2018 THT ARCTIC BLAST

FEBRUARY 16-18, 2018

**Host**

Terre Haute Torpedoes

[terrehautetorpedoes.com](http://www.terrehautetorpedoes.com)

**Location**

Vigo Schools Aquatic Center – Voorhees Park

2230 Prairieton Road

Terre Haute, IN 47802

**Sanction**

This meet is sanctioned by USA Swimming and Indiana Swimming. Sanction # **IN18207**

**Meet Director**

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**Meet Referee**

Jerrilynn Bayless

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**Rules**

All swimmers must be registered with USA swimming to be accepted into this meet. Age as of the first day of the meet: February 16, 2018 will determine age for the entire meet. Indiana Swimming does not process on-site registrations. Current USA Swimming and Indiana Swimming rules will govern this meet. The no recall procedure will be observed for all events in this meet. Fly over starts may be used at the discretion of the referee. Coaches and Officials MUST display their current USA Swimming coach credential or Deck Pass to gain deck access. The Meet Referee and/or Meet Director reserves the right to ask for coach credential or Deck Pass and/or deny deck access if coach does not comply or card is no longer valid/current. USA Swimming rule 202.5.3 states that at a sanctioned competitive event, USA Swimming athlete members must be under the supervision of a USA Swimming member coach during warm-up, competition, and warm-down. The Meet Director or Meet Referee may assist in making arrangements for such supervision, but it is the swimmer’s responsibility to make such arrangements prior to the start of the meet. Any swimmer entered in the meet, must be certified by a USA Swimming-member coach as being proficient in performing a racing start or must start each race from within the water. When unaccompanied by a member-coach, it is the responsibility of the swimmer or the swimmer’s legal guardian to ensure compliance with this requirement. In swimming competitions, the competitor must wear only one swimsuit in one or two pieces except as provided in 205.10.1. All swimsuits shall be made from textile materials. For men, the swimsuit shall not extend above the navel nor below the knees, and for women, shall not cover the neck, extend past the shoulder, nor extend below the knee.

**\*Use of audio or visual recording devices, including a cell phone is not permitted in changing areas, rest rooms or locker rooms.**

\*Deck changes are prohibited.

\***202.4.9 J**: Operation of a drone, or any other flying apparatus, is prohibited over the venue (pools, athlete/coach areas, spectator areas and open-ceiling locker rooms) any time athletes, coaches, officials and/or spectators are present.  Exceptions may be granted with prior written approval by the Program Operations Vice Chair.​

**Format**

All Friday events, all 10 & Under events, the 1650 Freestyle, and all relays will be timed finals events. All other events will be prelim/final events. Saturday and Sunday Finals will be run in 8 lanes. All other sessions will utilize all 10 lanes. The top 16 finishers in each Preliminary event will qualify for Finals.

The 1650 Freestyle is to be conducted on a timed final basis with only the fastest seeded heat, top 8 submitted times, to swim in finals. All other heats are to be held in the preliminaries, swimming fastest to slowest. The event will be swum as an OPEN timed final event and will be awarded by age group (6 & Under, 7-8, 9-10, 11-12, 13-14, and 15 & Over).

All individual 10 & Under events will be awarded by age group (6 & Under, 7-8, 9-10).

Open events will be scored as 15 & Over for the High Point Awards.

All relays will be conducted on a timed final basis and will be held in the preliminaries.

**THT reserves the right to limit any event in order to adhere to the 4 hour rule to maintain a reasonable timeline. Refunds will be given for those events that are limited.**

**Fly-over starts** may be used in the preliminary sessions at the discretion of the Referee.

**Distance event swimmers** must provide their own timers for prelims and lap counter for prelims and finals.

**Courtesy rest** (12-15 minutes) shall be given for swimmers in consecutive events. It is the responsibility of the coach or swimmer to notify the meet referee of a swimmer’s situation PRIOR TO the swimmer’s first event regarding the courtesy.

**Scoring**

The top 16 finishers in each event will score.

Individual Events: 20, 17, 16, 15, 14, 13, 12, 11, 9, 7, 6, 5, 4, 3, 2, 1.
Relay Events: 40, 34, 32, 30, 28, 26, 24, 22, 18, 14, 12, 10, 8, 6, 4, 2.

**Pool**

10 lane, 50-meter long pool divided by 2 bulkheads for 1 competition pool and 1 warm-up / warm-down pool. Colorado Timing Systems electronic timing and LED matrix display board with video capabilities.

The competition course has not been certified in accordance with 104.2.2C(4). The water depth measured for a distance of 3 feet 3 ½ inches (1.0 meter) to 16 feet 5 inches (5.0 meters) from the turn end is 6 ft and at the start end is 6 ft. Reference Rule 102.2.3. A separate pool is available for warming up and warming down.

