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Greetings

From: Angela Monty, Chair Registration / Membership Committee

Registrars, it was so exciting to watch the 2026 PanPacs on home soil as a preview of what we will see at the 2028 Olympics. That reignited my fire to dive into the 2027 registration year!

Our committee is looking forward to seeing everyone at the USA Swimming Annual Summit next month in Denver. To continue our support of the registration chairs, we will be participating in the staff/General Chair track. After the annual summit, our committee will continue supporting the registration chairs by offering our monthly Lunch and Learn meetings. If you have any topics you would like covered, please let us know. We will also continue to mentor new registrars, answer questions, and provide information for anything that may pop up. Staff will also be continuing to send out informative SWIMS release emails. We appreciate all their hard work. Please make sure to take a few moments to attend the webinars and take the time to read the releases.

Please remember National Committee members are available as a resource. Please reach out to us with questions, comments, and suggestions. Additionally, each zone has a USA Swimming Registration Chair that can assist in the training of and dissemination of information to the LSC Registration / Membership Chairs. It is important to know who your Zone Chair is, as they will help guide, support, and share information with you (see below).

Finally, if you are new to your role or your LSC has new office staff, please let us know. We would like to connect with all new registrars and provide support as they transition into their role.

Thank you for all that you do for our sport, and we look forward to working with you during the 2027 registration year!

All the Best,
Angela Monty

Zone Registration Chairs

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2025-26 USA Swimming Zone Registration Chairs

Eastern: **Susan McDonald** (MD), smcdonald.miswimoffice@gmail.com

Central: **Angela Monty** (WI), angela@wisconsinswimming.org

Southern: **Vanessa Brewer** (FL), vanessa.brewer@floridaswimming.org

Western: **Laurie Benton** (PC), laurie@pacswim.org

A complete list of LSC Registration Chairs can be found [here](#). Updates to this page can be sent to membership@usaswimming.org.

Most USA Swimming committee meetings are open to the public to attend. If you are interested in attending a specific committee meeting, visit [USA Swimming's Events page](#).

LSC Registrar Private Access

The site to locate information/documents that are specific to LSC Registrars/Registration Chairs.

The link to the location is here: [Registration-Membership](#). **Please do not share the link with others.**

Currently, there is no password, but we may add one moving forward (and will distribute appropriately). Some items that are already located in the folder include [Foreign Forms](#), [Disability Waiver for Coach Requirement](#), and several other related documents specific for LSC Registrars.

2026-27 USA Swimming Membership Fees

Individuals

- Premium Athlete	\$70
- Flex Athlete	\$20
- Outreach Athlete	\$5
- Seasonal Athlete	\$40
- Single Meet Athlete	\$10
- Non-athlete (coach, official, other, provisional coach, junior coach, junior official)	\$70
- Non-athlete Administrator	\$30
- Life Member	\$1,000

Year-Round Clubs:

- New Club	\$750
(staff may determine reduced fees for new clubs based on outreach membership or geographical isolation)	
- Existing Club	\$225
- Organizational	\$70
- Seasonal Club	\$40

Club Bulk Renewal

REMINDER: Clubs have until **Tuesday, August 25, 2026**, to set their bulk renewal for athletes and non-athletes. If they do not set them, their selections will remain the same as they were from the 2025-26 registration year.

USA Swimming Summit

If you haven't registered yet, please do so before **Friday, August 28, 2026**. Click [here](#) to register. Click [here](#) for more details on the Summit schedule. Please contact Kristin Alfano at kalfano@usaswimming.org if you have any questions.

Time Anomalies

Just a reminder to check your Time Anomalies and clear them out. To access, go to the Competition tab and click Time Anomalies. The time anomaly is generally quite evident in that its z-score, which measures how many standard deviations a specific data point is above or below the mean. As an example:

Swtm Date	Meet Name	Swtm Time	Age	Power Points
11/15/2014	St Mikas Vs Clarkson	2:15.83	21	387
7/21/2010	2010 NI Ap Empire State Games	2:15.88	17	389
7/21/2010	2010 NI Ap Empire State Games	2:17.17	17	367
7/24/2008	2008 NI Ob Empire State Games	1:56.14	15	873
7/24/2008	2008 NI Ob Empire State Games	2:18.40	15	419

The selection in green above is considered an anomaly can be deleted. There may be some that are not as apparent, which may need some extra research. If it is obvious, correct it. If it isn't and it is so far back it can't be proven, leave it.

