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- At the 2013 Aquathlon National Championship, the top ten in each age group, rolling down to 14th place, will qualify for the 2013 World Championships in **London, England on September 11, 2013.**

- Athletes may also submit their 5k run and 1000m swim times to the Aquathlon Committee for consideration. Please email TeamUSA@usatriathlon.org with your submission times. Deadline to submit is May 1, 2013.

- Athletes must pay a $50 non-refundable deposit to hold their 2013 Worlds slot by the date given by USA Triathlon.

- Age group winners will have two weeks to pay the $50 non-refundable deposit and hold their slot on Team USA once USAT has contacted them via email. If the age group winner declines a Worlds slot, the roll down process will begin. The roll down athlete will be given a one week deadline from the deadline date of the age group winner.

- Once ITU announces the entry fee for the World Championship in London all athletes who registered and paid the $50 non-refundable deposit will then need to pay the ITU entry fee by the deadline given by USA Triathlon.

Process for accepting your slot on Team USA

- USAT will email the qualified athletes within a week of Aquathlon National Championship instructing automatic qualifiers on how to pay the $50 non-refundable deposit to hold their Team USA slot.
  ** Athletes **must** go to the designated registration link provided in the email by the specified deadline to officially hold his/her slot on Team USA.

- Roll down athletes will also be e-mailed and informed of their position on the roll down list.

- Any athlete who neglects to follow these instructions and does not meet the deadlines may face the consequences of losing his/her slot on Team USA.

- If a qualified athlete does not receive an email (possibly due to spam protection or other technical difficulties), be sure to email Team USA at teamusa@usatriathlon.org or call 719.955.2817.

- When an athlete has registered, paid the $50 non-refundable deposit, and received confirmation, he/she has officially **held** his/her slot on Team USA.

- When ITU announces the exact entry fee for the World Championships, USAT will then email the athletes who officially **held** his/her slot and inform them of how to officially **accept** his/her Team USA slot by paying the ITU entry fee.

- Once an athlete pays the ITU entry fee he/she will officially be a member of Team USA.