

This year we made two attempts at improving Top Ten Recording.

1. Having a member proofread before publication. Although this delays publication, we hope less errors will occur, i.e., duplicates and incorrect records. This will not help on omissions, since we have not attempted an additional check of all local Top Tens against the printed list.

2. More advance notification of date local top tens must be received. All Chairmen now receive Swim Master, and the closing date was twice published for Chairmen to inform their local Top Ten Recorders. No direct communication was sent to local Top Ten Recorders because too many are not the same person as the name sent to me, as Chairman and Registrar, by the LMSC. In spite of this, at least three associations completely missed the deadline (which is also in our rule book) and three more had to "scrabble" to get anything ready within two weeks of the original deadline!

Our major unresolved problems are:

1. A satisfactory way to report relays. The problems of all three forms we have tried will be reviewed at the meeting of our committee in Phoenix.
2. A satisfactory way to get local Top Ten Chairmen to report relays.
3. A satisfactory way to tabulate short course meter pools.

7/12/85

I. Rule changes (all motions unanimous)

MSR 7 p. 158 V(F)(2) Approved as revised:

Times to be considered for records and top ten listing must be made on or before May 31st for short course and Sept. 15 for long course, and Dec. 31st for short course meters. They shall be forwarded to the Masters Chairman for Records/Top Ten by July 15, Oct. 25, and Feb. 5, respectively.

MSR-8 V (F)(2) rejected

MSR-9 V (G) accepted and approved

MSR-18 p. 164 V(I)(1)(a)(b) add "at the end of each season".
approved as revised

MSR-19 rejected

MSR-20 V (I)(3)(F) delete. , approved as revised

II. Land and Legislation changes

LL 115 Approved with MEET added to (C)

III. Policies

p.12 Swimming Records]0/76 approved as a Standing Rule
10/77 rejected as a standing rule

IV. Approved; (motion)

To use Top Ten Times for relays with teams made up of four different people. Motion approved

To have all records and times come to committee chairmen for redistribution.