

USA Swimming Registration Information



WHO: EFSL swimmers who wish to have their EFSL Long Distance Championship and Short Distance Championship times included in the USA Swimming SWIMS database. Note: ONLY LDC and SDC times are eligible to be sent to USA Swimming for inclusion in SWIMS.

WHY: USA Swimming registration is <u>COMPLETELY OPTIONAL</u> for EFSL members. Some EFSL swimmers may wish to have their times included in the SWIMS database for college recruiting visibility, maintaining eligibility to compete in various swim meets in the US, etc.

HOW: USA Swimming has recently (September 2022) implemented an entirely new membership and registration system. Even if you and/or your swimmer previously had an account in the old system, you will need to create a new account. Once the account is created, any existing swimmer records will be linked to the new ID number.

All registrations, renewals, and payments are accomplished directly through the USA Swimming web portal. There are no paper forms.

All USA Swimming members have a NEW ID NUMBER. It is a random 14-digit combination of numbers and letters. If you are already registered with USA Swimming, or if you choose to register now, you MUST SEND THE NEW ID NUMBER TO YOUR TEAM STATISTICIAN in order to be assured that your new ID will be entered in the meet file and championship results will be sent to the SWIMS database.

If you wish to register with USA Swimming, here are resources for the new registration system: https://www.usaswimming.org/about-usas/resources/online-member-registration

The parent will create an account and use their parent login credentials to access the registration link. Here is the unattached registration link:

https://omr.usaswimming.org/omr/welcome/D771AA57F76B46

If the athlete is a former member, the parent can do a search to locate the athlete's new ID number. If the swimmer was already registered for the 2022 membership year, the registration does not expire until December 31, 2022. In this situation, you can go ahead and renew for 2023 (which would expire on December 31, 2023), or you can only create the new account and locate the new ID number to share with your team statistician.

Questions? Review the USA Swimming information page linked above.

Still have questions? Contact your team statistician OR Angela Heaphy, EFSL Statistician: statistician@europeanforcesswimleague.com