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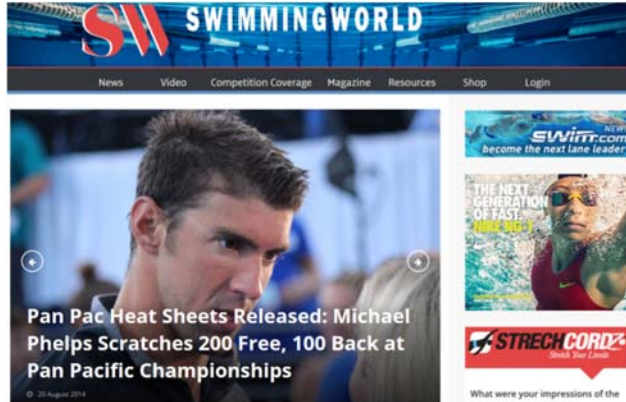
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Sports Publications International first published *Swimming World Magazine* - The Most Trusted Source for News, Training, Technique and Lifestyle - over a half a century ago. Sports Publishing International is now a multi-media business that includes print, online, TV and social media. Our staff takes pride in being the world's leading independent resource for aquatic news.

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Swimming World Demographics

Age

8—12	2.5%	35—44	30%
13—17	10%	45—59	10%
18—24	30%	60+	2.5%
25—34	15%		

Gender

52% Female
48% Male

Income

Medium HHI \$75,000
15.9% ave annual income \$100,000

Adult Education Level

88% College Degree
46% Post-Graduate Degree
18% PHD or other professional degrees

Commitment to Swimming

88% Swim 3 or more times per week
46% in the sport for 11+ years
29% in sport for less than 10 yrs

Other Sports Our Readers Participate In

48% Weight Training
42% Bicycling
36% Running
21% Skiing
20% Triathlons
14% Scuba/Skin Diving
13% Aerobics

The following information was compiled from a subscriber survey.



Circulation Overview

All advertising circulation statistics are now combined into three numbers: Views, Visitors and Social Media Reach. We will no longer separate print distribution from digital distribution, nor paid from free distribution. Our goal is to get your ad in front of as many eyes as possible.

Avg. Monthly views on all Platforms—1.6 Million
Avg. Monthly visitors on SW.com: 681,000
Avg. Monthly Social Media Reach—1.2 Million

Swimming World Magazine Print, Digital Download and Online Viewing is up to 54,000 per month

Swimming World Biweekly is 4,000 per month

Swimming World Magazine ads that receive bonus online ads are guaranteed 250,000 Views Per Month

