



**NEW
ENGLAND
SWIMMING**

Coach National Meet Travel Support Program

Purpose

In its annual budgeting process, New England Swimming allocates funds to help its coaches with the expense of participating in designated USA Swimming National Championship Meets. The National Meet Travel Support Program provides this financial support to help defray the cost of lodging and transportation for its participating coaches.

Coach Reimbursement Requirements

The following criteria must be met for an athlete to be eligible for support:

- If an applicant received, or will receive, travel support from other sources for the designated meet for which they are seeking support, such amounts must be declared on the application and New England Swimming will deduct such funding before support is finalized. If this information is not disclosed on the application, the coach will remain ineligible for funding from this program in the future.
- A coach must be attending the meet with an eligible athlete who competes in at least one individual event.
- The amount of reimbursement is equal to that of one athlete for the designated meet.
- **One coach per team for every six (6) athletes attending will be reimbursed.**
- All satellites of a club are considered as one club.

Designated Competitions (September 1, 2025 – August 31, 2026)

The designated competitions and support levels were approved by the Coach and Finance Committees of NE Swimming. As a reminder, to be considered for support for a designated competition, eligible athletes must compete in one or more individual events. Time trial events, relays or “relay only” athletes are not eligible.

SHORT COURSE SEASON

(September 1, 2025 – March 31, 2026)

MEET	DATES	LOCATION	MAX
2025 Toyota U.S. Open	December 3 – December 6, 2025 (4 racing days)	Austin, TX	\$700
2025 SCY Speedo Winter Junior Championships (East)	December 10 – December 13, 2025 (4 racing days)	Indiana University	\$600

LONG COURSE SEASON

(April 1, 2026 – August 31, 2026)

MEET	DATES	LOCATION	MAX
2026 Open Water Nationals	April 2 – April 4, 2026 (3 racing days)	Sarasota, FL	\$500
2026 Summer Nationals Championships	July 28-Aug 1, 2026 (5 racing days)	Irvine, CA	\$875
2026 Futures Championships (one check to the club for both coaches and swimmers)	July 20 – August 1, 2026 (4 racing days)	Richmond, VA	\$150

2026 Speedo Junior Nationals Championships	August 3 – August 7, 2026 (5 racing days)	Irvine, CA	\$800
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U. S. PARALYMPIC MEETS (2025- 2026)

MEET	DATES	LOCATION	MAX
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 2025 California Classic 2025 Jimi Flowers Classic 2025 Cincinnati Para 2025 Fred Lamback Invite 	TBD	Yucaipa, CA Colorado Springs Cincinnati, OH Cummings, GA	\$300
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> US World Series 		Minneapolis, MN	\$500
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> US Para Swimming National Championship 		Orlando, FL	\$750

Outreach Swimmer Support

• The above meets plus EZ Sectionals and Sr. Zone meets are eligible for Outreach Support: NES will reimburse the athlete's team for athlete transportation and lodging expenses which exceed the standard NES reimbursement amount for each meet.

Requests will be processed through the NES Office out of the Outreach budget.

Application Process

- All designated competitions must have an application submitted within 30 days from the last day of competition with all receipts and required documents attached. Incomplete applications will not be accepted.
- Support levels listed above are the maximum amount a coach is eligible to receive for that designated competition. Expense receipts submitted (for lodging and transportation costs only) must equal or exceed the amount of requested support for a designated competition.
- ALL REQUESTS FOR REIMBURSEMENT FOR FUTURES MUST BE BY CLUB ONLY: ONE CHECK FOR COACH AND SWIMMERS TO THE CLUBS.
- Please contact the New England Swimming Treasurer, Carol Healey (newenglandswim@gmail.com), with any questions.