

January 26, 2019

The BCSSA Board, at its Regular Meeting of January 26, 2019, adopted the following rule changes in the Speed Swimming – Rules for the BC Summer Swimming Association.

1. Amend 2.4.2:

2.4.2. Registration Database and Fees

- A non-competitive season provincial registration fee shall be established by the BCSSA Board of Directors each year.
- Each Regional Board may levy Regional fees by such amounts as may be deemed necessary for regional activities and expenditures.
- Each club shall submit a club non-competitive season individual registration database, and fees, to the Regional Registrar by **February 28th**.
- The Regional Registrar shall submit each club's registration database and fees to the Provincial Registrar by **March 15th**.

2. Add:

4.3.2.3 A swimmer's entry time for an event shall be based on the results for that event from the current competitive season.

4.3.2.4 A 'No Time' entry time shall be used for an event if the swimmer does not have results for that event from the current competitive season.

3. Add:

4.6.10. Pool Depth

4.6.10.1 For a start from a starting block, a minimum depth of 1.35 metres, extending from 1.0 metre to at least 6.0 metres from the starting end wall, is required for pools with starting blocks.

4.6.10.2 The minimum depth referenced in 4.6.10.1 shall apply to any BCSSA swimming activity that involves a diving block start including but not limited to practices, swim meets, fun swims, non sanctioned meets, and BCSSA Club Hosted Meets.

4. Amend:

4.2.1.7 An 'O' Swimmer is an individual who participated in organized aquatic activity in excess of what is provided for in 4.2.1.5 between the October 1st to April 30th period immediately preceding registration.

5. Add:

4.2.1.8 Any swimmer who has achieved a SNC Senior National Qualifying Time during the preceding three years shall compete in Division O8, regardless of the swimmers age at Regional Championship Meets and Provincial Championship Meet.