

Awards & Social Chair Report, November 2024

Cheryl Kupan

On December 1, 2024, I will solicit the membership for applications for the 2024 FL LMSC Awards. For a full list and the applications, please go to the [FL LMSC Awards page](#). A deadline of January 31, 2025 should give me enough time to order and receive the awards in time.

Since the Long Center will be undergoing renovations in January 2025, the Valentine's meet will not be held in February 2025. We usually have the awards lunch at the Valentine's meet, so I will work with another venue to see if we can have it after another spring meet, probably at the March 2025 St Pete Bob Beach SCY meet. I will update you as soon as I explore different venues.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at FLChair@usms.org
Thank you, Cheryl

Webmaster Report, November 2024

Meegan Wilson

I try to keep the website up-to-date keeping our membership informed and add items as requested.

USMS has had *In Memoriam* presentations at convention for many years. They started posting the videos on their website in 2020, probably due to COVID limitations of attending in-person annual meetings. You can only find these videos in the annual meeting section by year. Many members probably do not see these. I have added links to the videos on our website. Go to the Newsletter page for easier access.

See: <https://floridalmsc.org/newsletter/>

Senior Games Liaison Report, November 2024

Carter Elliott

Florida Senior Games

The **Florida Senior Games** are upon us. Local qualifying events were held across the state during the summer and early fall. The swimming portion of the State Games is scheduled for December 7th and 8th. The location is:

Temple Terrace Aquatic Center
Temple Terrace, FL 33617



Unfortunately, registration for the State Games has closed. But there is always next year! Good luck to all participating athletes!

National Senior Games

Good news for those athletes participating in the Florida State Games. These games are a qualifying meet for the 2025 biennial **National Senior Games!** The swimming portion of the National Games will be held July 25-28, 2025, at the Wellmark YMCA in Des Moines, IA.

To qualify for the National Games, you must finish 1st, 2nd, 3rd, or 4th in your event(s) at the State meet. After all results from the state meet are verified for accuracy, athletes that qualify for the national meet will receive a “qualification/registration” email from the National Senior Games Association (NSGA). You will then be able to register for the National meet, either online or mail-in. Registration deadline is May 15, 2025. To learn more, check out www.nsga.com.

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