

Timer

Quick Reference

- ⚠️ **Determine which timer will protect the heads of younger backstroke swimmers** ⚠️
 - Keep your hand flat against the wall, contact with the hand counts as a wall touch
- **Ask the swimmer for their full name**; do NOT ask if they are the name written on the sheet
- **Always record all times** (even when disqualified)
- **Write full time with “milliseconds”** (“1:34.00” instead of “1:34”)
- Write **NS** once for a no-show
- **Compare stopwatch times** and note unusual discrepancies (“use time B”, “watch A didn’t work”, etc.)
- Remember to **reset stopwatches after times are recorded!**
- Write down any helpful details for extraordinary events

Contacts

- **Timers** for peer-related questions
- **Judges** for any immediate, time-sensitive questions on a swim
- **Timesheet Runners** for any special notes to convey to data entry
- **Team Managers** for general questions

Thank you, home and visiting team volunteers, for your time and efforts to make our events successful for all of our swimmers! We couldn't do this without you!