

**CHIEF FINISH JUDGE  
QUESTIONNAIRE**

*On the answer form provided, please circle the true statement(s) or fill in the appropriate answer(s). There may be more than one true statement for each question.*

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- 1 . The Chief Finish Judge has the authority to:
  - a. disqualify swimmers;
  - b. appoint an assistant Chief Finish Judge to assist him;
  - c. establish the results and order of finish which is sent directly to the referee;
  - d. resolve all decisions relating to the place and time of swimmers;
  - e. schedule Swim-Offs and inform the referee and coaches.
  
2. An indication that the results from an automatic electronic timing system may be invalid is:
  - a. a difference of greater than 0.30 seconds between manual and automatic times;
  - b. an annotation of "light touch" on the automatic time-slip;
  - c. a manual time from the Chief Timer recorded on the time card;
  - d. a report from the turn inspector that the final touch-out was illegal;
  - e. an annotation of "light touch" on the time card by the Head Lane Timer;
  - f. three manual backup times which are identical to 1/100ths of a second.
  
3. Two or more swimmers with good automatic times that are identical to 1/100ths of a second (in the same or different heats) shall:
  - a. be declared tied;
  - b. be placed according to their 1000th times (if available);
  - c. be placed according to their manual backup times.

**In questions 4 to 10 the results were achieved in a meet timed with MANUAL DIGITAL WATCHES only.**

4. Determine the official times and places for Heat 5 and record the times.  
SWIMMER HEAT    TIMER 1    TIMER 2    TIMER 3

A	5	1:11.45	1:11.40	1:11.47
B	5	1:11.48	-	1:11.43
C	5	1:11.62	1:11.69	-

Swimmer & Time: 1st \_\_\_\_\_ 2nd \_\_\_\_\_ 3rd \_\_\_\_\_.

5. Determine the official places and times for Heat 4.

SWIMMER HEAT    TIMER 1    TIMER 2    TIMER 3

A	4	-	1:06.19	1:06.39
B	4	1:06.31	1:06.30	1:06.26
C	4	1:06.79	1:06.85	-

Swimmer & Time: 1st \_\_\_\_\_ 2nd \_\_\_\_\_ 3<sup>rd</sup> \_\_\_\_\_

6. Determine the official times and places for Heat 2 and record the times.

SWIMMER HEAT    TIMER 1    TIMER 2    TIMER 3

A	2	4:05.75	4:05.58	-
B	2	4:05.70	4:05.86	4:05.69
C	2	4:05.93	4:05.79	-

Swimmer & Time: 1st \_\_\_\_\_ 2nd \_\_\_\_\_ 3<sup>rd</sup> \_\_\_\_\_

7. Determine the official times and places for Heat 3 and record the times.

SWIMMER HEAT    TIMER 1    TIMER 2    TIMER 3

A	3	1:21.40	1:21.43	1:21.53
B	3	1:21.30	1:21.39	1:21.36
C	3	1:21.87	-	1:21.80

Swimmer & Time: 1st \_\_\_\_\_ 2nd \_\_\_\_\_ 3<sup>rd</sup> \_\_\_\_\_.

8. Determine the official times and places for the event.

SWIMMER HEAT    TIMER 1    TIMER 2    TIMER 3

A	4	1:01.49	1:01.43	1:01.43
B	5	1:01.37	1:01.56	1:01.43
C	6	1:01.43	1:01.58	1:01.43

Swimmer & Time: 1st \_\_\_\_\_ 2nd \_\_\_\_\_ 3<sup>rd</sup> \_\_\_\_\_.

9. Determine the official times and places for the event.

SWIMMER	HEAT	TIMER 1	TIMER 2	TIMER 3
A	7	1:07.45	1:07.49	-
B	8	1:07.46	1:07.31	1:07.47
C	9	1:07.36	1:07.57	-

Swimmer & Time: 1st\_\_\_\_ 2nd\_\_\_\_ 3rd\_\_\_\_\_.

10. Determine the official places and times for the event.

SWIMMER	HEAT	TIMER 1	TIMER 2	TIMER 3
A	7	-	1:09.46	1:09.20
B	7	1:09.37	1:09.41	1:09.41
C	8	1:09.37	1:09.39	1:09.31

Swimmer & Time: 1st\_\_\_\_ 2nd\_\_\_\_ 3rd\_\_\_\_\_.

**In questions 11-15 the results were achieved in a meet timed with an AUTOMATIC ELECTRONIC TIMING SYSTEM with manual digital watches as backup.**

11. Determine the official times and places for Heat 5.

SWIMMER	HEAT	TIMER 1	TIMER 2	TIMER 3	AUTO TIME
A	5	1:01.24	1:01.43	1:01.35	1:01.36
B	5	1:01.39	1:01.30	1:01.30	1:01.32
C	5	-	1:01.38	1:01.26	1:01.36

Swimmer & Time: 1st\_\_\_\_ 2nd\_\_\_\_ 3rd\_\_\_\_\_.

12. Determine the official times and places for Heat 6.

SWIMMER	HEAT	TIMER 1	TIMER 2	TIMER 3	AUTO TIME
A	6	59.25	59.49	59.32	59.36
B	6	59.43	-	59.41	-
C	6	59.48	59.45	-	59.49

Swimmer & Time: 1st\_\_\_\_ 2nd\_\_\_\_ 3rd\_\_\_\_\_.

