

MHSL Division Decisions Form

Date: 3/5/2024

Season: 2024

Division: B

Division VP: Emily Bullock, Cruisers East

Per MHSL P&P, the following Division decisions are made by the Parent Delegates at the beginning of the season and communicated to the League Secretary and Officials Chair:

Dual Meet Schedule:

Date	Visitor/Home	Visitor/Home	Visitor/Home
Week 1	Wild/rocke	Casn/sgcc	Rockw/smok
Week 2	Casn/rocke	Rockw/wild	Smok/sgcc
Week 3	Sgcc/rockw	Rocke/smok	Wild/casn
Week 4	Sgcc/rocke	Smok/wild	Rockw/casn
Week 5	Rocke/rockw	Casn/smok	Wild/sgcc

Championship Week:

	Host Team/No. of Lanes/Pool Length	Age Groups
Preliminaries – Day 1	Southglenn- 6 – meter	
Preliminaries – Day 2	Castle – 6 – meter	
Preliminaries – Day 3		
Finals	Castlerock – 8 – meter	

Protest Committee for Division Championships: Must be at least 2 coaches, 2 certified S&T Judges and any other two members from the coach or certified S&T Judge groups.

	Team 1	Team 2	Team 3	Team 4	Team 5	Team 6
S&T Judge	Southglenn	Smokey Hill				
Coach	Wildcat	Castle Pines	Castle Rock E	Castle Rock W		

Dual Meet/Division Championship Operating Information/Decisions:

Topic:	Decision	Topic:	Decision
Print award labels for ribbons at dual meet (Yes/No) <i>Note: ribbons - supplied by hosting team; labels – supplied by each team</i>	No	Cost of programs at Prelims and Finals for Division Championship	No
Start time for meets	7:30-8:00	Signage present for pool parking restrictions (Yes/No)	Yes

Time constraints for holding meets (Yes/No – which teams)	Cross 1:30 Smokey 1:30 Wildcat 2:00	Special arrangements for coaches hospitality; if so, then itemize	\$25 per visiting team except Castle Rock
Reports printed at end of meet	Email	Reserved parking spaces (Yes/No)	Yes
Teams using Dolphin Watches	All except Castle Rock	Ribbon Distribution at Champs	No

Per MHSL P&P, the following Division decisions are made by the coaches and communicated to the Parent Delegate Division VP by the Coaches Division VP for distribution to the Parent Delegates, League Secretary, and League Officials Chair:

Dual Meet/Division Championship Operating Decisions:

Topic:	Decision:
Number of relays at dual meets (only if a division-wide limit is agreed to be used) <i>Note: if this decision looks to extend the dual meet past the meet finish deadline, the host team Parent Delegate can restrict the number.</i>	Unlimited a/b at champs
Number of heats at dual meets (only if a division-wide limit is agreed to be used) <i>Same consideration as above applies.</i>	Unlimited
Pools that require in-water starts for 8 & Under relays:	All of them
Specific lane assignments for relays at Division Championship Finals (limit 3 relays per event per team) only if the Division agrees to do so	Coaches draw
Will events with only one heat of swimmers be contested at Division Prelims (Yes/No)	Yes
Weekly meet theme (if any)	Yes

Per MHSL P&P, the following Division decisions are made by the League Board:

1. Deck adds and known scratches will be accepted the morning of the meet up until 30 minutes prior to the start of the meet; communicate new scratches when known
2. For dual meets: fly over starts will be used for forward start events; use of Relay Take-off Judges is strongly recommended but not required; Coaches will be responsible for notifying swimmers that have been disqualified;

3. Consolidation of heats is allowed to provide better competition for the swimmers and expedite the meet (Prelims: fastest three heats are excluded from consolidation)
4. Coaches will be allowed in the water with younger swimmers only at dual meets for safety and encouragement purposes
5. Parent Delegates and Coaches must communicate with their visiting team counterpart by Tuesday evening for issues relating to dual meets
6. Entries for dual meets are due on Wednesday evening
7. Meet equipment (headsets, wristbands, clipboards, watches) to be provided by hosting team but each team should bring their equipment to the meet as a backup
8. Event/time cards (pink-girls, blue-boys, green-relays) or Lane Timer Sheets will be used for recording times for all events