

## **MEMORANDUM**

Sept. 3, 2019

TO: NCAA Division II Conference Commissioners, Directors of Athletics, Senior Woman Administrators and Head Coaches of Conferences and Institutions that Sponsor Men's and Women's Swimming and Diving.

FROM: Marie Scovron

Assistant Director, Championships and Alliances.

SUBJECT: Diving Results Reporting Process and Championships Entries for the

2019-20 Season.

## Swimming coaches, please pass this information on to your diving coaches.

The NCAA Division II Men's and Women's Swimming and Diving Committee is providing this memorandum to outline for diving coaches information specific to submission of regular-season qualifying diving results and championships entries for the 2019-20 season.

The results reporting process for diving during the 2019-20 season will be as follows: Each diving coach will be required to complete and email the official qualifying diving results form along with dive sheets within 72 hours after conclusion of each diving competition to Kerstin Hunter, NCAA assistant coordinator, at <a href="mailto:khunter@ncaa.org">khunter@ncaa.org</a>. The official diving results form may be accessed on the Division II swimming and diving page of the <a href="mailto:NCAA website">NCAA website</a>. Only the first qualifying scores achieved during the season must be submitted. Additionally, coaches must verify all calculations on handwritten or hand typed dive sheets before submitting them to the NCAA. Dive sheets containing calculation errors or missing signatures will not be included in the top diving report used for championship selections. On review of the diving results form and corresponding dive sheets, Ms. Hunter will acknowledge receipt by return email.

Ms. Hunter's contact information:

Email: <a href="mailto:khunter@ncaa.org">khunter@ncaa.org</a>
Phone: 317-917-6645

To participate in the qualification meet and the national championships on one-meter and/or three-meter boards, a diver must have achieved the minimum point total along with the established minimum degrees of difficulty in the prescribed format within the qualifying period in bona fide competition, per the 2019-20 qualifying standards. The acceptable methods for qualifying are limited to the 11-dive and 6-optional-dive formats for both boards. In addition, there is a minimum degree of difficulty on the 6 optional dives for each board and each gender. This requirement applies to both 11- and 6-optional-dive formats.

Men	<u>6 Dives</u>	11 Dives	Minimum Degree of Difficulty (6 Optional Dives)
1-Meter	285 points	440 points	14.0
3-Meter	295 points	460 points	15.0

Women	<u>6 Dives</u>	11 Dives	Minimum Degree of Difficulty (6 Optional Dives)
1-Meter	255 points	390 points	13.0
3-Meter	265 points	420 points	13.3

<u>Fines/Penalties</u>. Failure to follow the meet results reporting procedures could jeopardize a team's or an individual's eligibility for championships selection. Institutions that do not adhere to the procedures outlined above for the submission of regular-season results may be assessed a financial penalty of \$400 per team/individual. The maximum penalty amount is up to the Swimming and Diving Committee's discretion, subject to approval by the NCAA Division II Championships Committee. An institution assessed such a financial penalty must make payment to the NCAA national office before the institution's team or individual(s) will be allowed to compete in the national championships.

<u>Diving Qualification Meet</u>. To advance to the national championships, a diver must participate in the qualification meet, which will be conducted Tuesday, March 10, at the SPIRE Institute Aquatics Center in Geneva, Ohio, the day before the start of the national championships.

The <u>www.divemeets.com</u> diving management system will again be used for the qualification and championships meets. Each qualifying diver must register online with divemeets.com by the entry deadline which is 11:59 pm, Eastern time, Monday, Feb. 24. More information will be posted on the <u>NCAA Division II swimming and diving web page</u> in January regarding the DiveMeets registration process.

Please contact a member of the Division II swimming and diving committee or Marie Scovron, NCAA Division II swimming and diving championships manager, if you have any questions.

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cc: Mr. Larry Herr

Ms. Kerstin Hunter

Ms. Macie McNichols

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