WELCOME TEAMS

- Double check - do you have everything you need?
- ROV tether cable is untangled and ready to go!
- Questions? Ask us BEFORE getting to the lane to save your time.

> ⚠️ **Forget something?** Check in with pool check-in staff before exiting - bring your pool pass!

At Your Competition Lane

Which course first?	**You choose the order!** Even if that is one obstacle run, then mission course, then second obstacle run. (Dependent on remaining time.)
TIME QUESTIONS	
How much time do we get?	**A total of 20 minutes.** This includes setup and moving to the next course. Manage your time wisely! You must stop your run if the run time or lane time **expires**.
How much time for each course?	• **Obstacle Course:** Maximum of **4 minutes** for each run. (2 runs allowed) • **Mission Course:** Maximum of **8 minutes**. (1 run allowed)
How many runs do we get?	• **Obstacle Course:** Maximum of **2 runs**. • **Mission Course:** Maximum of **1 run**.
What do we do if our ROV malfunctions?	**Your team can work on the ROV during your run - but the timers do not stop!** *Before 1-minute mark AND none of the course is complete:* Team must notify the judge. The judge will: 1) pause the lane 20-minute timer and 2) call for the technical director. If approved, the team will be able to vacate their lane and reschedule a lane slot. *After 1-minute mark OR the ROV has completed a hoop or task:* Teams are not eligible to reschedule a course re-run.
MISSION COURSE QUESTIONS	
Do tasks have to be in a certain order?	Tasks may be completed in any order. • **Hatch Door Points:** To earn points for **opening hatch door**, the door must be opened before placing or retrieving objects in the sample collection baskets.
How do we earn bonus points?	Bonus points are based on time **and** completion of all tasks. Bonus points are calculated by scorekeeper, not pool judge. • **Example of Task Completion – Task 5 Marine Monitoring:** Both sensors must be placed in a sensing location.
Does ROV have to go through hatch door?	**No**, the ROV can go around or over the door opening (the frame).
Can we retrieve objects if they fall below the task frame?	**No**, if an object falls below the task frame it is out of play and cannot be retrieved.

What Do These Words Mean?

- **Competition Lane** - obstacle course and mission course set.
- **Run** - a course attempt when you are operating your ROV on a course.
- **Competing Team Members (2 max.)** - students operating ROV at competition lane *Typically driver + tether handler.*
- **Non-Competing Team Members** - students not operating ROV at competition lane, required to stand behind in non-competition lane.
- **Lane Timer** - 20-minute count down timer for the maximum allowed time in competition lane.
- **Run Timer** - timer that times the actual run. Judges record this time on the scoresheet.
- **Diver Assist** - when a diver helps a team when their ROV is stuck or inoperable.

good luck!