

## Washington Recreation

Aquatics Network Meeting – Meeting Minutes Thursday, March 17, 2016

## Introductions Guest Speaker:

- Chelsie Gallagher, Seattle Children's Hospital
  - April Pool's Day Chelsie brought in and distributed the lifejackets for April Pools Day. There will be a media event at Southwest Pool with the American Red Cross. There will also be a local news release and press release.

## **Discussion Topics**

- Skill Builder
  - Pete DeQuincy is able to present.
  - Looking at Sunday, June 5 or Saturday, June 4
  - Possible facility is Henry Moses Aquatic Center
  - Looking at having 4 to 5 stations
    - Customer Service
    - Bailey present on Special Populations
    - Olympic Swimmers
    - Accountability
    - Transgender Issues
    - On-call staffing
- American Red Cross IT Academies
  - There is a calendar on line of the dates and places they are offered.
  - Need more local applications to do a local class. The application process is fairly easy and once they are approved you have one year to complete the academy.
- StarGuard
  - William Shore Pool will be running a course
  - There is an online portion and then about 12 hours in the water
  - ARC LGI's are welcome to come take the class and see what they think.
- On-call staffing