

Coastal Committee Meeting
10/14/25
8:45 PM



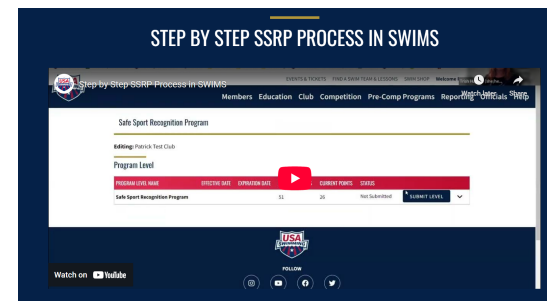
[COASTAL 2026 MEET CALENDAR LINK](#) (V2)

1. Call to Order 8:45 PM

2. **Reports**

- a. **Chair:** *Steve Reardon*
 - i. No report
- b. **Vice Chair/Planning/Op.Risk:** *Alina de Armas*
 - i. OME entries for Sectionals @ BREa will open tomorrow
 - ii. If planning on going to sectionals in Novato this summer make reservations early, there is a big race at Sears Point that weekend.
- c. **Age Group Chair:** *Lenin Velasco*
 - i. No report
- d. **Coaches Rep:** *Tarrik Daou*
 - i. DALAND will offer coaches in the coastal Committee the following certifications at the cost of the certificate only — not the full class fee:
 - 1. CPR / First Aid /AED for the professional Rescuer
 - 2. Lifeguarding
 - 3. Coach's Safety Training
 - 4. This initiative will help us fill full classes during the fall & winter while providing our coaching staff with significant cost savings.
 - 5. For example, a Lifeguard certification costs only \$56, while the full class typically ranges from \$250–\$300.
 - 6. This effort ensures our coaches remain certified, supported, and prepared for the emergencies.
 - 7. With permission from the Coaches Committee, I will be sending out fall and winter class dates to coaches in the coming weeks to share this offer and encourage participation.
- e. **Treasurer:** *Cami Stein*
 - i. \$30,529.42 is our current balance
- f. **Secretary:** *Erica Johnson*
 - i. No report
- g. **Diversity & Inclusion Rep:** *Jessica Chen*
 - i. Camp application is due soon
- h. **Governance:** *Lynne Akasaka-Riek*
 - i. No report
- i. **Safe Sport Rep:** *Erica Johnson*
 - i. Please review the [notes from the last Safe Sport Meeting](#) (10/7/25)
 - ii. Anonymous Text Message Reporting - Available NOW

1. **Any USA Swimming member can now report anonymously, if they wish, through text messaging at 888-270-SWIM (7946).**
 2. USA Swimming announced its alignment with RealResponse, an award-winning safe and secure feedback, monitoring and anonymous reporting platform.
 3. "We are excited to provide this valuable new resource for our USA Swimming members," said Liz Hahn, USA Swimming's Program Director for Safe Sport.
 4. All previous reporting mechanisms such as email, phone and the online reporting form, will continue to be available [here](#).
 5. [Link to learn more](#)
- iii. **Safe Sport Club Recognition Program**
- New SCS SSRP Recognized Team: Congratulations to Paseo Aquatics Swim Team**
1. Congratulations to PATH for renewing their SSRP
 2. SCS has more teams than any other LSC in the nation
 3. Some LSC's require teams to be a SSRP Recognized Team in order to obtain a sanction for a meet.
 4. There is some talk about this coming down the pipeline in the next 3 to 5 years
 5. Consider getting your team recognized
 6. [Safe Sport Club Recognition Program](#) - USA Swimming...[STEP BY STEP HOW TO VIDEO](#).
- j. **Open Water:** *Sean Kakumu*
- i. No report
- k. **Officials:** *Omar de Armas*
- i. No report
- l. **Athlete Rep:** *OPEN – SR, Grace Nackers – JR*
- i. First athlete meeting is Saturday. They will be working on creating an athlete board.
- m. **Senior Coaches Rep** - Mike Ashmore
- i. No report
3. **Old Business**
- a. **Meet Bids 2026**
- i. [Calendar](#)
 - ii. Coastal Champs in February - some concern about high school swimmers being unattached for the meet. Question to BUEN - is there a way to move it to the week before. Luke will look into it and discuss it with the city.



- iii. PATH's meets will be added. Version 3 will be linked as soon as I have it.
- iv. PVST is in discussions with OHS regarding a long course meet and whether or not they have enough lane lines to run a long course meet at Oxnard High School.

4. **New Business**

a. **LA Olympics 2028**

- i. The Olympic Committee is not helping countries find water to practice in. This could impact the pools we practice in and where we hold meets. Countries have already visited many pool locations looking into acquiring them for swimming and water polo practices.

NEXT MEETING - 11/11/2025 8:30 PM

5. Adjournment 8:52 PM

Attendance

- 1. Steve Reardon
- 2. Erica Johnson
- 3. Alina de Armas
- 4. Abby Singleton
- 5. Cami Stein
- 6. Chris Burke
- 7. Elias Horton
- 8. Forest Riek
- 9. Lynne Riek
- 10. Grace Nacker
- 11. Mark Hontas
- 12. Lenin
- 13. Luke Corely
- 14. Marlene Diaz
- 15. Mike Ashmore
- 16. Stacy Smith
- 17. Tarrik Daou
- 18. Alan Peterson
- 19. Elias Horton
- 20. Jessica Chen
- 21. Mark Stori