



1) Time Trials (Level I)

a) Types of Time Trails

- i) Class 1 (Swimming Canada Rule CSW 3.5.1) - used for record attempts only.
 - (1) Must be publicly advertised 3 days in advance
 - (2) Conducted in a way that all the swimming rules apply
 - (3) Can only be used to achieve Province of Manitoba records, Canadian Records or World Records.
 - (4) Shall not be permitted if in the opinion of SNM the participating swimmers do not have a reasonable expectation of achieving the record.
 - (5) Limited to one session of up to 30 minutes.
 - (6) In the absence of extenuating circumstances a Class 1 Time Trial shall not be permitted if a SNM sanctioned meet that includes one or more of the proposed Class 1 Time Trial events is on the SNM schedule within two weeks of the Time Trial sanction request date.
 - (a) Such extenuating circumstances shall include but not be limited to;
 - (i) The aging up of a swimmer designated to swim in the Class I Time Trial prior to the next SNM scheduled meet that includes a proposed Class 1 Time Trial event,
 - (ii) The facility to be used for the Class 1 Time Trial is not the same as the facility to be used by any SNM sanctioned swim meets scheduled during the two weeks after the Class 1 Time Trial request date,
 - (iii) A circumstance deemed to be extenuating in the opinion of Swim Manitoba.
- ii) Class 2 (Swimming Canada Rule CSW 3.5.2) - used to achieve qualifying times for entry into near term future sanction meets.
 - (1) May be conducted on a less stringent basis than sanctioned meets
 - (2) Several swimmers doing different events may swim at the same time
 - (3) Genders may swim together
 - (4) 2 timekeepers per lane is sufficient
 - (5) Records will not be accepted from Class II time trials
 - (6) Limited to one session of up to 60 minutes.
 - (7) Shall not be permitted if a SNM sanctioned meet that includes the one or more of the proposed Class 2 Time Trial events is on the SNM schedule between the proposed Class 2 Time Trial sanction request date and the swim meet for which the participating swimmers are attempting to achieve qualification.
 - (8) Any exceptions to Class 2 requirements must be approved by the Swim Manitoba Executive Director



iii) In Class 1 and Class 2 Time Trials - the following SNM rules will apply:

- (1) Swimmers limited to one event per time trial.
- (2) Name of Swimmer, current time for event, and qualifying time being attempted required prior to time trial.
- (3) No more than one club can participate in any given time trial.
- (4) Timed finals format.
- (5) Full sanctioning required.
- (6) Fees – Sanction fee & Official's Development fee
- (7) In Class 1 and Class 2 Time Trials no officials' evaluation or certification provided

iv) Time trials held during SNM Sanctioned Swim Meets

- (1) At the host club's discretion, one time trial may be scheduled during a SNM sanctioned swim meet subject to the following conditions:
 - (a) Maximum time limit of 30 minutes
 - (b) Limited to events swum during the SNM sanctioned meet
 - (c) Name of Swimmer, current time for event, and qualifying time being attempted required prior to time trial
 - (d) Time trial may be scheduled to occur after any session of a SNM sanction swim meet under the following conditions;
 - (i) With the agreement of the MSOA (MSOA Advisory Referee if present or one of the Session Referees if MSOA Advisory Referee is not present,
 - (ii) The preceding session of the SNM sanction swim meet cannot exceed 4 hours.