

Minnesota State High School Swimming Coaches Association

True Team State Swimming & Diving Charter 2008 -2009

True Team Committee Chair: Rick Ringeisen (rringerr@aol.com)

- **Two Classes A and AA**
 - Section assignments will remain the same as the MSHSL section assignments
 - Each Section will host a True Team Section Meet
 - Schools may choose or not choose to participate from year to year
- **Hy-Tek:** Section meet managers are requested to use the Hy-Tek 2.0 program to run the meet.
- **Swimming:** The True Team Section and State meets will be pre-seeded timed final meets.
- **New Diving Policy (2008):** Divers will dive a six dive list or an eleven dive list. No six dive list diver may score above an eleven dive list diver. Rationale: Diving is either a six dive event or an eleven dive event.
- **Entries:** Each school shall enter up to four individuals and four relay teams per event.
- **Scoring:** First place will be worth as many points as the number of possible entries in the event. For example: If there are eight teams entered in the meet there is a possible 32 entries per event; thus making first place worth 32 points, second place worth 31 points etc. etc. Relay points are double the value of individual events.
- **Awards:** Plaques will be awarded to the top three teams in each section at the state meets. At section meets 1.5" medals will be awarded to the top eight place finishers in each. At the state meets 2" medals will be awarded to the top three teams.

Custom awards have been ordered by Rick Ringeisen and will be drop shipped to meet managers. Meet managers will then submit payment for the awards to the MSHSSCA (Todd Walsh, MN Swim Coaches Association, 1300 West 106th Street, Bloomington, MN 55431). The cost for the full award package for each meet has been estimated at under \$190.00 including shipping.

- **Entry fees:** The entry fee for the True Team Section Meets will be \$95.00. The entry fee for the True Team State meet will be \$125.00.
- **Advancement to State:** The top scoring team from each section will advance to the state meet. The top two teams will advance in Class A Boys. The second and third place (third and fourth place in Class A Boys) teams from each section will compete against the other section second and third place teams for a "Wild Card" birth into the state meet.
- **Host School Responsibilities:**

Each host school shall send out invitations to all schools in their sections.

Each host school will take full responsibility for the running of the section/state meet, just as if they were hosting an invitational. This means that they will produce and run the program, schedule officials, schedule facilities, run concessions, etc. etc. In return, for undertaking this responsibility of hosting a section, each host school shall retain the profit gained from the meet less the cost of awards.
- **Section Host School Policy:**

Section schools are encouraged to develop their own rotation of the True Team Section Meet from those schools who are interested in hosting the meet. However, if a rotation cannot be agreed upon the True Team Chairman will intercede and determine a rotation. No school may host a section meet until they have first participated in the MSHSSCA True Team.

• **Wild Card Teams:**

Section meet managers must emailed to Scott Johnson the Hy-Tek back up zip file of their meet by 7:00 PM the day of the True Team Section Meet. Scott will contact section meet managers with instructions for submitting their results for the Wild Card births.

SCOJohnson@Edina.k12.mn.us

Scott Johnson will run a Wild Card Meet (using the HY-Tek results from each section meet) with all the second and third place teams. The top two teams (in each class) with the most points will advance as Wild Card Teams to the State True Team Meet (top 4 teams will advance in Class A Boys). The Wild Card Committee has the autonomy to fill the True Team State Meets fields of up to twelve teams.

Girls Season True Team Dates for 2008 -2009

Section Meets: Saturday, October 11, 2008
 State Meets: Saturday, October 18, 2008 @ the University of Minnesota
 Class A: 2:00 PM Warm Up, 3:00 PM Start Time
 Class AA: 6:00 PM Warm Up, 7:00 PM Start Time

Boys Season True Team Dates for 2008 –2009

True Team Section Meets: Saturday, January 17, 2009
 True Team State Meets: Saturday, January 24, 2009 @ the University of Minnesota
 Class A: 1:00 PM Warm Up, 2:00 PM Start Time
 Class AA: 5:00 PM Warm Up, 6:00 PM Start Time

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Section meet hosts and contact information

28 Section Meets and 4 State Meets

Girls Swimming & Diving

True Team Section: Saturday, October 11, 2008

True Team Class A State Meet: Saturday, October 18, 2008, at the University of Minnesota Aquatic Center

True Team Class AA State Meet: Saturday, October 18, 2008, at the University of Minnesota Aquatic Center

