

NWSC RULES ON SCORING A DUAL MEET

SCORING

INDIVIDUAL EVENTS: 5-3-2-1
{diving & swimming events}

RELAYS: 8-4-2

- If both teams have entries, only two places can be scored per team.
- Sweeps [taking all three places] **are not allowed, UNLESS** the opposing team does not have an entry. If team had an entry that was disqualified, the disqualified swimmer is to be considered an entry. *This pertains to Individual Events only... NO RELAY SWEEPS!*
- **Notify the Official immediately if the swimmers name does not appear on the entry card, if an incorrect name is listed on the card, if two cards have the same name, or if a swimmer or diver has been entered in 4 individual events. Penalty: disqualification. ☹**
- A disqualification [dq] is marked with a circle around the swimmer's lane.
- First and Last Names MUST be indicated on the score sheet.
- Always place the official's rundown [placement of the swimmers in the finish of a race] on the score sheet next to the event the rundown pertains to.
- If scorers [minimum two scorers per meet, one from each team] do not agree on the score and cannot resolve the problem in a timely manner, call the official and resolve problem before continuing the meet.
- At the end of the meet, make sure the official signs the score sheet.
- EVERY SWIMMER GETS THE PROPER AWARD, CORRESPONDING TO THEIR PLACING IN A HEAT, NO MATTER WHAT THE OUTCOME OF THE SCORING.
- Any team that scores 282 points shall be declared the winner. The score for meets without diving is 260. We strongly suggest that teams be considerate and not run up the score. (Please note that the two scores are based on teams with even numbers of competitors. Teams that are not evenly matched in numbers, should use good judgment when the score seems to be getting out of hand.
- If a team decides to stop scoring, the HEAD COACH must notify the Official and the scorer's table. All points would then go to the opposing team. In accordance with Federation rules, no team may score more than 2 places for relays NO MATTER WHAT.