

VSI Safety Committee Report
28 September 2006

Chair of VSI Safety Committee attended the USA Swimming Conference Safety Education Committee meeting. Our VSI Safety Committee was asked to share the Marshal descriptions with the USA Safety Committee.

Concerns over the lack of specificity on the Safety Report of Occurrence form. David has talked with Chair of Safety Education Committee for USA Swimming. There are no plans to change the form. For now, VSI will work on explanation on back of Report of Occurrence form, on tips to fill it out, and when to fill it out.

Safety Tip for September was on safety tips for lake swimming.

Marshal role is included in the Officials Training sessions, as one of positions to be covered at meet, even though there is no certification for this position.

Members of our Safety Committee include Rosie Schiavone (Co-Chair), Angela Howsmon, Larry Wilder, Greg Ryder, Bob Hood, Leslie Ayers (Coach), Al Thompson, and Steve Woolfolk (new member!). We need another athlete representative for the Safety Committee.

Marshal vests are still available. Contact David Strider if you would like to purchase one or more vests, at dvs7e@virginia.edu; or phone at 434-973-4832.

Respectfully submitted,
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