Most Popular Pages Visited Online

Lane 9 Stories: 731,000 Mo. Views

Home Page: 293,000 Mo. Views

Time Conversion Tool: 44,500 Mo. Views

Results Landing Pages: 16,000 Mo Views

Avg. Facebook Visits Per Mo.: 350,000

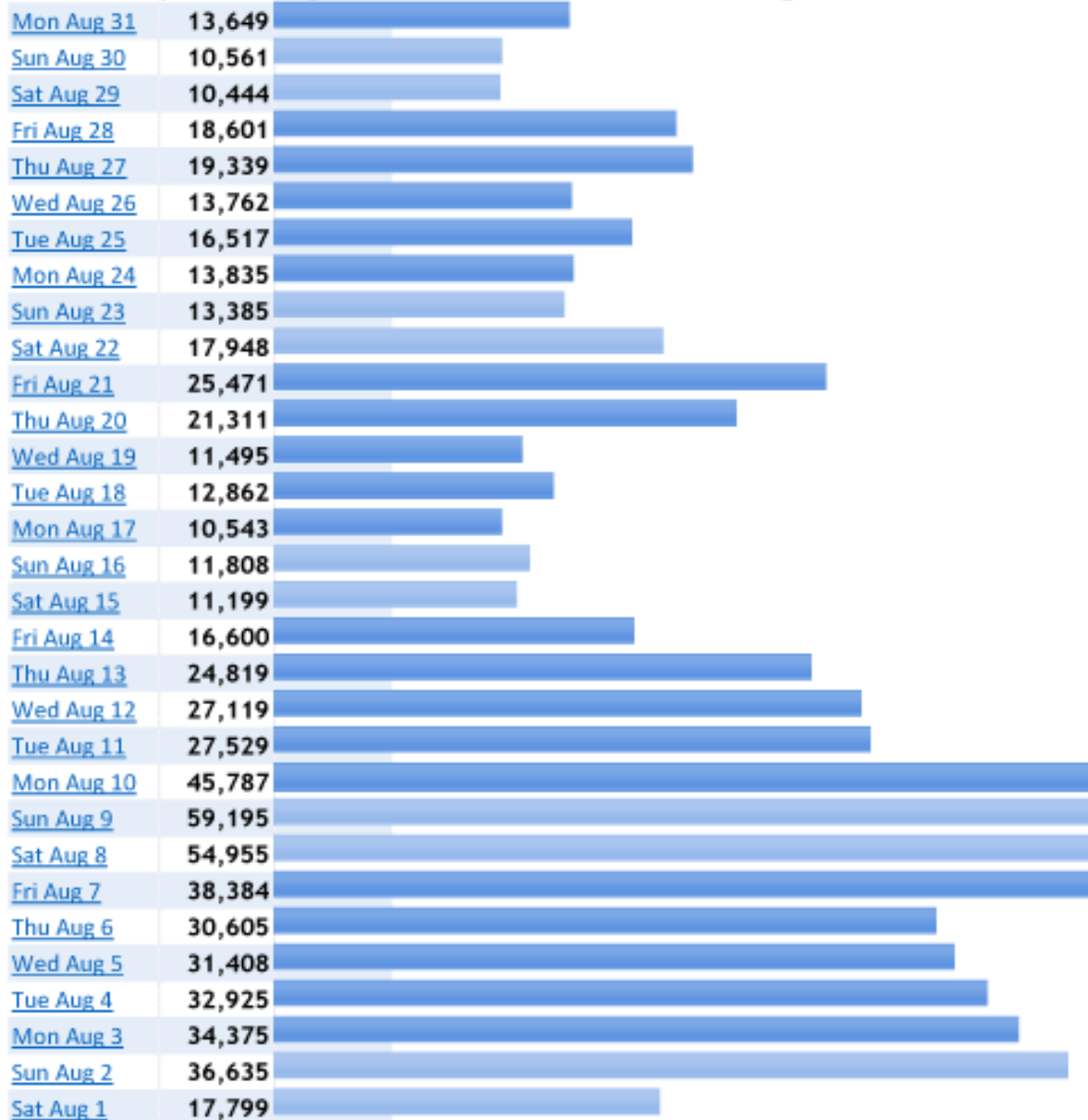
Avg. Twitter Visits Per Mo.: 90,000

Avg. Search/Other Visits Per Mo.: 241,000

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AGE GROUP SWIMMER OF THE MONTH

SwimmingWorld.com Traffic Snapshot

Daily Unique Visitors For August, 2015



August, 2015 730,865 **Unique Visitors**

Source: Clicky.com

Swimming World Print Content

Swimming World Magazine is not only written for the competitive and fitness swimmer but also coaches, parents and swimming enthusiasts. Our international coverage reaches all aquatic disciplines including open water, water polo, diving and synchro. Our regular content keeps the reader returning!

01. Voice for the Sport

Leading authorities and experts from around the world contribute personal commentaries to keep the swimming community updated on current swimming issues. The topics are sure to spark interest and debate.

02. Annual Features

Every year our readers look forward to issues that include Year in Review (January), Masters Swimmer of the Year (April), NCAA Preview & Review (March/May), High School Swimmer of the Year (July), High School Team of the Year (September) and Athletes of the Year (December). USA and YMCA Nationals appear twice a year (spring and fall).