**Entries**

Swimmers are limited to three (3) events per day plus relays. Entries may be submitted via e-mail to entries@terrehautetorpedoes.com. If e-mail is not an option, please notify the Meet Director to make alternate arrangements. Deck entries may be accepted if the meet is not full.

**Entry Deadline**

Entries may be submitted **beginning January 15, 2018 and no later than February 2, 2018.** The entry deadline will be extended if the meet is not full.

**Entry Fees**

Entry fees will be $4.00 per timed final event, $5.00 per prelim/final event, and $6.00 per relay, plus a $2.00 per swimmer Indiana Swimming Surcharge. Deck entries will be double the applicable event fee. Please make checks payable to THT. All entry fees must be received by the first day of the meet.

**Positive Check-In**

In all individual events other than the 1650, the swimmer is assumed to be swimming unless he/she has been scratched. Entrants in the 1650 Freestyle must check-in and confirm their intention to compete before the appropriate scratch deadline in order to be seeded.

\*\***Before the scratch deadline for the 1650 Freestyle, entrants may designate a preference to swim the event during prelims by marking an “AM” next to their name\*\***

**Coach Scratch Box Responsibility**

**All** scratches for individual events must be made at the Head Table by:

* **Friday Timed Finals**
	+ 4:15 PM EST Friday
* **Saturday Prelims and 10 & Under Events**
	+ By the end of competition on Friday
* **Sunday Prelims and 10 & Under Events**
	+ By the end of competition on Saturday

**Scratching from Finals**

Athletes who do not intend to swim an event in the Finals should scratch themselves from that event after official results for that event have been announced. Even if the athlete has not qualified for Finals, they are still strongly encouraged to scratch from the event if they do not intend to compete in that event at Finals. When official results are announced for each event, athletes and/or coaches will have 30 minutes to scratch from that event for Finals.

**Clerk of Course**

There will be a Clerk of Course for 10 & Under events only. All other swimmers report to the blocks for their events. Seeded heat sheets will be posted throughout the pool prior to the start of each session.

**Awards**

Individual events will receive medals for 1st – 3rd place and ribbons 4th – 8th place. Relays will receive ribbons for 1st – 3rd places. High Point awards will be given to the top 2 swimmers in each age group (6 & Under, 7-8, 9-10, 11-12, 13-14, 15 & Over). Team Trophies will be awarded to the top 2 Teams excluding THT.

**Officials**

Anyone who would like to help officiate should contact the Meet Referee prior to the meet with the sessions you would be willing to work. You may also contact the meet referee at the meet upon your arrival. Officials meetings will be held one half hour prior to the start of each session.

**Facility Notes**

Free parking is available on the West side of the building. Please park in marked spots only and not in fire lanes or on the grass.

All individuals should use the Northwest entrance to gain access to the aquatic center. All other entrances will remain locked. **The outside doors to the Vigo Schools Aquatic Center will open at 6:00 AM EST for swimmer drop-offs. Doors to the spectators seating area will open at 6:30 AM EST.**

Due to USA Swimming insurance requirements, only swimmers, credentialed coaches and officials, and meet workers will be allowed on deck. **There are no exceptions.** Deck access is located to the left of the concessions stand. Access to spectator seating is located to the left of the lobby restrooms.

All swimmers, coaches, officials and spectators are asked to treat the facility like it was their own.

1. Smoking is **NOT PERMITTED** on school property.
2. Do not go or let your children go into unauthorized areas.
3. Please discard all waste into the appropriate trash and/or recycle bins.
4. Please keep track of your belongings. THT and VCSC are not responsible for any lost items.

**Any persons caught abusing the facility or attempting to gain access to unauthorized areas will be asked to leave the meet.**

**Refreshments**

Concessions will be available throughout the meet.

Hospitality will be provided for Coaches and Officials.

**Spectator Charges**

**Admission (Includes heat sheets and Meet Mobile access\*)**

* All Sessions – $20
* Saturday & Sunday – $15
* Individual Sessions – $5
* Children 12 & Under – Free

\*Requires Meet Mobile subscription for full access to meet data.

**Coaches, Officials, and workers who are not working a particular session must pay admission for access to spectate for that session.**

**Broadcast / Image Authorization Policy**

Any photographs, videotape, or other audio and/or visual recordings of the event created by a spectator may be used solely for such spectator’s personal non-commercial use, and may not be broadcast, published, or disseminated, or used for any commercial purposes, without the prior written consent of Terre Haute Torpedoes (THT).

