**SWAC Swim Team, Inc.**

**2018 SWAC “SPRING SPLASH” INVITATIONAL**

**MAY 18-20, 2018**

**SANCTION: This meet is sanctioned by USA Swimming and Indiana Swimming Sanction #IN18282**

**HOST:** SWAC Swim Team, Incorporated, Fort Wayne, Indiana.

 Head Coach: Justin Max, justinmax06@yahoo.com

 Meet Director: Deb Luarde, debluarde@gmail.com

**LOCATION:** Helen P. Brown Natatorium, 3301 South Calhoun St., Fort Wayne, IN. 50 meter indoor pool, with minimum diving depth of thirteen feet (13’), Daktronics electronic timing equipment and scoreboard, seating for over 700 spectators, and free parking. The competition course has not been certified in accordance with 104.2.2C(4).

**ELIGIBILITY:** Swimmers’ ages as of May 18, 2018 will determine age group eligibility for this meet. **No entries will be accepted unless the entrant is either registered or certified with USA Swimming, Inc.** The swimmer(s) registration number must accompany the swimmer(s) entry. Indiana Swimming does not process onsite registration.

**RULES:** Current USA and Indiana Swimming rules will govern. 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reserves the right to ask for coach credential or Deck Pass and/or deny deck access if coach does not comply or card is no longer valid/current. **ONLY** volunteers listed with the deck access personnel will be allowed on the pool deck. Deck entries must be accompanied with entrant(s) USA Membership Card.

 **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.

 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 USA Swimming rule 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.

 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.

**MEET FORMAT:** This meet will be conducted as Timed Finals and governed by the rules and regulations in the (2018) USA Swimming Official handbook. The “no recall” starting procedure will be observed for all events in this meet. Attached is a schedule of warm-ups and events.

**POSITIVE CHECK-IN:** **Positive check-in will be required.** Check in sheets for each session will be posted near the locker rooms and taken down 15 minutes after the start of warm-ups. Failure to check in will result in swimmers being scratched from that day’s events. There will be **NO** Clerk of Course for this invitational.

**EVENTS:** 1) Swimmers may be entered in no more than four (4) events on Saturday and Sunday, no more than two (2) events on Friday, and a total of ten (10) events for the entire meet. 2) Hy-Tek users may email entries using Hy-tek file format, which is the preferred entry method. A confirmation entry list will be emailed back to the person who sent the email entry. 3) All team entries larger than 5 swimmers must be done in Hy-Tek file format. Team entries larger than 5 swimmers not in electronic Hy-Tek format will be charged a $50.00 administration fee. 4)Enter each swimmer with his/her first and last name, birthday (m/d/y), and USA number in the entry report format from Hy-Tek Team Manager. 5) Make sure you age up your swimmers. 6) **Enter swimmers using meter times only.**

**FRIDAY NIGHT**

**EVENTS: All Friday night events will be swum fastest to slowest.**

**ACCEPTANCE**

**CRITERIA:** If meet entries exceed capacity, SWAC has sole discretion to determine which entries are accepted. In exercising its discretion, SWAC will consider: 1) that teams will **not** be divided; 2) the order of arrival of entries submitted before entry deadline; 3) geographic diversity; 4) level of competition; and 5) number of volunteers submitted as part of entry package.

 **Friday night events and 200s on Saturday and Sunday may be limited to preserve a reasonable timeline**. No time entries will be eliminated first**.** Refunds will be issued for paid entries in limited events. Teams will be notified of any limited events by Wednesday May 16, 2018.

**ENTRY FEES: Indiana Swimming** athlete surcharge $2.00

$4.00 per individual event

 $8.00 per Deck Entry

 A check for entry fees must be submitted with hard copy entries or delivered before the 1st event for email entries and made payable to: **SWAC Swim Team, Inc.** Refunds will be given for paid entries rejected due to the meet or individual events exceeding capacity.

**SPECTATOR**

**ADMISSION: Individual - $5.00** (per day)

 **Weekend Individual Pass Combo -$20.00** (Includes admission, psych sheet and seeded heat sheet for each session)

 **Weekend Family Pass - $25.00** (Includes admission for 2 immediate family members, psych sheet, and seeded heat sheet for each session) **Participating swimmers and children 10 & under are FREE**

**PSYCH/HEAT**

 **SHEETS: Meet Psych Sheet - $10.00** (Includes seeded heat sheet for each session)

 **Seeded Heat Sheets - $2.00** (per session)

**ENTRY DEADLINE:** Entries will be accepted beginning **April 21, 2018 until May 5, 2018**.

Deadline will be extended if the meet is not full. Host will notify teams being turned away by phone, fax or email within 72 hours after the meet entry deadline or 72 hours after meet becomes full, whichever comes first. Email entries and mail entry forms and check to:

**Christine Koehrn**

**3222 Buckeye Run**

**Fort Wayne, IN 46814**

 **(260)417-5706**

**Email:** **swac.entrychair@gmail.com**

**AWARDS:** Individual Events -1st through 16th place – Ribbons.

 No awards for 15 and over.