03. Tips on Technique

"Tips on Technique" provides pictorial reference tips on specific stages in the water or exercises on land.

04. How They Train

Elite coaches from around the world share their coaching philosophy and sample workouts with our readers.

05. Up and Comers

Keep an eye on the young talent in the country who are already making a big impact.

06. Nutrition and Health

Section includes healthy diet choices and recipes from Olympian Garret Weber-Gale; Mental, physical and emotional health related issues are discussed each month.

07. Personality Features

Intriguing columns that provide insight into the life and training of elite or well-known athletes.



"Every swimmer on COPS receives Swimming World Magazine. Swimming World is a wonderful way to keep the membership educated and inspired."

Steve Mateer, Head Coach City of Plano Swimmers, Plano, Texas



Introducing Swimming World Bi Weekly

A digital magazine that aggregates Internet content and carries bonus ads for premium advertisers every two weeks. (Click To View)

The image shows the cover of a digital magazine. At the top, a black banner contains the text 'ARENA PRO SERIES CHARLOTTE RECAP' in white. Below this is a large photograph of swimmer Ella Eastin in profile, wearing a black swim cap with 'EASTIN' and 'ADJUSTICS' written on it, and blue-tinted goggles. She is wearing a black swimsuit. On the left side, there is a blue vertical band containing the 'SW' logo in white, followed by 'SWIMMING WORLD BIWEEKLY' in white text. Below that, it says 'MAY 27, 2015 | VOL. 1 | ISSUE 7'. At the bottom of the cover, the headline 'FASTEST EASTIN THE WEST' is written in large, bold, yellow letters, with the sub-headline 'ELLA EASTIN DOMINATES CALIFORNIA HIGH SCHOOL CHAMPIONSHIPS' in smaller white letters below it.

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About the Website

Swimming World offers a Total Access Subscription online giving visitors unlimited access to SwimmingWorld.com and Swimming World Mobile news, plus digital access to the current and past years of *Swimming World Magazine* issues. News content is produced 24/7 by professionals around the world.

News Channels: We offer 12 exclusive content areas for those that want to access High School, USA News, College, Masters, World, Syncro, Diving, Water Polo, Open Water, Pentathlon, Coaches Education, Wayne's Water World, Commentary or Industry News.

Results: Meet Directors upload results directly to our database. The ability to search meet results makes this a favorite for visitors.

Records: Readers can access records from every level of swimming including High School, College, Olympic and World Records.

Rankings: Current rankings, including All-Time Rankings, National & International, College, High School and Age Group Rankings

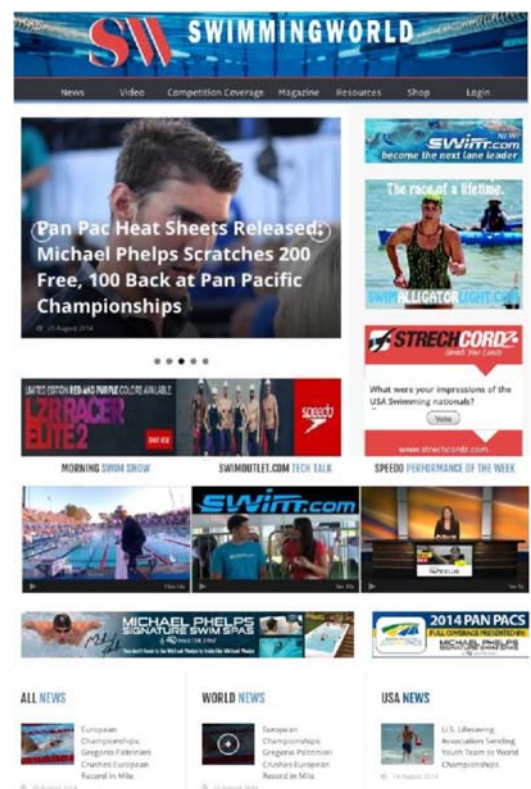
Tools Tech Tips: Our time conversion tool is one of the most popular features on the site!

