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NOTES FROM THE BOARD MEETING:

NEW BOARD APPOINTMENTS: The Board of New England Swimming accepted the resignation of Officials' Chairman, **Bill Geary** and thanked him for several years of service to New England Swimming. Ray Grant appointed co-chairs to serve, **Dave LeBlanc** and **Scott Doty**. Dave LeBlanc is already a member of the Board, and Scott Doty will become a member of the Board.

NEW MEET ENTRY POLICY: The Board accepted a new policy concerning swimmers entered in meets who are unregistered or have incorrect or no ID numbers on the entry. This policy will be in effect for a trial period for the "end of season" meets. It is printed in this newsletter. Be sure to share it with the person on your team who does the team registration and also the person who does the meet entries. Most problems (99%) will disappear if all teams utilize the on line registration check!!!

ZONE MEET: The Board accepted the recommendation of the Age Group Committee and voted to not attend the Zone Meet this spring. New England Swimming will support the Zone Meet in the summer. Swimmers 11 and older will attend as a group, with a bus, hotel rooms, etc. It is expected that swimmers 10 and under will attend with their parents with New England reserving a block of rooms for these swimmers and their parents. New England also will provide a uniform for these swimmers and coaching support on deck.

CHAMPIONSHIP MEETS: The Board voted to make some changes to the New England Senior Championships and Open Championships. Swimmers may attend both meets if they desire and have qualified. Late entries for new events will be accepted at the Open Championship, space permitting. The Board voted to not change the number of events at Seniors. If a swimmer has qualified for one or more events for the Senior Championships, the swimmer may enter five events. If a swimmer has qualified for five or more events for the Senior Championships, the swimmer may enter nine events.

The Board of New England Swimming will meet on Tuesday, March 22 at 7 pm at the Wellesley Community Center, Wellesley, MA. There will be no February meeting.

Emanual Estrada Adirondack Aquatic Club 550 Pulaski Blvd Bellingham, MA 02019-2065

Paul Parenteau Aquamaids & Aquamen-Worcester 128 Brookline St Worcester, MA 01603-1634

Gary Walther
Attleboro Ymca Tsunami
23 A St
Wrentham, MA 02093-1275

Janis Gately Bernal's Gator Swim Club 243 Maynard Rd Sudbury, MA 01776-1676

Leandra E Manos Bay State Swim Club 32 Moore Ave Worcester, MA 01602-1438

Cynthia Marks CCBA Swordfish 1 Taylor St Lebanon, NH 03766-1352

Beverly A Bloomer Boys/Girls/Cumberland/Lincoln PO Box 7505 Cumberland, RI 02864-0806

Patricia Deschaine Claremont Tiger Shark Swim Tea 1 Harwood Ln Claremont, NH 03743-3314

Reid Christen
Diversified Aquatics Recreatio
56 1/2 Orange St
Waltham, MA 02453-3922

Julie Peipho East Longmeadow Marlins 12 Thayer Rd Monson, MA 01057-9444 Jane Mangili Attleboro Bluefish 49 Siesta Dr North Attleboro, MA 02760-6514

Kathy Medaglio Andover-North Andover YMCA 165 Haverhill St Andover, MA 01810-1508

Everett Crosscup Belmont Aquatic Team 10 Fowell Ave Nashua, NH 03060-4935

Karen Jenovese Blue Dolphins 96 N State St Concord, NH 03301-4405

Cam Townsend Burbank Y Bluefins Swim Team 37 Emerson St Wakefield, MA 01880-2214

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Reid Christen New England Barracudas 56 1/2 Orange St Waltham, MA 02453-3922

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Allison Balboni Executive Health & Swim Club 15 Taylor St Nashua, NH 03060-5026 Steve McCluskey Nantucket Dolphins PO Box 1321 Nantucket, MA 02554-1321

Mark Schleeweis Amherst Triton Swim Team 191 Pelham Hill Rd Shutesbury, MA 01072-9722

Harold Guise Boys & Girls Club Of Pawtucket 1 Moeller Pl Pawtucket, RI 02860-5775

Joshua Stern Bay & Ocean State Squids 41 Laurel Ave Providence, RI 02906-3328

Gregory G Brown Burlington YMCA Dynamos 266 College St Burlington, VT 05401-8318

David Schneeweis Cape Cod Ymca Mako Swim Team 2245 Iyannough Rd West Barnstable, MA 02668-1507

Rebecca B Stephens Concord Swim Team 15 N State St Concord, NH 03301-4040

Michael Lynch Central Vermont Wavemakers 1051 Sugarhouse Rd Montpelier, VT 05602-4484

Cheryl A Fletcher
Easthampton Barracudas
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Southampton, MA 01073-0097

Bo Tanner Eaglebrook School Swim Club Eaglebrook School Pine Nook Road Deerfield, MA 01342 Maureen Heaps
Exeter Swim Team
17 Patriots Rd
Stratham, NH 03885-2320

Rosemarie Meissner Greenwood Memorial Swim Club 69 Park St Gardner, MA 01440-1646

Stephanie Steiner Hockomock Area Ymca Lightning 32 Village Way North Attleboro, MA 02760-3425

Randall K Smith Greater Holyoke Ymca Vikings 171 Pine St Holyoke, MA 01040-4065

Michael Spring Magnus Aquatic Group 251 Lake St Haverhill, MA 01832-1129

Liam Sullivan Mighty Ducks Swim Club 771 Boston Post Rd Ste 112 Marlborough, MA 01752-3759

Mei Han Mei's Typhoons Swimming Club 86 Greenmeadow Dr Longmeadow, MA 01106-2306

Joann McDeed/Amy Doyle Merrimack YMCA Swim Team 6 Henry Clay Dr Merrimack, NH 03054-4848

Vicki D. Lane Newport Blues Swim Team 157 Bayview Ave Portsmouth, RI 02871-3101

Kenneth J Galica New Wave Swim Club 40 Church St Lowell, MA 01852-2686 Julie Mook
Southern New Hampshire Fins
198 Wheeler Rd
Hollis, NH 03049-5930

Jack Fabian KSC Valley Gators Swimming 7 Partridgeberry Ln Keene, NH 03431-2125

Karalyn Reed Paradis Hampshire Hills Seawolves 99 Youville St Manchester, NH 03102-3032

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Michael Spring Merrimack Valley Pirates 251 Lake St Haverhill, MA 01832-1129

Michael Wardwell Manchester Ymca Tiger Sharks 116 Goffstown Back Rd Goffstown, NH 03045-2641

Mark Jedow North Country Aquatic Club PO Box 601 Hanover, NH 03755-0601

Michael LeBarge Oyster River Otters 181 Wednesday Hill Rd Lee, NH 03824-6547 Laura Matuszak Green Mountain Aquatics 62 Laurel Hill Dr South Burlington, VT 05403-7332

Robert J Depavao Woburn Boys And Girls Club Charles Gardner Lane Woburn, MA 01801

Leslie Lashway Hampshire Regional YMCA 179 Audubon Rd Leeds, MA 01053-9100

Frank Shaw Lakes Region Wavemakers S T 136 Cotton Hill Rd Belmont, NH 03220-3304

Tim Murphy Massachusetts Bay Marlins 65 N Harvard St Boston, MA 02163-1010

Robert Goczalk Manchester Swim Team 4 Pearson St Litchfield, NH 03052-1071

Jim Deubler Middleboro YMCA Sea Devils 61 E Grove St Middleboro, MA 02346-1809

Karen Thomas Nashua Ymca Prospectors 120 Lille Rd Nashua, NH 03062-2421

Dan Warner North Shore Swim Club 19 Fenley Rd Gloucester, MA 01930-1510

Jon Caswell
Providence Aquatic Club
Pc Swimming 549 River Avenue
Providence, RI 02918-0001

Jeff Johnson Patriot Swim Club 158 Jamestown Rd Leominster, MA 01453-5954

Sarah Hale Peterborough Wave Swim CI 39 Greenwood Rd Dublin, NH 03444-8219

Susan Brown River City Swim Club 2 Gooseberry Farms Ln Westport, MA 02790-1362

David S Ponte Southcoast Aquatics 374 Farm St New Bedford, MA 02740-2131

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Carlton Cronin Haverhill Swimming 14 Brown St Haverhill, MA 01830-6804

Brian Wisniewski Willy's East Swim Team PO Box 1949 North Eastham, MA 02651-1949

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Bill Bond Portsmouth Swim Team PMB #270 1465 Woodbury Ave Portsmouth, NH 03801-3210

Keri Cunningham Ram Swimming Club 460 Chestnut Hill Rd Wakefield, RI 02879-7666

Matthew Craven Shawmut Aquatic Club 1 Norfolk Ln Walpole, MA 02081-1715

Ray Grant Seekonk Swimming 80 Davis St Seekonk, MA 02771-1402

Darlene McGrath South Shore YMCA Strypers 45 Truman Dr Randolph, MA 02368-3852

Melinda Antonucci Vermont Area Swim Team 6 Olde Orchard Park Apt 630 South Burlington, VT 05403-6971

Mike Riley Weymouth Club Waves 75 Finnell Dr Weymouth, MA 02188-1110

J P Galli Pioneer Valley Aquatic Club 24 Taylor St Apt 103 Springfield, MA 01103-1346

Suzanne Avella Rockingham Area Youth Swim 33 Rolling Ridge Rd Londonderry, NH 03053-2569

Missy Rowell SBGC Rowell's Raiders Swim Club 6 Griffin St Derry, NH 03038-2514

Greg Gillette Simon's Rock Snappers 84 Alford Rd Great Barrington, MA 01230-1559

Charlotte J Brynn Stowe Swimmers 75 Weeks Hill Rd Stowe, VT 05672-4290

Laura M Baker Whitinsville Blue Dolphins 86 Church St Whitinsville, MA 01588-1416

Kathi Cotugno Westfield YMCA Wave 7 Avery St Westfield, MA 01085-3701

2005 NEW ENGLAND SWIMMING CLUBS as of January 24, 2005

NEW ENGLAND SWIMMING OFFICE: MARY RIDDELL

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7:30 p.m.--10 p.m.

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OFFICE HOURS: Monday 8 a.m.--2 p.m.;

8 a.m.--2 p.m. Thursday:

Policy of New England Swimming

This policy is being enacted in an effort to deal with the continued problem of incorrect swimmer data and are integristered swimmer participation in New England Swimming Meets.

- 1. Host Team will check the meets entry file with the online Athlete Registration Tool 10 days prior to the first day of competition or the meet entry deadline, whichever occurs later. A copy of that report (even if no errors exist) must be forwarded by email to the New England Swimming office (office@neswim.com) by the above deadlines. Late entries into the meet (i.e. Entries received and accepted after the entry deadline and after the registration check has been run) must also be run through the Athlete Registration Tool prior to the meet. That report, if any (even if no errors exist), must also be forwarded by email to the New England Swimming office.
- 2. Host teams accepting entries from teams outside the New England LSC, must submit those entry files to the New England Swimming office by the above noted deadlines. The New England Swimming office will then run a check on those files and notify the host team of any problems.
- 3. The Host Team will scratch all entries with incorrect swimmer information, no ID and any unregistered swimmers. Offending teams will be sent (by the Host Team) an email copy of the report for their swimmers with a notation that the swimmers have been scratched from the meet.
- 4. Offending Teams must correct the information with the New England Swimming Office prior to the swimmer being reinstated in the meet. The New England Swimming Office will notify the host team (by email) with corrected information and swimmers eligible for reinstatement no later than 1 day prior to the beginning of the meet.
- 5. In the event that a team has entered an unregistered swimmer, the registration fee and fine of \$100 per swimmer must be satisfied prior to the swimmer being reinstated in the meet.
- 6. Host teams who fail to comply with these procedures and deadlines will forfeit their \$200 meet deposit. Additionally, results will be ineligible for import into the SWIMS database.
- 7. Host teams who accept deck entries must view the USA swimming registration card or team printout of registration prior to accepting the entry. If deck entries are accepted and the information is incorrect, the results will not be accepted until the information is corrected. If deck entries are accepted and the swimmer is unregistered, the host team will forfeit their \$200 meet deposit.
- 8. Entering teams are still responsible to the Host team for all fees associated with the scratched swimmers.

This policy will take effect beginning with the Regional meets in February 2005 and all subsequent New England Swimming sanctioned meets.

Please note that the New England Swimming Office is not operated full time or on weekends. To avoid swimmer disappointment and confusion, teams are strongly encouraged to run the athlete registration tool prior entering any meets. If performed in this manner, errors can be identified and corrected prior to meet entry. Also, please keep in mind that if you are attempting to enter swimmers into a meet after the entry deadline, and the swimmer information is incorrect, you may not have enough time to get the information corrected and the swimmer reinstated.

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REIMBURSEMENT REQUEST FORM for	National Meets:
MEET:	DATE:
NAME:	DATE:
ATHLETES only must complete this section	:
Date of first registration in NEW ENG	GLAND SWIMMING:
INDIVIDUAL EVENT(S) in meet:	
	R meets participated in during short course five during the year 9/1/2004—8/31/2005:
	Date:
	Date:
	Date:
	Date:
Meet:	Date:
Make check payable to*: *For Sectional Meets, one check for	all swimmers will be sent to each team.
Mail check to: Name:Address:	
Signed: Team Representative	
Team Representative	Parent (or Swimmer if over 18)

REIMBURSEMENT POLICY FOR NATIONAL AND SECTIONAL MEETS, 2004--2005

ATHLETE REIMBURSEMENT POLICY:

A New England Swimming registered swimmer who qualifies for and swims in an individual event at the USA Swimming Open, USA Swimming Junior Nationals or a World Cup meet hosted by USA Swimming will be reimbursed \$300 by New England Swimming. A New England Swimming registered swimmer who qualifies for and swims in an individual event at the Conoco Phillips National Championships will be reimbursed \$500 by New England Swimming. A New England Swimming registered swimmer who qualifies for and swims in an individual event at the USA Swimming Disability Championships will be reimbursed \$500. A New England Swimming registered swimmer who qualifies for and swims in an individual event at the USA Swimming Speedo Championships (Sectionals) will be reimbursed. For this meet, an amount of \$5,000 will be shared by the qualified swimmers who apply and submit receipts within the eight week period, with a maximum of \$50 per swimmer. One check per team will be issued by New England Swimming for reimbursement for sectional swimmers.

ELIGIBILITY:

To be eligible for reimbursement, an athlete must have been registered in New England Swimming and have completed in a New England Swimming calendar meet at least six months prior to the meet for which reimbursement has been requested.

During the short course season, September 1, 2004 to April 31, 2005, a swimmer must fully participate in three New England Swimming calendar meets to be eligible for reimbursement. During the long course season, May 1, 2005 to August 31, 2005, a swimmer must fully participate in two New England Swimming calendar meets to be eligible for reimbursement. As an option, swimmers may fully participate in a total of five New England Swimming calendar meets during the period of September 1, 2004 to August 31, 2005 to be eligible for reimbursement. "Full participation" means participation in all or at least two days of competition and at least one individual event at each day of participation. Disabled swimmers are strongly urged to participate in New England Swimming meets. However, the Board will consider waiving the minimum meet requirements on a case by case basis.

If the New England Senior Championships is in place with a named facility by a certain date (90 days preceding the first day of the meet for long course; 120 days preceding the first day of the meet for short course), mandatory participation in the Senior Championship meet is required in order for a swimmer to receive reimbursement. The New England Swimming Board may waive this requirement for good cause, such as illness or conflict with the National Team requirement.

A swimmer must request the reimbursement within eight weeks of the meet. The request must include the stub from the swimmer's plane ticket or receipt of other expense to equal or exceed the amount of requested reimbursement.

Waivers for the USA Swimming Open, USA Swimming Junior Nationals, a World Cup meet hosted by USA Swimming, and the Conoco Phillips National Championships: If an athlete does not meet the New England Swimming eligibility requirements, all reasonable requests for waivers will be considered by the New England Swimming Board of Directors following the long course season. To request a waiver, complete the reimbursement request form and attach a detailed explanation of your request for waiver signed by both the coach and

athlete (or parent if under 18). Incomplete reimbursement forms will not be considered for a waiver.

Waivers for the USA Swimming Speedo Championships (Sectionals): For the USA Swimming Speedo Championships (Sectionals) there will be no waivers.

COACH REIMBURSEMENT POLICY:

For each team that sends a swimmer to the Conoco Phillips National Championship, the USA Swimming Disability Championships, the USA Swimming Open, **the USA Swimming Junior Nationals**, or a World Cup meet hosted by USA Swimming, New England Swimming will provide \$300 to reimburse coach expenses. The \$300 per team may be used to reimburse one coach or be split among several team coaches at the team's discretion. The team will have to provide New England Swimming with receipts for coach expenses that equal or exceed the \$300 reimbursement.

For the USA Swimming Speedo Championships (Sectionals) an amount of \$1,500 will be shared by the coaches who attend the meet and apply and submit receipts within the eight week period (one coach per team) with a limit of \$100 per coach.

This policy was approved by the Board of New England Swimming at the Board Meeting on November 9, 2004.



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IN THIS ISSUE:

NEW ENGLAND SWIMMING LONG COURSE CALENDAR; HIGH POINT WINNERS, 12 & under CHAMPIONSHIPS; USA SWIMMING PRIVACY POLICY; TOP 16 SWIMMERS, LONG & SHORT COURSE; INSURANCE NOTES; EVALUATION

FORM....

PINS: The New England Swimming pins will be available at the championship meets this summer. If a swimmer attended a championship meet this short course and will not be at a meet this summer, the team's coach can pick up a pin. If no one from the team will be attending either championship meet this summer, contact the office in May (or later) and the pins will be sent to the team.

AWARDS for REGIONALS: We are sorry that several of the regional meets were short both medals and best time ribbons. The missing best time ribbons and most of the missing medals were handed out to the teams at the 12 and under meet. If a team was not at the meet, the medals and ribbons have been mailed. A few teams are still missing first place medals and they will be mailed shortly. If you are still missing something, please notify the office.

TIMERS at "end of season meets": New England Swimming allows teams hosting "end of season" meets to assign timers. Timers are expected to arrive promptly at their lane and remain until they are relieved by someone else on their team or until another team is assigned to the lane. Please do not walk away when your swimmer has completed his or her events! Distance event swimmers must provide their own timers and counters.

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The Board of New England Swimming will meet on Tuesday, March 22, 2005 at the Wellesley Community Center, Wellesley, MA at 7 pm. If there is a question about the weather, please call the office.

USA Swimming Privacy Policy

Information concerning members of USA Swimming acquired during the registration process is the property of USA Swimming and its use is within the control of USA Swimming. USA Swimming strictly limits the use of member's personal information to that information necessary for the conduct of the business of USA Swimming and its LSCs.

To clarify the issue of publishing information regarding USA Swimming members by USA Swimming and its LSCs, the Board of Directors of USA Swimming has approved the following policy:

The following information, and only the following information, shall be acceptable for publication in any form, including but not limited to the world wide web, regarding any USA Swimming member without express written authorization from the athlete, if of majority; the athlete's parent/guardian, if a minor; or the non-athlete member:

name, age in years, club affiliation, time and place, and any awards or honors.

USA Swimming membership numbers may be published when done for data transmission only. USA Swimming membership numbers may not under any circumstance be published together with the name of the member or in a series of reports that when taken together will reveal the name and membership number of the number.

The foregoing policy shall be effective immediately. All LSCs need to review their publications and website to determine if there is any information published therein which is not permitted pursuant to this policy, such as a member's address, telephone number, birth date or USA Swimming ID number. If prohibited information is published, the LSC needs to take steps to remove the information by May 1, 2005 or sooner.

Questions regarding this policy should be directed to Christine Schemmel at <u>cschemmel@usaswimming.org</u> or 719/866-4578.

TOP 16 SWIMMERS, 2003—2004:

CONGRATULATIONS to the New England Swimmers who achieved Top 16 Rankings for 2003—2004!

