

## UNITED STATES MASTERS SWIMMING

### Snooper Video Camera Rental Program Information

**The** USMS Snooper video camera is a color underwater camera on a pole (reverse periscope), which can be plugged into any video camera, TV, or VCR, which has "Video Input" capability. Several teams have already had amazing results using this equipment. Purchased new from D-Zign (Marty Hull), the camera retails for about \$ 900. This may be too expensive for many teams to afford. Therefore, the USMS Coaches Committee purchased two color units to rent to USMS registered teams or LMSCs.

The Coaches Committee's goal with this project is for more teams to benefit from underwater video analysis. This is a **BREAKTHROUGH** way to make improvements in stroke technique. Both swimmers and coaches will be motivated by what they see during underwater videotaping. We recommend holding several Video Analysis Clinics for your swimmers over the 20-- 25-day rental. By charging a reasonable fee, you may be able to buy YOUR OWN Snooper.

To request a camera, fill out the application. Attach a rental check for \$75 and a security deposit check for \$250 (both payable to USMS) and return everything to Mitch Mitchell. Requests will be filled on a first come, first served basis. Priority is given to teams using the camera at a Masters Swimming Clinic. The security deposit check is cashed and then refunded when the Snooper has been returned in a safe & timely manner.

The camera is made by D'Zign (owned by Marty Hull - inventor of Zoomers). Written instructions are included with the equipment. The SNOOPER DOES NOT include a video camera, VCR, or TV. You must provide those pieces of equipment.

For further information or comments on the Snooper Rental Program contact:

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## USMS Snooper Video Camera Rental Request Form

Submitted By: Name/Organization: \_\_\_\_\_

Zone: \_\_\_\_\_ LMSC: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone (H): \_\_\_\_\_ Phone (W): \_\_\_\_\_

Fax: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

### Shipping address if different from above:

Contact Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone (H): \_\_\_\_\_ Phone (W): \_\_\_\_\_

Fax: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Preferred Month:(1st choice) \_\_\_\_\_ (2nd choice) \_\_\_\_\_ (3rd Choice) \_\_\_\_\_

How will you be using the Snooper? (Check all that apply)

\_\_\_\_ At workouts with our team \_\_\_\_ At Special Video Taping

Video Taping Sessions: \_\_\_\_ At swim meets \_\_\_\_ For a Clinic \_\_\_\_ To raise money to  
purchase our own Snooper \_\_\_\_ Other? \_\_\_\_\_

SNOOPER Priority is given to teams who are hosting clinics. If you are hosting a clinic that will include using the Snooper, please include description and details. Include a sign-up/info sheet if possible.

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I/we agree to take responsibility for the use of the Snooper video camera equipment. I/we have included a deposit check for \$250. This check will be cashed and a new check issued once I return the camera, & a rental in proper working condition. The check for \$75 is to cover shipping, maintenance, etc. (non-refundable).

I/we agree to mail it back to Mitch Mitchell, INSURED for \$650, at the designated date or incur the \$25 late fee penalty per week.

Coach's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Club President or LMSC Chairman: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Make Checks payable to: **United States Masters Swimming (USMS)**. Mail to R.A. "Mitch" Mitchell, 1246 E Monroe St, Phoenix AZ 85034. Application due date is on a 1st come 1st serve basis. You will be contacted within 2 weeks of application.

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