



VIRGINIA SWIMMING DISABLED SWIMMER OF THE YEAR CRITERIA



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At its annual banquet, Virginia Swimming will recognize a DISABLED SWIMMER OF THE YEAR. The award will be the same as the able bodied Swimmer of the Year and based on the following criteria:

	<u>Points</u>
1) Qualify for National Championship meet	1
2) Third place at National Championship meet	2
3) Second place at National Championship meet	3
4) First place at National Championship meet	4
5) Third place at International meet	4
6) Second place at International meet	5
7) USA Swimming/ US Paralympic National Record	5
8) Qualify for U S Paralympic National Team	5
9) Qualify for U S Paralympic Elite Team	6
10) First place at International meet	6
11) IPC Swimming Pan-American Record	6
12) Third place at International Championship Meet	7
13) Qualify for U S Paralympic or World Championship Teams	7
14) Second place at International Championship Meet	8
15) First place at International Championship Meet	9
16) IPC Swimming World Record	10

Notes:

- a) National Championship meets (meets open to only U S swimmers) - USA Swimming Disability Championships, U S Paralympic Trials, U S Paralympic Championships
- b) International Meets – meets which include international teams
- c) International Championship meets – Paralympic Games, IPC World Championships

It will be the responsibility of the disabled swimmer's team to submit supporting data for this award to the Disability Clair so as to be received NLT 30 days prior to VSI's Annual Banquet. A minimum of one (1) point will be required to be considered for the award. In the event of a tie, two plaques will be given.