2003—2004!				F	
SHORT CO	URSE:				
10 and unde	r:ERICA BELCHER	ANA	100 free	59.24	(14)
	JOHN BAILEY	BOSS	500 free	5:40.62	(13)
11 and 12:	ELIZABETH BEISEL	MAG	200 free	1:57.12	(12)
			500 free	5:08.51	(8)
			1000 free		(5)
			1650 free		(6)
			200 back	2:05.47	(1)
			200 fly		(5)
			200 IM	2:11.01	(6)
			400 IM	4:33.24	(2)
	CAROLINE WEAVER	GMA	100 back	59.48	(7)
			200 back	2:09.29	(9)
	LAURA SOGAR	RAMS	200 Breast	2:23.05	(8)
	CONOR SWANSON	MAG	200 fly	2:10.43	(15)
13 and 14:	ERICA MEISSNER	MAG	200 back	2:02.98	(11)
	KRISTIN PRAUTZSCH	MAG	100 breast	1:05.03	(15)
15 and 16:	ERICA MEISSNER	MAG	100 back	56.04	(7)
			200 back	1:57.00	(1)
			200 IM	2:02.99	(11)
			400 IM	4:19.80	(8)
	JESS PERRY	BGSC	100 breast	1:03.49	(5)
			200 breast	2:18.22	(12)
	KATHLEEN FOLEY	MAG	400 IM	4:21.51	(15)
	SAL BARBA	SAC	100 free	46.03	(6)
			200 free	1:38.74	(4)
			100 back	50.72	(8)
	BJORN FALK	MAG	200 back	1:51.25	(16)
	COREY SWANSON	MAG	200 IM	1:53.32	(16)
	YNS GIRLS	400 free rela	•	3:37.04	(16)
	(Jackie Davidson, Sam Ga			1 /	
	MAG GIRLS	800 free rela		7:46.66	(13)
	(Kathleen Foley, Caitlin D			-	cca)
17 and 18:	KATIE FRITSCH	BGSC	100 back	55.90	(12)
	LEEANN CHANG	HARV	200 breast	2:16.71	(15)
	STACIE LESNESKI	MAG	200 fly	2:01.64	(13)
	TOBIAS WORK	CCSC	1650 free	15:39.56	(16)
	P J SULLIVAN	MAG	200 breast	2:01.88	(6)
	PAT REAMS	SSYS	200 fly	1:50.10	(16)
	BGSC GIRLS	200 free rela	•	1:36.72	(3)
	(Katie Fritsch, Meri Nelso	=	•	• /	
		400 free rela	~	3:31.56	(6)
	(Karen Gately, Sarah Barg	mann, Katie Fr	itsch, Caroline	Dowd) (Meri	Nelson)

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		800 free re		7:42.36	(5)
	(Karen Gately, Sarah Barg	gmann, Katie	Fritsch, Caroline	Dowd)	
LONG COU	IRSF.				
	r: EVA FABIAN	GTRS	100 free	1:07.35	(8)
		GIRD	200 free	2:25.46	(7)
			400 free	5:04.95	(6)
	RACHEL MOORE	ANA	100 free	1:07.41	(9)
			100 fly	1:14.42	(5)
11 and 12:	ELIZABETH BEISEL	MAG	200 free	2:10.54	(2)
			400 free	4:33.30	(4)
			800 free	9:27.73	(4)
			1500 free	17:49.52	(4)
			100 back	1:07.16	(2)
	•		200 back	2:18.43	(1)
			200 fly	2:24.76	(3)
			200 IM	2:27.71	(3)
			400 IM	5:01.34	(1)
	CAROLINE WEAVER	GMA	100 back	1:09.75	(12)
			200 back	2:28.69	(9)
	LAURA SOGAR	RAMS	100 breast	1:17.24	(11)
			200 breast	2:45.96	(8)
	KAIA SIMMONS	BOSS	200 fly	2:30.45	(12)
	JEFFREY THOMAS	BOSS	1500 free	18:20.38	(14)
	CONOR SWANSON	MAG	200 back	2:27.87	(10)
			100 fly	1:05.75	(11)
			200 fly	2:26.35	(5)
			200 IM	2:27.06	(12)
			400 IM	5:08.72	(6)
	CURTIS HON	H2O	50 breast	34.20	(2)
			100 breast	1:16.00	(7)
			200 breast	2:46.00	(6)
	TAYLOR GREY	GMA	100 breast	1:16.33	(9)
			200 breast	2:46.96	(9)
13 and 14:	ERICA MEISSNER	MAG	100 back	1:06.17	(12)
			200 back	2:18.72	(5)
	CHRIS ROGERS	BGSC	100 back	1:02.76	(14)
	BGSC BOYS	200 free re	lay	1:43.87	(2)
	(Greg Lowen, Chris Roge	rs, Ben Driver	r, Mike Monovou	ikas)	. ,
		400 free re		3:51.76	(4)
	(Mike Monovoukas, Ben)	Driver, Chris	Rogers, Greg Lov	wen)	,
		800 free re		8:36.96	(8)
	(Greg Lowen, Chris Roger				` '
	<u> </u>	200 medley		1:57.41	(3)
	(Chris Rogers, Ben Drive,				` /
15 and 16:	ELIZA BUTTS	CUDA	50 free	26.75	(15)
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			100 free	58.02	(16)
	ERICA MEISSNER	MAG	100 back	1:03.94	(7)
			200 back	2:14.28	(1)
			200 IM	2:20.06	(13)
	JESS PERRY	BGSC	100 breast	1:12.74	(10)
	SAL BARBA	SAC	100 free	53.12	(10)
	BGSC GIRLS	200 free rel		1:54.43	(15)
	(Kristyn Roth, Rebecca H		•		()
	MAG GIRLS	400 medley	• .	4:29:02	(6)
	(Candice Peak, Kristen P	-	•		()
	CUDA BOYS	400 free rel		3:38.44	(1)
	(Steve Miller, Taylor God	odwin, Jon Hai	tmann, Eric Nils	sson)	,
17 and 18:	KATIE FRITSCH	BGSC	100 back	1:04.44	(13)
	SAL BARBA	SAC	100 free	52.00	(12)
	TOBIAS WORK	CCSC	400 free	3:59.94	(10)
			800 free	8:15.67	(7)
			1500 free	15:49.94	(8)
			400 IM	4:26.81	(4)
	DAVID RUSSELL	CUDA	100 back	56.81	(6)
			200 back	2:02.63	(4)
	PAT REAMS	SSYS	100 fly	55.87	(15)
	BGSC GIRLS	200 free re	lay	4:03.93	(5)
	(Karen Gately, Katie Frit	sch, Sarah Bar	gmann, Caroline	Dowd) (Anni	e Kelley)
		400 medley	y relay	4:29.82	(6)
	(Katie Fritsch, Caroline I	Dowd, Karen C	ately, Sarah Bar	gmann)	
	MAG BOYS	800 free re	•	8:09.58	(11)
	(PJ Sullivan, Bjorn Falk,		•	s)	
	CUDA BOYS	400 medle	y relay	4:05.52	(9)
	(David Russell, Billy Rul	benstein, Eric I	Nilsson, Steve M	iller)	

CONGRATULATIONS to the HIGH POINT WINNERS, 2005 12 and under AGE GROUP CHAMPIONSHIPS:

10 and under INDIVIDUAL HIGH POINT:

1. RACHEL MOORE	ANA	1. SCOTT MCGINTY	ANA
2.TOIREASA RAFFERTY-MILLE	TT YNS	2. JOSEPH HIBBERT	PVAC
3, TANA BAO	HAY	3. JAMESON MCSHEA	CCSC
4. EMMA NUZZO	BOSS	4. RYAN DEAN	HRY
5. ACADIA DEATLEY	BAT	5. EVAN GREY	GMA
6. KELSI ORESMAN	MAG	6. MILAN SANDHU	MST
7. CHRISTA WEAVER	GMA	7. HENRY LOONG	UN
8. MARGARET D'INNOCENZO	MAG	8. ADRIEN HOSKING	GTRS

11 and 12 INDIVIDUAL HIGH POINT:

1. SARA LI	MTSC 1. ROY SUNG	SAC
2. ELIZABETH BEISEL	MAG 2. LUCA SPINAZZOLA	BOSS
3. ERICA BELCHER	MAG 3. PATRICK MYERS	AAC
4. ELIZABETH ROUNDS	MAG 4. CONOR MCAULIFFE	MAG
5. ALEX FRASIER	CUDA 5. JOHN VATKEVICH	AAC
6. REBECCA AIELLO	MAG 6. MATTHEW NUTTER	YNS
7. ANDIE TIBBETTS	SAC 7. DANNY CALDWELL II	SSYS
8. KATHERINE FOLEY	YNS 8. MATTHEW MEIER	SNAP

TEAM HIGH POINT (combined 10 and under and 11 and 12):

- 1. MAGNUS AQUATIC GROUP
- 2. YMCA OF THE NORTH SHORE
- 3. BAY AND OCEAN STATE SQUIDS
- 4. ANA HURRICANES
- 5. SHAWMUT AQUATIC CLUB
- 6. BERNAL'S GATOR SWIM CLUB
- 7. CAPE COD SWIM CLUB
- 8. HAMPSHIRE REGIONAL YMCA

THANK YOU to **NSSC**, the parents, coaches, and swimmers who worked hard to achieve a successful meet for our 12 and under swimmers! Thank you to the referee, Paul Burkhardt and also to the parents from other teams who volunteered both as officials and timers. We cannot have a successful championship meet without the cooperation of all the teams attending.

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Aug. 12: New England Swimming Open Water Championships, Haverhill

Swimming, Salisbury (MA) State Park

*long course (50 meter) pool

SPF: Swimmer Participation Fee is a per swimmer fee for all swimmers in the meet. New England Swimming allows teams to charge this fee with a limit of \$10 per swimmer.

INSURANCE NOTES: FROM AN UPDATE FROM SANDY BLUMIT

Diving: The General Liability coverage provided by USA Swimming for its members specifically excludes "any claim arising out of any incident occurring on a diving board or diving platform and their supporting structures, including ladders and steps". Plainly coaches, if you offer the use of the diving board and as the athlete puts their foot on the first step they slip and shatter it you are not insured through your club coverage and you will possibly be held personally responsible.

15 Passenger Vans: You cannot transport athletes in a 15 passenger van, insurance companies do not cover them. If you have a van designed that way Sandy recommends to remove the back seat when using the vehicle.

People on deck: Anyone on deck during a swim team practice must be a certified USA Swimming Coach. The exception to this would be the use of individuals for timing purposes. Further, a coach's children should not be allowed on deck unless they are USA Swimming athlete members. If parents are to be allowed on deck to observe a practice they must be in a designated area that does not interfere with the Coaches line of sight of the pool. For further information check out the article in the booklet 'Frequently Asked Questions'.

Unattached Athletes and Coaches, if the athlete and coach are registered, even under 'unattached', both are insured. However, certificates of insurance for facilities will only be issued to properly registered USA Swimming Clubs.

SWIM COACHES AND LIFE GUARDS WANTED: Summer jobs at the Westford (MA) Swim and Tennis Club. For more information, call 978-846-1138.



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IN THIS ISSUE:

UPDATED NE LONG COURSE CALENDAR; HIGH POINT WINNERS, NE SENIORS and NE OPEN CHAMPIONSHIPS; WINNING SPIRIT CAMP;

ANNUAL MEETING INFO; OPEN WATER/DISTANCE

CAMP; COACHES TEST; DISTANCE AWARDS

POLICY; OFFICIALS' COMMITTEE...

FROM THE BOARD: At the meeting on March 21, 2005, the Board approved a motion presented by Athlete Rep, Ray Grant, concerning the Distance High Point Awards.

DISTANCE HIGH POINT AWARD:

"The Distance High Point Award will be an Athlete Representative Award, presented to the top three male and female finishers in the distance events (400 IM, 500, 1000, 1650 Freestyles) at the Senior meet in the short Course Season, and at the Open meet in the Long Course Season. If there is not a Senior meet in the short Course Season then it will be presented at the Open meet. The award will be an embroidered towel, which the Athletes Reps will be responsible to obtain."

DISTANCE/OPEN WATER CAMP:

The Board also accepted a proposal by Carlton Cronin, Distance/Open Water Coordinator, to have New England Swimming sponsor a series of overnight camps to be held on three weekends in the fall. The camps will be held at Haverhill High School and Stiles Pond, Boxford (weather permitting). These camps will provide the membership of New England Swimming with an excellent opportunity to train for the distance events and open water swimming. Watch for more information and application forms.

The Board of New England Swimming will meet on Tuesday, April 12 at 7 pm at the Wellesley Community Center, Wellesley, MA.

ANNUAL MEETING, Saturday, May 14, 2005

The Annual Meeting of New England Swimming will be held on Saturday, May 14, 2005 at the Wellesley Community Center, Wellesley, MA. Please encourage your team to be well represented. Each team and each Board Member has one vote, but all others are encouraged to attend.

The meeting will begin with Coffee and Registration at 9:00 am, followed by the General Meeting at 9:30 am. The General Meeting will include the budget, election of new board members, reports from committee chairs, discussion of the new USA Swimming Privacy Policy, and other new business. At approximately 11:00 am the group will divide into several meetings—coaches meeting, officials meeting and meet managers meeting (required for all teams running meet for long course 2005 or short course 2005—2006. The coaches meeting will include the election of a new junior coach rep.

Please put this meeting on your calendar and keep the day free for coaches and parents to attend the meeting. The next newsletter will include the slate of officers, the budget, more details about the three special meetings, and directions to the Wellesley Community Center.

If you have any items of business that you would like to discuss at the General Meeting, please contact the Office (office@neswim.com). If you have an item of business to discuss at the Coaches Meeting, please contact one of the coaches reps, Chuck Batchelor (cjbandtess@yahoo.com) or Michelle Bernal (BGSCswimming@yahoo.com). If you are interested in running for the new junior coaches rep, or want to nominate another coach, please contact Chuck or Michelle. Note that attendance is not mandatory for coaches this year, but we hope to have all New England teams send a representative.

HELP WANTED

FULL TIME HEAD COACH/ASSISTANT QUATICS DIRECTOR position vacancy at the YMCA of Greater Westfield. Our program works to instill the four character values of honesty, caring, respect and responsibility within our swimmers as we seek to help them develop physically, mentally and spiritually as individuals. Prefer ASCA Level 2, lifeguard and WSI or YMCA certifications, CPR for the Professional Rescuer and AED and First Aid. Salary range \$22,000--\$28,000 with benefits including retirement, health insurance, life insurance and vacation. Submit cover letter and resume to Rosann Scalise, Director of Program Operations via e-mail at rscalise@westfieldymca.org.

SUMMER LIFEGUARDS (16 years old and over) needed for positions with the Department of Conservation and Recreation for State and Urban Parks throughout Massachusetts. The contact is William P Dunahm, Jr, Director of Special Employment and Outreach, William.dunham@state.ma.us, 617-626-1258, fax 617-626-1448 or check the website http://www.mass.gov/der/

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 Dan Warner, 978-852-3985 SPF: \$3

- June 25-21: *Rams Swimming Club Team Specialty Meet, McDermott Pool, Warwick, RI. Ted Schneider, 401-439-8375
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- July 21-24 *12 and under Age Group Championships North Shore Swim Club, MIT, Cambridge, MA Dan Warner, 978-852-3985
- *Super Sectional Meet, St. Mary's College, St. Mary's, MD July 21-24:
- July 28-31: *New England Swimming Open Championships, North Shore Swim Club, MIT, Cambridge, MA Dan Warner, 978-852-3985
- July 29-31: Greenwood Memorial Swim Club 8 and under End-of-Summer Challenge and Team Specialty Meet, Greenwood Memorial Pool, Gardner, MA No swimmer with an Open Championship cut can enter the meet. Roland Bartl, 978-630-1727
- Aug. 3-7: *Conoco Phillips Nationals, Irvine, CA
- Aug. 9-13: *USA Swimming Junior National Championships, Irvine, CA
- Aug. 10-13: *Eastern Zone Meet, Buffalo, NY
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*long course (50 meter) pool

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OFFICE HOURS: Monday 8 a.m.--2 p.m.; 7:30 p.m.--10 p.m.

Thursday: 8 a.m.--2 p.m.

HIGH POINT AWARDS, NEW ENGLAND SENIOR CHAMPIONSHIPS March 3—6, 2005, Bowdoin College, Brunswick, ME

CONGRATULATIONS to the INDIVIDUAL HIGH POINT WINNERS:

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 Megan Farrell 	BGSC	 Eric Max Butler 	BGSC
2. Jessica Perry	BGSC	2. Kevin Yamada	SAC
3. Jaclyn Porter	SAC	3. Salvatore Barba	SAC
4. Chiara Spinazzola	BOSS	4. Mike Monovoukas	BGSC
5. Jill Kearns	SAC	5. Tom Recko	YNS
6. Caroline Belli	YNS	6. Sasha Dobrolioubov	BGSC
7. Kara Ernst	SSA	7. Sam Wensman	SSA
8. Sarah Ernst	BGSC	8. Patrick Biggs	BGSC

CONGRATULATIONS to the DISTANCE HIGH POINT WINNERS:

1. Jill Kearns	SAC	1. Tom Recko	YNS
2. Sarah Ernst	BGSC	2. Kyle Ernst	SSA
3. Katie John	SSA	3. Mike Monovoukas	BGSC
4. Katie Soja	BGSC	4. Patrick Biggs	BGSC
Jaclyn Porter	SAC	5. Eric Max Butler	BGSC
6. Jessica Sweeney	SSA	6. Robert Porter	SAC
Megan Farrell	BGSC	7. Justin Brooks	SAC
8. Jessica Perry	BGSC	8. Alex Broadbent	SSA

CONGRATULATIONS to the TEAM HIGH POINT WINNERS:

- 1. Bernal's Gator Swim Club
- 2. Shawmut Aquatic Club
- 3. Seacoast Swimming Association
- 4. Bay and Ocean State Squids
- 5. YMCA of the North Shore
- 6. Adirondack Aquatic Club
- 7. North Country Aquatic Club
- 8. Middlebury Area Swimming Association

HIGH POINT AWARDS, NEW ENGLAND OPEN CHAMPIONSHIPS, March 10—14, 2005, MIT, Cambridge, MA

CONGRATULATIONS to the INDIVIDUAL HIGH POINT WINNERS:

OPEN:	 Erica Meissner Kathleen Foley 	MAG 1. Arkady Rasin MAG 2. Nathan Bromage	BOSS HYV
	3. Kate Weaver	GMA 3. Stefan Bartl	MAG
	4. Mariele Dunn	BOSS 4. Peter Buhler	BOSS
	5. Chelsea Downing	CCSC 5. Bjorn Falk	MAG
	6. Caroline Weaver	GMA 6. Brian Schmidt	CCSC
	7. Tressa Dunn	BOSS 7. Andrew Reid	YNS
	8. Kristin Prautzsch	MAG 8. James Fee	BOSS
13—14:	1. Chelsea Downing	CCSC 1. Mike Pryor	GTRS
	2. Caroline Weaver	GMA 2. Thomas Huynh	MELY
	3. Margaret Rosenbaum	SNAP Phil Brady	CUDA
	4. Melissa Parratto	SSA 4. Nick D'Innocenzo	MAG
	5. Kaia Simmons	BOSS 5. Jeffrey Thomas	BOSS
	6. Ellisse Lunde	SSYS 6. Robert Bailey	BOSS
	7. Erin Brady	CUDA 7. Brian Bouvier	YNS
	8. Alex Suppan	BYD 8. Paolo DeLuca	BOSS

CONGRATULATIONS to DISTANCE HIGH POINT WINNERS:

OPEN	 Kathleen Foley 	MAG 1. Stefan Bartl	MAG
	2. Chelsea Downing	CCSC 2. Arkady Rasin	BOSS
	3. Dominique Caissie	MAG 3. Andrew Reid	YNS
	4. Jessica Sweeney	SSA 4. Nick D'Innocenzo	MAG
	5. Emily Sutliff	BOSS 5. Brian Bouvier	YNS
	Molly Kearns	SAC 6. James Fee	BOSS
	7. Erin Gray	MAG 7. Alex Broadbent	SSA
	8. Kathrine Kinnett	MAG 8. Robert Bailey	BOSS

CONGRATULATIONS to the TEAM HIGH POINT WINNERS:

- 1. Magnus Aquatic Group
- 2. Bay and Ocean State Squids
- 3. Seacoast Swimming Association
- 4. Cape Cod Swim Club
- 5. Providence Aquatic Club
- 6. Green Mountain Aquatics
- 7. South Shore YMCA Strypers
- 8. Rams Swimming Club

THANK YOU THANK YOU THANK YOU THANK YOU

Thank you to SSA (John Barbary, meet director) for running the New England Senior Championships at Bowdoin College and to NSSC (Dan Warner, meet director) for running the New England Open Championships at MIT!

New England appreciates the assistance (and hard work) of these meet directors, the parents from their teams, the officials, and the timers from both the host teams and the teams attending the meets. Without your help there would be no championship meets for the swimmers. A special thank you to Mariella Allard who served a Clerk of Course for all three championship meets!

NEW COACH TEST:

USA Swimming has revised the new coach test. The revised test is still based on the "Progressions for Athlete and Coach Development," the "Foundations of Coaching Home Study Course," and the "USA Swimming Rules and Regulations." However, the test coaches will take is new. It is computer generated, drawing from a bank of questions in each section. The order of the answers is also randomized. Therefore, each test will be totally unique to the test-taker.

The test will be taken through the USA Swimming web site and can only be taken on line. A coach must create an account on the USA Swimming website and sign in on the website. The New England Swimming office will be automatically notified when a coach passes the test. If a coach fails the test, each time he or she retakes the test it will be a different test because of the random generation of questions and the random order of the answers.

NEW 2005 NEW ENGLAND SWIMMING CLUB: Congratulations to a new New England Swimming Club:

NORTH COUNTRY NEWTS (NCN) Celeste St. Pierre, PO Box 112, Franconia, NH 03580

Reregistering for 2005 are:

CAMBRIDGE MASTERS SWIM CLUB (CMSC) HARVARD SWIMMING (HARV).

USA SWIMMING CATCH the SPIRIT CAMP May 7, 2005

The Catch the Spirit Camp program is sponsored by U.S.A. Swimming and is designed as a combination of education sessions, social opportunities and water activities. The camp will take place at Wellesley College in Wellesley, Massachusetts and be available for N.E.S. registered swimmers ages 9 through 12. This will be a level I & II camp focusing on creating a learning environment for experienced competitive swimmers. The camp will include two water sessions and several team meetings including topics such as sportsmanship, nutrition, goal setting, time management, basic biomechanics and USA Swimming history. The cost of the oneday camp is \$20.00 (make check payable to: **NE Swimming**). Camp applications are available in the Newsletterplus and on the New England Swimming web site. The camp registration will begin at 8:30 a.m. and conclude by 4:45 p.m. There will also be a "Parents' Clinic" being held from 8:45 a.m. to approximately 1:00 p.m. Take this opportunity to learn more about USA Swimming and being a supportive swim parent!

The staff is made up of coaches from different New England teams. The head coach is Kathy White (AAC), assistant coaches are Carlton Cronin (TNT), Kerri Cunnigham (Rams) and Dave Bott (WBD). For more information regarding the camp, contact Camp Director Amy Parratto parratto@seacoastswimming.com.



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IN THIS ISSUE: ANNUAL MEETING INFO; TIME STANDARDS, LONG COURSE OPEN and 12 & under CHAMPIONSHIPS; ATHLETE REP INFORMATION; ZONES—PARENT INFORMATION and COACH APPLICATION...

ANNUAL MEETING, Saturday, May 14, 2005

The Annual Meeting of New England Swimming will be held on Saturday, May 14, 2005 at the Wellesley Community Center, Wellesley, MA. Please encourage your team to be well represented. Each team has a vote and each Board Member has one vote. There are also several at-large delegates, appointed by the Chairman with the approval of the Board. Each at-large delegate has a vote. All members of the New England Community are encouraged to attend even if they do not have a vote.

ANNUAL MEETING: 9:00 Coffee and Registration

9:30 **General Meeting**, Presentation of Budget, Election of Officers. If you have an item to discuss at the general meeting, contact the New England Office <u>office@neswim.com</u>.