Directories: This area contains information about the swimming market. We publish 4 annual directories that highlight products in the market place, prep schools, camps and holiday gifts.

TV Shows and Events: Thousands come to our site each day to watch our Morning Swim Show, The Week that Was, Speedo Performance of the Week, and our weekly poll. Our Event Race Videos have no industry equal.



SwimmingWorld.com is available on smart phones by simply going to SwimmingWorld.com through your browser. The platform is responsive design showcasing everything you see on your desktop. Please see normal advertising packages for mobile placement.



Swimming World.TV In Studio



The **Morning Swim Show** is a regular production featuring the sports most current and elite athletes and coaches. Our hosts capture the best of the best who are chosen to appear on to the Morning Swim Show.



Tune in every week to Swimming World's **The Week that Was**. This news segments highlights the top 5 headlines from the previous week on the domestic and international scene.



Launching it's debut in 2011, **Race Day** is Swimming World's latest program featuring a line-up of analysts and guests that bring you a **Warm-Up Show** and **Warm-Down Show** bookending elite events such as Nationals, NCAA's, Olympic Trials and the Olympic Games



Vote online at SwimmingWorld.com to give your opinion on the **Poll of the Week** question featuring relevant and controversial subject matter. Tune in every Friday for the results!



Delivered every Tuesday, find out who had the ultimate **Performance of the Week!** Top performances range from local to international competitions. Be inspired by the greatest!



Take a look at what's new in the aquatic world with **The Industry Insider** or **Tech Talk**. This dedicated platform features the latest products of Swimming World's advertisers as another way to show support for those who financially support the sport.

Find out how you can be a title or presenting sponsor of a SwimmingWorld.TV series. Submit your 15-30 second preroll to play before a show!

SwimmingWorld.TV is on location & you can be too!



Swimming World is on the pool deck at all the major events! We capture highlights of prelim and finals races, session recaps, athlete interviews and more on our SwimmingWorld.TV event landing pages.

Swimming World can incorporate editorial sponsors, event sponsors, coverage sponsors, digital ads on event landing pages, lower third sponsorships and much more.

All coverage content is forever archived on SwimmingWorld.TV along with the advertising signage around the event.

EVENT COVERAGE AND VIDEO STREAMING

Upcoming & Past Events (203)

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2014 Pan Pacific Championships
August 21, 2014



2014 USA Swimming Long Course Nationals
August 6, 2014



2014 Bulldog Grand Slam
July 10, 2014



2014 Arena Grand Prix - Santa Clara
June 19, 2014

Swimming World publishes a Biweekly digital magazine that includes ads that appear in the magazine's print edition. These issues aggregate online coverage including analysis, commentaries, interviews, photos and much more.



Swimming World's Event landing pages include many advertising signage opportunities. Contact us now for information on how you can sponsor future events or have signage around our coverage!

Seasonal Directories and Guides

Seasonal directories and guides have allowed advertisers of consumer goods, camps and prep schools to highlight their products, services and institutions to the swimming community. These additions are offered during key promotional times within the marketing and advertising cycle for each client. All directories and guides are available as FREE PDF downloads all year at SwimmingWorld.com. *Swimming World Magazine* has been a key player in advertisers' annual communication strategies and plans.



Swim Camp Guide *February and March Issues*

The Swim Camp Guide displays the most comprehensive listing of swim camps offered throughout the nation; swimmers, parents and coaches often use this guide to research which camps are offered throughout the country.

Holiday Gift Guide *October, November and December Issues*

The Holiday Gift Guide features great gift ideas for swimmers, coaches, parents and officials.



Prep School Guide *October Issue*

This insert highlights the top prep schools in the country that excel in both academics and athletics, ultimately influencing parents and children's decisions in choosing a high school preparatory program.

