



## 2020 Meets to be Bid

**BIDS ARE DUE TO KIM BY JUNE 14: [officemanager@socalswim.org](mailto:officemanager@socalswim.org)**

**Note:** Bid requirements are the final two pages of this document. Your bid must include required statements certifying that your team and facilities meet required standards.

Senior:	January 17 - 20	<b>Road to Omaha Quadrennial Invitational</b> - LCM, 2019 Summer Sectional Time Standards, 4 Days, P/F
Senior:	February 14 - 16	<b>SCS Senior Q Challenge</b> - LCM, 2 ½ Day, same event schedule as January Geo Committee Meets, Prelims / AB Finals, SCS Sr All-Star Team Selection Meet, Five geo committee senior meets (Jan 17-19) to act as prelim qualifier events. (Auto Qual using Sectional standard)
Senior:	February 17 (Monday)	<b>SCS Timed Final Senior Meet</b> - SCY, 1 day, SCS 2019 Sr Dev Time Standards. Last chance Sectional qualifier.
Age Group:	March 12 - 15	<b>Spring JOs</b> - SCY, 4 Day, P/F, ages 5-14, 1 site, (requires 2 courses and separate warm-up area).
Senior:	March 28, 29	<b>SCS Senior Invite</b> – LCM, 2 ½ day, Prelims / A-B-C Finals, SCS 2019 Sr Dev time standards.
Senior:	May 10	<b>Post CIF</b> - LCM, ½ day, Time Trial, SCS 2019 Sr Dev time standards, noon start time
Age Group:	June 11 - 14	<b>JAG</b> - LCM, P/F, ages 13 – 18, timed finals ages 5 – 12 In mid-session, 3 meet sites
Age Group:	June 28	<b>SCS JO Open Water Championship</b> - 1 day, Sunday 5K, and 1-mile swim
Age Group:	July 22 - 26	<b>Summer JOs</b> - LCM, 4½ days, P/F, 3 sites, ages 5-18.
Senior:	July 30 - Aug 2	<b>SCS SR Regional Champs</b> - LCM, 3½ days, P/F, relays, scoring, LCM, 2019 Sr Dev Time Standards
Senior:	November 5 - 8	<b>Kevin Perry Meet</b> - SCY, 3 ½ days, Heats + ABC Finals, Two eight lane competition courses and a separate warm-up area will be required, time standards from 2019
Age Group:	December 11-13	<b>WAG</b> - SCY, 3 Days, P/F ages 13-18, timed finals ages 5-12, 3 sites
Senior:	December 18-20	<b>SCS SR Development Champs</b> , 3 days, P/F, relays,

## **Southern California Swimming Standards for Hosting LSC Meets**

### **Purpose**

The purpose of these standards is to ensure that the swimmers of Southern California Swimming have the finest possible venues for key senior, season- culminating, and qualifying meets.

### **General Requirements**

Any facility and host seeking to bid for an LSC Meet must meet the following standards in order to submit a bid. Standards that will be met must be attested to in writing from the entity responsible for meeting that standard.

### **Officials**

The host team will name preferred officials, and work with the Officials' Chair if help is needed to complete the staffing of the meet.

### **Meets Requiring Compliance**

SCS meets that require compliance with these standards are:

- Junior Olympic Meets
- June and Winter Age Group Championships
- Senior Invitational Meets and Calendared Senior Meets
- All-Star Meets
- Zone, Conference or Sectionals
- Zone Meets

### **Facilities Standards**

Compliance with /L/ and /M/ standards as set forth in Article 103 of the USA Swimming Rules & Regulations. Whenever possible a facility hosting a senior invitational or national level meet is asked to meet /NC/ standards.

#### **Mandatory minimum standards (unless otherwise stated in meet description):**

- Eight-lane pool
- Minimum depth at end where starts will be conducted: 4 feet (6 feet recommended)
- Warm-up facility of no fewer than four 25-yard lanes
- Warm-up facility is within venue and available throughout the meet.
- Adequate parking sufficient to handle the historic size of the meet.
- Availability of the venue for the required duration of the competition
- Pool is an USA Swimming certified pool. If a bid is awarded to a pool that is not certified, any record set in that pool may not be recognized by Southern California Swimming and USA Swimming.
- Adequate toilet facilities for the size of the meet
- All facility insurance requirements are satisfied 60 days prior to meet
- Full automatic timing (statement of system to be used included in bid)
- Second (back-up) automatic timing system harness
- 4 back-up timing pads and sufficient back-up buttons
- Health and safety requirements met

- A visible scoreboard in view of coaching section.
- An ample PA system for the immediate area and surrounding areas especially if deck space is at a minimum

### **Host Standards**

- Must have previously and successfully hosted a meet of comparable size.
- Must have available food facilities that reasonably accommodate participants.
- Must have hospitality that provides for coaches and officials.
- Must have reasonable parking accommodations.
- Must complete an SCS compliance document 90 days prior to the meet.
- Must complete sanction process no later than 60 days prior to the meet.
- Must have meet form approved and ready with sanction request\*.
- Meet entry fee maximum limits are outlined on page 51 of the 2019 Swim Guide., and it says “NOTE: Additional surcharge may be imposed based on pool rental.”
- Must provide meet results and meet documents within SCS regulations.
- Must provide upon request any agreements with co-hosts and agencies.

### **Failure to Comply**

If, for any reason, a facility and or a host that has been awarded a meet and is going to fail to meet these standards for any reason, the SCS Board of Directors reserves the right to re-assign the venue and/or host no matter what the time frame or circumstances.

If a facility and/or host conducts a competition and fails to comply with standards for any reason, the SCS General Chair will automatically forward a Protest to the SCS Board of Review no later than 14 days after the last day of the meet.

\*Age Group meets will be formatted by Age Group Committee; Senior meets by Senior Committee.