

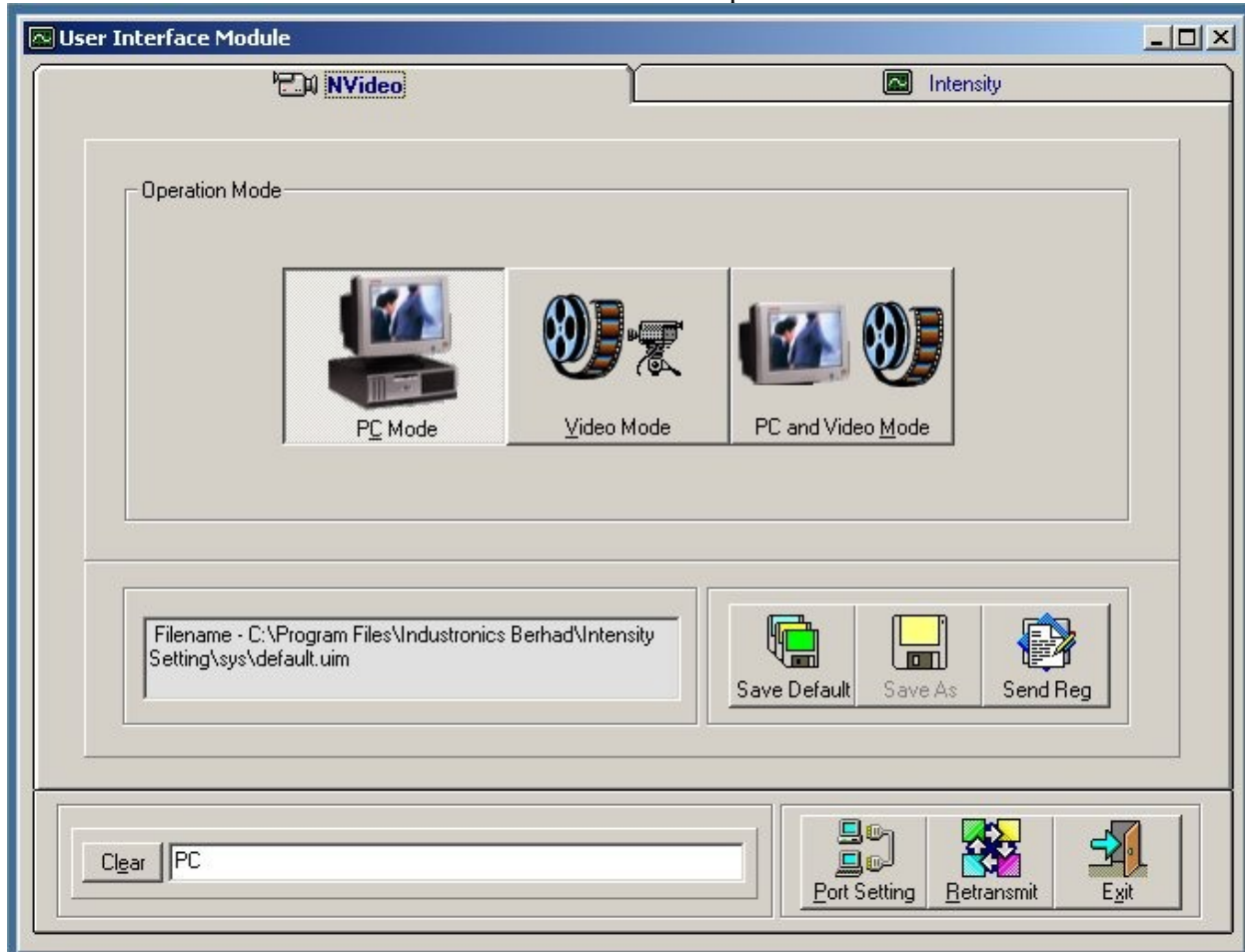
# SCOREBOARD COMPUTER

## PC – Video Control

Controls whether the scoreboard shows the video feed or the feed from the scoreboard computer.