Aquatic Directory *June Issue*

Considered the "yellow pages" of the aquatic community, the aquatic directory insert includes the most up-to-date information on where to purchase swimming products.



Expanded Online Content



Each month Swimming World will provide an expanded version of the print magazine for online readers.

Expanded pages include additional photos, extended interviews, meet results, workouts and tips. Content can also include advertisements that enrich the print component and allow advertisers to further their message.

Contact us to sponsor unique opportunities!

Ask about sponsoring our digital *only* Special Editions!

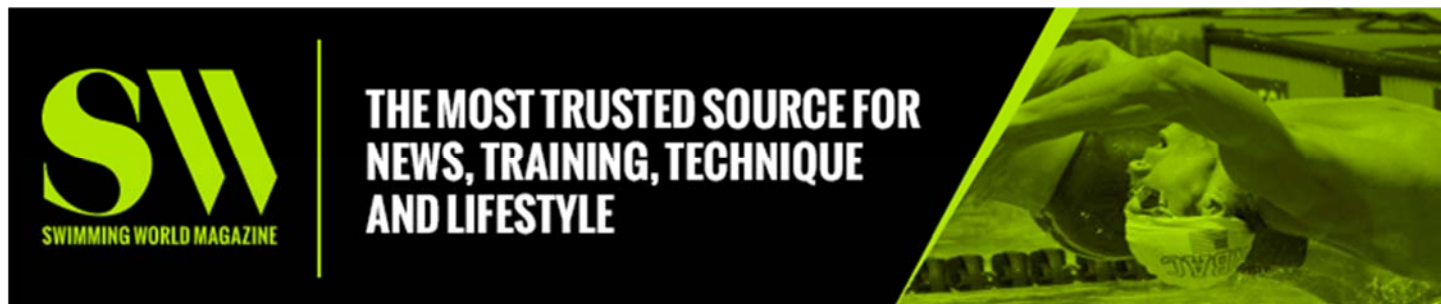
2015 High School
Special Edition Showcase

2015 USA Junior National
Special Edition



SWIMMING WORLD MAGAZINE ADVERTISING RATE CARD

12-time Print Publication; 36-time Digital Publication



MAGAZINE ADS

BONUS VALUE

12X RATE	12X PRINT	36X DIGITAL	ONLINE ADS	SPONSORSHIPS	SOCIAL MEDIA
Back Cover \$4,850	[X]	[X]	[HM PG AD]	[Available]	[Facebook Blasts, Twitter Mention]
Inside Fr Cover \$4250	[X]	[X]	[HM PG AD]	[Available]	[Facebook Blasts, Twitter Mention]
Inside Ba Cover \$4250	[X]	[X]	[STORY AD]	[Available]	[Facebook Blasts, Twitter Mention]
TOC Page \$3930	[X]	[X]	[STORY AD]	[Available]	[Facebook Blasts, Twitter Mention]
3 rd Page \$3930	[X]	[X]	[HM PG AD]	[Available]	[Facebook Blasts, Twitter Mention]

1X / 12X RATES	PRINT	DIGITAL	ONLINE ADS	SPONSORSHIPS	SOCIAL MEDIA
Full Page \$3150/\$2550	[X]	[X]	[HM PG AD]	[Available]	[Facebook Blasts, Twitter Mention]
2/3 Page \$2,775/\$2.245	[X]	[X]	[.COM AD]		[Facebook Blasts, Twitter Mention]
1/2 Island \$2,615/\$2,120	[X]	[X]	[.COM AD]		[Facebook Blasts, Twitter Mention]
1/2 Page \$2,300/\$1,675	[X]	[X]	[.COM AD]		[Facebook Blasts, Twitter Mention]
1/3 Page \$2,150/\$1,490	[X]	[X]	[.COM AD]		[Facebook Blasts, Twitter Mention]
1/4 Page \$1,720/\$1,130	[X]	[X]	[.COM AD]		[Facebook Blasts, Twitter Mention]
1/6 Page \$605/\$510	[X]	[X]	[Global Button AD]		[Facebook Blasts, Twitter Mention]
1/9 Page \$465/405	[X]	[X]	[Global Button AD]		[Facebook Blasts, Twitter Mention]
1/12 Page \$345/\$290	[X]	[X]	[Global Button AD]		[Facebook Blasts, Twitter Mention]

