

LANE LINE CHANGE: LONG COURSE TO SHORT COURSE

Purpose: Outline the policy and procedures for conducting a lane line change from long course configuration to short course configuration in the 50Meter competition pool

Scope: This policy applies to all UGA Recreational Sports employees in the area of Aquatics

Policy:

- I. As necessary, Aquatics staff members will change the pool from long course configuration to short course configuration.
- II. A total of 21 lane lines are needed to achieve the short course configuration.
- III. Use the 14 lane lines already in the 50M to help achieve short course configuration
- IV. All lane lines must be returned to the lane line storage closet. No lane lines should be stored on the pool deck.

Procedure:

- I. To change the configuration of the pool from long course to short course:
 - a. Retrieve 7 lane lines from the lane line storage closet, located near the exit to the elevator. These lane lines are on reels of 3-4 lane lines/reel.
 - b. Place long hooks, found in storage closet next to Lifeguard Office in position around pool
 - c. Loosen all long course lane lines currently in the pool.
 - d. Unhook all lane lines from bulkhead and move lane lines to desired hooks on the Lifeguard Office side of the pool
 - e. Connect lane lines to hooks on both sides of the pool. Tighten to desired level
 - f. Repeat step E with the remaining 8 lane lines
 - g. Remove long course connector lanes and place in lane line storage closet
 - h. Double check tightness of lanes
 - i. Return empty lane line reels to lane line storage closet