

“Old School” Swim Meet Scoring



BY TOM RIKER



What the MSOA Executive Board says”

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- The MSOA Executive Board has confirmed that if meet management can not start a meet within one quarter hour (15 minutes) past its scheduled start time, due to “technical difficulties” or other reasons, the meet will proceed with the said meet management group (aka the host team) utilizing “Old School Scoring.”



When and why do we go to “Old School Scoring?”

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- Colorado and HyTek are not “talking to each other



- Either system is not working



- Systems not updated



- Whatever the reason, go to “Old School” after 15 minutes



- Before I/we go any further just need to say:
 - Many issues can be resolved if the coaches “talk” to each other before the electronic systems have too.
 - Simple things:
 - ✦ Lane assignments
 - ✦ Extra heats
 - ✦ Scoring schemes



The Rules Say What?:

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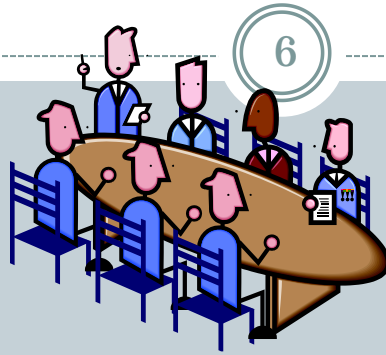
- What do the rules say about scoring the meet?
 - Why do we need to score the meet?
 - Do you need to list times?



What do we need for Personnel?

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- The table



- The Deck



- Materials



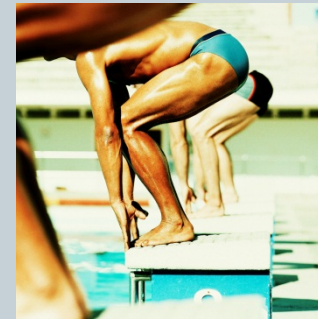
Needed Equipment & personnel

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- Must have 2 stop watches per lane
- Score sheets
- Clip boards
- Runner
- The usual required equipment (block etc.)



- Almost ready to get it going



The Table

Part “1”

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Person “A”

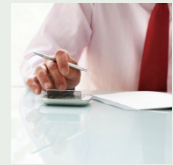


Job

- Receive results for each race from runner



- Calculate times



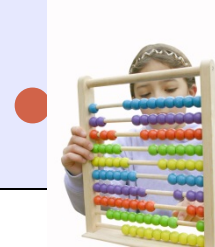
- Record times, places and points



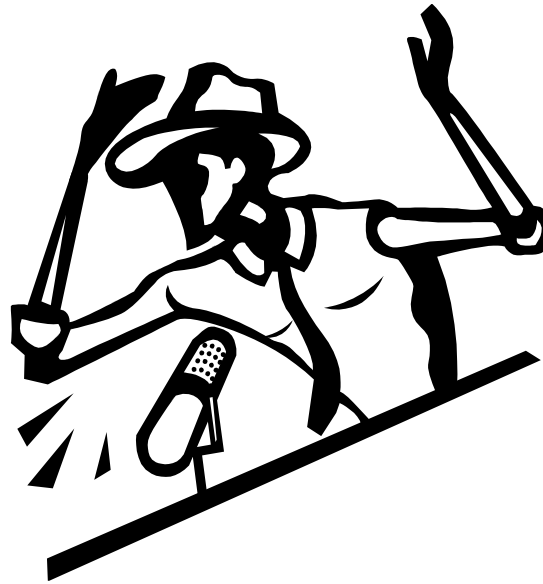
The Table (continued)



- Person “B”
- See Person “A’s”
- Job (previous slide
 - Do That !!
- And, co-ordinate results with
 - “Person A”



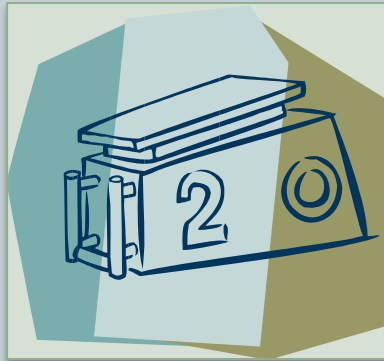
Loud and
clear, helps
keep things
moving
smoothly



