2025-2026 SWIM MEET YEAR REQUIREMENTS FOR PACIFIC SWIMMING AWARDED 10 & UNDER CHAMPIONSHIPS

10 & UNDER CHAMPIONSHIPS - TIMED FINALS

AGE GROUPS

6 & U, 7, 8, 9, 10

COURSE

Short course only. A minimum of 8 competition lanes. A minimum of 6 short course warm-up lanes are to be available during completion.

TIME STANDARDS

The time standards will be based upon analysis by the Age Group Committee for the number of swimmers in the age group achieving times in previous meets which will enable enough entries to properly support the host club and shall be published in September of each swim meet year.

FACILITY

A minimum of a 1 lane scoreboard is required. Touchpads are optional. A timing system with 3 push buttons per lane is required. Certified pool dimensions on file with Pacific Swimming are optional.

PERSONNEL

The computer and timing system operators must be experienced and able to work independently. An experienced Chief Timing Judge for each timing system is required. An Administrative Referee or an Administrative Official is required to serve at the meet.

AWARDS (Not provided by Pacific Swimming)

Individual awards: Distinctive awards shall be given for individual events 1st through 8th place. Relay awards: Distinctive awards shall be given for relay events 1st through 3rd place. High point Awards: Distinctive plaques for individual high point for each age (6 & Under, 7, 8, 9 10) and gender.

OTHER

The event order will be determined by the Age Group Committee with input from the host club. No meet subsidies will be available but financial assistance may be available on a case by case basis.. Hotel rooms for officials are to be allocated by the Pacific Swimming Officials Chair. Once a bid has been approved by the Pacific Swimming Board of Directors or Executive Committee, requests to change the dates, format or the requirements for a meet, or to cancel or return the meet must be presented in a timely manner to the Pacific Swimming Scheduling Chair and then be approved by the Board of Directors or Executive Committee.

A digital meet program is to be delivered at least 3 days prior to the meet to the Meet Referee, the Age Group Vice-chair, the Scheduling Chair, and the Pacific Swimming office <u>astein@pacswim.org</u>.