All participants agree to be filmed and photographed by the official photographer(s) and network(s) of THT, and allow event organizers the right to use names, pictures, likenesses, and biographical information before, during, or after the period of participation in this competition sanctioned by Indiana Swimming to promote such competition.

Videotaping and Photography on deck during this event is only allowed by approved USA Swimming member Coaches, Media, Webcasting staff, and THT photographer(s) in their professional capacities or meet workers assigned by THT if so designated to do so.

**Meet Schedule**

*Terre Haute, IN observes Eastern Standard Time. All times listed in this document are local time.
Warm-up/Start times may be adjusted based on entries for the meet. THT will inform all teams entered if changes are made.*

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|   | **Preliminaries** | **Finals** |
| **Warm-ups** | **Meet Starts** | **Warm-ups Not Before** | **Meet Starts Not Before** |
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| **Timed Finals** | Friday |   |   | 3:30 PM | 5:00 PM |
| **Prelims & Finals** | Saturday | 6:45 AM - 7:45 AM | 8:00 AM | 2:15 PM | 3:15 PM |
| Sunday | 6:45 AM - 7:45 AM | 8:00 AM | 2:15 PM | 3:15 PM |
| **10 & Under Sessions** | Saturday |   |   | 11:15 AM | 12:00 PM |
| Sunday |   |   | 11:15 AM | 12:00 PM |

**Order of Events**

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| **Girls** | **Friday - Timed Finals** | **Boys** |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1 | 10 & Under – 200 Individual Medley | 2 |  | \* The 1650 Freestyle is to be conducted on a timed final basis with only the fastest seeded heat, **top 8 times not indicating a prelim swim**, to swim in finals. All other heats are to be held in the Preliminaries, swimming fastest to slowest. The event will be swum as an OPEN timed final event and will be scored by age-group (6 & Under, 7-8, 9-10, 11-12, 13-14, and 15 & Over).\*\* All relays will be conducted on a timed finals basis and will swim in Preliminaries. |
| 3 | 11-12 – 200 Individual Medley | 4 |  |
| 5 | 13-14 – 400 Individual Medley | 6 |  |
| 7 | Open – 400 Individual Medley | 8 |  |
| 9 | 10 & Under – 200 Freestyle | 10 |  |
| 11 | 11-12 – 500 Freestyle | 12 |  |
| 13 | 13-14 – 500 Freestyle | 14 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 15 | Open – 500 Freestyle | 16 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| **Preliminaries** | **Saturday** | **Finals** |  | **Preliminaries** | **Sunday** | **Finals** |
| **Girls** | **Boys** | **Event Order** | **Girls** | **Boys** |  | **Girls** | **Boys** | **Event Order** | **Girls** | **Boys** |
|   |   | Open – 1650 Freestyle\* |   | 32 |  |   |   | Open – 1650 Freestyle\* | 83 |   |
| 33 | 34 | 11-12 – 100 Butterfly | 33 | 34 |  | 85 | 86 | 13-14 – 200 Individual Medley | 85 | 86 |
| 35 | 36 | 13-14 – 100 Butterfly | 35 | 36 |  | 87 | 88 | Open – 200 Individual Medley | 87 | 88 |
| 37 | 38 | Open – 100 Butterfly | 37 | 38 |  | 89 | 90 | 11-12 – 100 Backstroke | 89 | 90 |
| 39 | 40 | 11-12 – 50 Backstroke | 39 | 40 |  | 91 | 92 | 13-14 – 100 Backstroke | 91 | 92 |
| 41 | 42 | 13-14 – 200 Backstroke | 41 | 42 |  | 93 | 94 | Open – 100 Backstroke | 93 | 94 |
| 43 | 44 | Open – 200 Backstroke | 43 | 44 |  | 95 | 96 | 11-12 – 100 Freestyle | 95 | 96 |
| 45 | 46 | 11-12 – 50 Freestyle | 45 | 46 |  | 97 | 98 | 13-14 – 100 Freestyle | 97 | 98 |
| 47 | 48 | 13-14 – 50 Freestyle | 47 | 48 |  | 99 | 100 | Open – 100 Freestyle | 99 | 100 |
| 49 | 50 | Open – 50 Freestyle | 49 | 50 |  | 101 | 102 | 11-12 – 100 Breaststroke | 101 | 102 |
| 51 | 52 | 11-12 – 50 Breaststroke | 51 | 52 |  | 103 | 104 | 13-14 – 100 Breaststroke | 103 | 104 |
| 53 | 54 | 13-14 – 200 Breaststroke | 53 | 54 |  | 105 | 106 | Open – 100 Breaststroke | 105 | 106 |
| 55 | 56 | Open – 200 Breaststroke | 55 | 56 |  | 107 | 108 | 11-12 – 50 Butterfly | 107 | 108 |
| 57 | 58 | 11-12 – 200 Freestyle | 57 | 58 |  | 109 | 110 | 13-14 – 200 Butterfly | 109 | 110 |
| 59 | 60 | 13-14 – 200 Freestyle | 59 | 60 |  | 111 | 112 | Open – 200 Butterfly | 111 | 112 |
| 61 | 62 | Open – 200 Freestyle | 61 | 62 |  | 113 | 114 | 11-12 – 200 Medley Relay\*\* |   |   |
| 63 | 64 | 11-12 – 200 Freestyle Relay\*\* |   |   |  | 115 | 116 | 13-14 – 200 Medley Relay\*\* |   |   |
| 65 | 66 | 13-14 – 200 Freestyle Relay\*\* |   |   |  | 117 | 118 | Open – 200 Medley Relay\*\* |   |   |
| 67 | 68 | Open – 200 Freestyle Relay\*\* |   |   |  | 83 |  | Open – 1650 Freestyle\* |   |   |
|   | 32 | Open – 1650 Freestyle\* |   |   |  |   |   |   |   |   |
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| **Girls** | **Saturday - 10 & Under Finals** | **Boys** |  | **Girls** | **Sunday - 10 & Under Finals** | **Boys** |
| 17 | 25 Butterfly (8 & Under) | 18 |  | 69 | 25 Backstroke (8 & Under) | 70 |
| 19 | 100 Butterfly | 20 |  | 71 | 100 Backstroke | 72 |
| 21 | 50 Backstroke | 22 |  | 73 | 50 Freestyle | 74 |
| 23 | 25 Freestyle (8 & Under) | 24 |  | 75 | 25 Breaststroke (8 & Under) | 76 |
| 25 | 100 Freestyle | 26 |  | 77 | 100 Breaststroke | 78 |
| 27 | 50 Breaststroke | 28 |  | 79 | 50 Butterfly | 80 |
| 29 | 200 Freestyle Relay | 30 |  | 81 | 200 Medley Relay | 82 |

