

Club Instructions/Info for SWIMS 3.0. – July 21, 2022

1. SWIMS 3.0 is for online registration for USA Swimming **only**. It is for Club renewal and new clubs, Non athletes and Athletes members. It is **not** for joining a club and paying club fees.
 - a. Clubs should use the same procedures for club members to join a club as they have in the past.
 - b. On August 15, Club registrars will be sent a link so the club can be set up in SWIMS 3.0.
 - c. Access for 2023-USA Swimming member registration will open on September 1.
 - d. On August 15 when clubs receive their club link, this link should be shared with club members (both athlete and non-athletes). **Club Suggestion** – Only have your **new** club members register for USA Swimming online membership beginning Sept. 1. That gives the club registrar time to become familiar with the process. Renewals can be handled later in the Fall as 2022 year-round memberships do not expire until 12/31/22.
 - e. Athlete and Non-Athlete renewal in SWIMS 3.0 will require a PNG account which will be the screen for the link sent by the clubs to their club members. Parents can also have a PNG account which allows them to add their children (much like Deck Pass)
2. The current ID for USA Swimming members will be changed to a new ID (w/o birthday) and current members will link to their old ID when they register with PNG to bring in their old SWIMS record with the new ID.
- 3 **USA Swimming is requesting the LSC provide club registrar/admin contact information for SWIMS 3.0 in the next month- please email me your club registrar name, email and phone number. I have most of this, but need the phone number.**
4. Deck Pass will disappear. If parents want access to their child's times, they will have to have a PNG account and re-register their child/ren for 2023. They do not have to have a non athlete membership.
7. Athletes or Non Athletes that need APT need to register/renew for 2023 as of Sept. 1. Suggestion – do this now and if you have any problems with APT, email learn@usaswimming.org
8. For Non Athletes there is a new category for 2023 – **Non Athlete Administrator**. Please see the below for who is required and eligible for this category. USA Swimming fee is \$30 plus the LSC fee which will be determined at LESI HOD on 9/25/22.
 - club board members,
 - all club staff members,
 - all LSC staff members other than those with SWIMS access,
 - club treasurers,
 - club webmasters, etc.

- Individuals who were required to be USA-S members in the past (coaches, officials, chaperones, individuals with SWIMS access, etc.) are not eligible for this category.

There are many things that still need to be worked out by USA Swimming for SWIMS 3.0. Please be patient as we navigate this “new adventure” together.

If you have any questions, please contact me.

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