Double click the “Scoreboard” icon. This opens a window that has three buttons:



- Video- displays the feed coming from the black video unit
  - DVD player OR
  - Computer plugged into S-video connection OR
  - Cameral plugged into video input
- PC- use this option for software on the scoreboard computer
  - Scoreboard results
    - Displays swim results based on template selected
    - To do a series of text slides
  - Sequence editor: used for slideshow of picture files
- Video & PC- this option not functional on our system

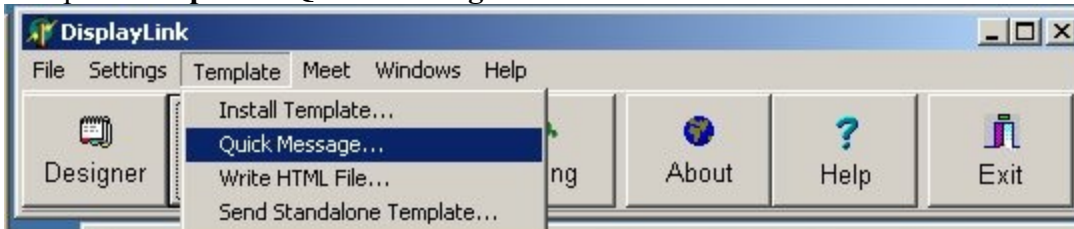
# Scoreboard Control

This is used to control the display for meet results (i.e. events, lanes, times, etc.).



Double click the “Display Link” icon.

- Quick Message- display control for text messages
- To Open: **Template > Quick Message...**



