



**VIRGINIA
SWIMMING**

VSI ATHLETE REPRESENTATIVE

Responsibilities of the Virginia Swimming Athlete Representative.

The Virginia Swimming Athlete Representative is the voice that speaks for all of the swimmers in the LSC. The Athletes' Representative is expected to maintain open lines of communication with VSI swimmers that will allow their opinions, suggestions, and the like to be heard and discussed.

There are also specific requirements expected of the VSI Athlete Representative:

1. Must be a rising high school junior
2. The position of Athlete Representative is a two-year term.
3. There are two Athlete Representatives. One is the Junior Representative and the second is the Senior Representative. In your first year of the term you will be designated as the Junior Athlete Representative. In the second year of your term you will be designated as the Senior Athlete Representative.
4. Athlete Representatives are expected to attend all of following during their term of office:
 - a. All Virginia Swimming Senior Champs meets.
 - b. Approximately 6 Board of Directors meetings per year (usually 4 are done in person and 2 by videoconference)
 - c. 2 House of Delegates meetings per year (same weekend as Board of Directors meetings)
 - d. The annual Eastern Zone meeting (usually 2nd weekend in May).
 - e. The United States Aquatic Sports Convention (1 week in September).
5. The Athlete Representatives are expected to plan, organize, and run the yearly election for VSI Jr. Athlete Representative that occurs at the VSI Spring Senior Champs meet.
6. Organize the Athlete Representatives from each team.

APPLICATION DEADLINE: TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 27, 2018

Virginia Swimming Athlete Representative Bio Form

Please fill out and email to: businessoffice@virginiawimming.org

This form can be completed online if you first save it to your computer then fill it out and save it again. If using a Mac, please select 'Print' and then 'Save as pdf'.

Name: _____ Nickname: _____

USA Swimming Club: _____

Address: _____ City: _____ Zip: _____

Where you were born: _____

Date of Birth: _____ Age: _____

High School and Year of Graduation: _____

Phone Number: _____ E-Mail: _____

Awards and Honors

Please list honors you have received through Academics and/or Swimming (Scholastic All-America, etc.)

Candidate Statement

Tell us about yourself! Why would you be the best Athlete Representative ever? What makes YOU different??

Authorization:

The VSI Athlete Representative position is a 2-year commitment. Athlete Representatives are expected to attend:

- all Senior Champs meets as well as Board of Directors (approx. 6 per year) and House of Delegates (2 per year) meetings during their term
- annual Awards Celebration (usually held in late April)
- the annual Eastern Zone meeting (usually 2nd weekend in May) and USAS Convention (1 week in September). I understand this and commit to making every reasonable effort to attend and participate:

Athlete Signature: _____

I/We give permission to my/our son/daughter to be a candidate for election to the position of Virginia Swimming Athlete Representative. I/We understand the commitment expected and agree to assist my/our son/daughter in fulfilling the responsibilities should he/she be elected.

Parent Printed Name(s): _____

Parent Signature(s): _____