

**2021 Winter Nationals Last Chance Qualifier  
Video Submission Event  
November 1 – November 20, 2021**

**Team and Squad selections**

- Qualifying to the 2021 Winter Nationals

**Contested Events**

- 1-meter, 3-meter, 10-meter  
\*Neutral judges will be used.

**Entry deadline:** Registration will be done through Divemeets.com. Divers interested in submitting a video must pay a \$65 entry fee prior to uploading the video.

**Submission of Videos:** Please see below for directions on how to submit video. Any video submitted after the submission deadline will not be evaluated.

**Eligibility to Participate:**

**Individual Events**

Divers must:

- a. Be a member in good standing of USA Diving (US Citizen)
- b. Be a member in good standing with home country (Non-US Citizen)
- c. Officially enter on Divemeets.com and pay the entry fee.

**NOTE:** The minimum degree of difficulty to compete at the 2021 Winter Nationals is not required at the time of obtaining the qualifying score but must be met at the Nationals. For more information on Winter Nationals visit <https://www.teamusa.org/USA-diving/Events/2021/December/13/Winter-Nationals>.

# Virtual Video Submission Instructions

**If you have not already qualified for the 2021 Winter National Championships, please carefully follow all the instructions below.**

- During the 20-day window of November 1 – November 20, you are to record one full list of dives to be submitted to USA Diving to be reviewed by FINA judges. You may submit your video at any time before the deadline. Only one submission per diver, per event will be accepted.
- Dives are to be recorded using a free timestamp app and then uploaded to Dropbox according to the instructions below.
- Divers must register for the video submission event on [divemeets.com](http://divemeets.com) and pay the entry fee. An all-inclusive fee of \$65 for this event will be collected regardless of how many events you enter.
- Videos will not be viewed and judged until the diver is officially entered in the meet.

## Timestamp Camera Basic App

- Everyone must use Timestamp Camera Basic App ([Free Timestamp Link](#)), or a similar app to capture video with date, time and location automatically tagged to video.
  - Download the app and allow access to camera, camera roll, microphone, and location.
  - Shoot the video through the app without changing any settings.
  - Video will be automatically placed in your camera roll to be uploaded to Dropbox.
  - You must allow access to the microphone as sound is a requirement for submission.

## Video Instructions:

- Video must be uninterrupted with the camera pointed at the pool for the entire list, including in-between dives. If you have questions or would like a sample video please email Dan Laak at [dan.laak@usadiving.org](mailto:dan.laak@usadiving.org).
  - During a practice session, the video must be a continuous list and may not exceed 1 hour.
    - No lead ups or entries can be done between dives.
    - No calls from coach, or anyone else.
    - Each dive must be announced. (i.e. Joe Smith, 101B, 10-meter)
    - Multiple divers may be videoed during a session.
    - Videos must have sound.
  - If filming a competition, the video does not need to be continuous. However, each dive needs to be timestamped, on the same day and location. It must also be obvious that it is in a contest and must be submitted as one video.
  - All videos should be taken between the end of the board and 3 feet in front.
    - Events need to be recorded from the near side of the pool (if possible).
  - Upload videos to the appropriate folder using the [links provide below](#).
    - You must enter name, event (ex. “yourname” – “event”), and email address.
    - If multiple divers are on the same video, the same video must be uploaded into the appropriate folder for each diver.
    - A confirmation email will be sent after submission.
    - Note: one minute of video takes approximately one minute to upload.
- After uploading video to Dropbox each diver must email [dan.laak@usadiving.org](mailto:dan.laak@usadiving.org) with the time for each dive within the video (see example below).

**Example:**  
Dive 1 - 107b - 0:10  
Dive 2 - 205b - 6:20  
Dive 3 - 305b - 14:24  
Dive 4 - 405b - 22:18  
Dive 5 - 5152b- 31:52  
Dive 6 - 5337d- 37:35

## Judging

### Individual Events:

<u>Women</u>	<u>Men</u>
1m Springboard	1m Springboard
3m Springboard	3m Springboard
10m Platform	10m Platform

- Five FINA certified judges plus a referee will be used to judge the individual events. Reserve judges will sit with the panel. The reserve judges scores will only count when needed.

### Procedure

- A zoom, or other virtual call set up by the referee will be used to judge each event. The referee will share his/her screen so that all judges can watch each dive simultaneously. This will be the first time the judges will have seen the videos.
- After each dive, each judge will flash their scores to the referee at the same time. A recorder will write down the scores and enter them into Divemeets.

### Results:

- Once the judges have scored a list of dives the diver will be notified of the scores via email.
- Official results will be posted on Divemeets once the window for submissions has closed and all the videos have been judged.

### Reminders:

- Please ensure that your submission video is CLEAR and COMPLETE. Make sure that EVERY dive in your list is visible. If the judges cannot see a dive or it cuts out in the middle, they cannot score it.
- The sooner the video is submitted the sooner the athlete will know if they are qualified and can make travel plans.

### Dropbox links

#### Men's 1-meter

<https://www.dropbox.com/request/tRX6nrJaDW2EKFsITFdy>

#### Men's 3-meter

<https://www.dropbox.com/request/OJ7zEBiEhXJlQApdT61j>

#### Men's Platform

<https://www.dropbox.com/request/nXoRXEG8zdmAapdFUy2>

#### Women's 1-meter

<https://www.dropbox.com/request/TTOaCKmydLgwJP8nLzMF>

#### Women's 3-meter

<https://www.dropbox.com/request/x4HyPukKaueQLFVCTMVG>

#### Women's Platform

<https://www.dropbox.com/request/owBmi7khZRMXrLLaDWcF>