11:00

Meet Managers' Meeting. Teams running a meet (calendar meet or invitational) or planning to run a meet during the next year are required to send a representative to the Meet Manager's Meeting. If your team attended the meeting in October, your attendance does not carry over to this year. So that we can have enough materials, please notify the office (office@neswim.com) if your team is going to attend. (Mariella Allard)

11:00 **Officials' Meeting**: A meeting and clinic for referees will be held. All referees, especially those that have not been to a clinic during the past two years, are encouraged to attend. If you have any questions, please contact Dave LeBlanc (<u>daleblanc9@aol.com</u>) or Scott Doty (<u>csdoty@verizon.net</u>).

11:00 Coaches' Meeting and election of new Junior Representative. If you have items to discuss or are interested in running for the new Junior Representative, contact Michelle Bernal (BGSCswimming@yahoo.com)

continued.....

The next meeting of the Board of Directors of New England Swimming will be on Tuesday, June 14, 2005 at 7 pm at the Wellesley Community Center, Wellesley, MA.

2:00 (or as soon as the Coaches Meeting has finished), a meeting of the **Senior Committee** and a meeting of the **Age Group Committee**.

Please put these meetings on your calendar and keep the day free for coaches and parents to attend the meeting.

DIRECTIONS TO THE WELLESLEY COMMUNITY CENTER, 219 Washington Street (Route 16), Wellesley, MA.

From Route 128 take Route 9 west.. After the second set of lights, turn right at the blinker (the sign says Route 16). At the light at the end of the ramp, stay to the right and cross Route 16 into the parking lot. Be careful, cars on Route 16 are not necessarily expecting you!)

From the west, take Route 9 east. Exit at Wellesley Hills, Route 16. At the lights at the end of the ramp, turn left, cross back over Route 9 and turn left into the driveway which is just beyond the ramp to Route 9.

The Slate of Officers will be available at the Annual Meeting.

NEW ENGLAND SWIMMING ANNUAL COACHES MEETING AGENDA

Ten minutes will be spent on each subject area of discussion.

- 1.) Candidates for Junior Coaches Representative.
- 2.) 8& Under Championships
- 3.) Age Group Championships
- 4.) New England Open
- 5.) New England Seniors
- 6.) Reimbursement Policy
- 7.) Announcement of Junior Coaches Representative

NEW CLUB: Congratulations to another club which has completed the first year club requirements!

MYSTIC VALLEY SWIM CLUB MVS
Alexander Dan

74 Eustis Street Revere, MA 02151

IMPORTANT INFORMATION FROM THE OFFICE:

MEET MANAGERS' MEETING:

ALL TEAMS THAT PLAN TO RUN A NEW ENGLAND SANCTIONED MEET IN LONG COURSE 2005 OR SHORT COURSE 2005—2006 MUST ATTEND THE MEET MANAGERS' MEETING ON MAY 14, 2005. See the Annual Meeting information for more details.

CATCH THE SPIRIT CAMP:

There are still a few spots left in the Catch the Spirit Camp to be held on May 7, 2005 at Wellesley College, Wellesley, MA. The camp is for New England registered swimmers ages 9 through 12 and is designed as a combination of education sessions, social opportunities and water activities. The application and complete information is on the New England web site (www.neswim.com) and in the March Newsletter Plus. Applications will be accepted until May 3. If you have any questions, contact Camp Director, Amy Parratto at parratto@seacoastswimming.com.

REIMBURSEMENT:

There have been some problems with the reimbursement requests that have been received by the office recently.

- 1. Part of the requirement for reimbursement is that the swimmer is required to attend the New England Senior Championships. If a swimmer has not fulfilled that requirement, the swimmer has to submit a request for a waiver to the Board. All requests for waivers are considered following the long course season.
- 2. The reimbursement policy applies to the USA Swimming Junior National meet. The meet that was recently held in Florida is not a USA Swimming meet. There will be a USA Swimming Junior National meet in California in August. That is the meet that is eligible for reimbursement by New England.
- 3. All requests for reimbursement for sectionals must be received within eight weeks.

OFFICE HOURS: Please note that the New England Office will be closed from Sunday, May 15 through Monday, May 30, 2005, and plan your registration, sanction, and other needs accordingly.

NEWSLETTER PLUS SUBSCRIPTIONS: Subscriptions are sent to two members of each team—the club contact and the safety coordinator. Subscriptions are available to other members of the New England Swimming community for \$10 per year. Please send your check to the New England Swimming Office, 20 Cleveland Road, Needham, MA 02492.

Attention All Athletes!

The Board of New England Swimming is looking for a new Junior Athlete Representative. This person will fill Ray's position when he becomes the Senior Athlete Rep in the summer. All swimmers who are entering their junior year of high school in the fall, are actively involved in NE swimming, and have a desire to communicate with and help represent the swimmers of New England are encouraged to apply. It is mandatory for the Athlete Representatives to attend the United Sates Swimming Convention each September (September 13 - 18, 2005 and September 12-17, 2006). All applicants must make a commitment to attend these Conventions during their term as Athlete Representative.

All applicants must write a 1-page essay which includes the following:

- > the qualities that you possess which would make you a good athlete rep
- > the reasons why you want to become athlete rep
- > any other pertinent information

Essays as well as athlete name, and club name can be emailed to Ray Grant at <u>REDswimSOX8@hotmail.com</u>, or they can be mailed to him at:

80 Davis Street Seekonk, MA 02771

All applications are due by May 24, 2005. Athletes will be notified shortly thereafter.

If you have any questions, please contact Ray through email or phone (508-336-9982). Thank you!

QUALIFYING TIMES FOR LONG COURSE, 2005

New England Open Championship Qualifying Times

	Women	1			Men	
SCM	LCM	SCY	Events	SCY	LCM	SCM
29.49	30.19	26.49	50 Free	24.49	28.99	27.19
1:03.89	1:05.89	57.49	100 Free	53.99	1:02.29	59.99
2:17.69	2:23.19	2:03.99	200 Free	1:55.99	2:16.39	2:08.79
4:53.09	5:04.49	5:29.99	400/500 Free	5:15.99	4:52.99	4:40.69
10:16.39	10:32.09	11:34.09	800/1000 Free	11:30.99	10:20.09	10:13.69
19:36.59	19:50.29	19:25.99	1500/1650 Free	19:15.99	19:30.89	19:26.59
1:12.69	1:15.79	1:05.49	100 Back	1:00.99	1:15.49	1:07.79
2:36.69	2:45.49	2:21.09	200 Back	2:15.99	2:43.99	2:30.99
1:22.99	1:26.29	1:14.69	100 Breast	1:13.39	1:24.09	1:21.49
3:00.99	3:09.99	2:42.99	200 Breast	2:41.19	3:08.99	2:58.99
1:11.69	1:12.99	1:04.59	100 Fly	1:00.19	1:12.49	1:06.89
2:39.89	2:49.59	2:23.99	200 Fly	2:27.99	2:48.99	2:44.29
2:35.39	2:44.59	2:19.99	200 IM	2:12.99	2:35.99	2:27.69
5:28.29	5:49.99	4:55.69	400 IM	4:43.49	5:46.09	5:14.69

All times must date from July 22, 2004.

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OFFICE HOURS: Monday: 8 a.m.--2 p.m.; 7:30 p.m.--10 p.m.
Thursday: 8 a.m.--2 p.m.

The New England Swimming Office will be closed for vacation from Sunday, May 15 through Monday, May 30. Please plan accordingly for registrations, sanctions, etc.

New England Age Group Championship

Qualifying Times for Long Course 2005

	Girls		10 & Under	•	Boys	
SCM	LCM	SCY	EVENTS	SCY	LCM	SCM
36.39	37.29	32.69	50 FR	33.59	39.79	37.09
1:19.49	1:23.09	1:12.19	100 FR	1:15.39	1:28.99	1:23.19
2:52.99	2:59.99	2:36.99	200 FR	2:44.49	3:09.99	3:02.09
6:12.49	6:25.59	7:11.39	400/500	7:11.39	6:35.49	6:13.49
43.29	45.19	38.89	50 BK	40.19	47.59	44.39
1:32.39	1:36.89	1:24.09	100 BK	1:28.69	1:45.19	1:38.79
49.29	50.69	44.29	50 BR	47.09	54.69	52.09
1:46.49	1:48.39	1:35.39	100 BR	1:44.29	1:59.59	1:55.89
41.99	44.49	37.69	50 FL	40.89	48.09	45.19
1:38.79	1:46.49	1:29.89	100 FLY	1:40.49	1:50.49	1:50.09
1:31.39		1:22.79	100 IM	1:26.29		1:35.19
3:19.89	3:23.79	3:01.19	200 IM	3:15.69	3:40.49	3:36.29

	Girls		11-12		Boys	
SCM	LCM	SCY	EVENTS	SCY	LCM	SCM
32.09	32.79	28.79	50 FR	29.59	33.69	32.69
1:08.89	1:11.99	1:02.59	100 FR	1:04.49	1:13.99	1:11.19
2:29.39	2:34.19	2:15.59	200 FR	2:19.79	2:37.99	2:34.79
5:14.79	5:22.39	6:04.49	400/500	6:12.79	5:41.49	5:22.69
11:24.99	11:37.09	13:00.99	800/1000	13:00.99	11:37.09	11:23.29
22:30.99	21:47.69	22:30.99	1500/1650	22:30.99	21:47.69	22:30.99
37.92	39.19	34.09	50 BK	35.29	41.49	38.99
1:19.19	1:22.19	1:12.09	100 BK	1:15.49	1:26.99	1:24.09
2:55.89	2:58.19	2:38.69	200 BK	2:48.99	3:11.29	3:07.69
42.39	43.49	38.09	50 BR	38.79	46.49	42.89
1:30.99	1:34.49	1:21.49	100 BR	1:25.49	1:41.39	1:34.99
3:19.09	3:23.69	2:57.99	200 BR	3:09.79	3:35.39	3:42.79
36.19	36.69	32.49	50 FL	33.89	38.79	37.49
1:20.79	1:22.59	1:13.49	100 FLY	1:18.09	1:32.09	1:25.59
3:04.09	3:12.99	2:47.49	200 FL	2:47.49	3:12.99	3:03.29
1:19.59		1:12.09	100 IM	1:14.49		1:22.09
2:49.29	2:54.99	2:33.49	200 IM	2:39.49	3:03.49	2:56.29
6:11.29	6:17.99	5:36.69	400 IM	5:45.99	6:31.69	6:23.09

EASTERN ZONE ALL STAR SWIM MEET NEW ENGLAND SWIMMING

August 10-13, 2005

Erie Community College Flickinger Aquatic Center and University of Buffalo Alumni Arena Pool in Buffalo, NY

New England Summer Long Course Zone Team Parent Information

To participate in the zone meet, New England swimmers must complete an application and submit it to the verification table at the 12 & Under meet at MIT or the Open meet at MIT. Swimmers and parents may NOT enter the meet on their own. This is a New England Team Travel event.

Meet Application for New England Swimmers (Adobe PDF)

Coach Application for New England Coaches (Adobe PDF) SORI/CORI check required

Chaperone Application for \ Parents (Adobe PDF) SORI/CORI check required

Time Standards (Adobe PDF)

Watch the web site for the

Order of Events (Adobe PDF)

remaining forms and the

Official Meet Web Site

time standards.

Special Travel Information: The New England Zone Team (all swimmers ages 11 and older) will travel to the meet as a team. All 10 and younger swimmers will travel to the meet with their parents. 10 and under parents will be 100 per cent responsible for food, lodging and transportation for their swimmers.

Swimmers must arrive on time for their assigned warm-up each day and will be completely cared for at the meet on deck by the coaches. All parents may volunteer to officiate or time in order to be on deck at the meet. Otherwise, all parents must view the meet from the spectator seating area. Only parents who are assigned New England Zone Team chaperones may be seating with the team on deck.

Dates: August 10-13, 2005 (Wednesday – Saturday)

Location: Erie Community College Flickinger Aquatics Center, Buffalo, NY for 13 and Over prelims and finals for 11-12, 13-14 and 15-18. University of Buffalo Alumni Arena Pool for 10 and Under timed finals and 11-12 prelims.

Facilities: Erie Community College Flickinger Aquatics Center, 21 Oak Street, Buffalo, NY 14203. The Flickinger Aquatics Center has an 8-lane 50-meter pool with a 5-lane 25-yard pool for warm-up and warm-down.

University of Buffalo Alumni Arena Pool, North Campus, Amherst, NY, 14226. The Alumni Arena Pool has an 8-lane, 50-meter pool with a 20-yard diving pool for warm-up and warm-down.

Warm-up: Lanes will be assigned to each LSC. We are required to warm-up at our designated time in our designated lane. All swimmers participating in the session, including relays, are to swim in warm-up with the team or risk being scratched from the meet. Swimmers not participating in the session are to attend the entire session, providing great team spirit and support of the New England Team. All 11 and older swimmers will attend finals as a team.

EASTERN ZONE ALL STAR SWIM MEET NEW ENGLAND SWIMMING

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Practice time: The pool will be open for team practices on Tuesday, August 9th. The New England practice time will be determined later. All New England team members will attend our practice session and warm-up as a team.

Volunteer Responsibilities: Each LSC is required to provide one official and two timers per session. All New England chaperones will be required to time or officiate at most of the sessions.

Trials and Finals: For all 11 and older swimmers, the top 8 swimmers from the preliminary sessions will be required to race in finals in the evening. All 10 and under events will be swum as timed finals. All 11 and older relays will be swum at finals at night. All 10 and under relays will be swum in the morning session as timed finals.

Meet Times: To be determined

Programs and Admission: To be determined

Parking: Parking will be available in the college parking lots at the University of Buffalo. Parking will be available at various rates in large municipal lots adjacent to the Flickinger Aquatic Center.

Swimmer Conduct: Proper conduct at all times will be enforced by the coaches, chaperones, parents, meet marshals, and meet directors. Any swimmer found in marked out-of-bounds areas will be barred from the remainder of the meet. All trip rules and regulations will be set at the New England Zone Team Meeting prior to the trip. Swimmers who fail to abide by the trip rules will be subject to immediately dismissal from the trip at the full expense of the child's family.

Coaches and Chaperones: In order to abide by Massachusetts State Law, all coaches and chaperones will be required to have a SORI/CORI check completed by New England Swimming through the State of Massachusetts.

Team Hotel:

Adam's Mark Hotel, Downtown Buffalo (10 minutes from the pool) 1-800-367-7478

Team room block rate to be determined.

PLEASE NOTE:

This is a New England Team travel event. All 11 and older swimmers, coaches and chaperones must travel together on the team busses to Buffalo. While in Buffalo, we will travel as a team to all preliminary sessions. All 11 and older swimmers will travel as a team to all finals sessions. Any swimmer who wishes to leave the meet with a parent must submit a written request to the coaches before the start of the trip. No swimmer will be allowed to leave the trip unless it is authorized by a New England coach and the swimmer's parents.

We will have a team meeting and practice in August.

Swimmers who wish to compete in the Eastern Zone Open Water Swimming Competition may do so at their own expense. New England Swimming will not be responsible for meet entry, staffing or supervision of any kind for this competition.



NEWSLETTER PLUS



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MAY/JUNE 2005

IN THIS ISSUE:

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YEAR INFORMATION.....

ELECTION and APPOINTMENT OF NEW OFFICERS, BOARD MEMBERS and COMMITTEE MEMBERS:

At the Annual Meeting on May 14, 2005, the following Board Members were elected:

Treasurer:

Carol Healey

Technical Planning Chairman:

Dan Warner

Age Group Chairman:

Laura Matuszak

The following committees were elected:

Nominating Committee:

Mariella Allard

Bruce Mohl

Everett Crosscup

Pam Warner

Jeff Johnson

Board of Review:

Priscilla Davis

Bruce Mohl

Ray J Grant

Alternate:

Kathy Oates Dacey

At the coaches' meeting Matt Craven was elected the new Junior Coach Rep.

At the Board Meeting on June 14, the following at-large board members were named:

Mariella Allard

Kevin Tyrrell

Ev Crosscup

Pam Warner

Scott Doty

The Board of New England Swimming will meet on Tuesday, July 19, 2005 at 7 pm at the Wellesley Community Center, Wellesley, MA.

NEWSLETTER PLUS MAY/JUNE 2005

The following is a summary of the new NES Policy for Designation and Assignment of Championship Meet Officials. The full policy statement is published on the NES web site and has been mailed to all NES teams. The purpose of this policy is to codify past practice and policy of New England Swimming in regards to the operations of its championship meets.

Summary: Policy for Designation and Assignment of Championship Meet Officials June 2005

New England Swimming shall designate key officials for its Championship Meets including The Senior Championship; The Open Championship; The 13 and Older Age Group Championship; and, The 12 and Under Age Group Championship Meets. The Designated Official position(s) will include as a minimum, the Meet Referee and also Administrative Referee and Clerk of the Course for meets with trials and finals. The Designated Official list for some meets may be expanded to include Announcer, Head Deck Referee, Head Starter, Lead Chief Judge and Timing Judge. NES will compensate the Meet Referee with a stipend and if necessary, expense reimbursement for lodging and parking and meals. If necessary, a similar expense reimbursement shall be provided by NES to the Administrative Referee and the Clerk of the Course.

In advance of each season the NES Board will identify the meets for which it shall designate key officials and the official positions that will be Designated Official positions. Teams or meet management organizations bidding on these meets will be certain of the officials that will be designated and supplied by NES. New England Swimming championship meet bidding forms, compensation schedule and related documents will be modified to reflect this policy.

The Officials Committee shall select the Designated Officials and present its recommendations to the Senior Committee Chair; or to the Age Group Committee Chair; and to the Meet Director for review, discussion and confirmation. The Senior or Age Group Chair and Meet Director shall confirm the selection unless they identify a valid and compelling reason to question the recommendation. If necessary, conflicts of opinion shall be worked out in consultation with the NES General Chair.

Other officiating positions, Assigned Official positions, at championship meets may be filled by written applications to the Officials Committee Chair. Officials that do not apply for Assigned Official positions will be most welcome to participate at the championship meets but should understand that they may not be asked to serve in their highest certification level if opportunities to serve in those positions are filled by officials that submitted applications.

The host team or meet management organization shall identify a Meet Referee for championship meets that are not selected by the NES Board for designation of officials. Meet Referees identified by host teams or meet management organizations shall be subject to review and confirmation by the Officials Committee. If an Assigned Official application process is not used for a meet, all officiating positions will be assigned at the meet by the Meet Referee or another official with this responsibility delegated by the Meet Referee.



2005-2006 Short Course Calendar

Meet bids are due July 29, 2005. [**Download Meet Bid Application**] We encourage you to use the **Meet Invitation Template**. Please be aware of the new **Swimmer Participation Fee policy**.

Please be aware of the new **Policy for Designation and Assignment of Championship Meet Officials**. Bids for End-of-Season Meets will be listed here as they are received.

September 9-11	TNT SCY/OW	New England Swimming Distance Camp Haverhill High School, Haverhill MA and local open water site	Carlton Cronin (cronin0209@aol.com) 978-521-4751
September 13-18		USA Swimming Convention Greensboro NC	
October 7-9	TNT SCY/OW	New England Swimming Distance Camp — Haverhill High School, Haverhill MA and local open water site	Carlton Cronin (cronin0209@aol.com) 978-521-4751
October 23		New England Swimming Top 10 Banquet	Mary Riddell (office@neswim.com) 781-449-0270
November 11-13	TNT SCY	New England Swimming Distance Camp Haverhill High School, Haverhill MA	Carlton Cronin (cronin0209@aol.com) 978-521-4751
ecember 8-11	SCY	New England Senior Championships One site, 3½ day meet Designated Officials: Meet Referee, Admin Referee, Cler Designation as an Officials National Certificiation Meet is Bids Received: None	
February 17-19	SCY	New England Regional Meets Four sites, 2½ day meet Bids Received: None	
February 23-26	SCY	New England 12 & Under Championships One site, 3½ day meet; 10 & Under timed finals; 11-12 tr. Designated Officials: Meet Referee, Admin Referee, Cler Bids Received: None	
March 2-5	SCY	New England 13-19 Age Group Championships One site: 3½ day meet; 13-14 trials/finals, 15-19 trials/fin Designated Officials: Meet Referee, Admin Referee, Clei Bids Received: None	
March 9-12	BOSS SCY	Speedo Championship Series (Sectionals) Harvard University, Boston MA	Tim Murphy (tdmurphy@fas.harvard.edu) 617-495-2268
March 28 ₅ April 1	LCM ·	USA Swimming Club Championships (Nationals) Federal Way WA	

NEW ENGLAND SWIMMING SHORT COURSE 2005-2006 SEASON MEET BID APPLICATION

Due: July 29, 2005

Please submit a separate application for each meet that you are bidding on. Date of requested meet: Meet Director: Phone Number: E-Mail: Address: Meet Referee (*):______Phone Number:_____ Head Coach: Phone Number: E-Mail:_____ Type of Meet: List at least one alternate date: Facility: Location: Depth of Pool at starting end: turning end: Height of Blocks above water: Parking: Cost: Person to contact to discuss bid: E-Mail: Officials' Liaison (***): ______ Phone: _____ E-Mail: Swimmer Participation Fee (**): per swimmer.

- * For Championship Meets (Senior, Age Group, Open Championships), the Meet Referee field should be left blank, as the Meet Referee will be designated as specified in the Policy for Designation and Assignment of Championship Meet Officials. For other meets (including Calendar and Regional meets), the Meet Referee will be proposed by the host team.
- ** For complete information, refer to the "Swimmer Participation Fee" document.
- *** The Officials' Liaison should be the team's primary contact for the Officials' chairman. The Officials' Liaison should also be the person on the team that encourages and coordinates the certification and advancement of officials. When the team runs a meet, the Officials' liaison will play a key role in getting officials from other teams to attend and work at the meet.

Please send a copy of this form with a copy of a complete meet invitation with all up to date information to each of the following to be received by July 29, 2005. You may submit by e-mail.

Bob Gauvin, Calendar Chair 1 Riverside Drive Mattapoisett, MA 02739 Gauvin1@comcast.net

Dan Warner, Technical Chair 19 Fenley Road Gloucester, MA 01930 NSSC1@aol.com Mary Riddell, Sanction Chair 20 Cleveland Road Needham, MA 02492 office@neswim.com

ASCA Age Group Coach of the Year Criteria

The ASCA Age Group Coach of the Year must be a coach who:

- 1. Works primarily with 14 and younger swimmers
- 2. Is entirely responsible for the development and advancement of his/her 14 and younger swimmers
- 3. Has 14 and younger swimmers who are achieving a high level of success in New England and National level swimming

We will accept only one vote per team and we ask that you vote specifically for a TEAM other than your won. Votes for the 2005 New England ASCA Age Group Coach of the Year are due to the New England Senior Coach Representative by August 1, 2005 (the last day of the Open Championship Meet.

