

SPMS Open Water Committee Report
Thursday August 16, 2018
Submitted by Robin Smith, Chair

Upcoming 2018 SPMS Open Water (OW) Series Events:

-Sunday September 23rd – 2nd Annual MVN Mission Mile (Lake Mission Viejo) – 1 and 2 mile

Recent OW Series Events:

-June 23rd – 49th Annual Seal Beach Rough Water Swim – 78 USMS swimmers across 1 mile and 5K events; Water temp 72; Cloudy skies; Choppy water conditions; Results posted

-July 14th – Newport Beach Pier to Pier 2 mile Open Water Swim – 210 swimmers; Sunny skies; High surf and swells; Water temp 72-75; Results being re-run using “Age as of Dec 31st”

-August 4th – Don Burns 1 mile Ocean Swim (Corona Del Mar) – 115 swimmers; Sunny skies; Perfect ocean conditions; Water temp 72; Course was a little “short”; Results being finalized

******Request Motion to approve reimbursement of \$749.60 for purchase of 502 USMS latex swim caps from SwimOutlet for 2018 SPMS OW Series Races.***

USMS ePostal Events:

5K/10K ePostal National Championships (50 meter pools only)

-May 15, 2018 to September 15, 2018

-Hosted by Chicago Smelts Masters Swim Team

-Individual and Relay options

-Link to registration and more information:

https://www.clubassistant.com/club/meet_information.cfm?c=1246&smid=10596

Long Distance Committee:

-Proposed changes to Rules posted

-Santa Barbara awarded 2020 Sprint OW National Championship (1 Mile)