Swim Maldives Point System

1. Objective:

(a) The purpose of this point system is to introduce a competitive, transparent method by which clubs and swimmers earn points, in order to select Maldives' top swimming club and best swimmers, and to recognize their achievements.

2. Choosing a Club and Changing Clubs

(a) In every race organized by Swim Maldives, the athlete shall have the opportunity to choose a Club to represent. A Club will be recognized as a swim club if it is registered on the Swim Maldives website as a Swimming Club, or as a club or group that teaches swimming.

(b) Until registration for a race closes, a swimmer may change the Club under which they are registered for that competition. The points earned by that swimmer in that race will be counted both as the swimmer's individual points and as points earned for the Club they were registered under for that competition.

3. First, Second and Third Place Club

(a) In every competition, the Club that earns the most points shall be determined as the first, second, and third place Club of that competition. The prizes to be awarded to the top-placing clubs must be announced by the Race Director when the competition is announced, or at the latest 30 days before the competition begins.

(b) At the end of each year, a prize determined by the Swim Maldives Executive Committee shall be awarded to the first, second, and third place swim clubs of that year.

4. First, Second and Third Place Swimmer

(a) At the end of each year, the overall first, second, and third place swimmers of that year, as determined by this point system, shall be awarded a prize determined by the Swim Maldives Executive Committee, along with a challenge trophy presented by the President of Swim Maldives (to be kept permanently by a swimmer who wins first place for three consecutive years). The swimmer who takes first place shall be the number one open water swimmer among Swim Maldives' female and male swimmers respectively. These placings shall be determined by combining all age groups.

Points table (identical values apply to both female and male categories):

Category	Gender	Place	Points
Overall	Female	1	20
Overall	Female	2	15
Overall	Female	3	10
Overall	Male	1	20
Overall	Male	2	15
Overall	Male	3	10
Age Group U9	Female	1	10
Age Group U9	Female	2	7.5
Age Group U9	Female	3	5
Age Group U9	Male	1	10
Age Group U9	Male	2	7.5

Age Group U9	Male	3	5
Age Group U11	Female	1	10
Age Group U11	Female	2	7.5
Age Group U11	Female	3	5
Age Group U11	Male	1	10
Age Group U11	Male	2	7.5
Age Group U11	Male	3	5
Age Group U13	Female	1	10
Age Group U13	Female	2	7.5
Age Group U13	Female	3	5
Age Group U13	Male	1	10
Age Group U13	Male	2	7.5
Age Group U13	Male	3	5
Age Group U15	Female	1	10
Age Group U15	Female	2	7.5
Age Group U15	Female	3	5
Age Group U15	Male	1	10
Age Group U15	Male	2	7.5
Age Group U15	Male	3	5
Age Group 15-19	Female	1	10
Age Group 15-19	Female	2	7.5
Age Group 15-19	Female	3	5
Age Group 15-19	Male	1	10
Age Group 15-19	Male	2	7.5
Age Group 15-19	Male	3	5
Age Group 20-29	Female	1	10
Age Group 20-29	Female	2	7.5
Age Group 20-29	Female	3	5
Age Group 20-29	Male	1	10
Age Group 20-29	Male	2	7.5
Age Group 20-29	Male	3	5
Age Group 30-39	Female	1	10
Age Group 30-39	Female	2	7.5
Age Group 30-39	Female	3	5
Age Group 30-39	Male	1	10
Age Group 30-39	Male	2	7.5
Age Group 30-39	Male	3	5
Age Group 40-49	Female	1	10
Age Group 40-49	Female	2	7.5
Age Group 40-49	Female	3	5
Age Group 40-49	Male	1	10
Age Group 40-49	Male	2	7.5
Age Group 40-49	Male	3	5
Age Group 50+	Female	1	10
Age Group 50+	Female	2	7.5
Age Group 50+	Female	3	5
Age Group 50+	Male	1	10
Age Group 50+	Male	2	7.5
Age Group 50+	Male	3	5

5. Additional Ways to Earn Points

(a) Every swimmer who participates in a competition shall receive 1 (one) point, which shall be counted as a point for both the club they participated with and for the swimmer themselves.

(b) If a swimmer in a relay team places, each swimmer on the team shall individually receive points, and the club that swimmer belongs to shall also receive points. For example, if the swimmers on the 1st place team belong to three different clubs, each swimmer shall receive points equal to the points earned for that category, and the club that swimmer belongs to shall also receive an equal number of points.

(c) In addition, the Race Director has the discretion to introduce special ways of earning points for a given competition. If such a special category is created, it must be announced at least 30 days before the race begins. For example: in the [XX] race, a club that fields 50 female swimmers receive an additional 10 points.

6. Amending the Point System

(a) Changes to this point system may only be made by the Swim Maldives Executive Committee. All changes made to this point system must be published on the Swim Maldives website, showing the date the change was made.

(b) Notwithstanding paragraph (a) of this document, no change may be made to this point system within 30 days before the start of a points-awarding competition if that change would affect that competition.

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