

# 2026 CSA Officials Training

## Sign-Up Sheet

*Stroke & Turn | Starter | Deck Referee*

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### Why We Need Officials

The 2026 CSA season is almost here and we need **YOU** on deck! Our meets run smoothly because of trained, dedicated officials and we'd love to add some new faces to the crew. Whether you're a swim parent ready to get your feet wet, a returning official, or just someone wondering what goes on behind the scenes, please dive in!

**Stroke & Turn** is the backbone of every meet and truly one of the most important roles on deck. Every official starts here, and plenty make it their home because it's just that valuable. Want to keep swimming upstream? **Starter** and **Deck Referee** training is available too! Just complete Stroke & Turn first and you'll be ready to dive in!

Signing up doesn't mean you're locked on the blocks. We hope you'll officiate, but if you'd rather shadow or apprentice for a meet or two before flying solo, that works too. Jump in whenever you're ready!

Already USA Swimming certified? Welcome back to outdoor pools! You'll still need to complete CSA training before officiating a CSA meet, but think of it as a quick refresher. Bonus points if you want to help run a clinic with Shaunna!

### 2026 Training Clinic Schedule

All clinics are virtual via Zoom so you can train from the comfort of your own couch. Pick a date, jump in, and let's get you ready for the pool deck! We may even squeeze in a live in-person session if a team wants to host.

#### Tuesdays (Virtual)

##### **Stroke & Turn, Starter & Deck Referee (All Positions) | 6:00 PM**

- Tuesday, April 21
- Tuesday, April 28
- Tuesday, May 5
- Tuesday, May 12

***Stroke & Turn only? No problem!*** Those **NOT WISHING TO CONTINUE TO STARTER & DECK REFEREE** training are welcome to hop off the Zoom once S&T wraps up.

#### Saturdays

##### **Stroke & Turn ONLY | 9:00 AM**

- Saturday, May 2
- Saturday, May 9

##### **Starter & Deck Referee ONLY | 9:00 AM**

- Saturday, May 16

Use this link to sign up: [2026 Officials Training Signup](#)

**Please keep in mind:** Stroke & Turn training must be completed before attending Starter or Deck Referee training. You'll also need to have completed the appropriate training for each position you wish to volunteer before officiating a meet in that position.

### **Questions? Want to Help with the Clinics?**

Reach out to Shaunna Tobin at **(336) 944-7318** or [shaunna.tobin@outlook.com](mailto:shaunna.tobin@outlook.com). Your best bet is to text or call her directly since her inbox gets absolutely buried this time of year and she doesn't want to miss you!