

Officials Committee Report to the PVS House of Delegates

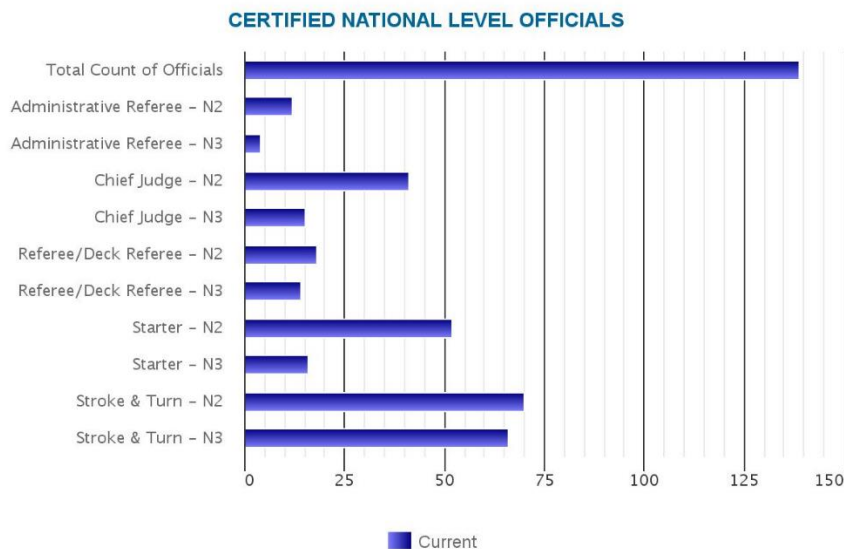
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The PVS Officials Committee is responsible for:

- Recruiting, training and certifying officials
- Supervising the officials in the LSC
- Staffing the PVS Championship and National Certification Meets

Some Officials' Statistics from the Last 12 Months:

- As of April 29, PVS has 561 certified officials. Thirty three clubs now have at least one official.
- There have been 49 officials clinics held in PVS during the 2015-2016 season. This is an increase of eight over last year. Four on-line clinics were offered this season (1 S&T and 1 Referee Recert and 1 AO Recert) and were well received. PVS instructors also lead numerous summer league S&T clinics that can be used for USA-S certification or recertification.
- There were four Officials Qualifying Meets held under the National Certification program in the last year. A total of 116 evaluations were completed.
 - 2015 LC Senior Championships (22 evaluations) – Ron Van Pool
 - 2015 Tom Dolan Invitational (34 evaluations) – Frank Ching
 - 2016 SC Senior Championships (27 evaluations) – Paul Memont
 - 2016 14&U Junior Olympic Championships (33 evaluations) – PVS evaluators
- 139 PVS officials currently hold a National Certification (N2 or N3). This is an increase of 21 over last year and an increase of 40 over the last two years.



- PVS officials were selected to work National Championship, Arena Pro and Futures meets in the last year, including assigned positions.
- PVS officials continue to be selected for leadership positions at Speedo Sectional meets.

- PVS provided its share of officials for the Eastern Zone Age Group meets.
- PVS offers an Officials Education Travel Stipend for working Zone, Sectional, Futures, Arena Pro and National meets. During the last twelve months, PVS provided 33 stipends and increase of three over the previous year.

Other Officials News:

- Five PVS officials have been selected to work the 2016 US Olympic Trials.
- PVS provided numerous officials for local NCAA, High School and Special Olympics meets
- The Officials Committee continues to use the monthly newsletter, the PVS website and an email list to communicate with all PVS officials.

Notes:

- PVS pays for the re-registration of officials that work at least ten sessions during the previous calendar year. 372 PVS officials qualified for this benefit for the 2016 registration year which is an increase of 30 over the previous year.
- PVS officials attended the USA Swimming Referee Workshop and the USA Swimming Open Water Clinic in the past year.
- PVS used an online payment system for official's registration for 2016. It is a more efficient and timely system than the previous system of mailing checks.
- PVS pays for the Background Screening for officials after they have worked a minimum number of sessions. PVS also pays for Background Screening Renewals for officials in good standing.
- The Officials Committee is continually working to improve the training and mentoring process for officials.

Thank you PVS Officials for all the time you volunteer to support the mission of Potomac Valley Swimming and USA Swimming!

Tim Husson
Officials Chair, Potomac Valley Swimming

Certified PVS Officials By Club

Club	Registered Officials	Referees	Change from April 2015
AAC	18	3	+4
ANSC	0	0	-
ASA	11	2	0
BWST	4	1	-3
CSC	8	1	+1
DCPR	18	1	+5
DRAG	0	0	-
ERSC	1	0	0
FAST	4	0	+1
FBST	6	1	-3
FISH	23	1	-5
FXFX	0	0	-
HACC	12	3	-2
JFD	5	0	+4
LCL	1	0	+1
LMAC	2	0	+2
MAC	1	0	+1
MACH	53	9	+3
MAKO	21	0	-1
MSSC	12	2	+2
NCAP	106	13	+8
OCCS	37	5	+9
PAC	11	4	+3
PGKS	1	0	+1
PGPR	0	0	-
PM	25	2	+3
RIPS	1	0	0
RMSC	95	15	+3
RY	1	0	+1
SDS	17	3	0
SNOW	13	4	-2
SSCT	0	0	-
TANK	5	0	0
TIBU	0	0	-
TOLL	5	0	+1
TRA	0	0	-
UMAC	10	0	+1

UN	12	9	0
VLAC	2	0	+2
WEA	0	0	-
YASD	0	0	-
YSS	0	0	-
YORK	20	1	+1
Total	561	80	