



**LAKE ERIE
SILVER DOLPHINS**

WELCOME

Sept 2025 LESD Parents meeting

LESD Governance Model



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Our club is unique in its structure when compared to other clubs. We have two distinct entities working together to manage, grow, fund, and administer the team

Booster Club is responsible for...

**Hosted Meets
Volunteering
Events
Apparel
Fundraising**

Support the team, the coaching staff, and all team athletes

LESD, LLC. is responsible for...

**Team admin
Swimmer questions
Anything in the water
Meet conduct etc.
Team Policy
Hiring and development of coaching/staff**

Booster Club Directors



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LESD Booster Club Board of Directors

16 Directors – 12 from Membership, 4 “Ex-Officio” Club employees

Leads, Governs, and determines actions of the booster club to support the growth and excellence of LESD, LLC (the swim team).
Provides member (Parent and Athlete) volunteer support to a wide variety of club activities such as meets and social gatherings

Directors (Volunteers):

Mike Slabe (President)
Jim Pruce (outgoing Treasurer)
Julie Musbach (Secretary)
Oliver Buccicone (Vice President)
Marko Turcinov (Incoming Treasurer)
Carena Brittain (Apparel Chair)
Joe Azok
Colleen Kerins
Erin Waldinger (Parent Rep/Social Media)

Ex Officio Directors:

Doug Djang (Chairman)
Kristin MacPhail
Jelani Watkins
CJ Musser (Safe Sport)

Committees



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Board only Committees:

Executive Committee

By-Laws Committee

Team Apparel Committee

Co-led by Doug Djang and
Carena Brittain

Looking for a few more
volunteers

Meet and Volunteering Committee

Led by Kristin MacPhail

Roles:

- Volunteer coordinator (2)
- Meet coordinator
- Safety Director/Meet Marshall
- Hospitality Coordinator (+2 or 3)
- Awards Coordinator
- Ad Hoc members (3+)

Other non committee roles:

- HyTek & Colorado Operators (3+)
- Anyone interested in officiating

Team Events and Fundraising Committee

Co Led by Joe Azok, Erin
Waldinger, Oliver
Buccicone

The more members the
better!

The Ask



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Help us continue enhancing the Lake Erie Silver Dolphins community and culture

Volunteer for meets, events, and any other opportunities to enrich the club and enhance the total experience

Athletes can volunteer too!

Participate in committees to help plan and deliver a best-in-class experience for athletes and families

We are always looking for community sponsors!

Active feedback on how we can continue to improve our overall offering

**Parent Liaison:
Wembly - Erin Waldinger
Hawken - James Huff**

When parents are involved in their children's sports, athletes have better outcomes and parents have more fun



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Q&A

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Note – Future “coffee and questions” sessions will be hosted throughout the season, dates TBD.