



SCHOOL SWIM MEET POLICY FOR THE RECOGNITION OF QUALIFYING TIMES

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Any Swim Meets conducted by schools, school association or groups who wish to have their Meets recognised for the purpose of achieving qualifying standards must meet the following requirements.

1. Prior approval, in writing, must be sought from Swimming NSW
2. The names of the intended Referee and Starter must be provided at the time of application for recognition of the Meet.
3. Must be refereed by a currently accredited, registered Referee
4. Must be conducted under the Rules of Swimming NSW
5. The Starter must be a fully accredited and registered Starter. That is, a 'restricted' or 'school credential' is not acceptable.
6. Times must be recorded by electronic timing equipment.
7. Swimming NSW to verify that the Referee and Starter have the required qualifications.
8. The results must be forwarded to Swimming NSW within seven (7) days* and must include the names of the Referee and Starter who actually officiated at the Meet. *for the avoidance of doubt, this is a period of 168 hours, commencing from 12am on the day following the conclusion of the meet.
9. All swim Meets conducted by school associations etc that achieve the above criteria can submit times for recognition as qualifying standards.