

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Swim Workouts

USMS has contracted with the City of Dearborn at their Dearborn Ford Center Pool (6 lane x 25 yards) 5:45-7:00 am Wednesday thru Saturday. Bus transportation will be provided

Schedules and more "details" will be available at the certification table when you check in.

LMSC Workshops

Thursday, September 14th – 7:00pm

Registrar's Roundtable
Chairman's Roundtable
Communications Workshop
Implementing the Survey Results
Building A Relationship with
your Aquatic Facility

Insurance Workshop

Friday, September 15th
6:00-7:00 pm
Meeting Room - Bugatti Royale

Sports Medicine Presentation

Friday, September 15th
12:45-1:45 pm
Meeting Room – Regency ABCD

Are You Bringing A Lap Top?

There will be external power supply in the House of Delegates on Friday and Saturday, but we do not know the amount of convenient outlets. Please bring an extension cord to make sure you can "plug in".

Coaches Presentation By members of the USMS Coaches Committee

Wednesday, September 13th

1:00 – 4:00 pm
Meeting Room – Stanley

Shipping Packages?

Joe Gohl has volunteered to be the "recipient" of packages that need to be sent to convention. Received by deadline is Monday, September 11th. Contact Joe at 313-274-3974 or jgohl851@comcast.net to let him know how many packages you are sending and when they will be delivered. Please send packages to:

Joe Gohl
851 W Vernon St
Dearborn, MI 48128

New Delegate Orientation

Thursday, September 14th
8:00-8:45 am
Meeting Room – Springwells

Committee Chairs & Appointments Orientation

Thursday September 14th
8:00 – 8:45
Meeting Room – Stanley Steamer

USAS Website

For more information on the USAS
Convention
www.usaquaticsports.org

United States Masters Swimming

CHECK-IN AND CERTIFICATION PROCEDURE AT USMS CONVENTION

Each delegate must complete the two-step process outlined below. You must have a “certified ID” to vote as a member of the House of Delegates (HOD) and be eligible to attend HOD meetings!

- 1) **CHECK IN AT THE UNITED STATES AQUATIC SPORTS (USAS) STATION** to pick up your ID - a badge with your name & LMSC on it. You will also receive a convention bag, binder, and miscellaneous souvenirs.

AND

- 2) **CHECK IN AT THE USMS TABLE** to obtain “certification” that you are a USMS delegate. This is the process that verifies a delegate’s eligibility to vote in the House of Delegates (HOD). You will also receive your voting cards and other important convention material and information.

The USMS Certification/Information table will be open as follows:

Wednesday, September 13, from 9:00 am – 5:00pm

Thursday, September 14, from 8:00am - 8:45am

The USMS Certification/Information table will move to outside the HOD meeting room on Thursday, September 14 (Springwells). All subsequent certification by USMS will take place here during HOD meetings, until they recess. (Refer to the meeting schedule in your pre-convention packet and/or binder for time and location). Late arrivals **must** locate Debbie Cavanaugh (Certification Chair) to receive their certification and voting cards.

Please note: If you did not register for convention in advance, you will need to have USMS Meg Smath sign a certification release before you can proceed to Debbie Cavanaugh for the balance of certification material.

New Delegates will receive a special ID identifying them as NEW DELEGATES as well as information regarding the New Delegate Orientation.