13. Determine the official places and times for the event:
- | SWIMMER | HEAT | TIMER 1 | TIMER 2 | TIMER 3 | AUTO TIME |
|---------|------|---------|---------|---------|-----------|
|---------|------|---------|---------|---------|-----------|

A	2	1:30.60	1:30.71	1:30.64	1:30.73
B	2	1:30.72	1:30.71	1:30.80	1:30.72
C	3	1:30.69	1:30.83	1:30.71	1:30.73

Swimmer & Time: 1st \_\_\_\_\_ 2nd \_\_\_\_\_ 3rd \_\_\_\_\_.

14. Determine the official times and places for the event.
- | SWIMMER | HEAT | TIMER 1 | TIMER 2 | TIMER 3 | AUTO TIME |
|---------|------|---------|---------|---------|-----------|
|---------|------|---------|---------|---------|-----------|

A	1	56.63	56.71	56.70	56.78
B	1	56.71	56.76	56.81	56.76
C	3	56.87	56.76	56.87	56.83

Swimmer & Time: 1st \_\_\_\_\_ 2nd \_\_\_\_\_ 3rd \_\_\_\_\_.

15. Determine the official times and places for Heat 7.
- | SWIMMER | HEAT | TIMER 1 | TIMER 2 | TIMER 3 | AUTO TIME |
|---------|------|---------|---------|---------|-----------|
|---------|------|---------|---------|---------|-----------|

A	7	27.39	27.43	-	27.45
B	7	27.27	27.30	27.31	27.95
C	7	27.37	27.39	27.37	27.39

Swimmer & Time: 1st \_\_\_\_\_ 2nd \_\_\_\_\_ 3rd \_\_\_\_\_.

16. When melding time cards from different heats to determine the official order of finish of the event, the cards of disqualified Swimmers should be:

- placed at the bottom of the stack;
- placed according to time and place;
- removed from the stack and submitted separately;
- destroyed, since the times are not legal;
- numbered but placed last.

17. Indicate the correct responses:
- a. Once the order of finish in an electronically operated event has been completed by the Chief Finish Judge, he/she shall be responsible for recording those placings in the appropriate box on the time card.
  - b. It is the responsibility of the Chief Finish Judge to notify the referee when there is a tie for last place or second alternate for a final or consolation final.
  - c. The Chief Finish Judge shall:
    1. notify the recording room to delay publishing results when a problem such as a swim-off or a protest has occurred;
    2. arrange swim-offs with coaches and swimmers and notify the referee;
    3. endeavor to record the order of finish in electronically timed meets;
    4. ensure that all DQ's, Ties, and DNF's are appropriately flagged for computer operators;
    5. before results are posted, sign the print out of the finish order of each event after ensuring that it is correct;
    6. notify the Chief Timekeeper of the repeated discrepancies in times or recording of times in specific lanes.
    7. ensure that times achieved by swimmers who are subsequently disqualified are not published.

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1. a b c d e

2. a b c d e f

3. a b c d

4. Place Swimmer Time  
1<sup>st</sup> \_\_\_\_\_  
2<sup>nd</sup> \_\_\_\_\_  
3<sup>rd</sup> \_\_\_\_\_

5. Place Swimmer Time  
1<sup>st</sup> \_\_\_\_\_  
2<sup>nd</sup> \_\_\_\_\_  
3<sup>rd</sup> \_\_\_\_\_

6. Place Swimmer Time  
1<sup>st</sup> \_\_\_\_\_  
2<sup>nd</sup> \_\_\_\_\_  
3<sup>rd</sup> \_\_\_\_\_

7. Place Swimmer Time  
1<sup>st</sup> \_\_\_\_\_  
2<sup>nd</sup> \_\_\_\_\_  
3<sup>rd</sup> \_\_\_\_\_

8. Place Swimmer Time  
1<sup>st</sup> \_\_\_\_\_  
2<sup>nd</sup> \_\_\_\_\_  
3<sup>rd</sup> \_\_\_\_\_

9. Place Swimmer Time  
1<sup>st</sup> \_\_\_\_\_  
2<sup>nd</sup> \_\_\_\_\_  
3<sup>rd</sup> \_\_\_\_\_

16. a b c d e

17. a b c (1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7)

10. Place Swimmer Time  
1<sup>st</sup> \_\_\_\_\_  
2<sup>nd</sup> \_\_\_\_\_  
3<sup>rd</sup> \_\_\_\_\_

11. Place Swimmer Time  
1<sup>st</sup> \_\_\_\_\_  
2<sup>nd</sup> \_\_\_\_\_  
3<sup>rd</sup> \_\_\_\_\_

12. Place Swimmer Time  
1<sup>st</sup> \_\_\_\_\_  
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13. Place Swimmer Time  
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14. Place Swimmer Time  
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3<sup>rd</sup> \_\_\_\_\_

15. Place Swimmer Time  
1<sup>st</sup> \_\_\_\_\_  
2<sup>nd</sup> \_\_\_\_\_  
3<sup>rd</sup> \_\_\_\_\_

