



OFFICIALS COMMITTEE  
Report  
September 16, 2026

**Pacific Swimming Officials Committee Mission:** To recruit, educate, train, certify, and mentor a diverse team of USA Swimming officials to provide the highest quality and consistent officiating for athletes at all levels of swimming.

1. Staff Announcements (hat): We now have blue Pacific Swimming Official Hats for sale. Officials may purchase at the upcoming LSC Officials Clinic.
2. Athlete Rep Report: Athlete Rep Amy is working with the Administrative Referee subcommittee to develop an app to be used for scratching at our LSC Championships Meets.
3. Chair Report
  - A. Hot Summer Nights (meet referee) clinic was a 3-part series administrated by the NOC. Many officials reported that the clinic was very informative for meet referees at all levels.
  - B. Clinic update: Staff, Zone Official Chairs, and Presenters will meet for a pre-clinic briefing on Sept 29<sup>th</sup>, at 7:30 pm, via Zoom.
  - C. LSC Schedule -update: 10 & U Champs date change. The Nov Senior 2 Meet will be an OQM.
  - D. Travel Subsidy Motion – Out of LSC National Meet subsidy Policy & Procedure was passed by Committee to be modified to include “Active Official”, and prior approval from the Committee Chair should be obtained.
  - E. USA Swimming Summit – The Committee Chair will be attending the LSC Officials’ Track in Denver Colorado.
  - F. How each Zone recruits, mentors, and selects Meet Referees were discussed.
  - G. CSL (College Swim League) was discussed with the first meet for Pac Swim, hosted by Stanford, October 2<sup>nd</sup>.
  - H. Recertifications: All info contained in USA Swimming Standards for Certification.

Adjournment (next meeting, Nov 5, 2026) Thursday 7:30 pm