

AGENDA
SWIMMING & DIVING RULES COMMITTEE
NATIONAL FEDERATION OF STATE HIGH SCHOOL ASSOCIATIONS

Marriott Downtown

Indianapolis, IN

April 12-14, 2003

1. Welcome, Introduction, General Information
 - A. Expense forms for committee members
 - B. Pictures for the rules book
 - C. Responsibilities of the review committee
 - D. Action of the rules committee to be approved by the board of directors
 - E. Evaluation form (which is to be returned following the meeting)
 - F. Conflict of Interest Statement - need signed copy from each member
 - G. Indemnification Statement
 - H. Voting procedures - one more than a majority
2. Philosophy-the parameters of what drives NFHS rules philosophy
- 3.
4. Review Calendar for 2003-2004
4. Discussion/Voting of Proposed Rules Changes, Editorial Changes and Existing Situations/Rulings Revisions

Assignments: Once you are assigned to a rule, you are expected to follow-up on your rule, casebook, exam question, and related transparencies. Each committee member will be expected to be familiar with any proposal in that rule. The committee member will present the changes and give an opinion on the merit of the proposal.

Rule 1 – Doug Glaeser	Rule 6 – Scott Wilson
Rule 2 – Jan Ripple	Rule 7 – Alan Beste
Rule 3 – Burt German	Rule 8 – Edward Ruth
Rule 4 – Margaret Lambert	Rule 9 – Linda Gilbert
Rule 5 – Tim Cahill	Common Wording: Cynthia Doyle
5. Comments & Points of Emphasis - Cynthia
Situations/Ruling (casebook - present & new) – Al, Ed
Exam – Jan, Margaret and Christy
Transparencies – Tim, Burt
Charts/Forms/Diving Sheets – Scott
Questionnaire - Linda, Doug
6. How long is too long- NFHS diving competitions that take hours. (9-8-3c)
7. What part of the head should resurface at the 15 meter mark?
8. The touch on the backstroke?
9. Philosophical view of the rules-What about high school swimming is unique and preserved in the rules.
10. How can we make it part of the educational process - verses - club.