

**SPMA Registrar's Report
As of January 15, 2003**

Clubs: We had a total of 54 clubs registered for 2002 (compared to 55 for 2001 and 54 for 2002). We have 44 clubs registered for 2003. I had to register 12 people as unattached because their club had not registered, even after another mailing and phone calls.

Individuals:

	Nov '01	Dec '01	Jan '02	Feb '02	Mar '02	Apr '02	Yr Tot
Renewals	76	712					
New	50	48					
Total	126	760					
YTD	126	886					
'02 YTC	317	618	1504	1799	1942	2043	2622
'01 YTD	165	468	1267	1418	1557	1686	2445
'00 YTD	576	740	1454	1719	1915	2019	2708
'99 YTD	268	911	1330	1552	1814	1907	2579

As of January 15, 2003 we have a total of 1374 swimmers registered for the 2003 registration. The variations in the November to January time frame in the registration total comparisons above are mainly due to the timing of the invoice mailings. I haven't heard any complaints about the dues increasing to \$35, although I have had two people write \$30 checks!

Newsletter: Content for the March/April newsletter is due today. I will be putting the newsletter together this long holiday weekend, and expect to have it to people to edit by the end of next week. The publication of the Jan/Feb issue went very well. I am able to produce a PDF file for the printer, according to their specifications, and email it to them by the deadline. They send me a proof (which looks exactly the same as what I sent them) and it goes to press. I receive 100 copies of the newsletter by mail directly from the printer. 20 of these went to Steve Schofield to hand out at meets, I have about 15 left and have been including them with the registration cards of new swimmers. Once I run out I will send photocopies of the remaining meet forms with new registrations. I will keep track of the number I use of each issue in case we want to adjust this next year.

Top Ten & Records: Records for the all meets except the SCM Regionals in Las Vegas have been submitted to Pieter Cath. The Top Ten is due on January 26th and I am waiting for the paperwork from the Las Vegas meet so that I can hand enter the split requests, proof for duplicates, and submit the top ten.

We have a problem with swimmers requesting the timing printouts at the meet and submitting their own world and national record requests. USMS is now publishing records on the web site as they are submitted. One swimmer sent in records for the Turkey Shoot meet, another person saw these records and noted that her records from the same meet were not on the USMS web site. Then I start getting emails complaining that the records weren't submitted, even when it is nowhere near the deadline. I would like to make a motion that meet directors accept, and forward to me, record requests from swimmers, but not give timing sheets to the swimmers directly.

Librarian: Shannon Sullivan has 6 videotapes and will be giving me reviews for them tonight. I still would like more volunteers to view the tapes, and write a short review. This is the area in which I am most delinquent at this time.

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