



## **OLYMPIC TRIALS PICK EM RULES**

Beginning Saturday June 15th, NE swimming will be hosting a pick em contest for each night of finals.

### **GOOGLE SURVEYS WILL BE USED FOR THIS EVENT!**

Each morning after Trials prelims, a new google survey will be released related to that evenings finals (NOT semi-final events). Like Trivia, this will also be released on the NE website under the Olympic Trials drop-down menu. On the form, you will have the option to choose which two athletes (6 in the relay events) you think will make the Olympic Team that evening in order of finish (1-2 or 1-6).

### **SCORING**

#### **INDIVIDUAL EVENTS**

- For each correct name you guess in the correct place (1st or 2nd) you will receive TEN (10) points.
- For each correct name you guess but in the wrong place you will receive FIVE (5) points.

RELAY EVENTS (These will be scored as the individual event and as a relay event; i.e. you can get points for the 100 FR as above AND as a relay event below)

- For each correct name you get in the correct finish order, you will score 10 points.
- For each correct name you get but in the wrong finish order, you will score 5 points



### FOR EXAMPLE

Let's take the 2020 US Olympic Trials men's 200 FR results, and let's pretend the top 6 all were chosen for the Olympic Team.

1. **Kieran Smith, FLOR, 1:45.29**
2. **Townley Haas, NOVAVA, 1:45.66**
3. **Drew Kibler, TXLA, 1:45.92**
4. **Andrew Seliskar, CAL, 1:46.34**
5. **Zach Apple, MVN, 1:46.45**
6. **Patrick Callan, UN-MI, 1:46.49**
7. Blake Pieroni, SAND, 1:46.57
8. Carson Foster, RAYSOH, 1:46.67

Next, let's look at what my pick em guesses were:

1. **Townley Haas - 5 points, 5**
2. **Kieran Smith - 5 points, 5**
3. **Drew Kibler - 10**
4. **Zach Apple - 5**
5. **Carson Foster**
6. **Andrew Seliskar - 5**

First, the 200 FR as an individual event would be scored. Here, because I got the names correct but in the wrong order, I would receive 10 points.

Next, the 200 FR as a relay event would be scored. Here, I only have one name correct and also in the correct spot: Drew Kibler in 3rd. That's 10 more points. I also have Haas, Smith, Apple, and Seliskar in the top 6, but in the wrong spots. That would be 5 points each name for a total of 20 there.

Grand total score on my 200 FR picks: 40 points (10 for the individual, and 30 in the relay).

### **PRIZES** (In the event of ties, names will be drawn from a cap)

- 1st place will receive a tech suit of their choice. Newer models INCLUDED!
- 2nd place will receive a training suit, goggles, and cap set of their choice. JOLYNS INCLUDED!
- 3rd place will receive a swag bag of NE and USA Swimming goodies including a towel/mesh bag set from Trivia!