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THE WALK OF STARS

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WALK OF STARS

National Meets “Nuts & Bolts”

- One Star through Five Star
- Host/USAS/Uniforms
- Selection Process
- Evaluation Expectations
- Supporting Documents



SECTIONALS



FUTURES



JUNIORS



PRO SERIES



NATIONALS
US OPEN
OLYMPIC TRIALS





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Host Team vs USAS



- Host team responsibilities vs USAS
- Uniforms

Host/USAS/Uniforms



	SECTIONALS	FUTURES	JUNIOR CHAMPIONSHIP	PRO SERIES	SENIOR CHAMPIONSHIP US OPEN OLYMPIC TRIALS
Host vs USAS	Host provides AO and Timing	Host provides AO and Timing	USAS provides AO and Timing	USAS provides AO and Timing	USAS provides AO and Timing
Uniform	Local/LSC	National Championship	National Championship	National Championship	National Championship



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Selection Process



- Meet selection
- Considerations for selection
- Sessions commitment

Meet Selection



SECTIONALS	FUTURES	JUNIOR CHAMPIONSHIP	PRO SERIES	SENIOR CHAMPIONSHIP US OPEN OLYMPIC TRIALS
Zone OC MR Application on Zone website	NOC Chair P & E MR Application on USAS website	NOC Chair P & E MR Application on USAS website	NOC Chair P & E USA Swimming MR Application on USAS website	NOC Chair P & E USA Swimming MR Application on USAS website

Considerations for Selection



SECTIONALS	FUTURES	JUNIOR CHAMPIONSHIP	PRO SERIES	SENIOR CHAMPIONSHIP US OPEN OLYMPIC TRIALS
Certified LSC +LSC experience	Certified N2 + Sectional Zone experience with previous evaluation consideration	Certified N3 for assigned preferred + N2/N3 ST with relevant experience and previous Evaluation consideration	Certified N3 for assigned preferred + N2/N3 ST with relevant experience and previous evaluation consideration	Certified N3 + Juniors or Pro experience. N3DR for ST and previous evaluation consideration

Sessions Commitment



SECTIONALS	FUTURES	JUNIOR CHAMPIONSHIP	PRO SERIES	SENIOR CHAMPIONSHIP US OPEN OLYMPIC TRIALS
All sessions preferred TT included	All sessions preferred TT included Preference given to full commitment	All sessions committed to expected TT included Preference given to full commitment	All sessions committed to expected TT included Preference given to full commitment	All sessions TT included Preference given to full commitment



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Evaluator & Evaluation Expectations



- Who selects meet evaluators
- Who gets evaluated at OQMs
- How much mentoring to expect

Who Selects Meet Evaluator(s)



SECTIONALS	FUTURES	JUNIOR CHAMPIONSHIP	PRO SERIES	SENIOR CHAMPIONSHIP US OPEN OLYMPIC TRIALS
Obtained by Host Team or LSC (may be an outside evaluator)	National Evaluator on the assigned team or assigned team member in conjunction with a National Evaluator	National Evaluator on the assigned team or assigned team member in conjunction with a National Evaluator	National Evaluator on the assigned team or assigned team member in conjunction with a National Evaluator	National Evaluator on the assigned team or assigned team member in conjunction with a National Evaluator



Who Get Evaluated At OQM's

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Dedicated Evaluator hosted by LSC. May use Assigned Team as evaluators if available Suggested Limit for dedicated evaluator is 6 advancement evaluations/ meet	Upon Request IF evaluator available on Assigned Team in position able to observe	All officials will receive an evaluation regardless of eligibility	Assigned team will be evaluated regardless of eligibility if evaluators are available; ST-upon request if eligible and evaluators are available	All officials will receive an evaluation regardless of eligibility



How Much Mentoring Is Expected

SECTIONALS	FUTURES	JUNIOR CHAMPIONSHIP	PRO SERIES	SENIOR CHAMPIONSHIP US OPEN OLYMPIC TRIALS
Formal Mentoring expected with requested evaluation	Formal Mentoring expected with requested evaluation	Mentoring should be limited to the first few sessions	Mentoring should be limited to the first few sessions	Proficiency Expected No need for mentoring anticipated



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Applications & Resources



APPLICATION FOR
EVALUATION



EVALUATION
REFERENCES AVAILABLE



OTHER SUPPORTING
RESOURCES

Application for Evaluation



SECTIONALS	FUTURES	JUNIOR CHAMPIONSHIP	PRO SERIES	SENIOR CHAMPIONSHIP US OPEN OLYMPIC TRIALS
Must be eligible for evaluation and requested in advance	Must be eligible for evaluation and requested in advance (2 weeks)	All officials will receive an evaluation regardless of eligibility. No request needed	Assigned team will be evaluated regardless of eligibility, if evaluators are available. No request needed. ST -Must be eligible for evaluation and requested in advance (2 weeks)	All officials will receive an evaluation regardless of eligibility. No request needed

Evaluation References



SECTIONALS	FUTURES	JUNIOR CHAMPIONSHIP	PRO SERIES	SENIOR CHAMPIONSHIP US OPEN OLYMPIC TRIALS
Professional Documents Evaluation Template ETE N2/N3 certification Document	Professional Documents Evaluation Template ETE National Meet & Educational Evaluation Guidelines	Professional Documents Evaluation Template ETE National Meet & Educational Evaluation Guidelines	Professional Documents Evaluation Template ETE National Meet & Educational Evaluation Guidelines	Professional Documents Evaluation Template ETE National Meet & Educational Evaluation Guidelines

Other Supporting Resources



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Meet Announcement CJ/MR email USAS website – Events page	Meet Announcement CJ/MR email USAS website – Events page	Meet Announcement CJ/MR email USAS website – Events page “Welcome to National Deck meeting”	Meet Announcement CJ/MR email USAS website – Events page “Welcome to National Deck meeting”	Meet Announcement CJ/MR email USAS website – Events page “Welcome to National Deck meeting”

WALK OF STARS GUIDELINES

	ONE STAR	TWO STARS	THREE STARS	FOUR STARS	FIVE STARS
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Evaluation Mentoring expectations	Active Mentoring expected with requested evaluation	Active Mentoring expected with requested evaluation	Mentoring should be limited to the first few sessions	Mentoring should be limited to the first few sessions	Proficiency Expected No need for mentoring anticipated
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Wrap Up



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