

Registration Report

March 2, 2005

Athletes	5591	+ 246
Non-Athletes	916	+ 19
Clubs	44	- 3

Virginia Tech, New River and TRAC did not renew their club membership for 2005. I am working with a group in the Winchester/Strasbourgh area that is planning on joining Virginia Swimming. They had been, up to last week, a satellite of Snowbird which is a PV team. I am hoping that it won't be more then a couple of months for them to meet USA Swimming requirements for a new club. OBX from NC will officially become a Virginia team on March 9. They will compete in Region 1S.

I will be going to a Registration workshop in April, along with Dianne Limerick. New enhancements have been added to the SWIMS program and they will be demonstrated at the workshop.

Electronic filing has for the most part worked very well. The only problem I find is that some clubs do not follow up with the fees. Even sending bills doesn't seem to work and it is time consuming to have to keep notifying the clubs about fees due. I have to think this matter over and come up with a new registration policy for the 2005/2006 year.

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