Michelle Bernal, Senior Coach Rep, bgscswimming@yahoo.com.

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LONG COURSE ZONE TEAM INFORMATION:

Preliminary hotel information:

Holiday Inn

1881 Niagra Falls Boulevard

Amherst, NY 14228 (716-691-8181)

Rooms are \$96.00 per night plus tax. 20 rooms for the 10 and under families. Reserve under New England Zone 10 and under team by July 9, 2005. 30 rooms for the New England 11 and older Zone Team.

The hotel is 8 miles from the downtown ECC pool and approximately 2 or 3 miles from the UB pool.



MUTUAL OF OMAHA DUEL IN THE POOL

to be held on August 2, 2005 at the Woollett Aquatic Center in Irvine, CA. The dual meet format will feature the United States vs. Australia Telstra Dolphins. The worldwide distribution of television coverage includes NBC in the US. NBC air dates are August 6 from 4:30 pm to 6 pm and August 7 from 1 pm to 2:30 pm. Plan your viewing time now for this exciting meet.

REGISTRATION ISSUES:

FEES: Note the page of this newsletter that details the new registration fees. The 2006 registration year will begin on September 1, 2005. Any person or team registering after that date will be registered for 2006 which will cover the period from the date of registration through December 31, 2006. Since we have new fees, please do not use any 2005 forms for 2006.

APPLICATION FORMS: As was announced at the Annual Meeting, there will be two other changes on the forms. The areas of the application that say "make check payable to" and "mail application & payment to" will both say "your club." All applications must be sent by the club and all fees must be paid by one club check. Clubs may continue to print forms from their Hytek program, but be sure to make the forms conform with the current 2006 application form. Teams may submit registrations by email using their Hytek program.

REGISTRATION CHAIRS: All teams will receive a form in early August which will ask for club information, including the name of the registration chair. When a club sends that information to the office and the registration forms have been received from USA Swimming (usually mid-August), registration materials will be forwarded to the club.

FIRST YEAR TEAMS AND CLUBS: Remember that first year coaches must complete the education requirement before they reregister for their second year. A first year club must take the club business course before it reregisters for the second year.

A CLBMS course, required of new clubs, helpful for all clubs, will be held in Adirondack on June 26. Contact Ira Klein (iklein@usaswimming.org) for more information and to register.

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7:30 p.m.--10 p.m. OFFICE HOURS: Monday : 8 a.m.--2 p.m.;

Thursday: 8 a.m.--2 p.m.

NEWSLETTER PLUS SUBSCRIPTIONS: Subscriptions are sent to two members of each team—the club contact and the safety coordinator. Subscriptions are available to other members of the New England Swimming community for \$10 per year. Please send your check to the New England Swimming Office, 20 Cleveland Road, Needham, MA 02492.

REGISTRATION FEES FOR 2006:

At the Board Meetings of New England Swimming in March and April the following registration fees for 2006 were accepted. For comparison purposes, the current 2005 have also been listed.

ATHLETE FEES:

2006: \$55 (\$42 to USA Swimming, \$13 to New England Swimming) 2005: \$50 (\$41 to USA Swimming, \$9 to New England Swimming)

OUTREACH FEE: \$5 with verification that the swimmer receives free lunch at school.

NON ATHLETE FEES:

INDIVIDUAL:

2006: \$55 (\$42 to USA Swimming, \$13 to New England Swimming) 2005: \$45 (\$41 to USA Swimming, \$4 to New England Swimming)

FAMILY:

2006: \$90 (\$80 to USA Swimming, \$10 to New England Swimming)

2005: \$80 (\$77.50 to USA Swimming, \$ 2.50 to New England Swimming)

SPORT MEDICINE:

2006: \$55 (\$50 to USA Swimming, \$5 to New England Swimming) 2005: \$55 (\$50 to USA Swimming, \$5 to New England Swimming)

LIFE:

2006: \$755 (\$750 to USA Swimming, \$5 to New England Swimming) 2005: \$755 (\$750 to USA Swimming, \$5 to New England Swimming)

CLUBS:

2006: \$175 before 12/01/2005 (\$154 to USA Swimming, \$21 to New England Swimming)

\$225 after 12/01/2005 (\$154 to USA Swimming, \$71 to New England Swimming)

2005: \$165 before 12/01/2004 (\$152 to USA Swimming, \$13 to New England Swimming)

\$200 after 12/01/2004 (\$152 to USA Swimming, \$48 to New England Swimming)

The CLUB fee includes the fee for two non members, the head coach and the safety coordinator. A new club pays the \$175 fee at any time it registers.

These fees will take effect as of September 1, 2005. Clubs, athletes, and non athletes that register after September 1, 2005 will pay the new fees but will be registered from the time they register through December 31. 2006. The Board also voted that all registrations will come through the club and only club checks will be accepted.

New England Swimming 2006 Budget

Registrations	\$ 387,200
Surcharges	55,000
Sanction Fees	5,000
Top Ten / Records	500
DQ Slips	500
Newsletter / Subscriptions	300
Interest	1,200
Zone Income	15,000
Banquet Income	6,000
Total Income	\$ 470,700

Expenses

Registrations	\$ 298,800
Office	
Salary	23,625
Payroll Taxes & Insurance	7,350
Office Equipment	500
Petty Cash	500
Postage	3,000
Printing	3,000
Telephone	1,200
Office Supplies	500
Audit	2,000
Athlete Support	
National Meet Reimbursement	10,000
Zones	35,000
Banquet Expenses	10,000
All Athlete Fund	1,500
Athlete Committee	600
Awards	5,000
Officials.	
Officials Committee	4,000
National Meet Reimbursement	3,000
Safety Committee	1,000
NE LSC Meetings	1,500
Coaches	
Coach's Clinics	1,000
National Meet Reimbursement	3,000
Camps	7,300
Meet Subsidies	20,000
Conventions	7,000
US Swimming Meetings / Travel	6,500
Other	1,500
Web Site	10,000
Total Expenses	\$ 468 375

Total Expenses

468,375

Anticipated Surplus

\$ 2,325

Notes: Registrations based on 6000 members, 800 non athlete members and 80 teams.

US Swimming Meetings / Travel budgeted for General Chair, Age Group Chair, Officials Chair workshops and general LSC management meetings

Camp Fee increased for distance camps

Minor adjustments made for items such as meetings, zones banquet expenses

Championship Awards to be purchased in 2007





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JULY 2005

IN THIS ISSUE: HIGH POINT WINNERS AT NE OPEN and 12 and under CHAMPIONSHIPS; PLANS of GRADUATING SENIORS; REGISTRATION INFO; COURSES FOR COACHES...

CONGRATULATIONS to: MEI HAN, MTSC, who was voted by the coaches as New England's Age Group Coach of the year.

SOPHIA SLOTE, SNAP, who was selected as the new Junior Athlete Rep by the Board

CHUCK BATCHELOR, who was appointed an at-large Board member at the July Board meeting.

Chuck was appointed to fill the position vacated by the resignation of Kevin Tyrrell who has accepted a position as National Team Coach in St. Croix. Thank you to Kevin for his past service to New England.

THANK YOU to DAN WARNER, the NSSC parents, and all the New England Officials and timers who worked so hard to make the 12 and under Age Group Championships and New England Open Championships a success for all the New England Swimmers who qualified for the meets.

REGISTRATION INFORMATION is in this issue. The middle of the month letters will go out to all teams with further information and a form asking for team information, including the name of the team registration chair. When this form is returned to the office, registration materials will be sent to the team. Returning the form is mandatory!

TOP 10 TIMES FOR EIGHT AND UNDERS: New England will be using SWIMS again this year to compute the Top Ten Times. However, since USA Swimming does not recognize eight and under as an age group, this age has to be done by hand. If you have times for eight and unders from sanctioned meets other than New England Calendar meets, the times must be submitted to the office IMMEDIATELY! You do not need to submit the whole meet. You may submit just the appropriate page(s). Be sure to include a cover page.

The Board of New England Swimming will meet on Tuesday, September 6, 2005 at 7 pm at the Wellesley Community Center, Wellesley, MA.

REGISTRATION for 2006:

USA Swimming registration for 2006 will begin on September 1, 2005. Athletes and non-athletes who register for 2006 after September will be registered for the rest of 2005 and all of 2006. Current 2005 registrations will be valid until December 31, 2005.

ATHLETE MEMBERSHIP

For 2006 all athlete registrations forms and fees must be submitted to the club registration chairman. The club registration chairman will then forward the forms with a club check to the New England Swimming office. This year the athlete membership forms will tell applicants to make checks to "your club" and mail forms to "your club." Unattached swimmers will register directly with the New England Swimming office and may use personal checks. FEE: \$55

NON-ATHLETE MEMBERSHIP

TO BE REGISTERED AS A COACH MEMBER: All coaches must have current cards for First Aid, CPR, and Safety Training for Swim Coaches (or Lifeguard Training). COPIES of both sides of cards for these three courses must accompany all coach applications unless current cards are on file in the office. Otherwise, a non-athlete, non-coach card will be issued. The first Aid, CPR, and STFSC expiration dates will appear on the registration card. The earliest of the expiration dates will also appear on the front of the coach membership card. When a certificate is expiring, the office needs up to two weeks to issue a new card. Coaches who were registered for the first time after September 1, 1998 must complete the education requirement before they can reregister for 2006. The test is now on the USA Swimming web site: www.usaswimming.org. New England Swimming requires that all coaches display their cards when on deck at meets. FEE: \$55

TO BE REGISTERED AS AN OFFICIAL: All officials must send a COPY of both sides of their officials' certification card when they submit their 2006 application for registration. It must indicate service in a minimum of four sessions in at least two New England Swimming calendar meets in the past 12 month. Apprentice sessions do not fulfill this renewal requirement. New officials may apply for the "official" notation on their card and their patch when they have completed their apprenticeship. Officials who do not submit a copy of the "officials' certification" card will be listed as "other." New England Swimming requires that all officials display their cards on deck at meets. Registration forms will not be sent to non-athletes this year but will be available through the club and on the web site. FEE: \$55.

NOTE: The Family Fee (\$90) is a non-athlete fee and does not include swimmers.

If you have any questions, contact the New England Swimming office at 781-449-0270 or office@neswim.org.

HIGH POINT WINNERS, 12 and under CHAMPIONSHIPS:

CONGRATULATIONS to the HIGH POINT WINNERS at the 12 and under CHAMPIONSHIPS at MIT:

10 and unders:

1. Emma Nuzzo	BOSS	1. Henry Loong	MTSC
2. Margaret D'Innocenzo		2. Scott McGinty	ANA
3. Bianca Spinazzola		3. Joseph Hibbert	UN
4. Mary Keough		4. Evan Grey	GMA
5. Christa Weaver		5. Justin Liu	MTSC
6. Christina Denbow	MST	6. Adrien Hosking	GTRS
7. Angelica Spinazzola	BOSS	7. Andrew Klobucher	YNS
8. Christiana Greco	MTSC	8. Antony Hubbard	LRW

11 and 12:

1. Sara Li	MTSC	1. Roy Sung	SAC
2. Erica Belcher	MAG	2. Patrick Myers	AAC
3. Evan Fabian	GTRS	3. Luca Spinazzola	BOSS
4. Rachel Moore	ANA	4. Matthew Nutter	YNS
5. Katie Kaspar	MAG	5. Edwin Angjeli	SSYS
6. Rebecca Aiello	BGSC	6. Jun Oh	MAG
7. Shannon Bender	MAG	7. Dimitrius McCoy-Palmer	BOSS
8. Katherine Foley	YNS	8. Matthew Meier	SNAP

TEAM HIGH POINT:

1.	Magnus Aquatic Group	5. Shawmut Aquatic Club
2.	Bay and Ocean State Squids	6. Andover/North Andover YMCA
3.	Bernal's Gator Swim Club	7. YMCA of the North Shore
	Mei's Typhoons Swim Club	8 Adirondack Aquatic Club

HIGH POINT WINNERS, OPEN CHAMPIONSHIPS:

CONGRATULATIONS to the HIGH POINT WINNERS at the OPEN CHAMPIONSHIPS at MIT:

13 and 14:

1. Melissa Parratto	SSA 1. Nick D'Innocenzo	MAG
2. Chiara Spinazzola	BOSS 2. Jeffrey Thomas	BOSS
3. Kaia Simmons	BOSS Robert Dowd	BGSC
4. Christina Moore	SSA 4. Gregory Michels	BGSC
5. Chelsea Downing	CCSC 5. Ray Estrada	AAC
6. Caroline Weaver	GMA 6. Phil Brady	CUDA
7. Erin Brady	CUDA 7. Graham Eve	BOSS
8. Maggie Rosenbaum	SNAP 8. Taylor Grey	GMA

OPEN:

1. Christine Kaufmann	BOSS 1. Vinny Pryor	GTRS
2. Lindsey Woodward	BOSS 2. Michael Sullivan	MAG
3. Chiara Spinazzola	BOSS 3. Nick Lake	PAC
4. Megan Farrell	BGSC 4. Sam Wensman	SSA
5. Laura Moriarty	CUDA 5. Kevin Yamada	SAC
6. Meaghan Colling	SAC 6. Arkady Rasin	BOSS
7. Jill Kearns	SAC 7. James Fee	BOSS
8. Kristin Prautzsch	CUDA Kyle Ernst	SSA

DISTANCE HIGH POINTS:

1. Christine Kaufmann	BOSS	1. Nick Lake	PAC
2. Katelyn Martin	MAG	2. Vinny Pryor	GTRS
3. Jill Kearns	SAC	3. Michael Sullivan	MAG

TEAM HIGH POINT:

- 1. New England Barracudas
- 2. Seacoast Swimming Association
- 3. Bernal's Gator Swim Club
- 4. Magnus Aquatic Group
- 5. Bay and Ocean State Squids
- 6. Shawmut Aquatic Club
- 7. Cape Cod Swim Club
- 8. Providence Aquatic Club



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USA Swimming Coaches Safety Curriculum 2005--2006 Requirements and Equivalents

Effective since 1988, all coach members are required to fulfill safety training requirements as established by the USA Swimming Board of Directors. USA Swimming currently requires coach members to hold current certification cards for the following courses: Safety Training for Swim Coaches, CPR and First Aid.

ARC/USOC Sport Safety Training is recommended by USA Swimming because of its coaching specific content and materials. This course includes Adult CPR, fulfilling both the first aid and CPR requirements for coach membership.

Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation (CPR)

Any one of the following courses will satisfy the requirement:

American Red Cross: (all ARC CPR courses are good for one year) (<u>NO instructor certifications are acceptable</u>)

- Adult CPR (4 hours)
- Adult CPR/AED
- Community CPR (6.5 hours) (includes adult, infant and child CPR)
- CPR for the Professional Rescuer (9 hours)

American Heart Association: (all AHA CPR cards are good for two years)

- Advanced Cardiac Life Support (ACLS)
- Basic Life Support (BLS) for the Health Care Provider (card will read "Healthcare Provider")
- Heartsaver CPR (Adult and/or Child; Infant only is not acceptable)
 (USA Swimming does NOT accept "Heartsaver" or "Heartsaver AED")
- Any AHA Basic Life Support Instructor or Instructor Trainer for the courses listed above

National Safety Council: (NSC CPR courses are good for either one or two years, depending on the training agency)

- Adult CPR
- First Responder (includes First Aid)

Jeff Ellis & Associates:

- Water Safety+ (4 hour course includes First Aid)
- National Pool & Waterpark Lifeguard Training Program (one year certification, includes First Aid)

CPR Courses offered by other organizations:

- AAOS (Amer Acad of Orthopaedic Surgeons) Emergency Care & Safety Institute CPR (two year cert)
- American Safety & Health Institute (ASHI) CPR Pro
- American Safety & Health Institute (ASHI) CPR/AED for the Community and Workplace (two year cert)
- Medic First Aid (course includes First Aid) (coach must also submit a completed, scored test signed by the course instructor)
- E.M.S. Safety Services CPR
- Emergency Medical Technician (EMT) Basic (course includes First Aid)
- Save-A-Life Educators: CPR
- Tacoma Fire Department First Aid & CPR Course (course includes First Aid)
- University Training Centers, Inc. Healthcare Provider BLS (C)

First Aid

Any one of the following courses will satisfy the requirement:

American Red Cross: (NO instructor certifications are acceptable)

- ARC/USOC Sport Safety Training (6.5 hours with Adult CPR; 7 hrs with elective Child CPR)
- Community First Aid & Safety (9 hours) (includes Community CPR)
- First Aid Responding to Emergencies (23.5 hrs) (includes Adult and/or Infant/Child CPR)
- First Aid Basics
- Emergency Response (43.5 hrs) (includes CPR for the Professional Rescuer)
- Lifequard Training (includes CPR for the Professional Rescuer)
- Standard First Aid/CPR/AED (includes Adult CPR)

American Safety & Health Institute:

- Adult Basic First Aid (4 hour course)
- Universal Basic First Aid (4-6 hours)

National Safety Council: (NSC FA certifications are good for two or three years, depending on the training agency)

- First Aid
- First Responder (includes CPR)

Jeff Ellis & Associates:

- Water Safety+ (4 hour course includes First Aid)
- National Pool & Waterpark Lifeguard Training Program (one year certification, includes First Aid)

First Aid courses offered by other organizations:

- AAOS (Amer Acad of Orthopaedic Surgeons) Emergency Care & Safety Institute First Aid
- Emergency Medical Technician (EMT) Basic (includes CPR)
- Medic First Aid (includes CPR) (coach must also submit a completed, scored test signed by the course instructor)
- E.M.S. Safety Services First Aid
- Life Education of Florida First Aid for All Ages: A Common Sense Approach
- Save-A-Life Educators: First Aid
- Tacoma Fire Department First Aid & CPR Course (includes CPR)
- University Training Centers, Inc. Standard First Aid

Safety Training For Swim Coaches

Any one of the following courses will satisfy the requirement:

American Red Cross: (NO instructor certifications are acceptable)

- Safety Training for Swim Coaches (8 hour course)
- Safety Training for Swim Coaches Review Course (4 hour renewal course)
- Lifeguard Training (may be referred to as Lifeguarding Today on some certifications)

Jeff Ellis & Associates:

National Pool & Waterpark Lifeguard Training Program (one year certification, includes First Aid)

YMCA Lifeguarding

REGISTRATION FEES FOR 2006:

At the Board Meetings of New England Swimming in March and April the following registration fees for 2006 were accepted. For comparison purposes, the current 2005 have also been listed.

ATHLETE FEES:

2006: \$55 (\$42 to USA Swimming, \$13 to New England Swimming)

2005: \$50 (\$41 to USA Swimming, \$ 9 to New England Swimming)

OUTREACH FEE: \$5 with verification that the swimmer receives free lunch at school.

NON ATHLETE FEES:

INDIVIDUAL:

2006: \$55 (\$42 to USA Swimming, \$13 to New England Swimming)

2005: \$45 (\$41 to USA Swimming, \$4 to New England Swimming)

FAMILY:

2006: \$90 (\$80 to USA Swimming, \$10 to New England Swimming)

2005: \$80 (\$77.50 to USA Swimming, \$ 2.50 to New England Swimming)

SPORT MEDICINE:

2006: \$55 (\$50 to USA Swimming, \$5 to New England Swimming)

2005: \$55 (\$50 to USA Swimming, \$5 to New England Swimming)

LIFE:

2006: \$755 (\$750 to USA Swimming, \$5 to New England Swimming)

2005: \$755 (\$750 to USA Swimming, \$5 to New England Swimming)

CLUBS:

2006: \$175 before 12/01/2005 (\$154 to USA Swimming, \$21 to New England Swimming)

\$225 after 12/01/2005 (\$154 to USA Swimming, \$71 to New England Swimming)

2005: \$165 before 12/01/2004 (\$152 to USA Swimming, \$13 to New England Swimming)

\$200 after 12/01/2004 (\$152 to USA Swimming, \$48 to New England Swimming)

The CLUB fee includes the fee for two non members, the head coach and the safety coordinator. A new club pays the \$175 fee at any time it registers.

These fees will take effect as of September 1, 2005. Clubs, athletes, and non athletes that register after September 1, 2005 will pay the new fees but will be registered from the time they register through December 31. 2006. The Board also voted that all registrations will come through the club and only club checks will be accepted.

FUTURE PLANS OF NEW ENGLAND SWIMMING'S GRADUATING SENIORS:

During the final session of the New England Open Championship this summer, New England Swimming, represented by the athlete reps, Ray Grant and Sophia Slote, honored the following graduating seniors who were present at the time.