Class A

Section	Host School	Contact	Phone Number	Email
Section 1A	Northfield	Doug Davis	952-435-5724	doug.davis@nfd.k12.mn.us
Section 2A	Spring Lake Park	Greg Kugler	612-729-2795	gkugle@district16.org
Section 3A	St. Michael	Travis Hoy	763-497-9891	milohoy@yahoo.com
Section 4A	Minneapolis Roosevelt	Chris Arseth	612-290-6113	caarseth@mpls.k12.mn.us
Section 5A	Monticello	Tom Cannon	763-263-6373	tomcannon@hotmail.com
Section 6A	Sartell	Dave Olson	620-393-3028	olsondave@sartell.k12.mn.us
Section 7A	Hibbing	Mike Veneziano	218-969-7782	mvenz55746@yahoo.com
Section 8A	Warroad	Rebecca Fischer	949-433-1645	Swimbun28@hotmail.com rebecca_fischer@warroad.k12.mn.us

Class AA

Section	Host School	Contact	Phone Number	Email
Section 1AA	Farmington	Jen Marshall	651-463-4225	jmarshall@farmington.k12.mn.us
Section	Lakeville	Rick Ringeisen	952-469-4758	riringerr@aol.com

2AA Section				
3AA Section	Rosemount	Jim Ertl	651-423-3049	Jim.Ertl@District196.org
4AA Section	Stillwater	Brian Luke	651-439-0893	lukeb@stillwater.k12.mn.us
5AA Section	Maple Grove	Elizabeth Miles	612-250-2178	elizabeth.miles@wayzata.k12.mn.us
6AA Section	Edina	Jeff Mace	507-645-8172	jefmace@edina.k12.mn.us
7AA Section	Coon Rapids	Julie Odegard	763-241-1867	Julie.Odegard@anoka.k12.mn.us
8AA Section	Alexandria	Mark Storhaug	320-762-2046	mstorhau@alexandria.k12.mn.us

Boys Swimming & Diving

True Team Section: Saturday, January 19, 2009

True Team State Meet: Saturday, January 26, 2008, at the University of Minnesota Aquatic Center

Class A

Section	Host School	Contact	Phone Number	Email
Section 1A	Austin	Lynn Gulbrandson	507-437-1043	lgulbrand@austin.k12.mn.us
Section 2A	Spring Lake Park	Greg Kugler	612-729-2795	gkugle@district16.org
Section 3A	Hutchinson	Rory Fairbanks	320-234-8961	roryf@hutch.k12.mn.us
Section 4A	Hibbing	Mike Veneziano	218-969-7782	mvenz55746@yahoo.com

Class AA

Section	Host School	Contact	Phone Number	Email
Section 1AA	Owatonna	Jim Belting	507-271-0446	jbelting@owatonna.k12.mn.us
Section 2AA	Jefferson	Nate Linscheid	952-686-2934	nlinschei@bloomington.k12.mn.us
Section 3AA	Lakeville South	Rick Ringeisen	952-469-4758	ringerr@aol.com
Section 4AA	Stillwater	Brian Luke	651-439-0893	lukeb@stillwater.k12.mn.us
Section 5AA	Maple Grove	Ron Jacobsen	952-361-9788	swim4fun2@comcast.net
Section 6AA	Edina	Scott Johnson	952-848-4965	scojohnson@edina.k12.mn.us
Section 7AA	Coon Rapids	Julie Odegard	763-241-1867	Julie.Odegard@anoka.k12.mn.us
Section 8AA	Alexandria	Mark Storhaug	320-762-2046	mstorhau@alexandria.k12.mn.us

Awards Information

- 28 Sections Meets: 8 girls Class A, 8 girls Class AA, 4 boys Class A, and 8 boys Class AA
- To award medals eight deep at Section Meets we need 168 medals per meet ($168 \times 28 = 4704$)
- 4 State Meets: Girls Class A, Girls Class AA, Boys Class A, Boys Class AA
- To award medals to the top three teams at the State Meets we need 150 medals per meet ($150 \times 4 = 600$)

2008-2009 Award Bid from Hasty Awards: 1-800-448-7714

Custom Medals (1st-8th Place for individual events at Section Meets, & 1st – 3rd Place for Teams at the State Meet)

Section Plaques (1st – 3rd Place)

State Plaques (1st – 3rd Place)

Total cost: \$7407.36

Total cost per meet: \$7381.96 / 32 meets = \$231.48

Officials: Two per meet at \$95.00 each = \$190.00 x 32 meets = \$6080.00

Sponsorship goal: Awards \$9048.00 + officials \$6080.00 + hospitality \$2000.00 = \$17128.00

Sponsorship: At this time we are in search of possible sponsors

If any coach knows of a corporation or individual who would be interested in sponsoring the Swimming & Diving True team please contact Rick Ringeisen @ www.rringerr@aol.com or W 952-469-6366, H 952-469-4758.

Section Assignments

Girls Swimming & Diving: <http://mshsl.org/mshsl/showcompsection07.asp?activity=418>

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