



JANUARY – FEBRUARY 2023 FACT NEWSLETTER

A New Year has brought some changes that will affect our team in a good way and I've been waiting patiently to pass them on to you. The surplus that accompanied the years of inactivity caused by COVID are being allotted to the USMS registered Clubs within the Florida LMSC to the extent of \$25. per member by vote of the Florida LMSC Board of Directors. We encourage you to register as a FACT member by February 28th to be included in the count for this disbursement. As you know our funds were completely depleted last year when we were unable to collect fees from USMS due to new rulings.

Our Treasurer Marianne Bradley has served in this capacity for several years and we thank her for her dedication. Pat Tullman has graciously offered to replace her and we thank her for coming forward to help us out. Our Treasury will contain the disbursement funds from the LMSC and will cover expenses such as relay fees, yearly registration fees, reimbursement for Workout Group's fees and other swimming related expenses that the Club may vote for.

The February Valentine's Meet was attended by 14 of our members and it was great to see everyone. The swimming was spectacular and our three relays received one 1st place, one 2nd place, and one 3rd place finish. We were short MEN and hope you'll work at changing that!! Immediately ahead of us is St. Pete's Bob Beach Meet on March 11-12, and the Good Life Games long course senior meet on March 18 at the Long Center. You can enter the latter online this year!! And obtain Long Course times in preparation for the Sarasota USMS Nationals in August!

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