AAC	Mike Ariel	Ithaca College
	Ryan Clark	Providence College
	Heather Jankins	Dartmouth College
	Megan Toney	Duke University
BGSC	Mary Dooe	Columbia University
	Eric Driver	The Marvel Wood Prep School (PG)
BOSS	Thomas Bailey	Harvard University (2006)
	Benjamin Bonte	Johns Hopkins University
	Don Kimball	Kalamazoo College
	Michael Langelier	US Coast Guard Academy
	Alex Quinn	St. Bonaventure University
	Arkady Rasin	Brown University
	Danielle Seltzer	Kenyon College
CMC	Sarah Connell	Fordham University
CUDA	Sara Aiello	University of Pennsylvania
	Tressa Dunn	Mercersburg Academy (PG)
	Robert Lazar	Emory University
	Steve Miller	Rutgers University
	Eric Nilsson	Northwestern University
	David Russell	U of California/Berkeley
	Mike Toran	The Peddie School (PG)
MAG	Laura Ginish	James Madison University
	Peter Gollands	Syracuse University
	Rhynn Malloy	University of Kansas
	Jenn McDermott	Seton Hall University
	Casey Renner	Florida Southern
MST	Kendra Decelle	University of Pittsburgh
	Carolyn O'Hara	Wellesley College
	Chris Walczyk	Rochester Institute of Technology
NWSC	Elizabeth Belmont	Springfield College
PAC	Francie Free	University of Pennsylvania
PSC	Alex Doty	Northeastern University
RAMS	Blair Flynn	Providence College
	Dan Lathrop	Colgate University
	Cara Zapatka	Northeastern University
RAYS	Sam Herman	Colby Sawyer College
SAC	Ivor Asztalos	Tufts University
	Sal Barba	University of Michigan
	Meghan Healey	University of Connecticut
•	Jackie Porter	University of Massachusetts/Amherst

SSA	Kara Ernst	Rutgers University
	Brittany Frank	University of Connecticut
	Josh Haydon	undecided
	Katrina Maloney	University of New Hampshire
	Jen Silva	Marist College
	Andrew Sweeney	George Washington University
	Casey Whittaker	Hartwick College
WW	Cal Brokamp	Boston College
	Brian Conely	Loyola/New Orleans
	Jack Folcarelli	Fairfield University
	Mike McNulty	Boston College

The plans of the following graduating seniors have been reported to the office:

BGSC	Katie Fritsch	Princeton University
	Rebecca Harris	Cornell University
	Cornieleke Lammers	Middlebury College
CCSC	Alyssa Catalano	University of Vermont
CCYM	Kierstin Kean	Clark University
CMC	Brian Beahn	University of Connecticut
	Erving Colon	University of Southern Florida
	Nicole Luukko	University of Hawaii
	Mindy Swanson	University of Massachusetts/Amherst
CUDA	Keri-Ann Arsenault	Simmons College
	Kait Strickland	University of Minnesota
GMA	Eliza Callwood	Occidental College
	Elizabeth Frenette	Tufts University
MAG	Stefan Bartl	University of Virginia
	Krista Capece	Boston College
	Amanda Carr	University of Rhode Island
	Bjorn Falk	University of Virginia
	Jonathon Meltz	University of Maryland
	Anna Semakhin	McGill University
	Jessica Sheridan	University of Vermont
NWSC	Andrew Dibenedetto	University of Massachusetts/Dartmouth
	Brian Mackness	University of Massachusetts/Lowell
	Matt Maguire	Springfield College
	Brian McNeil	Boston College
PAC	Danielle Delisle	Roger Williams
	Steven Kohm	Clemson University
	Justin Leary	Roger Williams
	Lauren Sepe	Providence College
RAMS	Katherine Carter	Fairfield College
	Ashley Dentler	Northeastern University
	Yifan Luo	Brown University
	Kelsey O'Neill	Marymount University
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SAC	Carolyn Day	Colby Sawyer College	
SCA	Sarah Hunt	Occidental College	
	Marielle Pedro	Fairfield University	
	Amalia Zychowicz	St. Michael's College	
SSA	Hilary Alie	Rowan University	
	Alexis Boyatsis	Bates College	
	Cassy Garrity	Clark University	
	Devan Meserve	St. Lawrence University	
WEST	Kayla Burke	Tufts University	
	Michael Christensen	University of Massachusetts/Amherst	
	Rose Harrington	Keene State College	
WW	Sarah Lawson	Northeastern University	
	Breda O'Connor	Bentley College	
	Caitlin Rooney	Sacred Heart	
	Matt Shaw	Boston University	



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IN THIS ISSUE: NEW ENGLAND SWIMMING CALENDAR, SHORT COURSE, 2005—2006; DISTANCE And OPEN WATER CAMP INFO and APPLICATION.....

BREAKING NEWS! The New England Swimming Zone Team just completed a very successful meet in Buffalo. The team placed fourth overall, with the boys placing fourth and the girls placing seventh. CONGRATULATIONS to the swimmers and the coaches. Watch the next newsletter for more information.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION: New England will be using the SWIMS program to compile the top ten this year. However, since USA Swimming does not recognize eight and unders as an age group, this age group has to be done by hand. If you have eight and unders who achieved their best times in non-New England calendar meets, please forward those results to the office by September 6, 2005. Times received after that date will not be considered.

The Office will be closed from Tuesday, September 13, 2005 through Sunday, September 18, 2005 because of the USA Swimming Convention. Please plan your needs for registration, sanctions, and other information accordingly.

REGISTRATION INFORMATION: A letter has been sent to all teams addressed to the current team contact. The letter requests information from each team concerning contacts for the 2005—2006 year—team contact, head coach, athlete contact, officials contact and registration chair. When this information has been returned to the office, the registration packets will be mailed. **NEW THIS YEAR**: Only team checks will be accepted for athlete registration. Non-athletes will no longer receive their forms at home. Non athlete forms will be on the web site and included in the packets along with a computer print out of all non athletes registered with the club.

The Board of New England Swimming will meet on Tuesday, September 6, 2005 at 7 pm at the Wellesley Community Center, Wellesley, MA.

New England Swimming 2005-2006 SCY Calendar

September 9-11: TNT, SCY/OW, New England Swimming Distance Camp, Haverhill High School, Haverhill MA and local open water site, Carlton Cronin 978-521-4751, croninsic@aol.com.

September 13-18: USA Swimming Convention, Greensboro, NC.

October 7-9: TNT, SCY/OW, New England Swimming Distance Camp, Haverhill High School, Haverhill MA and local open water site, Carlton Cronin 978-521-4751, croninsic@aol.com.

October 8: NSSC, SCY, Distance, Salem State College, Salem, MA, Dan Warner, 978-852-3985, nssc1@aol.com.

October 8: GMSC, SCY, Pentathlon & Distance, Mount Wachusett Community College, Gardner, MA, Roland Bartl, 978-630-1727, <u>Bartlus@localnet.com</u>.

October 9: GMSC, SCY, Pentathlon, Mount Wachusett Community College, Gardner, MA, Roland Bartl, 978-630-1727, <u>Bartlus@localnet.com</u>.

October 9-10: SCA, SCY, \$2.00, Team Specialty, Tripp Athletic Center Natatorium, University of Massachusetts Dartmouth, MA, Cathy Motta, 508-910-6462, cmotta@umassd.edu.

October 14-16: NSSC, SCY, \$2.00, Team Specialty, Salem State College, Salem, MA, Dan Warner, 978-852-3985, nssc1@aol.com.

October 15: CUDA, SCY, Team Specialty, Haverhill High School, Haverhill, MA, Matt Forrest, 603-382-0190, mattforrest77@yahoo.com.

October 16: NWSC, SCY, Relay Carnival, Haverhill High School, Haverhill, MA, Joe Opolski, 978-373-6408, jpopolski@lanlink.us.

October 22: BYB, SCY, Team Specialty, Burbank YMCA, Reading, MA, Cam Townsend, 781-245-1338, cam.townsend@ssa.gov.

October 23: New England Swimming Top 10 Banquet, Mary Riddell 781-449-0270 office@neswim.com.

October 28-30: ABF, SCY, \$2.50, Trials & Finals, Attleboro High School, Attleboro, MA, Paul Mangili, 508-761-8992, abfswim@aol.com.

October 29-30: WMAC, SCY, Team Specialty, Longmeadow High School, Longmeadow, MA, Jane Woodward, 413-567-6962, <u>ifwood43@aol.com</u>.

November 4-6: MYT, SCY, Team Specialty, Samuel P. Hunt Pool, Goffstown, NH, Coleen Capprini, 603-424-1677, jccapprini@adelphia.net.

November 4-6: PAC, SCY, \$2.00, Team Specialty, Roger Williams University, Bristol, RI, Jon Caswell, 401-865-2268, jcaswell@providence.edu.

November 5-6: BGSC, SCY, Team Specialty, McDermott Pool, Warwick, RI, Fran Tocci, 781-642-1234, f.tocci@verizon.net.

November 5-6: PSC, SCY, \$3.00, Team Specialty, Acton-Boxborough Regional High School, Acton, MA, Jeff Johnson, 978-537-5629, pscmtj@gis.net.

November 6: SAC, SCY, Team Specialty, Keefe Technical School, Framingham, MA, Kristine Van Amsterdam, 508-655-0322, <u>jva@mac.com</u>.

November 11-13: TNT, SCY/OW, New England Swimming Distance Camp, Haverhill High School, Haverhill MA, Carlton Cronin 978-521-4751, croninsic@aol.com.

November 11-13: MAG, SCY, \$2.00, Team Specialty, Greater Lawrence Technical High School, Andover, MA, Kathy Martin, 978-250-8840, <u>Kathy Martin@hilton.com</u>.

November 11-13: GMSC, SCY, \$10, "AA" Trials & Finals for 11 & Over with additional timed-final Open Session, Boston University, Boston, MA, Walt Meissner, 978-827-6515, wcm@bu.edu.

November 13: NSSC, SCY, Distance, Salem State College, Salem, MA, Dan Warner, 978-852-3985, nssc1@aol.com.

November 13: GMA, SCY, Pentathlon, Saint Michael's College Pool, Colchester, VT, Laura Matuszak, 802-654-2881, lmatuszak@smcvt.edu.

November 18-20: YNS, SCY, Team Specialty, YMCA Sterling Center, Beverly, MA, Brian Harrington, 978-922-9843, bhharrington@comcast.net.

November 18-20: SEEK, SCY, \$1.00, Team Specialty, Seekonk High School, Seekonk, MA, Ray Grant, 508-336-9982, grant.raymond@comcast.net.

November 19: CUDA, SCY, Team Specialty, Haverhill High School, Haverhill, MA, Matt Forrest, 603-382-0190, mattforrest77@yahoo.com.

November 25-27: HRY, SCY, Team Specialty, Smith College Dalton Pool, Northampton, MA, Sherry Wingfield, 413-586-1727, sherbw@comcast.net.

November 27: SCA, SCY, \$2.00, Pentathlon, Tripp Athletic Center Natatorium, University of Massachusetts Dartmouth, MA, Cathy Motta, 508-910-6462, cmotta@umassd.edu.

December 2-4: SAC, SCY, Team Specialty, Keefe Technical School, Framingham, MA, Kristine Van Amsterdam, 508-655-0322, <u>jva@mac.com</u>.

December 3-4: SSA, SCY, \$1.00, Team Specialty, University of New Hampshire Swazey Pool, Durham, NH, Jeff Wensman, 603-868-8223, mssj4@comcast.net.

December 8-11: BOSS, SCY, New England Senior Championships, Brown University, Providence, RI, Kyle Schack, 248-797-9391, kyleschack@gmail.com.

*December 8-11: NSSC, SCY, \$6.00, Trials & Finals "A" standard for NE teams and "AA' for non NE teams, MIT Zesiger Center, Cambridge, MA, Dan Warner, 978-852-3985, nssc1@aol.com . *Meet pending final approval by NES board.

December 16-18: BGSC, SCY, \$3.00, Team Specialty, Wheaton College, Norton, MA, Fran Tocci, 781-642-1234, f.tocci@verizon.net.

December 16-18: NCAC, SCY, \$2.00, Team Specialty, Hogan Sports Center Colby-Sawyer College, New London, NH, Mary Gentry, 802-295-8976, mary.gentry@hitchcock.org.

December 17-18: EST, SCY, Team Specialty, Phillips Exeter Academy, Exeter, NH, Kristen Platte, 603-778-9086, exeterswimmers@aol.com.

January 6-8: BAT, SCY, \$5.00, Team Specialty, Wheaton College, Norton, MA, Sophie Kulas, 617-489-6583, sckulas@verizon.net.

January 6-8: GMA, SCY, Team Specialty, Saint Michael's College Pool, Colchester, VT, Laura Matuszak, 802-654-2881, lmatuszak@smcvt.edu.

January 7: WMAC, SCY, \$1.00, Distance Meet, Springfield College Linkletter Natatorium, Springfield, MA, Jane Woodward, 413-567-6962, jfwood43@aol.com.

January 8: WMAC, SCY, \$1.00, Pentathlon, Springfield College Linkletter Natatorium, Springfield, MA, Jane Woodward, 413-567-6962, <u>ifwood43@aol.com</u>.

January 7-8: SSA, SCY, \$1.00, Team Specialty, University of New Hampshire Swazey Pool, Durham, NH, Jeff Wensman, 603-868-8223, mssj4@comcast.net.

January 7-8: SSYS, SCY, \$5.00, Team Specialty, MIT Zesiger Center, Cambridge, MA, Darlene McGrath, 781-986-6803, ssysteam@comcast.net.

January 13-15: NSSC, SCY, 11 & Older prelims & finals, 10 & under timed finals, Salem State College, Salem, MA, Dan Warner, 978-852-3985, nssc1@aol.com.

January 14-15: NWSC, SCY, Team Specialty, Haverhill High School, Haverhill, MA, Joe Opolski, 978-373-6408, <u>jpopolski@lanlink.us</u>.

January 14-15: YNS, SCY, 12 & Under Timed Finals, 13 & Over "BB" Timed finals, Ipswich Family YMCA, Ipswich, MA, Brian Harrington, 978-922-9843, bnharrington@comcast.net.

January 14-15: EB, SCY, Team Specialty, White Brook Middle School, Easthampton, MA, Cheryl Fletcher, 413-527-6888, fletcheous@aol.com.

January 20-22: CCSC, SCY, \$1.00, Team Specialty, Massachusetts Maritime Academy, Buzzards Bay, MA, Alan Sanders, 508-759-7107, atsanders@aol.com.

January 21-22: CUDA, SCY, Team Specialty, Haverhill High School, Haverhill, MA, Matt Forrest, 603-382-0190, mattforrest77@yahoo.com.

January 21-22: GMSC, SCY, Team Specialty, Mount Wachusett Community College, Gardner, MA, Howard Green, 978-371-0641, dochgreen@earthlink.net.

January 27-29: SAC, SCY, Team Specialty, Keefe Technical School, Framingham, MA, Kristine Van Amsterdam, 508-655-0322, <u>jva@mac.com</u>.

January 29: NSSC, SCY, Distance, Salem State College, Salem, MA, Dan Warner, 978-852-3985, nssc1@aol.com.

February 3-5: PAC, SCY, \$2.00, Team Specialty, Roger Williams University, Bristol, RI, Jon Caswell, 401-865-2268, jcaswell@providence.edu.

February 5: GMA, SCY, Team Specialty 3-sessions, Saint Michael's College Pool, Colchester, VT, Laura Matuszak, 802-654-2881, lmatuszak@smcvt.edu.

February 10-12: CCSC, SCY, \$1.00, Team Specialty, Massachusetts Maritime Academy, Buzzards Bay, MA, Ruth Curry, 508-540-6950, rcurry@whoi.edu.

February 10-12: BGSC, SCY, \$3.00, Team Specialty, Wheaton College, Norton, MA, Fran Tocci, 781-642-1234, <u>f.tocci@verizon.net</u>.

February 12: SAC, SCY, Team Specialty, Keefe Technical School, Framingham, MA, Kristine Van Amsterdam, 508-655-0322, <u>jva@mac.com</u>.

February 17-19: SCY, New England Regional Meets

Site #1- NSSC, Salem State College, Salem, MA, Dan Warner, 978-852-3985, nsscl@aol.com.

Site #2- YNS, YMCA Sterling Center, Beverly, MA, Brian Harrington, 978-922-9843, bnharrington@comcast.net.

Site #3- ABF, Attleboro High School, Attleboro, MA, Paul Mangili, 508-761-8992, abfswim@aol.com.

Site #4- SEEK, Seekonk High School, Seekonk, MA, Ray Grant, 508-336-9982, grant.raymond@comcast.net.

February 23-26: NSSC, SCY, New England 12 & Under Championships, Salem State College, Salem, MA, Dan Warner, 978-852-3985, nssc1@aol.com.

March 2-5: New England 13-19 Age Group Championships, T.B.A.

March 9-12: BOSS, SCY, Speedo Championship Series (Sectionals), Harvard University, Boston, MA, Tim Murphy, 617-495-2268, tdmurphy@fas.harvard.edu.

March 20-April 1: LCM, USA Swimming Club Championships (Nationals), Federal Way, WA.

May 6: New England Swimming Annual Meeting, Wellesley Community Center, Wellesley MA, Mary Riddell 781-449-0270 office@neswim.com.

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MORE SWIMMERS OFF TO COLLEGE:

SSYS: Lynn Gilbody

Megan Glynn Molly Hallin

Sarah Hope

Nicole Lorigan

Patrick Reams
WW: Cory McCalister

University of Connecticut

Providence College Syracuse University University of Colorado Lehigh University University of Virginia

Brown University

NEW ENGLAND SWIMMING DISTANCE/OPEN WATER SWIMMING CAMPS

Co sponsored by HAVERHILL SWIMMING (TNT)

Sanction Number: NE-05-54-C

The purpose of the camps is to provide the membership of New England Swimming with an excellent opportunity to train for the distance events and open water swimming.

The main goals are:

- 1. Offer the swimmers an opportunity to train with swimmers from other clubs who share the same interest.
- 2. Train in a format that many teams currently are unable to, enhancing the training sessions.
- 3. Improve distance swimming in New England.
- 4. Introduce swimmers to Open Water Swimming.
- 5. Form new and/or build better relationships, providing support for each other.
- 6. Give the coaches a chance to learn and share ideas regarding distance and open water.
- 7. Improve the coaches' networking in New England.
- 8. Enhance the image of New England Swimming by providing monetary funding for training for the membership.

There will be three camps:

September 9—11, 2005

October 7—9, 2005

November 11—13, 2005

All camps will be held at the Charles C White Pool, Haverhill (MA) High School

CAMP DIRECTOR: Carlton Cronin, New England Distance/Open Water Chair

CAMP FORMAT:	Friday	Check in First Practice Session	6:00—6:30 pm 6:30—8:30 pm
	Saturday	Second Practice Session Third Practice Session	8:00—11:00 am 4:00—7:00 pm
	Sunday	Fourth Practice Session Fifth Practice Session	7:30—10:30 am 3:30—6:30 pm

Attendees are expected to stay the entire time and stay on site in accommodations provided and/or approved by the Camp Director.

Camp in September will include an open water swim. There will be an open water swim scheduled in October, weather permitting. No open water swim is scheduled in November.

HOUSING: Swimmers will be staying at the Comfort Suites, 106 Bank Road, Haverhill, MA 01832, (978-374-7755) which is conveniently located 3 minutes from the pool. Coaches will be staying at the hotel and will serve as chaperones during the camp. All swimmers are expected to behave appropriately during the camp.

Directions: I 495 exit 49 (route 110, River Street). East ½ mile past the 99 Restaurant and Dunkin Donuts. Right onto Bank Road. Hotel entrance is on the right.

MEALS: A deluxe continental breakfast is included and other meals will be at local restaurants. Quick nutritional snacks will be provided during training sessions. Meals are included in the fee.

TRANSPORTATION: Each athlete provides his/her transportation to and from camp. Transportation will be provided for swimmers and coaching staff to and from the pool and also to all restaurants.

COST: The cost of each camp will be \$200 per swimmer. This includes 2 night stays, all pool fees, transportation during the camp, meals, and a t-shirt. Campers should bring money for any additional needs they may require.

All applicants must be USA Swimming registered. Selected applicants will be accepted on a first come, first serve basis. Coaches of teams who are represented at the camp are encouraged to apply for coaching positions. Selected coaches will receive a stipend. The Camp Director will choose the coaching staff. The goal of each camp is to have approximately 30 spots for distance swimmers with 15 additional optional spots.

For further information, please contact Carlton Cronin, 978-521-4751 or croninsic@aol.com.

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TOP TEN INFORMATION:

TOP TEN BANQUET: All Top Ten Swimmers for both Long Course and Short Course are invited to attend the Top Ten Banquet at Lenzi's (formerly The Mill House) 810 Merrimack Avenue (Route 110), Dracut, MA on Sunday, October 23, 2005. The cost is \$18 per person. Those swimmers who are listed as OUTSTANDING SWIMMERS for either long course or short course are invited to be the guests of New England Swimming. All who plan to attend, INCLUDING OUTSTANDING SWIMMERS, must make reservations by Thursday, October 14, 2004. The doors will open at 10:30 am, and the meal will be served at 11:30 am, followed by the awards and the speaker, KRISTY KOWEL, Olympic Silver Medalist.

IMPORTANT RESERVATION NOTE: If you do not make a reservation by the deadline, please not leave a message either on the answering machine or email. Those reservations will not be accepted. Please call on Monday, October 17 after 7:30 pm. If there is room, your reservation will be accepted at that time.

TOP TEN TIMES: This year the Top Ten Times were compiled using The USA Swimming SWIMS program. SWIMS includes the results of all sanctioned meets that have been submitted to USA Swimming, New England Swimming or any other LSC. Observed times (college meets, high school meets, etc.) have been eliminated. Since the 8 and under age group is not included in SWIMS, those times were compiled by hand using New England Swimming calendar meets and other results submitted by teams. Top Ten Times run from September 1 through August 31.

OUTSTANDING SWIMMERS are those who have accumulated the most points through their top ten standings. The scoring is as follows--12 points for first place in an event, 9 points for second place, 8 points for third place, down to 1 point for tenth place.

TOP TEN BOOKS will be sent to all New England teams as soon as they are ready. Books will be available for purchase at the banquet for \$2.50 for each season or by mail for \$3.00 each, including postage.

DIRECTIONS: Lenzi's (formerly The Mill House), 810 Merrimack Avenue (Route 110), Dracut, MA. From Route 93 take exit 46, Route 110 Dracut-Lowell. The restaurant is 3 1/2 miles on the right with the banquet entrance in the rear.

NEW ENGLAND ZONE TEAM

Congratulations to the successful New England Zone Team that placed 4th at the Zone Championships in Buffalo, NY. Swimmers with an * in front of their names placed in the top eight of at least one event. Swimmers who won events were: Roy Sung: 200 breast, 200 IM; Sara Li: 50 fly; Mike Pryor: 800 free

Kevin Bradley

Rachel Moore

9—10:	*Jaclyn Alois	
	*Margaret D'Innocenzo	

*Emma Nuzzp Justin Liu
Cassidy Peterson *Henry Loong
Lauren Punger Michael Normoyle

The girls and boys teams each placed in 4 relays.

11—12: Whitney Adrian

Lydia Azaret * Amy Needham
Bethany Douglas Alex Whiting
Eva Fabian Dan Ganz

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Johanna Fleming * Matt Meier
Kelsey Goodwin * Patrick Myers
Kate Kaspar * Matthew Nutter

* Amanda Le * Jun Oh

* Sara Li
Anna Mackay
Janelle McDonald
The boys relays won the 200 free and 400 medley relays.

