

SPMS Open Water Committee Report
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Recent 2018 SPMS Open Water (OW) Series Event:

-Sunday September 23rd – 2nd Annual MVN Mission Mile (Lake Mission Viejo) – 1 and 2 mile One Mile Swim had 54 participants; Two Mile Swim had 46 participants. Water temperature was 80 degrees, so no wetsuits/neoprene allowed. Foggy skies, calm water conditions. Two Mile swim was “short”. Results posted.

USMS ePostal Events:

3000/6000 ePostal National Championships (25 yard -OR- 25 meter pools)

-September 15, 2018 to November 15, 2018

-Hosted by MEMO (Marsha’s Enthusiastic Masters of Oakland)

-Individual and Relay options

-Link to registration and more information:

https://www.clubassistant.com/club/meet_information.cfm?c=1287&smid=10720

USMS Fitness Event:

2018 USMS Fall Fitness Challenge – 1 mile swim

-November 15, 2018 to November 30, 2018

-Link to registration and more information:

<https://www.usms.org/events/fitness-events/fitness-series/fall-fitness-challenge>

USAS/USMS Convention:

Attended USAS Convention in Jacksonville as USMS automatic delegate. In addition to the HOD and SW Zone meetings, participated in Long Distance and Open Water committee meetings. Also attended committee meetings for Legislation and Swimming Saves Lives Foundation plus workshops on the Volunteer Task Force Survey and USMS Officials Certification.