



## **April 2017 Committee Report for Open Water Chair Sherry Brooks**

This is the list of dates for SPMS Open Water swims for 2017. I have been having ongoing contact with Event Hosts since February. These have been posted and updated on the SPMS website with hyperlinks.

### **4th Annual SoCal Cup Open Water Swim Castaic Lake (lower lake) 1-mile swim**

Sunday, May 21<sup>st</sup>, 2017 (TENTATIVE)

<http://www.h2openplus.com/socal-cup-camp--clinic.html>

### **48<sup>th</sup> Annual Seal Beach Rough Water Swims Seal Beach 1- and 3-mile swims**

Saturday, June 24<sup>th</sup>, 2017

<https://www.teamunify.com/TabGeneric.jsp?tabid=5400&team=scsbsc>

### **Newport Beach Pier to Pier**

**2-mile ocean swim, Newport Beach** Saturday, July 8, 2017 <http://www.newportoceanswims.com>

**Don Burns CDM 1-mile Ocean Swim** Saturday, August 19, 2017 <http://www.newportoceanswims.com>

### **Lake Mission Viejo 1-Mile Open Water Swim**

Sunday, September 24, 2017

LINK SOON TO BE PROVIDED

I have been working with event hosts to facilitate better and more timely results.

Newport P2P and Don Burns continue to have online registration through Club Assistant.

I am attempting to secure sponsorship again this year of open water racing products for event hosts to hand out at races.

Certified Safety Directors are required at all USMS-sanctioned Open Water events. To become a Certified Safety Director you can complete this module, taken the test, and the certification is good for three years. [http://www.usms.org/admin/lmschb/owgto\\_safety\\_director\\_training.pdf](http://www.usms.org/admin/lmschb/owgto_safety_director_training.pdf)

SPMS Open Water Series awards are being sent out as Open Water Chair receives current contact (shipping) information from award winners.