DIVING

Eleven dive format:

Prelims 5 dives – 2 vol., 3 opt. Semi's 3 dives – 2 vol., 1 opt. Finals 3 dives - 1 vol., 2 opt.

Voluntary: one from each of 5 groups total DD of 9.0 or less Optional: one from each group, cannot repeat a group until finals All 5 groups must be represented in first 8 dives

Unsatisfactory Dives:

- 1. Dive clearly done in a position (completely broken) than described on scoresheet
- 2. Hits the board
- 3. Does not attempt to come out of tuck or pike position on entry
- 4. Does not attempt to come out of the twist on entry (must come out of wrap position)
- 5. Not holding the straight position on flying somersaults until the body is horizontal (1/4 rotation) to the surface of the water and to vertical (1/2 rotation for a one-and-one-half somersault

Failed Dives:

- 1. Does the wrong dive
- 2. Does not assume the starting position
- 3. Falls in
- 4. Assisted by another person
- 5. Does not do pike before twist on 5111B (forward) or 5411B (inward)
- 6. Feet first entry on head first entry dive and head first entry on feet first dive
- 7. 90 degree twist at shoulders when feet/hands hit water
- 8. In a twisting dive, twists shoulders past 90 degrees before feet leave the board
- 9. Repeats a dive
- 10. Steps off the board after assuming starting position
- 11. Does forward approach dive from a standing position
- 12. Official description is not on the scoresheet
- 13. Does 2 balks
- 14. Does not do vol. and opt. dives as specified (vol. dive first in dual meet)
- 15. Does a dive that is not in the diving table

Disqualification:

- 1. Insincere attempt
- 2. Unnecessarily delays
- 3. Unsportsmanlike conduct
- 4. Diver cannot do the dives
- 5. Diver fails 2 dives

Ref Mandatory Deductions: 2 points off

- 1. Forward approach violation
- 2. One balk

Judges Mandatory Deductions: ½ to 2 points off

- 1. Diver does not stop oscillating the board just before or after assuming the starting position
- 2. Excessive oscillation
- 3. Foot/feet leaving the board prior to a back/inward takeoff
- 4. Spreading the knees in a tuck position
- 5. Entering the water to the side of the board
- 6. Twisting manifestly from the board

Deficient Dives:

- 1. The diver partially alters the position of the dive during flight.
- 2. A diver enters the water with one or both hands above the shoulders on a dive requiring a feet-first entry or with one or both hands below the shoulders on a dive requiring a head-first entry.

Score ranges:

- Exceptional 9 to 10
- Excellent 7.5 to 8.5
- Good 6 to 7
- Satisfactory 4.5 to 5.5
- Deficient 2.5 to 4
- Unsatisfactory 0.5 to 2
- Failed 0