**Another Key person, The
Announcer**

Deck people

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Timing Sheets

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- **Lane ____ Event**

- | | Boys | Girls |
|---|----------|-------|
| • | | |
| • | 1. | |
| • | 2. | |
| • | 3. | |
| • | Average: | |
| • | | |
| • | | |

- **Lane ____ Event**

- | | Boys | Girls |
|---|----------|-------|
| • | | |
| • | 1. | |
| • | 2. | |
| • | 3. | |
| • | Average: | |

- You will need a bunch of sheets like this (packets are available). I carry copies of these and score sheets so we can go to olds school.
- You'll need to "educate" the timers on 2 times and 3 times
- How do you "average" the times. What do the rules say?
- What do you need for watches?
- Do you have to time the meet?

Timing Sheets

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- **Lane 3 Event; 200 freestyle**

- Boys

Girls

- 1) 2:07.58
- 2) 2:07.45
- 3) 2:07.99
- Average: 2:07.58

- **Lane 4 Event ; 200 freestyle**

- Boys

Girls

- 1) 2:07.43
- 2) 2:07.43
- 3) 2:07.77
- Average: 2:07.43

- Times with 3 watches are simple to average the time. If like lane 3, there are 3 times, the time will be the middle time (not, as one official did the person in the middles time!)

- If, like lane 4 2 times agree, that is the official time.

- And the rule covering this is....?

Timing Sheets

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- **Lane3 Event 200 free**

- Boys **Girls**

- 1.) 2:07.58

- 2) 2:07.45

- 3)

- Average: 2:07.51

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- **Lane 4 Event: 200 Free**

- Boys **Girls**

- 1) 2:07.43

- 2) 2:07.43

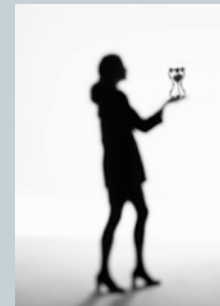
- 3)

- Average: 2:07.43

- To determine the time with 2 watches, you average the $2:07.58 + 2:07.45 = 4:15.03 / 2 = 2:07.51$.

- The rule says what? Do you round up or down if it comes out to thousandths?

- Again, as in Lane 4, if both watches agree, that is the official time.



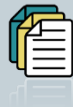
After the race

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- The runner goes to each lane and records the time.



- The runner delivers the time to the score table.



- The table people record and score the event



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Lane	Swimmers	Place	Time	Points	Event	Lane	Swimmers	Place	Time	Points
					200 Yard Medley Relay					
					200 Yard Freestyle					
					200 Yard Individual Medley					
					50 Yard Freestyle					

Let the Scoring Begin !!

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School Eagle High Date 01/09/2012 School Panther High

Lane	Swimmers	Place	Time	Points	Event	Lane	Swimmers	Place	Time	Points	
1	Jones, H	2	1:55.1	4	200 Yard Medley Relay	6	Pekins, R	DQ	—	0	
	Smith, D			4			Bright, D				
	Ouellette, S						Winslow, B				
	Adams, T						Winslow, A				
3	Webber, R	4	2:07.1	0			Palmer, R	3	2:07.3	0	
	Morrison, S			0		4	Sheridan, T				
	Grant, R						Hill, T				
	Branch, C						Wilson, I				
5	Chasse, M	1	1:49.1	8		2	Johnston, AJ	3	1:56.2	2	
	Chasse, D			8			Johnston, B				
	Chasse, S						Berry, C				
	Chasse, J						Miller, H				
1	Phillips, D	3	2:10.1	3	200 Yard Freestyle	2	Letourneau, S	6	2:27.1	0	
3	Couture, J	2	2:07.58	4		4	Sutton, R	2	2:07.43	6	
5	Clark, D	5	2:18.3	1		6	Dewitt, C	4	2:10.3	2	
					200 Yard Individual Medley						
					50 Yard Freestyle						

And Score...