High point awards (1st, 2nd, and 3rd) for groups 14 & Under

(8-Under, 9-10, 11-12, 13-14). AWARDS WILL NOT BE MAILED.

**SCORING:** Individual scoring:

20**-**17-16-15-14-13-12-11-9-7-6-5-4-3-2-1

**FINAL RESULTS:** Final results will be forwarded in the manner specified on the entry’s Team Summary Report. Meet back up will be emailed Sunday evening to those entering via email.

**FOOD AND FACILITY NOTE**

**Coolers are not allowed in the natatorium. There is no food or drink (except water) allowed in the pool area. Glass containers of any type are not to be anywhere in the natatorium (especially on deck). Please clean up after yourself. No smoking is permitted in the building. Swimmers and spectators are prohibited from entering restricted areas. You must stay in the pool area; you will not be allowed to go into any unauthorized area. No loud whistling, radios, balls or flash cameras will be permitted. Failure to comply with the rules stated above may result in expulsion from the meet and/or the facility.**

**Please note that the Helen P. Brown Natatorium is using the Safe Visitor system and each adult guest (including coaches and officials) entering the locker rooms or deck will be required to present a valid driver's license or other government-issued ID.**

**We at SWAC are looking forward to having a safe and fun swim meet.**

**Thank you,**

**SWAC Swim Team**

 **Friday Night**

*13 & Over, 12 & Under*

Warm-up 12 & Under 4:30 – 4:55

Warm-ups for 13 & Over 4:55-5:25

Meet starts at 5:30

Girls Events Boys

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| --- | --- | --- | --- |
| 1 | 11 & 12 | 200 Freestyle | 2 |
| 3 | 13 & over | 400 Freestyle | 4 |
| 5 | 11 & 12 | 200 IM | 6 |
| 7 | 13 & over | 400 IM | 8 |

**Saturday Morning**

7:30-8:10 Open Warm ups

 8:10-8:25 Lanes 1 & 8 Pace

 Lanes 2 & 7 One Way Sprint

Meet starts at 8:30 AM

 Girls Events Boys

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| 9 | 13 & Over | 200 IM | 10 |
| 11 | 13 & Over | 100 Butterfly | 12 |
| 13 | 13 & Over | 200 Backstroke | 14 |
| 15 | 13 & Over | 100 Breaststroke | 16 |
| 17 | 13 & Over | 100 Freestyle | 18 |

**Saturday Afternoon**

Warm-ups not before 1:00

First 30 minutes for 11 -12 year olds

Next 25 minutes for 10 & Under

Meet starts 1 hour after warm-ups begin

Girls Events Boys

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| 19 | 12 & Under | 200 Breaststroke | 20 |
| 21 | 12 & Under | 50 Breast | 22 |
| 23 | 12 & Under | 50 Freestyle | 24 |
| 25  | 12 & Under | 50 Backstroke | 26 |
| 27 | 12 & Under | 200 Backstroke | 28 |
| 29 | 12 & Under | 100 Butterfly | 30 |

 **SUNDAY MORNING**

7:30 to 8:10 Open Warm-ups

 8:10-8:25 Lanes 1 & 8 Pace lanes

 Lanes 2 & 7 One Way Sprint

Meet starts at 8:30 am

Girls Events Boys

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| 31 | 13 & Over | 200 Freestyle | 32 |
| 33 | 13 & Over | 200 Butterfly | 34 |
| 35 | 13 & Over | 100 Backstroke | 36 |
| 37 | 13 & Over | 200 Breaststroke | 38 |
| 39 | 13 & Over | 50 Freestyle | 40 |

**SUNDAY AFTERNOON**

Warm-ups begin not before 1:00

First 30 minutes for 11 – 12 year olds

Followed by 25 minutes for 10 &Under

Meet starts 1 hour after warm-ups begin

Girls Events Boys

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| 41 | 12 & Under | 200 Butterfly | 42 |
| 43 | 12 & Under | 50 Butterfly | 44 |
| 45 | 12 & Under | 100 Breaststroke | 46 |
| 47 | 12 & Under | 100 Backstroke | 48 |
| 49 | 12 & Under | 100 Freestyle | 50 |

