

## *Letter from the Chair*

The time is drawing near for us to meet in beautiful Tallahassee, Florida, for the Spring Masters Meet! Less than 2 weeks from now, we will be enjoying the beautiful Florida sunshine, and the fabulous pool at Florida State University. I know that many of you have yet to sign up for the meet, so please do not delay, and get registered. I know that one of the drawbacks is knowing what dives to put down on the divemeets registration. Even if you aren't sure, be assured that you can change your list, even on the board if necessary, so just sign up, put some dives in there, and change them when you need to. For the purposes of our meet directors and the catering we need to know numbers as soon as possible! Help us out and get registered.

I know that this has been a difficult year for many financially, and that is why some are not attending either this meet or the meet in Oklahoma City. Some of you have told me that you will save your money to attend one or the other of these meets this year. Do what you can, and know that you will be missed if you are not there. If possible, pool your resources, find someone to share a room with, a rental car, or drive to the meet to save money. I also know that it is difficult to get off of work for a couple of days, believe me I run into that for every meet. But I choose to make Masters a priority, and therefore I am able to use a couple of days each May and August to attend our meets. Let me encourage those of you who are still "on the fence" as to whether to attend or not to choose to come and enjoy the company of your fellow masters divers, and the spirit of competition.

Don't delay! Sign up today!

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