed David Bathurst of FINA & IEN  
International Referee-AIA and Howie Cartwright Senior Scottish  
Water Polo Coach

Apologies A Burgoyne and Nan Battison (Min.Secretary)

Coaching

Howie Cartwright's coaches report has been circulated to all  
clubs and he reviewed the above.

In open discussion relevant points were raised by those in  
attendance and these were clarified by the Senior Coach

The new rules will have a big impact on the game. They will also  
improve the game world wide. The Rules are to be finalised in  
Berlin, Germany on 8 February 1996. There is great concern of  
the possibility that the new rules passed will be implemented  
before the Olympic Games to be held in Atlanta, USA.

Refereeing

David Bathurst introduced himself to the meeting and the meeting  
reviewed the various proposals. David Bathurst went through each  
rule individually giving a report on the World Junior  
Championships where they were tried.

A vote was taken on the eight proposals as under:-

	for the proposal	against
1 size of pitch	14	0
2 reducing the number of players	0	14
3 smaller ball	2	12
4 no Referees' flags	2	12
5 direct shot outside 7 metres	14	0
6 immediate re-entry	0	14
7 substitution at any time	12	2
8 2 time-outs per team	6	8

Convener thanked David Bathurst and Howie Cartwright and  
appreciation was shown by those attending the meeting.

The meeting closed at 2.30 pm

Attached: