

ANNOUNCER

Note: This version also contains a complete meet script.

SUGGESTED SCHEDULE OF PRE-MEET ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR A DUAL MEET SCHEDULED TO START AT 9:00 O'CLOCK BETWEEN "HOMETEAM" AND "VISITORS"

Note: the suggested timeline is the latest feasible timeline; an earlier timeline may be used. Timeline assumes 15-minute warm-ups, longer (equal warm-ups e.g., 20 min) may be used if agreed to by both teams.

- 8:15 HOME TEAM SWIMMERS HAVE THE POOL FOR WARMUP.
- 8:30 HOME TEAM SWIMMERS CLEAR THE POOL. VISITOR SWIMMERS HAVE THE POOL FOR WARMUP.
- 8:30 STROKE AND TURN JUDGES PLEASE MEET WITH THE REFEREE AT
- 8:45 VISITOR SWIMMERS CLEAR THE POOL. TIMERS MEET WITH THE CHIEF TIMER-AT
- 8:53 SWIMMERS FOR THE FIRST TWO EVENTS REPORT TO THE CLERK OF COURSE AT
- 8:55 ALL OFFICIALS PLEASE TAKE YOUR PLACES FOR THE MEET.
- 8:56 WELCOME TO THIS MORNING'S NVSL MEET BETWEEN HOME TEAM AND VISITORS.
 - * Name the officials and coaches.
 - * Announce that Home team will swim in lanes 1, 3, and 5, Visitors in lanes 2, 4, and 6, and swimmers' names will be announced in that order throughout the meet.
 - * Read the following: As we begin our meet, all competitors, coaches, officials and spectators are reminded to follow NVSL Standards of Conduct which mandate respect, fairness, civility, honesty, responsibility and appropriate behavior.
 - * Play the National Anthem or recite the Pledge of Allegiance.

9:00 THE FIRST EVENT WILL BE

Notes:

- 1. Be at the pool by at least 8:00.
- 2. Go over this schedule with the referee, and make any changes he or she wants.
- 3. Start checking the pronunciation of names as soon as you get your meet sheet.

- 4. Start entering scratches on your meet sheet as soon as you can get them from the team reps.
- 5. If the referee is late, don't wait. Start announcements according to schedule and keep things rolling.
- 6. Announce event and swimmer after the Referee blows the four short blasts, signaling preparation for the beginning of the next event.

TIPS AND SUGGESTIONS

GENERAL

- 1. Have your club's sound system checked out at least a week before the first meet.
- 2. Do the <u>minimum</u> amount of talking needed to run the meet smoothly and make legitimate special announcements.
- 3. The pace of a meet is controlled by the skill of the referee, starter, and timers. The announcer cannot speed up the meet, but an unprepared announcer can surely slow it down.
- 4. It's a good idea to have a written schedule of pre-meet announcements. A suggested schedule is attached.

BEFORE THE MEET BEGINS

- 1. Try to arrive at the pool at least an hour before the meet begins. (NVSL dual meets typically start at 9:00 AM.) You will find there is plenty to do before the first event.
- 2. As soon as you can, identify the referee, meet manager (the home team's team rep), chief timer, and clerk of course.
- 3. Review your pre-meet schedule with the referee and make any changes he or she wants. But if the referee is late getting to the pool, don't wait—start your announcements according to schedule and keep things rolling until the referee tells you otherwise.
- 4. Ask where the referee wants to meet with the stroke and turn judges. (You will need this information for an announcement.)
- 5. Ask the chief timer where he or she wants to meet with the timers.
- 6. Ask the clerk of course to agree that you will call the swimmers for the first two events before the meet begins, but thereafter the coaches will send their swimmers up without further announcements.
- 7. Get your copy of the meet sheet from the meet manager as soon as you can.
- 8. As soon as you get your meet sheet, start checking the names to make sure you can pronounce them all. Check officials and coaches as well as swimmers. Ask the team reps to help you with any you are unsure of. This is most important!
- 9. Enter all scratches on your meet sheet before the meet begins. The team reps should give you their scratches, but you may have to remind them.

- 10. If the announcer's table is not near the scorers' table, you will need a runner to bring the results to you. If the head scorer has not arranged for a runner, ask the meet manager to get one.
- 11. While you are attending to all these pre-meet details, use your written schedule to make your announcements on time and keep things moving smoothly toward the first event. With a little practice, you will be able to start within one minute of the scheduled time.

DURING THE MEET

- 1. Do not talk when swimmers are in the water, unless necessary.
- 2. Use your meet sheet to keep track of where you are. As soon as an event ends, draw a diagonal through that box on your sheet. Later, when you announce the results of that event, draw the other diagonal.
- 3. Try to announce the results of completed races as soon as possible. This requires good liaison with the scorers, table. Some scorers are fast, some not so fast; there is not much you can do about that. Remember, however, if you get behind, there will be time for results during the break before the relay events.
- 4. The best time to start announcements during the meet is at the end of a race, as soon as the last swimmer touches. However, as soon as the referee blows a series of 4-5 short whistles, announce the next event, the swimmers and their lanes. *Do not add "Mr. Starter" or Mr. Referee."* The referee and starter take over then.
- 5. One way to judge whether you have time to make another announcement is to look at the timers. If they are heads down, consulting their watches and clipboards, go ahead. But if they have finished recording and the chief timer has collected the cards, the meet should be underway again in a few seconds, and it's best to wait.
- 6. Two announcements are repeated over and over: swimmers for the next event, and results of a previous event. For these, it's best to have a standard formula. For example:
 - Here are the results of event three, the nine and ten boys fifty-meter freestyle. Finishing third was Bobby Smith of King's Park. Second was Jason Jones of Olde Creek. The winner was Paul White of King's Park in time 38.5.
 - The key elements of this announcement are the names and teams of the first three finishers, in reverse order, and the winner's time.
 - In the suggested schedule of pre-meet announcements, I recommend that you say the following just before the meet begins:
 - Throughout the meet, (home team) will swim in lanes 1, 3, and 5, (visitors) in lanes 2, 4, and 6. Swimmers, names will be announced in that order.
 - If you follow that suggestion, you can announce each event briefly, without repeating all the lane numbers:
 - Next will be event number six, the 11 and 12 girls fifty-meter freestyle. Swimming for King's Park will be Debbie James, Cindy Reilly, and Polly Konieczka. Swimming for Olde Creek will be Ann Smith, Pat Brown, and Tracy Collins.

(I hope you checked the pronunciation of Polly's name before you made this announcement.) AFTER THE MEET

When the meet ends, thank the spectators for attending and supporting the teams, and thank the officials for making the meet possible.

DEVELOPMENTAL MEETS

Developmental meets ("B meets") are usually held on Mondays at 6:30 PM. Their purpose is to give swimmers who are not regular competitors at the Saturday meets a chance to swim and improve. The B meets play an important role in developing swimming skills and teamwork.

The B meets are relatively informal. There is no meet sheet. A typical schedule of events is shown below. This schedule is different from a regular meet schedule, and there are often multiple heats, especially in freestyle and breaststroke. At the same time, in butterfly or backstroke, there may be few or no swimmers. In that case, the clerk may combine swimmers of different ages or combine boys and girls. There are often special 6 and under events to encourage the little ones, but many developmental meets combine the ages 13-14 and 15-18 events.

In B meets, the event and heat number are announced but not the names of the swimmers. Results of races are not announced. Ask the clerk of course to tell you the number of heats in each event and to notify you if events are skipped or combined.

B meets need announcers, they are fun, and they are good practice. No one expects perfection at these meets, and everyone will appreciate the announcer's efforts.

Possible Developmental MEET EVENTS (Your pool's events may be different; be sure and check in advance)

BOYS			GIRLS
1	6 and	under free	2
3	7-8	free	4
5	9-10	free	6
7	11-12	free	8
9	13-18	free	10
11	6 and	under back	12
13	7-8	back	14
15	9-10	back	16
17	11-12	back	18
19	13-18	back	20
21	6 and	under breast	22
23	7-8	breast	24
25	9-10	breast	26
27	11-12	breast	28
29	13-18	breast	30
31	8 and	under fly	32
33	9-10	fly	34
35	11-12	fly	36
37	13-18	fly	38
Individual Medley			

Extended Meet Script

- 8:00 (Home Team name), you may have the pool for a 20-minute warm-up.
- 8:15 (Visiting Team name), when the pool is clear, you may have a 20-minute warm-up.
- 8:20 (Home Team name), please clear the pool.
- 8:25 Officials, please meet with the referee (location).
- 8:40 Timers, please meet with the chief timer (location).
- 8:45 Swimmers please clear the pool.

8:50 Swimmers for events 1, 2, 3, and 4, boys and girls 8 and under 25 meter freestyle; and boys and girls 9 – 10, 50 meter freestyle, please report to the clerk of course.

8:55 (When referee is ready) All officials, please take your places for the meet.

8:56 Good morning. Welcome to (Home Team name), the host club for this Northern Virginia Swimming League Division (your Division number) swim meet between (Visiting Team name) and (Home Team name).

The Northern Virginia Swimming League was founded in 1956 to sponsor competitive swimming and diving in and among the community swimming pools in that area of Northern Virginia contiguous to the District of Columbia, and to develop in the children participating in this program a love for the sport, advanced aquatic skills, teamwork, and the principles of good sportsmanship."

The Referee today isand the Starter is
Our Head Scorer today is assisted by
Our Place Recorder is assisted by
The Chief Timer for today's meet is assisted by Stroke and Turn judges
include,, and
Relay Take-Off judges' are,,,,,,,
,, and
Our Head Ribbon Writer is
Today's clerk of course isassisted by
Today's Marshals are:,,, and
Team representatives for (Visiting Team name) are and, and for (Home Team name) and
The coaches for (Home Team name) are,, and The coaches for (Visiting Team name) are,, and

During this morning's meet, (Home Team name) will be swimming in lanes 1, 3, and 5, and (Visiting Team name) will be swimming in lanes 2, 4, and 6.

Out of courtesy and fairness to all swimmers, we request silence after the referee's whistle before each event is begun. Also, please turn off or set to silent, your cell phones and pagers to avoid any false starts.

As we begin our meet, all competitors, coaches, officials and spectators are reminded to follow NVSL Standards or Conduct which mandate respect, fairness, civility, honesty, responsibility and appropriate behavior.

Ladies and gentleman, please rise for our national anthem performed by _____.

9:00 (4 whistles from Referee) This is <u>Event 1</u>, boys 8 and under, 25-meter freestyle.

Swimming for (Home Team name) in lanes 1, 3, and 5 are _____, ____, and _____.

Swimming for (Visiting Team name) in lanes 2, 4, and 6 are _____, and _____.

Note time when event finishes

Swimmers for events 5 and 6, girls and boys 11-12, 50-meter freestyle, please report to the clerk of course.

(4 whistles from Referee) This is <u>Event 2</u>, girls 8 and under, 25-meter freestyle.

Swimming for (Home Team name) in lanes 1, 3, and 5 are _____, _____ and _____.

Swimming for (Visiting Team name) in lanes 2, 4, and 6 are ______, _____ and _____.

Note time when event finishes

(4 whistles from Referee) This is <u>Event 3</u>, boys 9-10, 50-meter freestyle.

Swimming for (Home Team name) in lanes 1, 3, and 5 are _____, and _____.

Swimming for (Visiting Team name) in lanes 2, 4, and 6 are _____, ____, and _____.

Note time when event finishes

Swimmers for events 7 and 8, boys and girls 13-14, 50-meter freestyle, please report to clerk of course.

***Read results. (Read third, second, and first places in that order; read the time for first place.) (4 whistles from Referee)

This is Event 4, girls 9-10, 50-meter freestyle.

Swimming for (Home Team name) in lanes 1, 3, and 5 are _____, and _____.

Swimming for (Visiting Team name) in lanes 2, 4, and 6 are _____, ____, and _____.

Note time when event finishes

Read results

(4 whistles from Referee) This is <u>Event 5</u>, boys 11-12, 50-meter freestyle.

Swimming for (Home Team name) in lanes 1, 3, and 5 are _____, and _____,

Swimming for (Visiting Team name) in lanes 2, 4, and 6 are _____, ____, and _____.

Note time when event finishes

Swimmers for events 9 and 10, boys and girls 15-18, 50-meter freestyle, please report to the clerk of course.

Read results

(4 whistles from Referee) This is <u>Event 6</u>, girls 11-12, 50-meter freestyle.

Swimming for (Home Team name) in lanes 1, 3, and 5 are _____, and _____.

Swimming for (Visiting Team name) in lanes 2, 4, and 6 are _____, ____, and _____.

Note time when event finishes

Read results

(4 whistles from Referee) This is <u>Event 7</u>, boys 13-14, 50-meter freestyle.

Swimming for (Home Team name) in lanes 1, 3, and 5 are _____, ____, and _____.

Swimming for (Visiting Team name) in lanes 2, 4, and 6 are _____, ____, and _____.

Note time when event finishes

Swimmers for events 11 and 12, boys and girls 8 and under, 25-meter backstroke, please report to the clerk of course.

Read results

(4 whistles from Referee) This is <u>Event 8</u>, girls 13-14, 50-meter freestyle

Swimming for (Home Team name) in lanes 1, 3, and 5 are _____, and _____.

Swimming for (Visiting Team name) in lanes 2, 4, and 6 are _____, ____, and _____.

Note time when event finishes

Read results

(4 whistles from Referee) This is <u>Event 9</u>, boys 15-18, 50-meter freestyle.

Swimming for (Home Team name) in lanes 1, 3, and 5 are _____, and _____.

Swimming for (Visiting Team name) in lanes 2, 4, and 6 are _____, and _____.

Note time when event finishes

Swimmers for events 13 and 14, boys and girls 9-10, 50 meter backstroke, please report to the clerk of course.

Read results

(4 whistles from Referee) This is <u>Event 10</u>, girls 15-18, 50-meter freestyle.

Swimming for (Home Team name) in lanes 1, 3, and 5 are _____, and _____.

Swimming for (Visiting Team name) in lanes 2, 4, and 6 are _____, ____, and _____.

Note time when event finishes

Read results

(4 whistles from Referee) This is <u>Event 11</u>, boys 8 and under, 25-meter backstroke.

Swimming for (Home Team name) in lanes 1, 3, and 5 are _____, and _____.

Swimming for (Visiting Team name) in lanes 2, 4, and 6 are _____, ____, and _____.

Note time when event finishes

Swimmers for events 15 and 16, boys and girls 11-12, 50-meter backstroke, please report to the clerk of course.

Read results

(4 whistles from Referee) This is <u>Event 12</u>, girls 8 and under, 25-meter backstroke.

Swimming for (Home Team name) in lanes 1, 3, and 5 are _____, and _____.

Swimming for (Visiting Team name) in lanes 2, 4, and 6 are _____, ____, and _____.

Note time when event finishes

Read results

(4 whistles from Referee) This is <u>Event 13</u>, boys 9-10, 50-meter backstroke.

Swimming for (Home Team name) in lanes 1, 3, and 5 are _____, and _____.

Swimming for (Visiting Team name) in lanes 2, 4, and 6 are _____, and _____.

Note time when event finishes

Swimmers for events 17 and 18, boys and girls 13-14, 50-meter backstroke, please report to the clerk of course.

Read results

(4 whistles from Referee) This is <u>Event 14</u>, girls 9-10, 50 meter backstroke.

Swimming for (Home Team name) in lanes 1, 3, and 5 are _____, and _____.

Swimming for (Visiting Team name) in lanes 2, 4, and 6 are

_____, ____, and _____.

Note time when event finishes

Read results

(4 whistles from Referee) This is <u>Event 15</u>, boys 11-12, 50-meter backstroke.

Swimming for (Home Team name) in lanes 1, 3, and 5 are _____, and _____.

Swimming for (Visiting Team name) in lanes 2, 4, and 6 are _____, and _____.

Note time when event finishes

Swimmers for events 19 and 20, boys and girls 15-18, 50-meter backstroke, please report to the clerk of course.

Read results

(4 whistles from Referee) **This is <u>Event 16</u>**, girls 11-12, 50-meter backstroke.

Swimming for (Home Team name) in lanes 1, 3, and 5 are _____, and _____.

Swimming for (Visiting Team name) in lanes 2, 4, and 6 are _____, ____, and _____.

Note time when event finishes

Read results

(4 whistles from Referee) This is <u>Event 17</u>, boys 13-14, 50-meter backstroke.

Swimming for (Home Team name) in lanes 1, 3, and 5 are _____, and _____.

Swimming for (Visiting Team name) in lanes 2, 4, and 6 are _____, and _____.

Note time when event finishes

Swimmers for events 21 and 22, boys and girls 8 and under, 25-meter breaststroke, please report to the clerk of course.

Read results

(4 whistles from Referee) This is <u>Event 18</u>, girls 13-14, 50-meter backstroke.

Swimming for (Home Team name) in lanes 1, 3, and 5 are _____, and _____.

Swimming for (Visiting Team name) in lanes 2, 4, and 6 are _____, ____, and _____.

Note time when event finishes

Read results

(4 whistles from Referee) This is <u>Event 19</u>, boys 15-18, 50-meter backstroke.

Swimming for (Home Team name) in lanes 1, 3, and 5 are _____, and _____.

Swimming for (Visiting Team name) in lanes 2, 4, and 6 are _____, and _____.

Note time when event finishes

Swimmers for events 23 and 24, boys and girls 9-10, 50-meter breaststroke, please report to the clerk of course.

Read results

(4 whistles from Referee) This is <u>Event 20</u>, girls 15-18, 50-meter backstroke.

Swimming for (Home Team name) in lanes 1, 3, and 5 are _____, and _____.

Swimming for (Visiting Team name) in lanes 2, 4, and 6 are _____, and _____.

Note time when event finishes

Read results

(4 whistles from Referee) This is <u>Event 21</u>, boys 8 and under 25-meter breaststroke.

Swimming for (Home Team name) in lanes 1, 3, and 5 are

_____, ____, and _____.

Swimming for (Visiting Team name) in lanes 2, 4, and 6 are _____, and _____.

Note time when event finishes

Swimmers for events 25 and 26, girls and boys 11-12 50-meter breaststroke, please report to the clerk of course.

Read results

(4 whistles from Referee) This is <u>Event 22</u>, girls 8 and under 25-meter breaststroke.

Swimming for (Home Team name) in lanes 1, 3, and 5 are _____, and _____.

Swimming for (Visiting Team name) in lanes 2, 4, and 6 are _____, and _____.

Note time when event finishes

(4 whistles from Referee) This is <u>Event 23</u>, boys 9-10 50-meter breaststroke.

Swimming for (Home Team name) in lanes 1, 3, and 5 are _____, and _____.

Swimming for (Visiting Team name) in lanes 2, 4, and 6 are _____, and _____.

Note time when event finishes

Swimmers for events 27 and 28, boys and girls 13-14, 50-meter breaststroke, please report to clerk of course.

Read results

(4 whistles from Referee) This is <u>Event 24</u>, girls 9-10 50-meter breaststroke.

Swimming for (Home Team name) in lanes 1, 3, and 5 are _____, ____, and _____.

Swimming for (Visiting Team name) in lanes 2, 4, and 6 are _____, and _____.

Note time when event finishes

Read results

(4 whistles from Referee) This is <u>Event 25</u>, boys 11-12 50-meter breaststroke.

Swimming for (Home Team name) in lanes 1, 3, and 5 are _____, and _____.

Swimming for (Visiting Team name) in lanes 2, 4, and 6 are _____, ____, and _____.

Note time when event finishes

Swimmers for events 29 and 30, boys and girls 15-18, 50 meter breaststroke, please report to the clerk of course.

Read results

(4 whistles from Referee) This is <u>Event 26</u>, girls 11-12, 50-meter breaststroke.

Swimming for (Home Team name) in lanes 1, 3, and 5 are _____, and _____.

Swimming for (Visiting Team name) in lanes 2, 4, and 6 are _____, ____, and _____.

Note time when event finishes

Read results

(4 whistles from Referee) This is <u>Event 27</u>, boys 13-14, 50-meter breaststroke.

Swimming for (Home Team name) in lanes 1, 3, and 5 are _____, and _____.

Swimming for (Visiting Team name) in lanes 2, 4, and 6 are _____, ____, and _____.

Note time when event finishes

Swimmers for events 31 and 32, boys and girls 8 and under, 25-meter butterfly, please report to the clerk of course.

Read results

(4 whistles from Referee) This is <u>Event 28</u>, girls 13-14, 50-meter breaststroke. Swimming for (Home Team name) in lanes 1, 3, and 5 are _____, ____, and _____.

Swimming for (Visiting Team name) in lanes 2, 4, and 6 are _____, ____, and _____.

Note time when event finishes

Read results

(4 whistles from Referee) This is <u>Event 29</u>, boys 15-18, 50-meter breaststroke.

Swimming for (Home Team name) in lanes 1, 3, and 5 are _____, and _____.

Swimming for (Visiting Team name) in lanes 2, 4, and 6 are _____, ____, and _____.

Note time when event finishes

Swimmers for events 33 and 34, boys and girls 9-10, 25-meter butterfly, please report to the clerk of course.

Read results

(4 whistles from Referee) **This is <u>Event 30</u>**, girls 15-18, 50-meter breaststroke.

Swimming for (Home Team name) in lanes 1, 3, and 5 are _____, and _____.

Swimming for (Visiting Team name) in lanes 2, 4, and 6 are _____, and _____.

Note time when event finishes

Read results

(4 whistles from Referee) This is <u>Event 31</u>, boys 8 and under, 25-meter butterfly.

Swimming for (Home Team name) in lanes 1, 3, and 5 are _____, and _____.

Swimming for (Visiting Team name) in lanes 2, 4, and 6 are _____, and _____.

Note time when event finishes

Swimmers for events 35 and 36, boys and girls 11-12, 50-meter butterfly, please report to the clerk of course.

Read results

(4 whistles from Referee) This is <u>Event 32</u>, girls 8 and under, 25-meter butterfly.

Swimming for (Home Team name) in lanes 1, 3, and 5 are _____, and _____.

Swimming for (Visiting Team name) in lanes 2, 4, and 6 are _____, and _____.

Note time when event finishes

Read results*

(4 whistles from Referee) This is <u>Event 33</u>, boys 9-10, 25-meter butterfly.

Swimming for (Home Team name) in lanes 1, 3, and 5 are _____, and _____.

Swimming for (Visiting Team name) in lanes 2, 4, and 6 are _____, ____, and _____.

Note time when event finishes

Read results

Swimmers for events 37 and 38, boys and girls 13-14, 50-meter butterfly, please report to the clerk of course.

(4 whistles from Referee) This is <u>Event 34</u>, girls 9-10, 25-meter butterfly.

Swimming for (Home Team name) in lanes 1, 3, and 5 are _____, and _____.

Swimming for (Visiting Team name) in lanes 2, 4, and 6 are _____, ____, and _____.

Note time when event finishes

Read results

(4 whistles from Referee) This is <u>Event 35</u>, boys 11-12, 50-meter butterfly. Swimming for (Home Team name) in lanes 1, 3, and 5 are

_____, ____, and _____.

Swimming for (Visiting Team name) in lanes 2, 4, and 6 are _____, and _____.

Note time when event finishes

Read results

Swimmers for events 39 and 40, boys and girls 15-18, 50-meter butterfly, please report to the clerk of course.

(4 whistles from Referee) This is <u>Event 36</u>, girls 11-12, 50-meter butterfly.

Swimming for (Home Team name) in lanes 1, 3, and 5 are _____, and _____.

Swimming for (Visiting Team name) in lanes 2, 4, and 6 are _____, and _____.

Note time when event finishes

Read results

(4 whistles from Referee) **This is <u>Event 37</u>, boys 13-14, 50-meter butterfly.**

Swimming for (Home Team name) in lanes 1, 3, and 5 are _____, and _____.

Swimming for (Visiting Team name) in lanes 2, 4, and 6 are _____, and _____.

Note time when event finishes

Read results

(4 whistles from Referee) This is <u>Event 38</u>, girls 13-14, 50-meter butterfly.

Swimming for (Home Team name) in lanes 1, 3, and 5 are _____, ____, and _____.

Swimming for (Visiting Team name) in lanes 2, 4, and 6 are _____, and _____.

Note time when event finishes

Read results

(4 whistles from Referee) This is <u>Event 39</u>, boys 15-18, 50-meter butterfly.

Swimming for (Home Team name) in lanes 1, 3, and 5 are _____, and _____.

Swimming for (Visiting Team name) in lanes 2, 4, and 6 are _____, and _____.

Note time when event finishes

Read results

(4 whistles from Referee) This is <u>Event 40</u>, girls 15-18, 50-meter butterfly.

Swimming for (Home Team name) in lanes 1, 3, and 5 are _____, and _____.

Swimming for (Visiting Team name) in lanes 2, 4, and 6 are _____, and _____.

Note time when event finishes

Ten-minute Break before Relays

00:00 There will be a ten-minute break. Swimmers may warm-up for the relays. (Home Team name) may use lanes 1,2, and 3 and (Visiting Team name) may use lanes 4,5, and 6.

Relay Take-Off Judges please meet with the Referee, (location)

Read results

00:05 Swimmers, please clear the pool.

Swimmers for events 41 and 42, boys and girls, 8 and under, 100-meter freestyle relay, please report to the clerk of course.

Swimmers for events 43 and 44, boys and girls, 9-10, 100-meter medley relay, please report to the clerk of course.

00:08 Officials, please take your position for the resumption of the meet.

00:10 (When referee is ready)

(4 whistles from Referee)

This is **Event 41**, boys 8 and under, 100-meter freestyle relay.

Swimming for (Home Team name) in lane 3 are

_____, ____, _____, and ______

Swimming for (Visiting Team name) in lane 4 are _____, ____, and ______

Note time when event finishes

Swimmers for events 45 and 46, boys and girls, 11-12, 100-meter medley relay, please report to the clerk of course.

(4 whistles from Referee) This is <u>Event 42</u>, girls 8 and under 100-meter freestyle relay.

Swimming for (Home Team name) in lane 3 are

_____, _____, _____, and ______

Swimming for (Visiting Team name) in lane 4 are _____, ____, and ______

Note time when event finishes

Read results

(4 whistles from Referee) This is <u>Event 43</u>, boys 9-10, 100-meter medley relay.

Swimming for (Home Team name) in lane 3 are

_____, ____, ____, and _____.

Swimming for (Visiting Team name) in lane 4 are

_____, _____, _____, and ______

Note time when event finishes

Swimmers for events 47 and 48, boys and girls, 13-14, 100-meter medley relay, please report to the clerk of course.

Read results

(4 whistles from Referee) This is <u>Event 44</u>, girls 9-10, 100-meter medley relay.

Swimming for (Home Team name) in lane 3 are

_____, _____, ____, and _____.

Swimming for (Visiting Team name) in lane 4 are _____, ____, and _____.

Note time when event finishes

Read results

(4 whistles from Referee) This is <u>Event 45</u>, boys 11-12, 100-meter medley relay.

Swimming for (Home Team name) in lane 3 are

___, _____, _____, and ______

Swimming for (Visiting Team name) in lane 4 are

_____, _____, _____, and ______.

Note time when event finishes

Swimmers for events 49 and 50, boys and girls, 15-18, 200-meter medley relay, please report to the clerk of course.

Read results

(4 whistles from Referee) This is <u>Event 46</u>, girls 11-12, 100-meter medley relay.

Swimming for (Home Team name) in lane 3 are

_____, ____, ____, and _____.

Swimming for (Visiting Team name) in lane 4 are

_____, _____, _____, and ______

Note time when event finishes

Read results

(4 whistles from Referee) This is <u>Event 47</u>, boys 13-14, 100-meter medley relay.

Swimming for (Home Team name) in lane 3 are

_____, ____, and _____.

Swimming for (Visiting Team name) in lane 4 are _____, ____, and ______

Note time when event finishes

Read results

(4 whistles from Referee) This is <u>Event 48</u>, girls 13-14, 100-meter medley relay. Swimming for (Home Team name) in lane 3 are

_____, _____, _____, and ______.

Swimming for (Visiting Team name) in lane 4 are _____, ____, and ______

Note time when event finishes

Read results

(4 whistles from Referee) This is <u>Event 49</u>, boys 15-18, 200-meter medley relay.

Swimming for (Home Team name) in lane 3 are

_____, ____, and _____.

Swimming for (Visiting Team name) in lane 4 are _____, ____, and ______

Note time when event finishes

Read results

(4 whistles from Referee) This is <u>Event 50</u>, girls 15-18, 200-meter medley relay.

Swimming for (Home Team name) in lane 3 are _____, ____, and _____.

Swimming for (Visiting Team name) in lane 4 are

_____, _____, _____, and ______.

Note time when event finishes

Five minute break before Mixed Age Relays (Optional)

00:00 There will be a five-minute break.

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00:03 Swimmers for events 51 and 52, boys and girls, mixed age, 200-meter freestyle relay, please report to the clerk of course.

00:04 Officials, please take your places for the resumption of the meet.

00:05 (4 whistles from Referee)

This is <u>Event 51</u>, boys mixed age, 200-meter freestyle relay.

Swimming for (Home Team name) in lane 3 are

_____, ____, ____, and _____.

Swimming for (Visiting Team name) in lane 4 are

_____, and _____

Note time when event finishes

Read results

(4 whistles from Referee) This is <u>Event 52</u> girls mixed age, 200-meter freestyle relay.

Swimming for (Home Team name) in lane 3 are

_____, ____, ____, and _____.

Swimming for (Visiting Team name) in lane 4 are _____, ____, and _____.

Note time when event finishes

Read results

Read Final Score

Thank you (Visiting Team name) for joining us at (Home Team name) for this meet. Have a safe trip home and enjoy the rest of your weekend.