## Helpful Hints for System 5:

~Back-up batteries are D-Cells. Please replace them yearly with new ones.

~Before power up, confirm you are using a System 5 specific power supply (12V). Other timing equipment uses different voltages. Although different power supply power plugs are interchangeable with your 5 power receptacle, the incorrect input voltage will cause unsatisfactory results along with possible circuit damage.

~During system boot if you are experiencing a blank screen, adjust the round contrast knob on the control panel located on the upper back of the system 5.

~Please remove System 5 from pool area between meets (if possible). Use red connector covers to help prevent corrosion. Remove D-Cells during off-season storage.

~Tips for stubborn cable harness contact resistance:

Sometimes you may encounter difficulty making solid connections on various cable attachment positions for your timing system or scoreboard. This is a condition caused from pool chemical corrosion. This oxidation may be quickly removed using a handy product called "Rid-Ox" made by the company TechSpray and their Part # is (2112-6S).

Rid-Ox is a spray on contact cleaner & protector. You may also use a small parts/paint brush or toothbrush to help scrub off corroded deposits. Be sure to apply the Rid-Ox to both the harness and the System 5 connectors. The easiest way is to spray drench the brush and then apply. Rid-Ox may be purchased through a Google search supplier, or on-line at: <u>http://www.mcmelectronics.com/product/TECHSPRAY-2112-6S-/20-3295</u> Can also be purchased from Colorado Time Systems ~ Part # (R-530-016) for \$17.00

\*\*Reminder: Meet Manager connections hook up only to COM 1 on the System 5 with a standard serial cable. Don't forget to check the COM port number on your PC to enter in the Interface menu of Meet Manager.

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