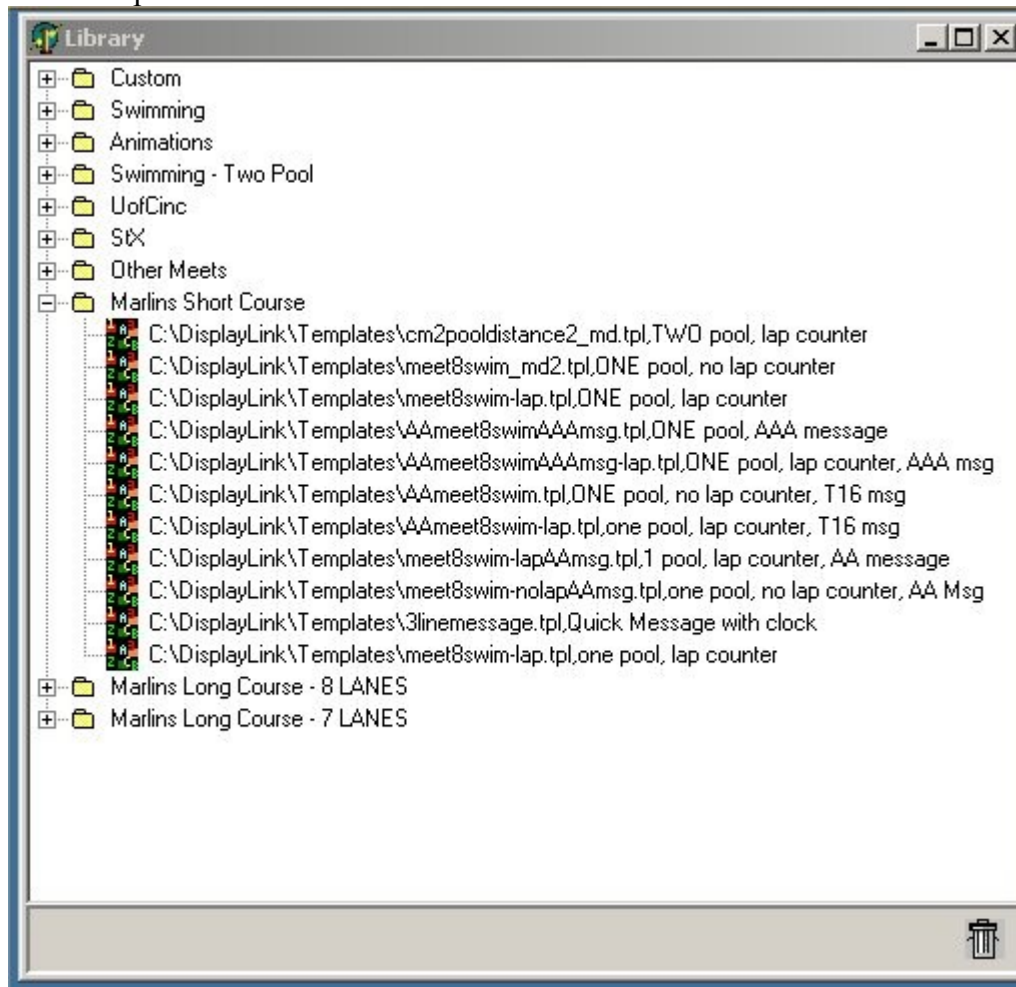
- There are six lines to insert text



- Input text into “Message Text” lines.
- Hit “Send Now” button to have text displayed on scoreboard.
  - If using “3 line” message template (see library) each text box will be displayed on the scoreboard
  - If using swim meet template (see library), the 1<sup>st</sup> text box will be displayed in the “message” portion of the swim meet template.
- **Library**- there are folders that have templates for the scoreboard. Click on the folder for the appropriate meet type (i.e. Marlins Short Course, Marlins Long Course, etc.)
  - To access from menu: **Windows > Library**



- This will open this window:

