



## Transitions

Purpose: Provide emergency communications, report the position of key race contestants, and provide logistical support

Time to be In Position: 7:30am Saturday and 8:30am Sunday

Primary voice frequencies: 146.730 - pl:127.3 and 444.550 + pl:141.3

### Your Task:

To document and report to Control the following information (including participant numbers):

- First male/female in the water for each race type
- First male/female out of the water for each race type
- Numbers of first five competitors out of the water (e.g. Long Course Male, Senior Male, etc.)
- Last male/female out of the water

Your job is done when the last swimmer has gone through Transitions and is on their bike. You might be provided transportation to and from the Start-Finish area by a Rover unit; if not, it's a very short walk.

### Things to Remember:

- When you talk on the radio, please use your tactical callsign (Transitions). You will still need to identify with your proper callsign at the appropriate intervals.
- If you call for Control and do not get an immediate reply wait one minute and try again. Dispatch is very busy during the whole event.
- If you see a contestant drop out of the race, note the contestant number and relay that information to CIC.
- If you have emergency traffic, call for Control followed by your tactical call and the words "emergency traffic." For example, "Control, this is Transitions, Emergency traffic." Control will announce emergency traffic on channel and direct all units to hold traffic until the emergency is cleared.

### Things to bring with you:

- Your complete information packet
- Map of Transitions, Start-Finish, and Festival areas
- VHF handheld with extra batteries
- Speaker mike or headset
- Drinking water for yourself and extra drinking water
- Pad of paper and pen or pencil
- First Aid kit (including latex gloves)
- Lunch, snacks, sunscreen, and a hat