

USA Swimming Safety Awareness Contest

Contest:

The Safety Education Committee is announcing a contest for club swimmers across the nation! Get excited about safety awareness and enter the contest for a chance to win cool prizes!

There are 3 individual categories.

- Comic strip – create a comic strip that promotes safety awareness on/around the pool deck.
It must be 3-8 frames, color or black/white and submitted on 8x11 white paper
- Poster – create a poster that promotes safety awareness on/around the pool deck.
It can be in color or black/white and submitted on 8x11 white paper
- Video – create a video (VHS only) that promotes safety awareness on/around the pool deck.
It must be 3-8 minutes long with clear sound.

* A contestant may enter once in each category *

Each category has three age groups in which entries will be judged:

- 8 & under
- 9-12 years
- 13 & over
- Team category – club teams can do the video category as a team entry

Rules:

All entries must have an entry form attached to the back of the entry (for videos attach entry form to the back of the video cover)

All entries must be received by **AUGUST 1, 2002** to the USA Swimming Office

No entries will be returned to contestants

Only one entry per category (comic, poster, video) for each individual

Teams may only enter once for the video category (no team entries in comic strip or poster category)

Prizes:

Members of the Safety Education Committee will judge the entries during the 2002 USA Swimming convention in September.

Winners will be announced at the end of September on the USA Swimming website and via mail.

Each contestant will receive a participation prize (one prize per person regardless of how many categories they entered).

Each category will have one grand prize winner for each age group as well as a Team grand prize for the video category.

USA Swimming Safety Awareness Contest Entry Form

Name: _____ USA Swim Club: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Age: _____ (please indicate if your birthday is between June 1st and August 1st)

Send entries to: USA Swimming
Cathy Durance
Member Services Coordinator
One Olympic Plaza
Colorado Springs, CO 80909-5770

Deadline: **August 1, 2002**