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Lane	Swimmers	Place	Time	Points	Event	Lane	Swimmers	Place	Time	Points
	<i>None</i>			<i>23</i>	Diving		<i>None</i>			<i>22</i>
3	Jones, H	2	1:07.4	31	100 Butterfly	2	Perkins, R	2	1:01.5	26
2	Perkins, R					4	Bright, D	4	1:10.4	28
5	Phillips, D	1	1:58.9	32						
1	Chasse M	2	1:55.1	41	100 yard Freestyle	2	Palmer, R	5	1:59.9	29
3	Chasse D	3	1:55.8	44		4	Sutton, R	6	1:01.5	29
5	Chasse J	4	1:58.9	46		6	DeWitt, C	1	1:51.5	35
1	Webber, R	4	6:55.2	48	500 yard Freestyle	2	Johnston, B	1	5:55.1	41
3	Dechaine, P	3	6:18.1	51		4	Johnston, AS	2	6:01.2	45
5										
1					200 Freestyle Relay					
3										
5										

S3					S3										
Lane	Swimmers	Place	Time	Points	Event	Lane	Swimmers	Place	Time	Points					
1	Clark, D	1	1:15.1	57	100 yard Backstroke	2	Winslow, B	1	1:01.5	59					
3	Couture, J	2	1:02.4	41		4	Hill, T	4	1:08.1	21					
5	Adams, P	3	1:07.1	31		4	Boachard, L	5	1:09.2	22					
1	Grav, R	3	1:06.7	267	100 yard Breaststroke	2	Winslow, A	5	1:11.3	143					
3	Branch, C	4	1:10.3	269		4	Sheridan, T	6	1:27.1	0					
5	Morrison, S	2	1:05.1	473		4	Miller, H, J	1	1:59.9	469					
5	Smith, J	2	3:40.1	4	400 yard Freestyle Relay	2	Pekins, K	1	3:36.8	8					
	Chasse, J			77			Bright, D			77					
	Chasse, M						Wilson, F								
3	Phillips, P	3	3:45.1	2		4	Moody, J	5	3:50.2	-					
	Couture, J			79			Smith, G			77					
	Enicoff, T						Alberts, T								
4	James, T						Bolduc, P	4	4:04	-					
							Hopworth, J			77					
							Nelson, P								
# of events ✓					Total	# of events, ✓									
79						77									

Start Time 6:30 PM
 End Time 8:45
 Boys meet
 Girls meet

Facility Eagle High
 Referee's signature Tom Riker

Score til the End!

At the same time you ought to really be keeping your score

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DATE:		TEAM					vs.	FACILITY:								
		1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th		1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th		
/	/							200 Medley Relay							/	/
								200 Free								
								200 I.M.								
								50 Free								
								Break/Dive								
								100 Fly								
								100 Free								
								500 Free								
								200 Free Relay								
								100 Back								
						100 Breast										
						400 Free Relay										
						Total										

Referee _____ **Strokes & Turns** _____

Starter _____

Finish Time _____

Finish Time _____

Get the places as you see them, not from the score board.

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DATE: 01/09/2012

TEAM Eagle High vs. Panther High

FACILITY Eagle High

E	P	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th		1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th		
42	2	5	1	2	3	4		200 Medley Relay							/	/
520	510	4	3	1	6	5	2	200 Free							/	/
616	514	1	2	4	X	X	6	200 I.M.							/	/
612	724	3	2	4				50 Free							/	/
941	634	5	2	3	4			Break/Dive							/	/
		6	3	1	5	2	4	100 Fly							/	/
		1	6	2	4	3	5	100 Free							/	/
		2	4	6	5			500 Free							/	/
		3	1	4	2	5		200 Free Relay							/	/
		6	4	3	1	5		100 Back							/	/
		2	3	4	5			100 Breast							/	/
79	77							400 Free Relay							/	/
								Total							/	/

Referee Tom Riker

Strokes & Turns Sandy Labelle

Starter Dean Beaudin

Finish Time 8:45 PM about

Finish Time _____

Meets done (?)

What to do?

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- Things HyTek did you have to do.

- Calculate score



- Exceptions report



- Create copies



When all is copasetic...

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