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**RELEASE AND HOLD HARMLESS AGREEMENT**

CLUB\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ CLUB CODE\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

IN CONSIDERATION OF BEING PERMITTED TO PARTICIPATE IN THE ABOVE-REFERENCED SWIM MEET, CLUB AND ITS SWIMMERS, COACHES, PARENTS, MEMBERS AND VOLUNTEERS HEREBY RELEASE AND FOREVER DISCHARGE SWAC, USA SWIMMING, INDIANA SWIMMING, TRUSTEES, DIRECTORS, OFFICERS, AGENTS, EMPLOYEES, MEMBERS, SUCCESSORS AND ASSIGNS OF EACH OF THEM, AND ALL OTHER PERSONS OR ENTITIES IN ANY WAY CONNECTED WITH SPONSORING OR HOLDING THIS SWIM MEET, OF AND FROM ANY AND ALL LIABILITIES, CLAIM, DEMANDS, ACTION, CAUSES OF ACTION, LOSSES, DAMAGES OR EXPENSES, OF WHATEVER KIND OR CHARACTER, ARISING OUT OF OR IN CONNECTION WITH SAID SWIM MEET AND THE FACILITIES AND PERSONNEL FOR IT. FURTHER, CLUB AND ITS SWIMMERS, COACHES, PARENTS, MEMBERS AND VOLUNTEERS SHALL INDEMNIFY AND HOLD HARMLESS USA SWIMMING, SWAC, TRUSTEES, DIRECTORS, OFFICERS, AGENTS, EMPLOYEES, MEMBERS, SUCCESSORS AND ASSIGNS OF EACH OF THEM, AND ALL OTHER PERSONS OR ENTITIES IN ANY WAY CONNECTED WITH SPONSORING OR HOLDING THIS SWIM MEET, OF AND FROM ANY AND ALL LIABILITIES, CLAIMS, DEMANDS, ACTIONS, CAUSES OF ACTION, LOSSES, DAMAGES OR EXPENSES, OF WHATEVER KIND OR CHARACTER, ARISING OUT OF OR IN CONNECTION WITH ANY INJURY TO ANY PERSON, INCLUDING DEATH, OR INJURY OR DAMAGE TO ANY PROPERTY.

THE UNDERSIGNED REPRESENTS THAT HE/SHE IS AUTHORIZED BY THE CLUB, AND ITS SWIMMERS, COACHES, PARENTS, MEMBERS AND VOLUNTEER TO THE TERMS HEREOF.

EXECUTED THIS \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_DAY OF \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, 2017

SIGNATURE\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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**TEAM SUMMARY REPORT**

A SUMMARY REPORT IN A FORMAT SIMILAR TO THIS MUST BE COMPLETED AND RETURNED WITH ALL ENTRIES BY May 7, 2018. PLEASE MAKE CERTAIN TO INCLUDE ALL OF THE FOLLOWING:

1. COMPLETED TEAM SUMMARY REPORT FROM TEAM MANAGER (i.e. THIS FORM)
2. CHECK FOR ENTRY FEES PAYABLE TO: **SWAC SWIM TEAM**
3. RELEASE AND HOLD HARMLESS AGREEMENT

 MAIL TO: Christine Koehrn, 3222 Buckeye Run, Fort Wayne, IN 46814

 E-MAIL TO: swac.entrychair@gmail.com

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**Entries and Fees:**

 **Total Swimmers entered**:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_@ $2.00 **Indiana Swimming** athlete surcharge=\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

 Girls Individual Entries:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_@ $4.00 per event =\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

 Boys Individual Entries\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_@ $4.00 per event =\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

 **TOTAL FEES DUE**  =\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Team contact\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Email address to send results\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Hotel Accommodations:**

\*Discounted blocks of rooms have been set aside at the **Residence Inn** ($119.00) and **Hampton Inn and Suites Southwest** ($94.00)Fort Wayne. Rates include complimentary hot breakfast. Rooms will be available for reservation on a first come first served basis until 4/27/2018. To reserve a room please call either hotel directly and mention SWAC Swim Meet Block or for Residence Inn alternatively use link below.

**Hampton Inn Southwest**

8219 West Jefferson Blvd.

Fort Wayne, IN 46804

(260)432-8000

**Residence Inn**

7811 West Jefferson Blvd.

Fort Wayne, In 46804

(260)459-1999

<http://www.marriott.com/hotels/travel/fware-residence-inn-fort-wayne/>

group code SWASWAO for one bedroom queen suite

group code SWASWAS for king studio room