## Don Sandbach Alternate Scoring System Summary

The notes below summarize a proposed alternate scoring approach that Don Sandbach has developed software for in SAM M S should Z1S ever want to use this approach instead of the approach we will use in December. To make it clear, Don is not in a position to use this approach at this time since he wants to do more testing but he will only do that if we ever decide to try this approach. Don's alternate approach follows:

- Award points (let's say 9,7,6,5,4,3,2,1 for discussion) in each time category (A, B, C) for each of the large, medium, small teams separately in each event. So, potentially, 3*37 $=111$ points awarded to large teams, 111 points awarded to medium teams, and 111 points to small teams for each event. Thus athletes in the small clubs only compete against other small club athletes, athletes in large clubs only compete against other large club athletes, etc.
- Use USA Swimming M otivational times to define scoring categories (A, B, C (the everyone-else category)).
- Ribbons would be awarded separately for each size division (large, medium, small) in all time categories (A, B, C for example).
- This means 1st to 8th place for A times for each of the large, medium, small teams, 1st to 8th place for B times for each of the large, medium, small teams, and 1st to 8th place for C times for each of the large, medium, small team.
- This means potentially triple the number of ribbons we normally award at champs so $\mathrm{Z1S}$ would have to define a method to cut down on ribbon cost like no ribbons for 13 and over (what Z1N does), only do ribbons down to 6th place, whatever is needed to make ribbon cost acceptable.
- If no teams in a division (large, medium, small) have any A-time swimmers for an event then no A -time points are awarded in that size division for that event. (Same for any other time categories - for example, B,C or whatever else we end up using, since I think at one time we also used AA one year champs was held at the SCSC International Swim Center).
- With this approach, small clubs can potentially score as many points as big clubs, which may provide more motivation for swimmers from the small clubs.

The following example of the resulting scoring is taken from actual results from a recent meet held at the M organ Hill aquatic center.

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SERIAL # 1005
P O S T
DATE 9/05/17
TIME 14:47:59
EVENT 25
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SMALL TEAM
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| 1 | 11 | KHIEU, MYRA | MCAT | 36.49 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 2 | 11 | PRESUNKA, ANGELIN | WAVE | 39.26 |

MEDIUM TEAM

B D I V I S I O N


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    EVENT 25
EVENT }2
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| 4 | 12 | SHULEPOV, CHRISTI | BAY | 35.01 |  | NEW | B |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 5 | 12 | IRANI, TIA | GGST | 36.10 |  | NEW | B |
| 6 | 12 | GRACE, KAILEEN | BAY | 37.11 |  | NEW | B |
| 7 | 12 | MCROBERTS, ABBY | BAY | 39.18 |  |  |  |
| 8 | 11 | PAGE, KARLY | BAY | 40.49 |  |  |  |
|  | 11 | BURKE, LILLIAN | GGST | 40.80 |  |  |  |
|  | 11 | TOVAR, ISABELLA | GGST | 41.49 |  |  |  |
|  | 11 | JONES, KEIRA | SEA | 46.62 |  |  |  |
|  | 11 | O'DONNELL, CATE | BAY | 50.30 |  |  |  |
|  | 11 | CRAIG, AMY | GGST |  | NO SHOW |  |  |

BIG TEAM

A D I V I S I ON

| 1 | 12 MARTINELLI, ARIAN | SCSC | 28.77 | NEW | AAAA |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 2 | 12 QUAN, ANGELA | SCSC | 28.91 | NEW | AAAA |
| 3 | 12 BEAMS, LOLA | SCSC | 29.06 | NEW | AAAA |
| 4 | 12 YEH, ARIANA | SCSC | 29.31 |  |  |
| 5 | 12 TKACHENKO, SOFIA | SCSC | 29.49 |  |  |
| 6 | 11 NINAN, ABIGAIL | SCSC | 29.72 |  |  |
| 7 | 12 WINTER, TENAYA | QSS | 30.16 | NEW | AAA |
| 8 | 12 BALBUENA, LUNA | PEAK | 30.29 |  |  |
|  | 12 SELJESETH, COURTN | QSS | 30.35 | NEW | AAA |
|  | 12 GARDNER, RACHEL | SCSC | 30.48 | NEW | AAA |
|  | 11 SHIPLEY, KIRA | SCSC | 30.72 |  |  |
|  | 12 HAWK, KATY | SCSC | 30.89 |  |  |
|  | $12 \mathrm{LI}, \mathrm{ALLYSON}$ | QSS | 30.90 |  |  |
|  | 12 TOY, DANIELLE | QSS | 31.09 | NEW | AA |
|  | 12 LEE, KATE | PEAK | 31.19 |  |  |
|  | 11 BHATNAGAR, MEHER | SCSC | 31.20 | NEW | AA |
|  | 11 NGUYEN, GABI | vS | 31.52 | NEW | AA |
|  | 12 NAYAK, SAHANA | SCSC | 31.64 | NEW | AA |
|  | 12 PATNAIK, BHAVYA | SCSC | 32.02 |  |  |
|  | 11 WOJSIAT, DANIELLA | QSS | 33.27 |  |  |
| B D IVISION |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1 | 11 PIASAI, MADISON | QSS | 31.98 | NEW | A |
|  | 11 HO, ALISON | PEAK | 32.01 | NEW | A |
| 3 | 11 HANNIGAN, KATIE | QSS | 32.23 | NEW | A |

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SWIMCLUB AND MEET MANAGEMENT SYSTEM
SERIAL \# 1005

SANTA CLARA SWIM CLUB
TEAM POINTS ACCUMULATED THRU EVENT 0

BIG TEAMS

| PLC POINTS | ABBR | T E A M N A M E |  |
| ---: | ---: | :--- | :--- |
| 1 | 72.0 | SCSC-PC | SANTA CLARA SWIM CLUB |
| 2 | 30.0 | QSS-PC | QUICK SILVER |
| 3 | 8.0 | PEAK-PC | PEAK SWIMMING |
| 4 | 1.0 | VS-PC | VALLEY SPLASH |

S.A.M.M.S. 1005

MEDIUM TEAMS

| PLC POINTS | ABBR | T E A M N A M E |  |
| ---: | ---: | :--- | :--- |
| 1 | 33.0 | BAY-PC | SWIM SOUTH BAY |
| 2 | 16.0 | SEA-PC | SEASIDE AQUATIC CLUB |
| 3 | 14.0 | CRUZ-PC | SANTA CRUZ SWIMMING |
| 4 | 7.0 | SVS-PC | SOUTH VALLEY STINGRAYS |
| 5 | 4.0 | GGST-PC | GILROY GATORS SWIM TEAM |

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SANTA CLARA SWIM CLUB

TEAM POINTS ACCUMULATED THRU EVENT 0

SMALL TEAMS

PLC POINTS
19.0
27.0

ABBR

MCAT-PC

WAVE-PC

T E A M N A M E

MONTEREY COUNTY AQUATIC TEAM

CAMPBELL WAVES

