



Greetings!

Let's celebrate the ending of 2020 by getting a jump start on those New Year's resolutions and get swimming!

Due to the restrictions of the pandemic, the COMSA Board has made the difficult decision to hold the annual state meet as a virtual event this year. It seems highly unlikely that we will be able to gather in large numbers as we have in past years. However, we would like to be able to offer tangible goals for our membership heading into the new year. Since officials will not be used, times will not count for records or USMS You 10, BUT this is an opportunity to come together with your team or workout group. Try a new event. Try swimming all 18 individual events. Try the Brute Squad this year. Participate to help your team win a participation award. Or participate to donate money to a good cause. We are going to keep the cost nominal in hopes that our amazing community might donate to one of the swimming charities in our region. More details will be available soon on ClubAssistant.

We stay apart now so that all of us can be together soon,
Heather Melrose
COMSA Secretary

Upcoming Events

State Meet

- Virtual Meet March 14-28, 2021
- Swim in your home pool on your own schedule
- Participate in 1-18 individual events, your choice
- Team participation Awards will be handed out for local clubs or workout groups with the highest participation.



Host a Swim Meet

Are you interested in hosting a real live swim meet? Swim meet sanctions are being paid by COMSA in 2021. We have also set up a grant program to help teams pay for pool rental fees. Perhaps, your local facility would allow for a small meet so that your members can get official times. Please contact [Richard Hess](#), Sanctions Chair, for more details.

It's Official

According to **103.2 Required Personnel -**

You must have at least one meet referee who may also serve as a stroke and turn official and one starter who may also serve as a stroke and turn official, plus two stroke and turn officials.

If an automatic timing system is used, only one timer per lane is needed.

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