



Potomac Valley Swimming Update – Friday, July 3, 2020

USA Swimming launched their new [website](#) last Monday. There is still information to be moved to the new site and some of the features (e.g. Times Search and Officials Tracking System) are not fully functional. But, USA Swimming is aware of the issues and will be working on them in coming weeks.

The USA Swimming Phase 2 Grant application is now open. It is an opportunity for clubs to apply for aid in covering expenses incurred during this pandemic. The deadline is July 10. [Information](#) is available on the USA Swimming website.

[Information](#) and the [application](#) for the PVS Scholar Athlete program is now available. The application deadline is October 15.

As was announced last week, the 2020 PVS House of Delegates (HOD) will be held virtually on Sunday, July 26 at 1:00 PM. Each club has a voting delegate at the HOD, but others are welcome to attend as observers. If an athlete has an interest in being an at-large voting delegate at the HOD, have them contact their club so they can be nominated.

As swimmers get back into swimming routine, and jurisdictions allow larger numbers at a time to swim, please continue to follow the guidelines and protocols put in place by your club. This is how we will keep all our athletes and their families safe and healthy.

While you are still spending lots of time at home, don't forget the webinars and podcasts provided by [USA Swimming](#) and [other swimming organizations](#). We can always learn something new about our sport.

The PVS Board and I are ready to help and are as anxious as you to resume swimming activities. I am always available for your questions and comments.

Have a great 4th of July weekend. Stay safe! Stay healthy! And, wear your mask.

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Potomac Valley Swimming Mission Statement

PVS supports and promotes excellence for all through competition, education, innovation and leadership.