MAGAZINE SPREAD

Center Spread \$7,550	[X]	[X]	[HM PG & STORY AD]	[Available]	[Facebook Blasts, Twitter Mention]
2-Page Spread \$7,550	[X]	[X]	[HM PG & STORY AD]	[Available]	[Facebook Blasts, Twitter Mention]

CLASSIFIED ADS

Print & Online \$250 and story/press release (Ads remain online for 1-year or until the position is filled. Word limit for print/unlimited online)

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Rate Card For Ads on .COM

Effective June 1, 2015

All rates listed are monthly

Banner

650 x 90 Pixels

Banners Rotate Every 24 Seconds

	Premium Banner Ad	Premium Block Ad	Premium * Sky Scraper	Global Button Ad *	Minimum Mo. Visitors per Rotation Update 6/15
<i>Premium Positions Come as Added Value With Full Page Print Advertising Campaigns in Swimming World Magazine</i>	3 Slots per page *	1 Slot per page	1 Slot per page	6 Slots per page	
<i>All rates listed are monthly</i>	2 Rotating per slot	4 Rotating per slot	4 Rotating per slot	2 Rotating per slot	
All Stories	\$2,500	\$2,500	\$1,250	\$300	450,000
Home and .News Page	\$1,500	\$1,500	\$750	-	125,000
* Skyscraper and Button Ads Will Not Appear on Mobile Devices. Banner ads on mobile may decrease to 2 slots with multiple banners running in each slot.					

Block

300 x 250 pixels

Button

120 x 120 pixels

Actual Size

Vertical Skyscraper

160 x 600 pixels

Actual Size

	Standard Banner Ad	Standard Block Ad	Standard * Sky Scraper	Global Button Ad *	Minimum Mo. Visitors per Rotation Update 6/15
	3 slots per page *	1 slot per page	1 slot per page	6 slots per page	
	2 Rotating per slot	4 Rotating per slot	4 Rotating per slot	2 Rotating per slot	
Global Mini-Banner (Zone 293&116)	\$2,000	-	-	-	450,000
Competition Calendar (Coming Soon)	\$1,000	\$1,000	\$800	-	N/A
Conversion Tool Page	\$800	\$800	\$600	-	50,000
E-Newsletter (Price based per mailing)	\$300	\$300	\$300	-	30,000
Results Pages	\$200	\$200	\$200	-	12,000
Workouts Page	\$175	\$175	\$175	-	10,000
College News Channel Page	\$100	\$100	\$100	Free	3,500
World News Channel Page	\$100	\$100	\$100	Free	3,000
USA News Channel Page	\$100	\$100	\$100	Free	3,000
High School News Channel Page	\$75	\$75	\$75	Free	2,000
Masters, Water Polo, Diving, Synchro, Open Water Channels Combined	\$50	\$50	\$50	Free	1,500
Online Directory Banners					
Aquatic Directory	\$300	\$250	\$150		Seasonal
Camp Directory	\$300	\$250	\$150		Seasonal
Prep School Directory	\$300	\$250	\$150		Seasonal
Holiday Gift Guide	\$300	\$250	\$150		Seasonal

Note: Sponsorship of tools, programs, shows, lists, awards, polls, specialty pages and events are available upon request.