**Summary of Entries**

Please supply the information below and mail with your check to:

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meetdirector@terrehautetorpedoes.com

**Make Checks Payable to THT**

Club Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Club Code: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

# Timed Final I.E.’s \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ x $4.00 = \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

# Prelim/Final I.E.’s \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ x $5.00 = \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Total # of Relay Entries \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ x $6.00 = \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Total # of swimmers \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ x $2.00 (IN Swimming Athlete Surcharge) = \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

 Total Due = \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Club Official Submitting Entry: Coaches Names:

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

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

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

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Email address for sending results (Meet Manager backup, Team Manager .cl2 file, PDFs of full results and scores):

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**Release and Hold Harmless Agreement**

In consideration of being permitted to participate in this swim meet, and for other good and valuable consideration, the undersigned, for himself, his successors and assignees, hereby releases and forever discharges Terre Haute Torpedoes, Vigo County School Corporation, Indiana Swimming, and its Board of Directors, USA Swimming, and each of their respective officers, agents, employees, members, successors, and any other persons in any way connected with this meet, form any and all liabilities, claims, demands, actions, or causes of action of whatever kind of character arising out of or in connection with said event. Further, the undersigned shall indemnify and hold harmless Terre Haute Torpedoes, Vigo County School Corporation, Indiana Swimming, USA Swimming, and the officers, trustees, agents, employees, and members of the foregoing and all other persons in any way and claims arising out of or in connection with any injury, including death, or alleged injury of damage to property sustained or alleged to have sustained in connection with or to have arisen out of said event.

Signature of club official/coach: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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**Terre Haute Area Hotels**

**Fairfield Inn & Suites**

475 E Margaret Ave

Terre Haute, IN 47802

(812) 235-2444

marriott.com

**Drury Inn**

3040 US-41

Terre Haute, IN 47802

(812) 238-1206

druryhotels.com

**Pear Tree Inn**

3050 US-41

Terre Haute, IN 47802

(812) 234-4268

druryhotels.com

**SpringHill Suites**

3304 US-41

Terre Haute, IN 47802

(812) 235-0696

marriott.com

**Hampton Inn**

3325 US-41

Terre Haute, IN 47802

(812) 242-2222

hamptoninn3.hilton.com**Holiday Inn**

3300 US-41

Terre Haute, IN 47802

(812) 232-6081

ihg.com

**Holiday Inn Express & Suites**

2645 Joe Fox St

Terre Haute, IN 47803

(812) 234-3200

ihg.com

**Hilton Garden Inn**

750 Wabash Ave

Terre Haute, IN 47807

(812) 234-8900

hiltongardeninn3.hilton.com

**Candlewood Suites**

721 Wabash Ave

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