Apprenticing Officials

Apprenticing Level 2 Officials complete 5 Sessions to certify as a YMCA Level 1 Official:

- * 2 sessions with a mentor to observe the mentor
- * 2 sessions with a mentor in which the Apprentice makes the calls
- * Final Apprentice session whereby the Apprentice officiates "solo" with an evaluation by the Referee or Chief Judge given at the conclusion of the Final Session.

YOU be the "Judge" if you feel you're ready to Officiate independently by the end of your Apprenticing. The above Apprenticing guidelines are a minimum. We can easily coordinate a few more Apprentice Sessions to help you feel more comfortable and confident before Officiating independently.

What sessions can I Apprentice? Check out our upcoming meets on the the SWOYSL Home Page or on your YMCA Team's Home Page and select the meets/sessions that work best for you.