Duplicate Records

Please remember to check the LSC duplicate report weekly to merge and remove duplicates. For duplicates in the same membership year, please submit a [Help](#) ticket for support.

Lunch and Learn

The LSC Webinar Lunch and Learns were well-received in January, February, and March. We will continue to host on the fourth Wednesday of each month from 1:30 - 2:30 p.m. (MT). Please go to the [Events](#) page to access the link.

If you have certain topics/questions, please contact Denise at denise.thomas@usaswimming.org

NCSI Background Checks

You can always direct members who are experiencing issues or have questions to:

- **NCSI Support** - Phone: 866-996-7412 | Email: support@ncsisafe.com

New Kendo Reports - What's New

These new reports provide deeper insight into athlete development, club performance, and retention—giving you more actionable data to support your athletes and teams.

Reports:

- **IMX Detail:** A multi-purpose report diving into your athlete's IMX/IMR progress. The IMX Detail report allows the end user to choose from a variety of parameters tailored to their needs.

Times Detail: An all-in-one individual times lookup report that ranks up to 100 times by LSC, Club, Competition Category and Age Group. This report offers over 15 parameters to slice and dice your exact times ranking needs.

- **Relay Times Detail:** An all-in-one relay times lookup report that ranks up to 100 times by LSC, Club, Competition Category and Age Group. This report offers over 12 parameters to slice and dice your exact relay times ranking needs.
- **Competition Detail:** Produces athlete-level competition metrics.
- **Meet Detail:** Provides meet summary metrics for fall meets within your LSC/Club.
- **VCC Detail:** A deep dive into a club's total VCC performance by Competition Category, Stroke, and Age.
- **Retention Detail:** A report outlining which athletes and non-athletes were retained from the previous season. This report includes each member's contact information to allow you to reach out and gain more insight into why a member did not retain their membership with a club/LSC.
- **Club Excellence Detail:** A detailed list of athletes' contributions to a club's club excellence score, including medal name, points, and rank.

Kendo reports offer:

- Interactive filters and grids.
- Improved navigation and data visibility.
- Consistent behavior across reports.
- Easier exporting to Excel and other formats.

Quick How-To Video

We've posted a short video that walks through: [Link to Kendo overview video](#)

- How to access the new Kendo reports
- How to filter and sort data
- How to export results

What You Need to Do

These reports are now available. We recommend reviewing the short video and exploring the reports to see how they can support your athletes and club.

Miscellaneous Items

- Link to LSC Registrars Newsletter Archive: [Newsletter Archive](#)
 - Link to the LSC Resources: [Resources](#)
 - Link to the refund policy: [Refund Policy](#)
 - Link to access SWIMS/OMR release notes: [Stakeholder Release Notes](#)
 - Enhancements to SWIMS - If you have ideas or suggestions for enhancements that would benefit members or improve the SWIMS experience, please share your feedback through [USA Swimming's Stakeholder Engagement portal](#)
 - 2026 USA Swimming Rulebook – [Regular](#) and [Mini](#)
 - Link to the [2025 Demographics Report](#)
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Additional Resources

- [Additional Resources](#) are available for SWIMS and OMR.
- If you need to report a concern of sexual misconduct, please contact your local law enforcement agency and the U.S. Center for SafeSport. You can make a report to the U.S. Center for SafeSport at www.uscenterforsafesport.org/report-a-concern/.
- All other Safe Sport concerns can be reported through USA Swimming's online reporting form at www.usaswimming.org/report or by contacting USA Swimming's Safe Sport staff at safesport@usaswimming.org.
- For additional assistance please email the following:
 - Background check email BackgroundCheck@usaswimming.org
 - APT questions: please [submit a ticket](#)

Newsletter Feedback

In this newsletter, we strive to provide information that will benefit the community of USA Swimming officials. Please let us know if we are meeting that objective. Feedback, both positive and negative, is welcome, as are suggestions for future topics. Click [here](#) to provide us with your feedback and suggestions. Your comments are anonymous unless you choose to leave your name.



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