13—14: *Tina Belletete Julian Azaret

Evie Barnard Merritt Boardman
Christina Estrada * Nick D'Innocenzo
Clare Foster Ray Estrada
Lizzie Meier * Curtis Hon
Caitlin Michaels Ray McGorry
Maggie Rosenbaum John Valkevich
Emma Santoro Jacob Wingfield

Molly Smith
The boys teams placed in 4 relays.

15—18: * Devon Cota Alexander Cardenas

Maura Houghton * Justin Churchill

* Kasondra Iadarola Ian Joyce

* Whitney Rosenbaum * Mike Pryor

Susi Ruan * Andrew Willbrandt

The boys teams placed in 3 relays.

Thank you to team coordinator, Laura Matuszak, and the other coaches and parents who helped with this very successful trip.

OUTSTANDING SWIMMERS, SHORT COURSE, 2004—2005

8 and under:	RYAN ALEXANDER ABIGAIL BENKERT DELANEY HARROP BROOKE MOONEY KAITLIN TRAVERS	YNS BGSC AAC GTRS HRY	CIARAN DILLON-DAVIDSON PIERCE FARRINGTON JUSTIN LIU COLLIN RICHARSON GEORGE SOMMERVILLE	ATST GMA UN EST UN
9 and 10:	TANA BOA ACADIA DEATLEY RACHEL MOORE EMMA NUZZO TOIREASA RAFFERTY-MILLET	HAY BAT ANA BOSS TT YNS	RYAN DEAN EVAN GREY JOSEPH HIBBERT SCOTT MCGINTY JAMESON MCSHEA	HRY GMA PVAC ANA CCSC
11 and 12:	ELIZABETH BEISEL ERICA BELCHER ERIN BRADY ALEXANDRIA FRASER SARA LI	CUDA	CONOR MCAULIFFE PATRICK MYERS MATTHEW NUTTER LUCA SPINAZZOLA ROY SUNG	MAG AAC YNS BOSS SAC
13 and 14:	CHELSEA DOWNING KRISTIN KORSBERG KATELYN MARTIN LAURA MORIARTY CHIARA SPINAZZOLA	CCSC MAG MAG CUDA BOSS	ROBERT BAILEY NICK D'INNOCENZO WILLIAM HOOPER MICHAEL MONOVOUKAS CHRISTOPHER ROGERS	BOSS MAG BOSS BGSC BGSC
15 and 16:	ELIZA BUTTS CAITLIN DOHERTY MEGAN FARRELL ERICA MEISSNER JESSICA PERRY	CUDA MAG BGSC MAG BGSC	MAX BUTLER JONATHAN HARTMANN VINCENT PRYOR SAM WENSMAN KEVIN YAMADA	BGSC CUDA GTRS SSA SAC
17 and 18:	JACLYN DAVIDSON KATHLEEN FOLEY JACLYN PORTER KAIT STRICKLAND JENNIFER VOGEL	YNS MAG SAC CUDA SSYS	BJORN FALK TAYLOR GOODWIN ERIC NILSSON PAT REAMS DAVID RUSSELL	MAG CUDA CUDA SSYS CUDA
OPEN:	ELIZABETH BEISEL ELIZA BUTTS MEGAN FARRELL KATHLEEN FOLEY ERICA MEISSNER	MAG CUDA BGSC MAG MAG	BJORN FALK TAYLOR GOODWIN ERIC NILSSON PAT REAMS DAVID RUSSELL	MAG CUDA CUDA SSYS CUDA

OUTSTANDING SWIMMERS, LONG COURSE, 2004–2005

8 and under:	ABIGAIL BENKERT KERRY FLEMING ALISON LIE DORIAN MCMENEMY KAYLEIGH WRIGHT	BGSC HRY MD MD SSYS	LIAM BOND NICHOLAS BROWN CIARAN DILLON-DAVIDSON MATT HRABCHEK LUCAS RADOUCH	PST BGSC ATST BGSC CUDA
9 and 10:	MARGARET D'INNOCENZO MARY KEOUGH RACHEL MOORE EMMA NUZZO BIANCA SPINAZZOLA	MAG SAC ANA BOSS BOSS	EVAN GREY JOSEPH HIBBERT JUSTIN LIU HENRY LOONG SCOTT MCGINTY	GMA UN MTSC MTSC ANA
11 and 12:	ELIZABETH BEISEL ERICA BELCHER EVA FABIAN SARA LI RACHEL MOORE	MAG MAG GTRS MTSC ANA	EDWIN ANGJIEL PATRICK MYERS JUN OH LUCA SPINAZZOLA ROY SUNG	SSYS AAC MAG BOSS SAC
13 and 14:	CHELSEA DOWNING MELISSA PARRATTO KAIA SIMMONS CHIARA SPINAZZOLA ALEXANDRA SUPPAN	CCSC SSA BOSS BOSS BYD	PHIL BRADY NICHOLAS D'INNOCENZO ROBERT DOWD MICHAEL MONOVOUKAS MICHAEL PRYOR JEFFREY THOMAS	CUDA MAG BGSC BGSC GTRS BOSS
15 and 16:	ELIZA BUTTS CHRISTINE KAUFMANN JILL KEARNS ERICA MEISSNER JESSICA PERRY		PATRICK BIGGS ANDREW MAGUIRE MICHAEL SULLIVAN SAM WENSMAN KEVIN YAMADA	BGSC MAG MAG SSA SAC
17 and 18:	MEGAN FARRELL KATHLEEN FOLEY TAYLOR MCFARLANE KAIT STRICKLAND NATALIE TOCZYLOWSKI	BGSC MAG SSA CUDA CCSC	STEFAN BARTL TAYLOR GOODWIN ERIC NILSSON VINCENT PRYOR DAVID RUSSELL	MAG CUDA CUDA GTRS CUDA
OPEN:	ELIZABETH BEISEL ELIZA BUTTS MEGAN FARRELL CHRISTINE KAUFMANN ERICA MEISSNER	MAG CUDA BGSC BOSS MAG	STEFAN BARTL ERIC NILSSON PAT REAMS DAVID RUSSELL TOBIAS WORK	MAG CUDA SSYS CUDA CCSC

TOP TEN SWIMMERS, SHORT COURSE, 2004—2005

AAC: Delaney Harrop, Madalyn Myers, Heather Jankins, Megan Toney, Luke Sprague, Evan Sholudko, John Vatkevich, Patrick Myers, Ray Estrada, Michael Ariel

ANA: Corinna Torabi, Rachel Moore, Monica Patterson, Julia Torabi, Nysa Casha, Whitney Adrian, Salena Casha, Kristen Kasper, Allison Alwan, Desirae Deveaux, Scott McGinty, Bryan Walcker, Benjamin Morris, Jun Oh, Brendan Fortin

ATST: Sophia Dillon-Davidson, Ciaran Dillon-Davidson, Eric Chen

BAT: Acadia DeAtley, Travis Bouscaren, Benjamin Daus-Haberle, Matthew Carper

BGSC: Abigail Benkert, Natalie Petrossian, Jennifer Dooling, Cecelia Burkey, Katherine Ashenfelter, Allison Scott, Francesca Tocci, Leslie Bargmann, Megan Farrell, Susannah Ford, Sarah Ernst, Jessica Perry, Katie Soja, Lauren Wilson, Kristyn Roth, Lisa Donnelly, Cornelieke Lammers, Meredith Nelson, Matt Hrabchek, Dimostheris Skandalis, Bejamin List, Greg Lowen, Michael Monovoukas, Christopher Rogers, Greg Michels, Germaine Cadogan, Robert Dowd, Martin Kafina, Max Butler, Alexander Dobrolioubov, Patrick Biggs, Ben Driver

BLUE: Isaac Walker

BYB: Daniel Cunningham

BOSS: Emma Nuzzo, Bianca Spinazzola, Angelica Spinazzola, Chiara Spinazzola, Kaia Simmons, Kathryn Haron, Christine Kaufmann, Mariele Dunn, Caroline Huber, Alexandra Vitale, Danielle Seltzer, Tressa Dunn, Alexandra Quinn, Sam Spurrell, Sasha Giten, Dimitrius McCoy-Palmer, Jeffrey Thomas, Luca Spinazzola, John Bailey, Ben Lachance, Robert Bailey, Peter Buhler, Paola DeLuca, William Hooper, James Fee, Arkady Rasin, Benjamin Bonte

BYD: Briana Melloni, Alexandra Suppan, Kate Hillyard, Catherine Suppan, Nevin Diparto, Johannes Suppan

CCSC: Nicole Quigley, Alexandra Wessel, Chelsea Downing, Helaina Sacco, Melayna Gressetti, Natalie Toczylowski, Kason Ifill, Jameson McShea, Christopher Roan, Christopher Inglis, Alexander Roan, Sam Speroni, Donald Inglis, Benjamin Schmidt

CMC: Kasondra Iadarola

DYD: Robert Brown

CONY: Jennifer Corriveau, Stephen Muzzey, Carter Pribis

CUDA: Alexandria Frasier, Erin Brady, Laura Moriarty, Eliza Butts, Lauren Brady, Kait Strickland, Alicia Negrotti, Sara Aiello, Lucas Radouch, Christopher Downing, Allen Li, Sanghyuk Han, Phil Brady, Jonathan Hartmann, Michael Toran, Eddie Gillie, Eric McKenna, Taylor Goodwin, Stephen Miller, Eric Nilsson, David Russell, Robert Lazar, Phillippe Putzeys, Michael Ross

EB: Jessica Harper

ESC: McKenzie Brown

ESSC: Julia Pielock, Milo Childs Campolo

EST: Collin Richarson

FINS: Jim Glover, Matthew Mahoney, Alexander Cardenas

GMA: Christa Weaver, Caroline Weaver, Kate Weaver, Eliza Callwood, Pierce Farrington, Jack Dwyer, Evan Grey, Michael Winget, Taylor Grey

GTRS: Brooke Mooney, Heather Mooney, Molly Bulger, Eva Fabian, Adrien Hosking, Max Fabian, Michael Pryor, Vincent Pryor

HAY: Nicole Steiner, Tana Boa, Erin Foley, Kristen Connors

HRY: Kerry Fleming, Kaitlin Travers, Johanna Fleming, Caitlin Driscoll, Marley Wertheimer, Matthew Dean, Ryan Dean, Joel Bierwert, Nicholas Pasteris, Zachary Wingfield, Jacob Wingfield

HYV: Kara Lacoste, Patrick Garaghty, Nathan Bromage, Brendan Kuntz

H2O: Curtis Hon

KING: Mary O'Sullivan

LRW: Colin Shaw, Antony Hubbard

MAG: Rebecca Alois, Lydia Azaret, Kelsi Oresman, Margaret D'Innocenzo, Caroline Capece, Jaclyn Alois, Erica Belcher, Rebecca Aiello, Elizabeth Beisel, Shannon Bender, Viviana Mackay, Elizabeth Rounds, Kerry Dewey, Kristina Martin, Alexandria Castaldo, Marissa Douglas, Bethany Douglas, Kathryn Kaspar. Sarah Kanellas, Katelyn Martn, Kristin Korsberg, Kristin Belletete, Kathrine Kinnett, Ellen Cody, Celia Lewis, Erica Meissner, Caitlin Doherty, Candice Peak, Dominique Caissie, Kashmir Frizelle, Amanda Cecere, Kristin Prautzsch, Corina Hopkins-Vacca, Tiffany Petzold, Carol Green, Kathleen Foley, Erin Gray, Casey Renner, Rhynn Malloy, Jennifer McDermott, Anna Semakhin, Daniel Beisel, Conor McAuliffe, Carl Roycroft, Brett Steinberg, Patrick Sullivan, Nick D'Innocenzo, Christian Bishop, Jonathan Castaldo, Christopher Dailey, Josh Tomas, Tim Smith, Michael Sullivan, Mitchell Dansky, Andrew Maguire, John Farrell, Bjorn Falk, Peter Gollands, Matthew Murphy, Stefan Bartl, Andrew Piquette

MD: Alison Lie, Molly Pierce

MELY: Niamh O'Grady, Colleen McCormack, Kelsey Goodwin, Mary Fothergill, Dan Fothergill, Thomas Huynh

MST: Christina Denbow, Maria Colella, Riley Ewing, Milan Sandhu

MTSC: Emily Lajoie, Sara Li, Justin Liu, Henry Loong, Michael Normoyle, Matthew Grippo

NBST: Austin Dickey

NCAC: Caitlin Michaels, Mary Chapman, Lillian Ciardelli, Jonathan Morse, Patrick Troy

NSSC: Amy O'Brien, Annie Lindland, P J Fallon, Lee Chiang, Matt O'Brien

NWSC: Layao Zhai, Brian McNeil ORO: David Armstrong

PAC: Kathleen Degnan, Matt Lamore, Michael Germane, Colin Fisher, Justin Leary

PSC: Kate Laurion, Graham Boyd, Daniel Ladd

PVAC: Michael Chan, Joseph Hibbert

RAMS: Siliang Luo, Laura Sogar, Alexandra Lalli, Hailey Novis, Kevin Sun, Ryan Garr, Daniel

Lathrop

RAYS: Rachel Flinn, Andrew Willbrandt

RCSC: Emma Santoro

SAC: Mary Keough, Carly Biron, Andy Tibbetts, Elena Walterman, Jill Kearns, Jaclyn Porter, Molly Kearns, Sarah Kearns, Meghan Healey, Kevin Hester, John Lagasse, Roy Sung, Justin Tse, Zachary Perez, Ayaas Bhamla, Robbie Porter, Jeffrey Wurm, Kevin Yamada, Sal Barba, Justin Brooks

SNAP: Maggie Rosenbaum, Gianluca Savenije, Matthew Meier

SSA: Kailin DeLeo, Amber Long, Mallory Ament, Christina Moore, Melissa Parratto, Katie John, Carmyn Chapman, Meggie Farrington, Brittany Frank, Katrina Maloney, Kara Ernst, Emily Hammang, David Champoux, Kyle Ernst, Sam Wensman, Ray Grant, Jesse Bickford, Alexander Broadbent, Kenny Roy

SSYS: Kayleigh Wright, Erica Hasson, Caroline Vogel, Ellesse Lunde, Jennifer Vogel, Molly Hallin, Edwin Angjeli, Daniel Caldwell, Jonathan Palmer, Patrick Reams

UN: Alyssa Bush, Breanna Stewart, Kelby Zimmerman, Amanda Carr, George Sommerville, Derek Hathaway, Jonathan Lam, Conor Swanson, Corey Swanson, Andrew Reid, Nate Richard, Brendan Mitchell, Michael Bowen, James Bailey, Brian Zingale

VAST: Charlotte Stuart, Eleanor Laukatis

STS: David Lazarovich

WW: Hope Kissick, Cole Kissick, Jake Kissick

WYST: Erin Lewis, Meaghan Kwarcinski, Josh Cotugno, Timothy Kwarcinski, Nicholas Fantakis

YNS: Maggie Savage, Ryan Alexander, Kara Lucenti, Toireasa Rafferty-Millett, Megan Alexander, Rory McCarthy, Katherine Foley, Rosemary Berardino, Amy Needham, Caroline Belli, Catherine Rafferty-Millett, Jaclyn Davidson, Naomi Delphin, jSamantha Gannon, Kristin Zarba, Diana Harlow, Larsen Bidstrup, Liam Welch, Andrew Belli, Andrew Klobucher, Matthew Nutter, Timothy Bouvier, Matthew Scalise, Andrew Reid, Brian Bouvier, Courtland Parker, Thomas Recko, Jamie Mannion, Kevin McGrath, Perry Chau, Alexander Hurst, Brian Ranta

TOP TEN SWIMMERS, LONG COURSE, 2004–2005

AAC: Kelsey Gray, Christina Estrada, Jack Adams, Michael Adams, Patrick Myers, Christopher Iosue, William Adams, John Vatkevich, Ray Estrada

ANA: Maeve Awiszus, Corinna Torabi, Rachel Moore, Julia Torabi, Whitney Adrian, Eva Skorupka, Allison Alwan, Ryan Harty, Scott McGinty, Bryan Walcker, Ryan Fortin, Ben Morris, Paul Bimmler, Brennan Fortin

ATST: Sophia Dillon-Davidson, Ciaran Dillon-Davidson

BAT: Elizabeth Fireman, Molly Smith, Apoorv Kuman

BGSC: Abigail Benkert, Margaret Chory, Olivia Pierce, Carina Zhang, Rebecca Aiello, Cecelia Burkey, Katherine Ashenfelter, Allison Song, Nina Liu, Francesca Tocci, Leslie Bargmann, Sarah Ernst, Lauren Wilson, Katie Soja, Jessica Perry, Lisa Donnelly, Susannah Ford, Megan Farrell, Kristyn Roth, Rachel Harrison, Cornelieke Lammers, Ashley Lopes, Mary Dooe, Hilary Gram, Karen Gately, Caroline Dowd, Matt Harabchak, Nicholas Brown, Benjamin List, Samuel Gyory, Brandon Brown, Robert Dowd, E J Jesionek, Greg Michels, Dimosthenis Skandalis, Greg Lowen, Michael Monovoukas, Christopher Rogers, Alexander Dobrolioubov, Graham Frankel, John Dillon, Germaine Cadogan, Patrick Biggs, Max Butler, Benjamin Driver

BLUE: Eva Childers, Isaac Walker

BOSS: Maddie Westover, Samantha D"Arpino, Emma Nuzzo, Bianca Spinazzola, Angelica Spinazzola, Emily Josef, Kelin Song, Madison Helies, Chiara Spinazzola, Kaia Simmons, Kathryn Haron, Caroline Huber, Christine Kaufman, Ellen Ramsey, Lindsey Woodward, Christopher Leblanc, Nathan Lachance, Dimitrius McCoy-Palmer, Luca Spinazzola, John Bailey, Benjamin Lachance, Nathan Pursley, Jeffrey Thomas, Robert Bailey, Graham Eve, William Hooper, James Fee, Timothy Szargowicz, Nathan Barrett, Arkady Rasin, Benjamin Bonte

BYB: Nick Stevens, Conor Sweeney, Jeffrey Tan

BYD: Ariel Jarvis, Alexandra Suppan, Catherine Suppan, George Spaniel

CCSC: Keelin Lincoln, Chelsea Downing, Melayna Grassetti, Alexandra Wessel, Natalie Toczylowski, Sam Speroni, Brian Schmidt, Donald Inglis, Alex Roan, Tobias Work

CMC: Evangelina Barnard, Kasondra Iadarola, Ray McGorry

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MD: Dorian McMenemy, Alison Lie, Molly Pierce, Leanne Go, Prashanth Sampathkumaran, Tee McGean, William Bertelson, William Gunsheman

MELY: Kelsey Goodwin, Jack Thomas, Thomas Huynh

MST: Elizabeth Aldrich, Christina Denbow, Leah Burke, Carolyn O'Hara, Karam Sandhu, Milan Sandhu

MTSC: Christiana Greco, Emily Lajoie, Sara Li, Michael Chen, Justin Liu, Henry Loong, Michael Normoyle, Matthew Jacobson, Ian Joyce, Paul Drykacz

NBST: Michael McGinnis, Austin Dickey MYT: Kaitlyn Capprini

NCAC: Mary Chapman, Caitlin Michaels, Elizabeth Mamourian, Patrick Troy

NSSC: Amy O'Brien, Annie Lindland, Emily Rookwood, P J Fallon, Matt O'Brien

NWSC: Maggie Opolski, Amanda Le, Matthew Hendry

PAC: Erica Vitale, Alexandra Vitale, Michael Germaine, Colin Fisher, Patrick Butler, Nick Lake

PSC: Anastasia Kosykh, Miranda An, Alexandra Doty, Sebastian Bludou, Hyon Wook Kim

PST: Kelsi Hobbs, Liam Bond

RAMS: Laura Sogar, Alexandra Lalli, Julie Stefanski, Kevin Sun, Daniel Lathrop

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UN: Samantha Rose, Cassandra Jones, Kristin Belletete, Jaclyn Porter, Joseph Hibbert, Marcus Yuen, Omri Geva, Ross Clay

WBD: Jen Morin, Thomas Harcox, Kevin Bradley, Kyle Durand

WW: Samantha Sliwinski, Sam Rice, Jake Kissick, Ian Sliwinski

YNS: Bestine Cong, Rosemary Scalise, Maggie Savage, Amy Needham, Katherine Foley, Molly Curran, Naomi Delphin, Caroline Belli, Jaclyn Davidson, Kristen Zarba, Diana Harlow, Aaron Athanas, William Nutter, Matthew Scalise, Timothy Bouvier, Andrew Reid, Jamie Mannion, Brian Bouvier, Kevin Howard, Thomas Recko, Alexander Hurst, Kevin McGrath, Perry Chau

RULE CHANGES: Included in this newsletter are two new rule changes from USA Swimming. There may be further information coming from USA Swimming concerning these rules. Keep an eye on the USA Swimming web site for this information.

CONVENTION: New England Swimming was well represented at the recent United States Aquatic Sports convention in Greensboro, NC. Delegates included: Bob Gauvin, Priscilla Davis, Laura Matuszak, Michelle Bernal, Mary Riddell, Tim Murphy, Sophia Slote. Rosemarie Meissner also attended to take part in SWIMS workshops.

SPREAD THE NEWS!! The newsletter is distributed to all teams via a subscription to the team contact and the team safety coordinator. Also on the list are board members, past board members, officials facilitators, athletes who have applied to be on the board, and anyone else who pays \$10 for a year's subscription. Almost all of the information in the newsletter is on the web site, although not always in the same format

The team contact is responsible to see that all members of the team, coaches, parents, and athletes receive this information. Please be sure that this happens. All teams need to notify their top ten swimmers that they are listed.

REIMBURSEMENT POLICY: At the October meeting the Board will address changes to the reimbursement policy for 2005—2006. Until changes are made, the current policy is in effect. Check the web site or contact the office if you have any questions.

The Board of New England Swimming will meet on MONDAY, October17, 2005 at 7 pm at the Wellesley Community Center, Wellesley, MA.