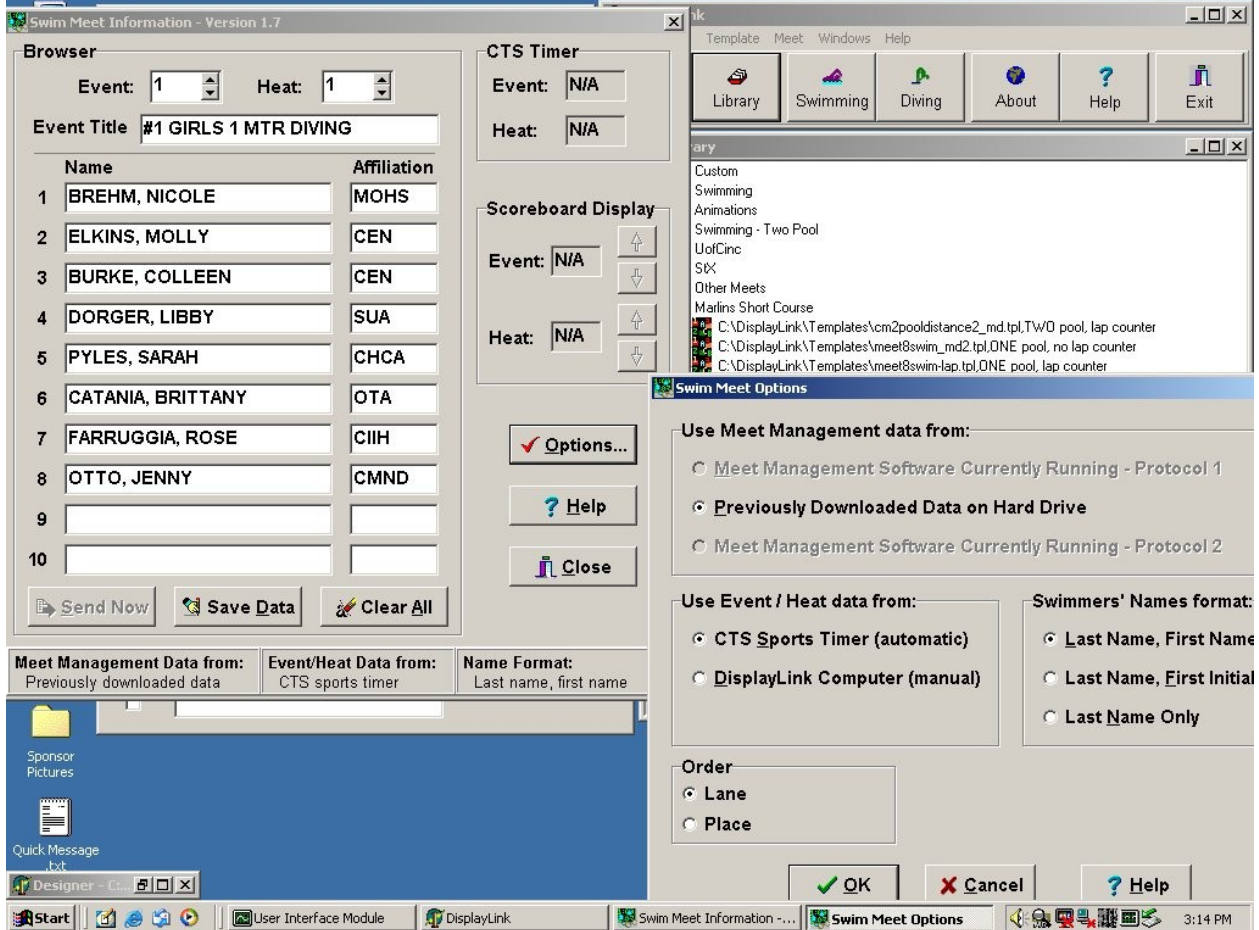


- Select “3 line” message template for text message only
  - This will display the time plus six line of text
- Select the template that is appropriate for current session.
  - There are brief descriptions at the end of each template
- **Download names-** if only one pool is being used the names of the swimmers can be displayed for each lane.
  - First the names must be downloaded to a drive from meet computer.
  - Put flash drive in USB port on the Scoreboard Computer.
  - Double click the Start List icon on the desktop.
  - Select the flash drive and folder name files were downloaded to.
  - Start transfer. Confirm number of files transferred equal the number of files downloaded to from the Meet Computer.

# Manual Entry of Names for Event

It is possible to manually enter the names into and event for the scoreboard if they are not available from the automated system.

- To access from menu: **Meet > Swimming > Options > Display Link Computer (Manual)**



- Once you have set it for manual entry. Enter the information: event title, name, and affiliation. Click on “send now” button to have data displayed on scoreboard.

# DVD player

The scoreboard must be set to “video” to display the DVD on the scoreboard.

- AV box needs to be set to: **AV2**
- Audio control is on the AMP along the back wall of the meet office. There is a volume control marked “DVD”. Start with it low and adjust up as needed. Note- when the 1<sup>st</sup> green LED stays lit the volume is about right in the pool.

## National Anthem

The National Anthem is to be played prior to all Finals sessions. If the meet is a Timed Finals meet the National Anthem is to be played prior to each session. There are several ways to do the National Anthem. Options are listed below:

1. Use the National Anthem DVD (red disk) which should be in the Scoreboard Computer binder. This is a video of the US flag with the National Anthem as the soundtrack. This is easiest way.
  - o Adjust the DVD volume to 4 or 5 on the AMP (see DVD player).
  - o Once the meet announcer, announcers to stand for the National Anthem press “play”.
2. If the DVD is not available there is a folder on the desktop with the National Anthem which can be played from the computer. Use the “computer score” volume control on the amp for this method.
3. OR you can not use the sequence editor to display the flag while the National Anthem is sung or played.
  - o Use Sequence Editor to display the US flag on the scoreboard. Flag pictures in folder called National Anthem on desktop.
  - o Play the National Anthem from the announcer’s CD player **OR**
  - o Play the National Anthem from the Scoreboard Computer using Windows media player. Note- National Anthem song files in folder called “National Anthem” on desktop.

## Laptop to Video

A laptop can be displayed on the scoreboard by connecting an S-video cable from the laptop to the video controller on top of the Scoreboard Computer. The laptop must be set to send video signal to video out connection (this is usually done by hitting “Fn – 4”)

## Sequence Editor



Sequence Editor is used to run a slide show of picture files. You should close the Scoreboard Program before you can run Sequence Editor or you may experience issues with the display. Double click the Sequence Editor icon to start Sequence Editor. As the Sequence Editor has issues running with the other programs I do not suggest using it during a meet.