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2016 SPACE & MATERIAL DEADLINES

Issue	Best Space	Last Chance Space	Art Due	Issue Focus	Special Inserts
January	11/07/15	11/30/15	12/05/15		
February	12/12/15	12/30/15	1/08/16		<i>Summer Swim Camps</i>
March	1/9/16	1/28/16	2/05/16		<i>Summer Swim Camps</i>
April	2/13/16	2/26/16	3/07/16	<i>World Masters Swimmer of the Year</i>	
May	3/13/16	3/31/16	4/08/16		
June	4/10/16	4/29/16	5/06/16		<i>Aquatic Directory</i>
July	5/15/16	5/27/16	6/06/16		
August	6/12/16	6/25/16	7/08/16	<i>HS Swimmer's of the Year</i>	
September	7/10/16	8/01/16	8/08/16	<i>HS Team Titles</i>	<i>NISCA Insert</i>
October	8/14/16	8/29/16	9/09/16		<i>Prep School Guide</i> <i>Holiday Gift Guide</i>
November	9/11/16	9/30/16	10/07/16	<i>Open Water Issue</i>	<i>Holiday Gift Guide</i>
December	10/16/16	10/28/16	11/06/16	<i>Annual Awards</i>	<i>Holiday Gift Guide</i>

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Mechanical Requirements For Print and Web Ads

Effective June 1, 2015

Ad Display Size	Width	Depth	Pixels	Trim Size	Live Area
Full page	7"	9-11/16"	2100x2906	8" x 10-3/4	7" x 9-11/16
2/3 page	4-9/16"	9-11/16"	1369x2906		
1/2 page (island)	4-9/16"	7-5/16"	1396x2194		
1/2 page (vertical)	3-5/16"	9-11/16"	994x2906		
1/2 page (horizontal)	7"	4-3/4"	2100x1425		
1/3 page (vertical)	2-3/16"	9-11/16"	656x2906		
1/3 page (horizontal)	7"	3-1/8"	2100x938		
1/3 page (square)	4-9/16"	4-3/4"	1369x1425		
1/4 page (vertical)	3-5/16"	4-3/4"	994x1425		
1/4 page (horizontal)	7"	2-5/16"	2100x694		
1/4 page (square)	4-9/16"	3-3/4"	1369x1125		
1/6 page (vertical)	2-3/16"	4-3/4"	656x1425		
1/6 page (horizontal)	4-9/16"	2-1/4"	1369x675		
1/9 page	2-3/16"	3-1/4"	656x938		
1/12 page	2-3/16"	2-1/8"	656x638		

NOTE: We support all files including .jpg, .pdf, .psd, eps, .tif, Tiff, etc. Please make sure all Illustrator files are saved as eps files; All Freehand files must be exported as eps files.)

Footer: 728 x 90 Pixels for web, 7" x 1" for Print

Classified Ads: 50 Words in column inch

Electronic Specifications for Website Advertising

Banners are available on a first-come first-serve basis and the first right of refusal will be given to those clients who have current banners on the website.

Top Banner Dimensions	650 pixels wide by 90 pixels high
Skyscraper Banner Dimensions	160 pixels wide by 600 pixels high
Block Banner Ad Dimensions	300 pixels wide by 250 pixels high
Button Ad Dimensions	120 pixels wide by 120 pixels high

File Format GIF (.gif), JPG (.jpg), PNG (.png)

All Internet graphics need to be 72dpi for maximum efficiency and quality on the website. Animated .gif files must complete their animated cycle in 12 seconds. We do not accept Flash animation.

File Size The focus on building all files should be on the dimensions of the banners and buttons rather than the size of the file.

MPG Files MPG (.mpg) video files are available as infomercials on *SwimmingWorld.TV*. Files should be no more than :30 seconds in length. Pricing and availability varies.

Hyperlink Please indicate the connecting URL/http address upon sending banner

2 Ways to Send Us Art:

1. Mail It To: Sports Publications International

Attn: Maureen Rankin, 2744 E Glenrosa Ave. Phoenix, AZ 85014 Phone: 602-522-0778 Fax: 602-522-0744

2. E-mail It To: Advertising@SwimmingWorld.com or MaureenR@SwimmingWorld.com