RESERVATIONS--TOP TEN BANQUET, Sunday, October 23, 2005

All Top Ten Swimmers for both Short Course and Long Course are invited to attend the Top Ten Banquet at Lenzi's (formerly The Mill House), 810 Merrimack Avenue (Route 110), Dracut, MA on Sunday, October 23, 2005. Those swimmers listed as OUTSTANDING SWIMMERS are invited to be the guests of New England Swimming. All who plan to attend, including Outstanding Swimmers, must make reservations by Thursday, October 13, 2005,.

The cost is \$18 per person for Top Ten Swimmers, their families and coaches. Outstanding Swimmers are the guests of New England Swimming, but need to make reservations. Reservations and checks should be sent to the New England Office to be received by Thursday, October 13, 2005. If you want to try to make a late reservation, please phone (781-449-0270) on Monday, October 17 before 5 pm.

The doors will open at 10:30 am and the buffet will be served at 11:30 am. The awards ceremony and speaker will follow. RESERVATION FORM—Top Ten Banquet Please mail to be received by October 13. Mail to New England Swimming, 20 Cleveland Road, Needham, MA 02492. Make checks payable to New England Swimming. Reservations will be listed at the door. If you include an email address, confirmation will be emailed. OUTSTANDING SWIMMERS ATTENDING age group no charge TOP TEN SWIMMERS ATTENDING age group \$ 18 each Number of others attending: Number of Outstanding Swimmers: free Number of Top Ten Swimmers @ \$ 18 Number of other meals @ \$ 18 TOTAL Team you would like to sit with: Name: Phone: Email:

CHANGES TO USA SWIMMING RULES TO CONFORM TO FINA

Effective September 21, 2005

Replace existing 101.2 in its entirety with the following:

101.2 BREASTSTROKE

- .1 Start The forward start shall be used.
- .2 Stroke From the beginning of the first arm stroke after the start and after each turn, the body shall be kept on the breast. It is not permitted to roll onto the back at any time. Throughout the race the stroke cycle must be one arm stroke and one leg kick in that order. All movements of the arms shall be simultaneous and in the same horizontal plane without alternating movement. The hands shall be pushed forward together from the breast on, under, or over the water. The elbows shall be under water except for the final stroke before the turn, during the turn and for the final stroke at the finish. The hands shall be brought back on or under the surface of the water. The hands shall not be brought back beyond the hip line, except during the first stroke after the start and each turn. During each complete cycle, some part of the swimmer's head shall break the surface of the water. After the start and after each turn, the swimmer may take one arm stroke completely back to the legs. The head must break the surface of the water before the hands turn inward at the widest part of the second stroke.
- .3 Kick After the start and after each turn, a single downward butterfly kick followed by a breaststroke kick is permitted while wholly submerged. Following which, all movements of the legs shall be simultaneous and in the same horizontal plane without alternating movement. The feet must be turned outwards during the propulsive part of the kick. A scissors, flutter or downward butterfly kick is not permitted except as provided herein. Breaking the surface of the water with the feet is allowed unless followed by a downward butterfly kick.
- .4 Turns and Finish At each turn and at the finish of the race, the touch shall be made with both hands simultaneously at, above, or below the water level. The head may be submerged after the last arm pull prior to the touch, provided it breaks the surface of the water at some point during the last complete or incomplete cycle preceding the touch.

101.3. BACKSTROKE

.1 Start – The swimmers shall line up in the water facing the starting end, with both hands placed on the gutter or on the starting grips. Prior to the starting signal, the swimmer's feet, including the toes, shall be placed under the surface of the water, where they shall remain until the starting signal. Standing in or on the gutter, placing the toes above the lip of the gutter, or bending the toes over the lip of the gutter, before or after the start is prohibited.

TECHNICAL COMMITTEE INFORMATION: April 3 and August 29, 2005:

The complete reports of the Technical Committee meetings of April 3, 2005 and August 29, 2005 are available on the New England web site. A summary of some items is below.

CALENDAR MEETS:

Lottery Process: The committee agreed that there has been some unhappiness with the lottery process. There are several common complaints. Teams that are running meets would like to be able to guarantee admission to their meets to an out of district team. Teams also would like to give preference to teams that regularly support their meets. Some teams would like to guarantee a certain level of quality swimmers in their meets. Also, there are concerns about the lotteries that are not being run through the office.

A suggestion was made that addresses some of these concerns while still maintaining admission to all meets to at least some New England teams. The committee recommends the following policy which would be effective as of short course 2005—2006. A team running a meet would set a number of swims that the team could accommodate in the meets, for example, 4,000 swims. The team could then reserve up to 75% of those swims for their own team and any other teams (New England and/or out of district) that they want to invite to the meet. The other 25% of the swims would be open to other teams as they are currently. If on the first day of acceptance, those meet entries exceeded the 25% still available in the meet, there would be a lottery of those teams. All lotteries would be run by the New England Office..

It is hoped that this process will encourage more teams to put their meets on the calendar and will make teams feel more confident about running successful meets while still allowing the smaller teams opportunities to be accepted at meets. The committee wants to stress that this process is optional, but teams that want to utilize it must put it in their invitations. This policy will be effective as of short course 2005—2006.

Meet Fees: Relay fees: Maximum relay fees can be four times the fee for an individual event in the meet. That could be up to \$14 for a timed final meet and up to \$20 for a trials and finals meet. This fee for relays would be in effect for time trials, also.

Distance events: Fees for distance events, 400 and longer, are increased to a maximum of \$5 for all meets. This policy will be effective as of short course 2005—2006.

Photographers on deck: The only photographers allowed on deck during a meet are professional photographers contracted by the host team or press photographers approved by the host team. This policy will be effective as of short course 2005—2006.

Timers: Teams running meets are allowed to require teams to time their own swimmers in all events 400 and longer and all relay events. This would apply to all meets—end of season and other calendar meets—but must be noted in the meet invitation. This policy will be effective as of short course 2005—2006.

END OF SEASON MEETS:

Stipends: Stipends which New England pays teams that run end of season meets have been increased. These stipends will be effective as of short course 2005—2006.

8 and unders	\$500
Regionals (SC)	\$1000
12 and unders (SC)	\$2000
12 and unders (LC)	\$2500
13 and over (SC)	\$3000
Open (SC or LC)	\$3000
Seniors (SC)	\$4000

Travel Fund Surcharges: Beginning with long course 2005, travel fund surcharges charged at end of season meets will be included in the checks which the entering teams submit to the host team. The host team will then submit one check to New England Swimming for the total travel fund surcharge.

Relays: There will be unlimited relays at regionals and 12 and under age group championships, and up to 4 relays per team at 13 and over championships, open championships and seniors. The number of relays may be limited by the meet director due to the size of the meet. Only two relays per team can score, however. (There is no scoring at regionals.) There will be no limitation as to who swims on relays except at the regional meets. At the regional meets, since each team can bring so many swimmers, there will be no relay only swimmers. For all other meets relay only swimmers will be allowed, but all relay only swimmers must be listed on the meet entry. If they are not listed, they will not be allowed to swim. There will be no separate 13 and 14 relays at the open since teams can compose 13 and 14 relays as part of their unlimited relays. This policy will be effective for the short course 2005—2006 season.

INVITATIONAL MEETS:

Teams that run invitational meets (which are not on the calendar) will be required to pay the \$.50 per individual swim surcharge on all types of meets, including trials and finals meets and distance meets, and all events, including distance events. New England already has a policy that teams that run invitational meets are not allowed to include a "Swimmer Participation Fee" as part of their fee structure. In addition, teams running invitational meets would have to receive permission from all other teams running calendar meets on their proposed date. If this is not received, the final decision will rest with the Calendar Committee. This policy will be effective as of long course 2006.

RESOLUTION TO GRANT AN EXCEPTION TO THE 120 RULE FOR ATHLETES DISPLACED BY HURRICANE KATRINA

Due to the extraordinary and monumental devastation and destruction of Hurricane Katrina, USA Swimming recognizes that member athletes have been displaced from their homes and clubs;

Further, USA Swimming believes enabling displaced athletes to be included as part of a team is important in recovery;

Therefore, be it resolved that USA Swimming establishes the following procedure to grant a temporary exception to the 120 day representation rule set forth in rule 203.3 of the Rules and Regulations of USA Swimming:

- 1. By November 1 or within thirty (30) days of beginning workouts with a new club, an athlete must submit the following information to USA Swimming Member Services for verification: His/her name, date of birth, Hurricane Katrina FEMA number, club most recently represented and club which he/she wishes to represent.
- 2. Member Services will notify the Rules Chairman, or designee, of the eligibility facts. The Rules Chair, or designee, shall make the final determination which shall be binding without right of appeal.
- 3. Each USA Swimming approved transfer request under this resolution shall be exempt from 203.3 (the 120 day rule) and transfer shall be effective immediately.
- 4. Each athlete whose transfer is approved under this provision may, at any time within one year of passage of this resolution, return immediately to representing his/her original club or, if the original club is disbanded, any other club in the original LSC.
- 5. This provision will take effect immediately upon approval by the USA Swimming House of Delegates and expires at the close of business of the House of Delegates meeting in 2006.

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The clinic is only \$30 per swimmer if you pre-register by mail postmarked by October 15th or \$40 if you register after this date. The clinic will be limited to the first 100 swimmers registered and on site registration will only take place if openings are available. Each registered/paid swimmer will receive an autograph, a Speedo goodie bag with cool stuff from our sponsors including an event swim cap, clinic entry and group instruction from one of the best in the World!

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New England Swimming 20 Cleveland Road Needham: MA 02492 Attn: Kristy Kowal Clinic

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KRISTY KOWAL CLINIC: APPLICATION & PARENTAL RELEASE FORM

New England Swimming is pleased to be hosting a clinic featuring Olympic Silver Medalist Kristy Kowal. The clinic will be sponsored by Ultimate Technicque Swim Clinics and New England Swimming and will be held at the Mayers Natatoriu, Seekonk High School, Seekonk, MA on October 22, 2004 from 12 noon to 4 pm.

The clinic is open to all New England registered swimmers ages 9 and older. All participants must submit an application and \$30 fee to be post marked by October 15, 2005. The camp is limited to 100 swimmers and registration will close when it is filled. If there is room, registration will be available at the door for \$40.

Parents and coaches are welcome to observe the clinic from the stands. Bottled water will be available for the swimmers, but if they would like to bring their own drink and/or a snack, they may. Don't forget a bathing suit, towel, and sweats!

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NAME:	AGE:
CLUB:	COACH:
USA SWIMMING I D NUMBER:	
PHONE NUMBER:	EMAIL:
Please list any health considerations:	
administrators, waive and release any and have against USA Swimming, New Engla	
	Parent or Guardian Signature

Please return to: New England Swimming, 20 Cleveland Road, Needham, MA 02492 The application should include a \$30 check made out to New England Swimming.

Directions: The Mayers Natatorium is located at 261 Arcade Avenue, Seekonk, MA 02771. The pool entrance is located adjacent to the main entrance. Parking is available anywhere in the school lot.

From South of Providence take Rt. 95 North to Rt. 195 East. Proceed on 195 East to Exit 7 (Rt. 6 Seekonk/Rt.114 Barrington). Take the Rt. 6 East Seekonk off ramp. Proceed to the second traffic light and turn Left. Again proceed to the second traffic light and turn Left. Continue below.**

From North of Providence take Rt. 95 South to Rt. 195 East. Proceed on 195 East to Exit 7 (Rt. 6 Seekonk/Rt.114 Barrington). Take the Rt. 6 East Seekonk off ramp. Proceed to the second traffic light and turn Left. Again proceed to the second traffic light and turn Left. Continue below.**

From the East take Rt. 195 West to Exit 1 in Massachusetts (Rt. 114A Seekonk). Take exit 1 and turn right at the top of the ramp onto Rt. 114A North. Stay straight and pass through 1 traffic light. Continue below.**

**Continued for all: You will reach a fork in the road. Stay straight (do not bear left onto 114) you should have the Grist Mill Restaurant and a gold course on your left side as you proceed. Continue to the next traffic light, proceed straight through that light and continue for approx. ½ mile and the school will be on your left.



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ZONES: The list of swimmers at Zones in the last newsletter should have included **RACHEL MOORE** with an * in front of her name and also should have listed her as winning the 11 and 12 girls 100 yard butterfly. Our apologies to Rachel..

Our APOLOGIES to some swimmers who had errors in their names in the last newsletter! ALLISON SCOTT, MATTHEW NUTTER, TANA BAO, JACK TOMASI.

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NEW ENGLAND SWIMMING 13—19 AGE GROUP CHAMPIONSHIPS:

New England Swimming is pleased to announce that the 13—19 Age Group Championship will be held on March 2—5, 2006 at MIT. The meet will be run by New England Swimming with the cooperation of all the teams attending. The initial arrangements have been made by Calendar Chair, Bob Gauvin. Mariella Allard has volunteered to be the Meet Director. The computer work will be done by Mary Gentry. All teams who enter the meet will be expected to help with the meet. Teams will be expected to time and also assist with all other aspects of the meet—marshals, runners, awards, hospitality, door, clean up, etc—and we will need the full cooperation of everyone to achieve a great meet for the swimmers.

The Board of New England Swimming will meet on Tuesday, November 29, 2005 at 7 pm at the Wellesley Community Center, Wellesley, MA.

CLINIC: New England Swimming sponsored a very successful clinic featuring Olympic Silver Medalist KRISTY KOWAL at Seekonk High School on Saturday, October 22, 2005. Kristy inspired seventy swimmers (and some of their parents and coaches) with her talk and helped them improved their techniques in the water. Kristy was very gracious in signing autographs and posing for pictures. The swimmers also received a cap and a selection of "goodies." Our thanks to Ray Grant and the coaches at Seekonk, to Sherry Wingfield and Melinda Antonucci who also helped on deck, and to Bob Gauvin who made all the arrangements for the clinic and provided transportation for Kristy.

TOP TEN BANQUET: On the following day, Sunday, October 23, KRISTY KOWAL was the featured speaker at the Top Ten Banquet at Lenzi's in Dracut, MA. A group of 500 swimmers, their relatives, and their coaches enjoyed a buffet meal, honored the swimmers and again enjoyed a talk by Kristy who again signed many autographs and posed for numerous pictures as she helped pass out the certificates and patches. Thanks n to Priscilla Davis and Mariella Allard who helped at the door, Mariella Allard who read the names, Ray Grant who introduced Kristy, Ray Grant, athletes rep, who also addressed the group, Michelle Bernal who helped with the certificates, and Bob Gauvin who brought Kristy to the banquet and then took her to the airport.

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HELP WANTED

Assistant Swim Coach wanted for USS age group swim team in Salem, NH. Must have competitive swim or coaching experience. First Aid, CPR, Lifeguard Training or Coaches Safety Training required. Submit resume or apply in person to Salem Boys and Girls Club, 3 Geremonty Drive, Salem, NH 03079. 603-898-7709 ext. 18.

The ANA YMCA Hurricanes are looking for a few part-time swim coaches, Please contact James Sweeney at <u>jsweeney@mvymca.org</u> for more details.

Newton South High School seeks an assistant swim coach for the winter 2005—2006 season. The practice schedule is Monday—Friday, 5 pm – 7 pm with meets on Tuesday and Fridays. The season starts November 28 and runs into mid-February. Please contact Kristen Chappelle (Kristen aries@yahoo.com)



USA Swimming Coaches Safety Curriculum 2005--2006 Requirements and Equivalents

Effective since 1988, all coach members are required to fulfill safety training requirements as established by the USA Swimming Board of Directors. USA Swimming currently requires coach members to hold current certification cards for the following courses: Safety Training for Swim Coaches, CPR and First Aid.

ARC/USOC Sport Safety Training is recommended by USA Swimming because of its coaching specific content and materials. This course includes Adult CPR, fulfilling both the first aid and CPR requirements for coach membership.

Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation (CPR)

Any one of the following courses will satisfy the requirement:

American Red Cross: (all ARC CPR courses are good for one year) (<u>NO instructor certifications are acceptable</u>)

- Adult CPR (4 hours)
- Adult CPR/AED
- Community CPR (6.5 hours) (includes adult, infant and child CPR)
- CPR for the Professional Rescuer (9 hours)

American Heart Association: (all AHA CPR cards are good for two years)

- Advanced Cardiac Life Support (ACLS)
- Basic Life Support (BLS) for the Health Care Provider (card will read "Healthcare Provider")
- Heartsaver CPR (Adult and/or Child; Infant only is not acceptable)
 (USA Swimming does NOT accept "Heartsaver" or "Heartsaver AED")
- Any AHA Basic Life Support Instructor or Instructor Trainer for the courses listed above

National Safety Council: (NSC CPR courses are good for either one or two years, depending on the training agency)

- Adult CPR
- First Responder (includes First Aid)

Jeff Ellis & Associates:

- Water Safety+ (4 hour course includes First Aid)
- National Pool & Waterpark Lifequard Training Program (one year certification, includes First Aid)
- National Pool & Waterpark Lifequard Training Program Instructor License (12-18 month certification)

CPR Courses offered by other organizations:

- AAOS (Amer Acad of Orthopaedic Surgeons) Emergency Care & Safety Institute CPR (two year cert)
- American Safety & Health Institute (ASHI) CPR Pro
- American Safety & Health Institute (ASHI) CPR/AED for the Community and Workplace (two year cert)
- Medic First Aid (course includes First Aid) (coach must also submit a completed, scored test signed by the course instructor)
- E.M.S. Safety Services CPR
- Emergency Medical Technician (EMT) Basic (course includes First Aid)
- Save-A-Life Educators: CPR
- StarGuard
- Tacoma Fire Department First Aid & CPR Course (course includes First Aid)
- University Training Centers, Inc. Healthcare Provider BLS (C)

First Aid

Any one of the following courses will satisfy the requirement:

American Red Cross: (NO instructor certifications are acceptable)

- ARC/USOC Sport Safety Training (6.5 hours with Adult CPR; 7 hrs with elective Child CPR)
 - o Also called ARC Sports Injury Prevention and First Aid
- Community First Aid & Safety (9 hours) (includes Community CPR)
- First Aid Responding to Emergencies (23.5 hrs) (includes Adult and/or Infant/Child CPR)
- First Aid Basics
- Emergency Response (43.5 hrs) (includes CPR for the Professional Rescuer)
- Lifeguard Training (includes CPR for the Professional Rescuer)
- Standard First Aid/CPR/AED (includes Adult CPR)

American Safety & Health Institute:

- Adult Basic First Aid (4 hour course)
- Universal Basic First Aid (4-6 hours)

National Safety Council: (NSC FA certifications are good for two or three years, depending on the training agency)

- First Aid
- First Responder (includes CPR)

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- National Pool & Waterpark Lifeguard Training Program Instructor License (12-18 month certification)

First Aid courses offered by other organizations:

- AAOS (Amer Acad of Orthopaedic Surgeons) Emergency Care & Safety Institute First Aid
- Emergency Medical Technician (EMT) Basic (includes CPR)
- Medic First Aid (includes CPR) (coach must also submit a completed, scored test signed by the course instructor)
- E.M.S. Safety Services First Aid
- Life Education of Florida First Aid for All Ages: A Common Sense Approach
- Save-A-Life Educators: First Aid
- StarGuard
- Tacoma Fire Department First Aid & CPR Course (includes CPR)
- University Training Centers, Inc. Standard First Aid

Safety Training For Swim Coaches

Any one of the following courses will satisfy the requirement:

American Red Cross: (NO instructor certifications are acceptable)

- Safety Training for Swim Coaches (8 hour course)
- Safety Training for Swim Coaches Review Course (4 hour renewal course)
- Lifeguard Training (may be referred to as *Lifeguarding Today* on some certifications)

Jeff Ellis & Associates:

- National Pool & Waterpark Lifeguard Training Program (one year certification, includes First Aid)
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Girls		8 & Under		Boys
Cut-on	Cut-off	EVENTS	Cut-on	Cut-off
30.00		25 FR	30.00	
1:00.00	32.70	50 FR	1:00.00	33.60
2:00.00	1:12.20	100 FR	2:00.00	1:15.40
35.00		25 BK	35.00	
1:10.00	38.90	50 BK	1:10.00	40.20
40.00		25 BR	40.00	
1:20.00	44.30	50 BR	1:20.00	47.10
35.00		25 FL	35.00	
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3:17.29	2:37.00	200 FR	3:15.19	2:44.50
55.99	38.90	50 BK	55.89	40.20
1:49.09	1:24.10	100 BK	1:46.79	1:28.70
1:00.69	44.30	50 BR	1:00.09	47.10
1:59.49	1:35.40	100 BR	1:57.79	1:44.30
55.59	37.70	50 FL	55.29	40.90
1:47.19	1:29.90	100 FLY	1:45.39	1:40.50
01:55.5	1:22.80	100 IM	1:53.59	1:26.30
3:31.99	3:01.20	200 IM	3:27.89	3:15.70
Girls		11-12		Boys
Cut-on	Cut-off	EVENTS	Cut-on	Cut-off
35.89	28.80	50 FR	36.79	29.60
1:18.99	1:02.60	100 FR	1:21.79	1:04.50
2:43.99	2:15.60	200 FR	2:48.39	2:19.80
7:05.49	6:04.50	500 FR	7:00.89	6:12.80
42.99	34.10	50 BK	44.59	35.30
1:32.19	1:12.10	100 BK	1:31.49	1:15.50
2:51.29	2:38.70	200 BK	2:50.19	2:49.00
47.99	38.10	50 BR	49.09	38.80
1:42.99	1:21.50	100 BR	1:42.89	1:25.50
3:23.49	2:58.00	200 BR	3:22.29	3:09.80
43.79	32.50	50 FL	43.79	33.90
1:31.09	1:13.50	100 FLY	1:30.09	1:18.10
2:54.39	2:47.50	200 FL	2:50.89	2:47.50
1:32.19	1:12.10	100 IM	1:31.29	1:14.50
3:06.69	2:33.50	200 IM	3:04.49	2:39.50
5:54.39	5:36.70	400 IM	6:03.89	5:46.00

Girls	7	13-14	1	Boys
GIIIS				DUys
Cut-on	Cut-off	EVENTS	Cut-on	Cut-off
31.39	26.90	50 FR	32.09	25.90
1:08.59	58.30	100 FR	1:11.69	57.10
2:23.49	2:06.20	200 FR	2:34.59	2:03.00
6:39.99	5:36.00	500 FR	6:35.39	5:34.00
21:21.19	19:26.00	1650 FR	20:25.19	19:16.00
1:25.39	1:06.60	100 BK	1:24.99	1:05.70
2:50.69	2:24.00	200 BK	2:48.09	2:22.60
1:34.99	1:16.80	100 BR	1:31.99	1:15.60
3:14.09	2:44.00	200 BR	3:05.79	2:42.60
1:25.89	1:06.10	100 FLY	1:25.79	1:06.00
2:53.29	2:29.00	200 FL	2:44.09	2:32.00
2:57.49	2:23.60	200 IM	2:54.19	2:21.00
5:47.79	5:05.00	400 IM	5:55.69	5:04.00

Girls	•	15-18		Boys
Cut-on	Cut-off	EVENTS	Cut-on	Cut-off
29.99	26.10	50 FR	27.99	23.60
1:05.79	56.60	100 FR	1:00.49	51.80
2:21.49	2:01.80	200 FR	2:15.99	1:52.60
6:08.29	5:24.20	500 FR	5:52.29	5:06.10
19:56.89	18:51.00	1650 FR	19:04.19	18:18.00
1:16.69	1:04.30	100 BK	1:13.59	59.10
2:35.79	2:17.90	200 BK	2:28.09	2:10.10
1:25.79	1:12.60	100 BR	1:17.89	1:06.70
2:56.59	2:37.40	200 BR	2:42.19	2:27.80
1:14.99	1:03.00	100 FLY	1:12.09	58.00
2:35.09	2:21.30	200 FL	2:21.09	2:11.30
2:40.59	2:18.20	200 IM	2:31.79	2:07.40
5:19.79	4:52.50	400 IM	5:30.19	4:38.50

Qualifying Period: September 1, 2005 through entry date.

