

(6/22/23)

**NON-EMERGENCY LATE ENTRIES**

(Entries occurring any time after July 3rd, 12 noon)

We understand there are always situations where a swimmer is inadvertently omitted from being entered or one that had originally planned to not swim and suddenly wants to swim. We will accommodate any and all Non-emergency late entries under the following conditions:

1. The event the swimmer is being entered in currently does not have three swimmers from your team entered in it. No switching of one swimmer for another in any event.
2. There must be an available lane for the swimmer to swim. There will be no re-seeding and no new heats will be added.

**EMERGENCY SUBSTITUTIONS**

We understand situations will arise when a swimmer becomes ill or some other accident prevents a swimmer from competing. Emergency substitutions will be evaluated and accommodated by the VP\_Records as they arise under the following conditions.

1. Reasonable proof must be presented that the swimmer being removed has a true emergency.
2. The swimmer is then removed from the entire meet.
3. The swimmer who is replacing the one being removed must already be entered in the meet and is not already swimming three events. What this means is that we will not allow a "cascade" of substitutions to fill events vacated by swimmers. What this generally means is that if the removed swimmer is entered in three events it will more than likely take three swimmers to fill his/her events.
4. The new swimmer will swim in the same heat and lane as the removed swimmer for each event.