## New England Regionals: Team Assignments 2006

## ATTLEBORO HIGH SCHOOL

**Team Name** 

Adirondack Aquatic Club Attleboro Blue Fish Attleboro YMCA Typhoons Bay State Swim Club

Boys and Girls Club of Pawtucket

**Burbank YMCA Bluefins** 

Cumberland-Lincoln Boys Club Penguins

Central Mass Cyclones
East Longmeadow Marlins
Greenwood Memorial Swim Club

**KSC Valley Gators** 

Hampshire Regional YMCA
Holyoke YMCA Vikings
Hockomock Area YMCA
Kent County YMCA
Mei's Typhoon Swim Club
Middleborough YMCA Sea Devils

The Mighty Ducks
Providence Aquatic Club
Shawmut Aquatic Club
South Shore YMCA Strypers

Western New England Aquatic Club

Worcester Storm Swim Club

**Team Location** 

Franklin, MA Attleboro, MA Attleboro, MA Sturbridge, MA Pawtucket, RI Reading, MA Cumberland, RI Worcester, MA

East Longmeadow, MA

Gardner, MA Keene, NH Northampton, MA Holyoke, MA North Attleboro, MA

RI

Longmeadow, MA Middleboro, MA

MA

Providence, RI Framingham, MA

MA

Springfield, MA Gardner, MA

## SEEKONK HIGH SCHOOL

**Team Name** 

Nantucket Dolphins Aquamaids and Aquamen of Worchester

Amherst Tritons Swim Team
Cape Cod Swim Club
Cape Cod YMCA Mackos
Easthampton Barracudas
Eaglebrook School Swim Club

Kingsbury Club Swim Team Mystic Valley Swim Club Newport Blues Swim Team

Rams Swim Club River City Swim Club

Simons Rock/ Southern Berkshire YMCA Snappers

**South Coast Aquatics** 

Seacoast Swimming Association

Willy's East Swim Team Weymouth Waves

Whitensville Blue Dolphins

Westfield YMCA Waves Swim Team

**Team Location** 

Nantucket, MA Worchester, MA Amherst, MA Bourne, MA Barstable, MA Easthampton, MA

MA

Kingston, MA Winthrop, MA Newport, RI Kingston, RI Westport, MA

Great Barrington, MA North Dartmouth, MA

Dover, NH

North Eastham, MA Weymouth, MA Whitensville, MA Westfield, MA

## New England Regionals: Team Assignments 2006

### **BEVERLY YMCA**

**Team Name** 

Andover North Andover YMCA Belmont Aquatic Team Bernals Gator Swim Club Bay and Ocean State Squid New England Barracudas

**Diversified Aquatics Recreation Team** 

Danvers YMCA Dolphins Executive Swim Club

H2O - Woburn Boys and Girls Club

Hampshire Hills Seawolves Lakes Region Wavemakers Manchester Swim Team Melrose YMCA Sharks North Country Newts Oyster River Otters Patriot Swim Club Portsmouth Swim Team TNT - Haverhill Swimming YMCA of the North Shore **Team Location** 

Andover, MA Belmont, MA Waltham, MA Cambridge, MA Waltham, MA

MA

Danvers, MA Manchester, NH Woburn, MA

Laconia, NH Manchester, NH Melrose, MA Franconia, NH Durham, NH Acton, MA Portsmouth, NH Haverhill, MA Beverly, MA

### SALEM STATE COLLEGE

**Team Name** 

**Blule Dolphins** 

**Burlington YMCA Dynamos** 

Carter Community Building Swordfish

Concord YMCA

Claremont Tiger Sharks
Central Vermont Wavemakers

**Exeter Swim Team** 

Southern New Hampshire FINS Swim Team

Green Mountain Aquatics Magnus Aquatic Group Merrimack Valley Pirates

Middlebury Area Swimming Association

Manchester YMCA Tritons Nashua Area YMCA Prospectors

New Wave Swim Club North Country Aquatic Club North Shore Swim Club

Peterborough Waves Swim Club Rockingham Area Youth Swim Team

Rowell's Raiders Swim Club

Saint Albans Sharks Stowe Swimmers

Vermont Area Swim Team

**Team Location** 

Concord, NH
Burlington, VT
West Lebanon, NH
Concord, NH
Claremont, NH
Northfield, VT
Exeter, NH
Nashua, NH

South Burlington, VT

Haverhill, MA
Andover, MA
Middlebury, VT
Manchester, NH
Nashua, NH
Lowell, MA
Hanover, NH
Salem, MA
Peterborough, NH
Rockingham, NH

Stowe, VT Williston, VT

Derry, NH

## New England 12 and Under Championships Qualifying Times for Short Course 2005-2006

Qualifying period: February 11, 2005 through the entry deadline.

SCM	Girls LCM	scy	10 & Under EVENTS	SCY	Boys LCM	SCM
36.39	37.29	32.69	50 FR	33.59	39.79	37.09
1:19.49	1:23.09	1:12.19	100 FR	1:15.39	1:28.99	1:23.19
2:52.99	2:59.99	2:36.99	200 FR	2:44.49	3:09.99	3:02.09
6:12.49	6:25.59	7:11.39	400/500 FR	7:11.39	6:35.49	6:13.49
43.29	45.19	38.89	50 BK	40.19	47.59	44.39
1:32.39	1:36.89	1:24.09	100 BK	1:28.69	1:45.19	1:38.79
49.29	50.69	44.29	50 BR	47.09	54.69	52.09
1:46.49	1:48.39	1:35.39	100 BR	1:44.29	1:59.59	1:55.89
41.99	44.49	37.69	50 FLY	40.89	48.09	45.19
1:38.79	1:46.49	1:29.89	100 FLY	1:40.49	1:50.49	1:50.09
1:31.39		1:22.79	100 IM	1:26.29		1:35.19
3:19.89	3:23.79	3:01.19	200 IM	3:15.69	3:40.49	3:36.29
	Girls		11-12		Boys	
SCM	LCM	SCY	EVENTS	SCY	LCM	SCM
32.09	32.79	28.79	50 FR	29.59	33.69	32.69
1:08.89	1:11.99	1:02.59	100 FR	1:04.49	1:13.99	1:11.19
2:29.39	2:34.19	2:15.59	200 FR	2:19.79	2:37.99	2:34.79
5:14.79	5:22.39	6:04.49	400/500 FR	6:12.79	5:41.49	5:22.69
11:24.99	11:37.09	13:00.99	800/1000 FR	13:00.99	11:37.09	11:23.29
22:30.99	21:47.69	22:30.99	1500/1650 FR	22:30.99	21:47.69	22:30.99
37.92	39.19	34.09	50 BK	35.29	41.49	38.99
1:19.19	1:22.19	1:12.09	100 BK	1:15.49	1:26.99	1:24.09
2:55.89	2:58.19	2:38.69	200 BK	2:48.99	3:11.29	3:07.69
42.39	43.49	38.09	50 BR	38.79	46.49	42.89
1:30.99	1:34.49	1:21.49	100 BR	1:25.49	1:41.39	1:34.99
3:19.09	3:23.69	2:57.99	200 BR	3:09.79	3:35.39	3:42.79
36.19	36.69	32.49	50 FLY	33.89	38.79	37.49
1:20.79	1:22.59	1:13.49	100 FLY	1:18.09	1:32.09	1:25.59
3:04.09	3:12.99	2:47.49	200 FLY	2:47.49	3:12.99	3:03.29
1:19.59		1:12.09	100 IM	1:14.49		1:22.09
2:49.29	2:54.99	2:33.49	200 IM	2:39.49	3:03.49	2:56.29
6:11.29	6:17.99	5:36.69	400 IM	5:45.99	6:31.69	6:23.09

The office will be closed from Tuesday, November 22, 2005 through Sunday, November 27, 2005. Please plan your registration needs accordingly!!!!

Included in this newsletter is a **Report of Occurrence**. Please complete one and submit it for all accidents no matter how small.

# New England 13-19 Championships Qualifying Times for Short Course 2005-2006

Qualifying period: February 11, 2005 through the entry deadline.

		Girls	1	13-14		Boys	
	SCM	LCM	SCY	EVENTS	SCY	LCM	SCM
•	29.99	30.59	26.89	50 FR	25.89	29.89	28.59
	1:04.19	1:07.19	58.29	100 FR	57.09	1:04.89	1:02.99
	2:19.09	2:24.49	2:06.19	200 FR	2:02.99	2:21.89	2:16.19
	4:50.09	5:04.49	5:35.99	400/500 FR	5:33.99	4:58.99	4:59.19
	10:14.79	10:32.09	11:45.99	800/1000 FR	11:30.99	10:23.39	10:04.59
	19:13.39	19:50.29	19:25.99	1500/1650 FR	19:15.99	19:30.89	18:54.79
	1:13.09	1:18.29	1:06.59	100 BK	1:05.69	1:18.99	1:13.19
	2:39.59	2:47.99	2:23.99	200 BK	2:22.59	2:43.99	2:40.59
	1:25.69	1:29.99	1:16.79	100 BR	1:15.59	1:26.79	1:23.99
	3:03.39	3:09.99	2:43.99	200 BR	2:42.59	3:08.99	3:02.29
	1:12.69	1:15.99	1:06.09	100 FLY	1:05.99	1:16.09	1:12.29
	2:43.79	2:49.59	2:28.99	200 FLY	2:31.99	2:48.99	2:46.29
	2:38.39	2:44.59	2:23.59	200 IM	2:20.99	2:44.39	2:35.79
	5:36.29	5:49.99	5:04.99	400 IM	5:03.99	5:48.99	5:36.59
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		Girls		15-19		Boys	
	SCM	LCM	SCY	EVENTS	SCY	LCM	SCM
	29.09	29.79	26.09	50 FR	23.59	26.89	26.09
	1:02.29	1:04.59	56.59	100 FR	51.79	59.09	57.19
	2:14.19	2:18.79	2:01.79	200 FR	1:52.59	2:08.79	2:04.69
	4:39.99	4:55.99	5:24.19	400/500 FR	5:06.09	4:42.09	4:24.99
	9:47.19	10:20.29	11:14.29	800/1000 FR	10:43.59	10:04.49	9:23.09
	18:38.79	19:45.29	18:50.99	1500/1650 FR	18:17.99	18:59.39	17:57.79
	1:10.59	1:13.29	1:04.29	100 BK	59.09	1:07.49	1:05.79
	2:32.79	2:37.19	2:17.89	200 BK	2:10.09	2:28.29	2:24.49
	1:21.09	1:22.49	1:12.59	100 BR	1:06.69	1:15.99	1:14.09
	2:56.09	2:59.49	2:37.39	200 BR	2:27.79	2:48.48	2:45.69
	1:09.29	1:09.89	1:02.99	100 FLY	57.99	1:06.09	1:03.59
	2:35.29	2:41.09	2:21.29	200 FLY	2:11.29	2:29.69	2:23.69
	2:32.49	2:37.49	2:18.19	200 IM	2:07.39	2:25.19	2:20.79
	5:22.49	5:33.49	4:52.49	400 IM	4:38.49	5:17.49	5:08.29

**NEWSLETTER PLUS SUBCRIPTIONS:** Subscriptions are sent to two members of each team—the club contact and the safety coordinator. Subscriptions are available to other members of the New England Swimming community for \$10 per year. Please send your check to the New England Swimming Office, 20 Cleveland Road, Needham, MA 02492.

#### REIMBURSEMENT POLICY FOR NATIONAL AND SECTIONAL MEETS, 2005-2006

The following policy was passed by the Board of New England Swimming at its meeting on October 17, 2005. There may be some clarifications added at the next board meeting.

#### ATHLETE REIMBURSEMENT POLICY:

A New England Swimming registered swimmer who meets the eligibility requirements and who qualifies for and swims in an individual event at the Conoco Phillips National Championships, Olympic Trials, USA Swimming Club Championships, USA Swimming Disability Championships (or other disability meet designated by USA Swimming), USA Swimming Junior Nationals, NCSA Junior Nationals, USA Swimming Open, a World Cup meet sponsored by USA Swimming, or the USA Swimming Speedo Championships (Sectionals) will be reimbursed by New England Swimming.

The reimbursement per swimmer will be as follows:

Conoco Phillips National Championship, Olympic Trials, USA	
Swimming Club Championships	\$750
USA Swimming Disability Championships	750
USA Swimming Junior Nationals	500
USA Swimming Open	400
NCSA Junior Nationals	300
World Cup meet sponsored by USA Swimming	300
Speedo Championships (Sectionals)	100

#### **ELIGIBILITY:**

To be eligible for reimbursement, an athlete must have been register in New England Swimming and have competed in a New England Swimming calendar meet at least six months prior to the meet for which reimbursement has been requested.

During the short course season, September 1, 2005 to April 31, 2006, a swimmer must fully participate in three New England Swimming calendar meets to be eligible for reimbursement. During the long course season, May 1, 2006 to August 31, 2006, a swimmer must fully participate in two New England Swimming calendar meets to be eligible for reimbursement. As an option, swimmers may fully participate in a total of five New England Swimming calendar meets during the period of September 1, 2005 to August 31, 2006 to be eligible for reimbursement. "Full participation" means participation in all or at least two days of competition and at least one individual event at each day of participation. Disabled swimmers are strongly urged to participate in New England Swimming meets, However, the Board will consider waiving the minimum meet requirements on a case by case basis.

A swimmer must request the reimbursement within eight weeks of the meet. The request must include receipts (plane ticket, hotel, etc.) to equal or exceed the amount of the requested reimbursement. If the required number of meets has not been met at the time that the request is submitted, the updated meet list must be sent to the office as soon as this requirement has been met. Incomplete requests will be returned.

Waivers: If an athlete does not meet the New England Swimming eligibility requirements, all reasonable request for waivers will be considered by the New England Swimming Board of Directors following the long course season. To request a waiver, complete the reimbursement

request form and attach a detailed explanation of your request for waiver signed by both the coach and athlete (or parent if under 18). Incomplete reimbursement forms will not be considered for a waiver.

#### COACH REIMBURSEMENT POLICY:

For each team that sends a swimmer to the Conoco Phillips National Championships, Olympic Trials, USA Swimming Club Championships, USA Swimming Disability Championships (or other disability meet designated by USA Swimming), USA Swimming Junior Nationals, NCSA Junior Nationals, USA Swimming Open, a World Cup meet sponsored by USA Swimming, or the USA Swimming Speedo Championships (Sectionals) will be reimbursed by New England Swimming.

#### Coach reimbursement will be as follows:

Conoco Phillips National Championship, Olympic Trials, USA	
Swimming Club Championships	\$500
USA Swimming Disability Championships	500
USA Swimming Junior Nationals	300
USA Swimming Open	300
NCSA Junior Nationals	200
World Cup meet sponsored by USA Swimming	200
Speedo Championships (Sectionals)	150

The number of New England registered coaches per team to be reimbursed will follow the policy for deck passes established by USA Swimming for the Conoco Phillips National Championships. All swimmers in the calculation must be New England registered swimmers who meet the eligibility requirements for swimmer reimbursement and qualify for and swim in at least one individual event in the meet.

1—3 swimmers:	1 coach reimbursement
4—6 swimmers:	2 coach reimbursements
7—9 swimmers:	3 coach reimbursements
10—20 swimmers:	4 coach reimbursements
21—30 swimmers:	5 coach reimbursements
31—40 swimmers:	6 coach reimbursements
41—50 swimmers	7 coach reimbursements
51 or more swimmers:	8 coach reimbursements

Coaches must complete the reimbursement form and submit it to the office within eight weeks of the meet with receipts for expenses that equal or exceed the amount of the requested reimbursement. Incomplete requests will be returned.

#### OFFICIAL REIMBURSEMENT POLICY:

New England Swimming member officials that volunteer and work at the Conoco Phillips National Championships, Olympic Trials, USA Swimming Club Championships, USA Swimming Disability Championships (or other disability meet designated by USA Swimming), USA Swimming Junior Nationals, NCSA Junior Nationals, USA Swimming Open, a World Cup meet sponsored by USA Swimming, or the USA Swimming Speedo Championships (Sectionals) will be reimbursed by New England Swimming.

An Official can apply for be reimbursed for actual expenses at a rate not to exceed the current coaches reimbursement (see above). To receive this reimbursement an official must meet the following criteria:

- 1. Be a current registered member of New England Swimming.
- 2. Work all sessions of the eligible meet (as listed above).
- 3. Annually work 5 sanctioned calendar meets (a minimum of two sessions in each meet) in New England during the year (September 1, 2005—August 31, 2006

An Official may only apply for this reimbursement for a maximum of one of these meets conducted in each fiscal year (September 1, 2005—August 31, 2006) regardless of the number of meets worked. The application for reimbursement must include receipts to equal or exceed the amount of the requested reimbursement and a copy of the official's blue official's card to verify the number of sanctioned calendar meets worked in New England.

## 2005-2006 New England Senior Time Standards

Qualifying period: December 1, 2004 through the entry deadline.

	Women				Men	
SCM	LCM	SCY	Events	SCY	LCM	SCM
28.49	29.39	25.59	50 Free	22.99	26.89	25.59
1:01.49	1:03.99	55.39	100 Free	50.89	58.59	56.49
2:12.09	2:16.99	1:58.99	200 Free	1:50.59	2:06.99	2:02.79
4:41.49	4:47.49	5:16.99	400/500 Free	4:57.89	4:33.09	4:24.59
9:42.09	10:02.39	10:55.49	800/1000 Free	10:28.79	9:37.99	9:18.39
18:43.09	19:17.09	18:32.99	1500/1650 Free	17:53.59	18:20.59	18:03.39
1:09.79	1:13.19	1:02.79	100 Back	58.09	1:06.29	1:04.49
2:29.09	2:39.99	2:14.29	200 Back	2:06.99	2:25.79	2:20.99
1:18.19	1:20.29	1:10.39	100 Breast	1:04.99	1:15.09	1:12.19
2:49.69	2:58.99	2:32.79	200 Breast	2:23.29	2:47.89	2:39.09
1:08.09	1:09.89	1:01.29	100 Fly	56.09	1:05.09	1:02.29
2:32.69	2:38.19	2:17.49	200 Fly	2:07.59	2:25.49	2:21.69
2:30.09	2:35.59	2:15.19	200 IM	2:04.99	2:24.79	2:18.79
5:16.39	5:31.89	4:44.99	400 IM	4:30.99	5:15.99	5:00.89

### USA SWIMMING Report of Occurrence

(Circle one)Personal Injury/Pr	operty Damage			ani.
(Please Print Clearly) Date of Incident:	_ Time of Incident:	_LSC:Name of Cl	ub:	pr.
			Spectator 🗆 Other:	
Name (Legal):		USA Swimming	ID#:	
Date of Birth:	Age: Sex: 🗆 M 🕻	<b>J</b> F Phone: ()		
Where did the incident occur?:	□ In Water □ Deck □ On Gym □ Outside Venue (List) _ et/Warm-up □ Meet/Warm	Blocks	n □ Bleachers □ Hallway □ Stairs □ Other Activ	zity:
Facility Type:   Indoor  Oute	door			
Affected Body Part (Specify R or	L): Head/Neck Leg/Fo	ot □ Ears/Nose/Mouth I Internal □ Other:	/Teeth □ Hand/Arm □ Knees	
Describe the Injury:				
On Site Care Given by:   Coacl	n □ Parent □ EMT/Paramedic	☐ Facility Staff:	ame of person giving care	
Care Refused by Injured:   Yes	□ No			
Parent/Guardian notified:   No	□Yes Comment?			
Taken to Clinic/Hospital: □No	□Yes If yes, location:			
Please include names and phone	numbers of two (2) witnesses: (II	fothers, list on reverse)		
Name	Address		() Phone	
Name	Address		Phone	
Activity Supervisor:	(_	)	()	
Report Submitted By:	rint (	Daytime Phone	Evening Phone	
Please p	rint	Daytime Phone	Evening Phone	
Club Parsonnal/Clab Cafaca	andinator is none 211. C	Date Report was su		
USA Swimming		eturning completed form igement Services, Inc.	a immediately following incident to: and: LSC Safety Chairman	
Risk Management Department	P. O. Box 3	2712	Priscilla Davis	
One Olympic Plaza Colorado Springs, CO 80909		Z 85064-2712	205 Woodbury Street	
FAX: (719) 866-4050	FAX: (602	) 21 <del>1-</del> 9130	South Hamilton, MA 01982	
Please attach any additional repo	rts (facility reports, newspaper a	rticles, witness statement	s).	