

2018 Ozark Senior Championships

February 2-4th, 2018

- Sanction:** Held under USA Swimming/Ozark Swimming sanction #.
- Host:** Parkway Swim Club
13157 North Olive Spur Rd
St. Louis, MO 63141
- Meet Director:** Michelle Quigley
mkq@aol.com
- Meet Referee:** Stephanie Petersen
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- Marshall:** Blair Porter
Bp3434@swbell.net
- Location:** Pattonville High School
2497 Creve Coeur Mill Road
Maryland Heights, MO 63043
- Parkway North High School (Friday only)
12860 Fee Fee Road
Saint Louis, MO 63146
- Facility:** Pattonville HS: 25 yard, 11 lane indoor pool with 8 starting blocks and competitor non-turbulent lane lines. The meet will be competed in 8 lanes with 2 lanes available for warm-up/cool down.
- Parkway North HS: 25 yard, 6 lane, indoor pool with 6 starting blocks and competitor non-turbulent lane lines. The Friday night session will be competed in 6 lanes; we will have a 10 minute break after 4 heats of 400 IM and 2 heats of 1000 free for warm-up/warm-down.
- Meet Safety:** In accordance with the recommendations of USA swimming and the Ozark LSC, the Parkway Swim Club will operate this meet under the guidance of a Safety Marshall.
- Classification:** Senior Championships will be a 13 & Over meet with A qualifying times for 13-14 year old swimmers in all events, including distance 400 IM, 500 free, and 1000 free. A minimum of a "BB" time for 15 and over swimmers is required to compete in the 400 IM, 500 Free, and 1000 Free. 1650 free/800 free LCM/1500 free LCM "BB" times will be accepted for 1000 entries. **Proof of time is required for all 400 IM, 500 Free, & 1000 Free entrants.**

Eligibility:

Open to all USA Swimming athletes that meet any of the following requirements:

- 15 and over (requires no time standards except distance events)
- Turn 15 after 2/4/18 and before 2/23/18 (requires no time standards except for distance events)
- 13-14 swimmers who meet the 2017-2020 “A” qualifying standards in all events”

All swimmers must be athlete members of USA Swimming. “Applied for” will not be accepted. Swimmers entered in the meet who do not hold current membership will be dropped from the meet and entry fees will NOT be refunded.

Any swimmer found not to have a current USA Swimming membership who swims in an Ozark sanctioned meet, and/or the team is subject to a \$100 fine per swim.

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 request.

Schedule:

Friday Night: Parkway North High School

Warm-up: #1: 4:15-4:45 PM

Warm-up#2: 4:45-5:15PM

Meet Start: 5:30 PM

Saturday & Sunday Prelims:

Warm-up #1: 7:00-7:30 AM

Warm-up #2: 7:30-8:00 AM

Meet Start: 8:15 AM

Saturday Finals

Open Warm-up: 4:30-5:15 PM

Meet Start: 5:30 PM

Sunday Finals:

Open Warm-up: 3:30-4:15 PM

Meet Start: 4:30 PM

Format:

This is a prelim/final championship meet. There will be an “A” (championship) final, a “B” (consolation) final, and a “C” (bonus) final for the Top 24 swimmers from the Saturday & Sunday preliminary heats in all events, with the exception of the 500 free. On Friday evening the 1000 Free and the 400 IM will be timed finals. The 500 free on Sunday is a timed final event with the top 8 entry times swimming with finals.

On Friday night the 1000 free and the 400 IM will be swum fastest to slowest, alternating boys and girls. The 500 Free will be swum like all other events, slowest to fastest, with the top 8 swimming at finals.

All finalists must check in at the ready room at least 2 events before their event. Swimmers in the first 2 events should check in at least 10 minutes prior to the start of the finals. Finalists may check in for multiple events when they check in for their first event. The “C” heat will swim first, followed by the “B” heat, and finally the “A” heat. The “C” and “B” finalists should report behind the blocks at least 2 heats prior to their swim (the “C” finalists prior to the start of the “B” heat before them and the “B” finalists prior to the start of the “A” heat before them). The “C” finalists will have their names announced as they are swimming. The “B” finalists will have their names announced behind the blocks. The “A” heats will be required to report to the ready room at least 2 heats before their heat (prior to the start of the “C” heat before them). The “A” finalists will be paraded out to music and have their names announced behind the blocks. Any swimmer who fails to check in or report to the blocks as described above will be scratched from their next event. Alternates should report to the ready room at least 1 event before their event and stay until full heats are confirmed by the ready room official.

Individual Entries: A swimmer may enter a maximum of three (3) individual events and one (1) relay each day for a total of four (4) events in each preliminary session. A swimmer may enter a maximum of seven (7) individual events for the meet. Any swimmers who enter more than the prescribed number of events will be scratched down to the event limit starting with the highest number event on the day the over entry occurs.

Relay Entries: Each club may enter a maximum of two (2) scoring relays per event. They will be designated A and B. Clubs may enter more than two relays, but only the A and B will score. All relays will be swum as timed finals. The 200 Medley Relay will be swum at the beginning of Prelims on Saturday and the 200 Free Relay will be swum at the beginning of Prelims on Sunday. Relay cards are due to the clerk of course at the end of the warm-up session on the day the relay will be swum. Relays designated C and below should be entered as NT.

Entries/Deadline: Email entries (SDIF format) are preferred for this meet. Entries will be accepted beginning **Wednesday, January 10, 2018 at 9:00 AM until Wednesday, January 24, 2018 at 5:00 PM**. No phone or fax entries will be accepted. Checks and release forms must be received by January 31, 2018. Times must be submitted in the course the time was achieved.

All entries must be email/mailed to:
Attn: Jon David Williford; pkwymeetentry@gmail.com
Parkway Swim Club
13157 North Olive Spur Rd
Saint Louis, MO 63141

Fees: Individual Events: \$4.00
Relay Events: \$10.00
Swimmer Surcharge: \$10.00
All Checks should be made payable to Parkway Swim Club

Scoring: Scoring will be to 16 places as follows:
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

Awards: We will have an Endurance Award for the lowest combined time in each gender for the 1000 Free, 400 IM, & 500 Free. We will also have a Sprint Award for each gender for the lowest combined time in the 100's of each stroke and the 200 IM.

We will have a high point award for top 3 high point finishers each girls and boys.

General Conduct: This meet is held under the sanction of USA Swimming, and all technical and administrative rules of USA Swimming shall apply.

Cell phones with photo and video recording devices are prohibited in all locker rooms.

Operation of a drone or other flying device within the venue is prohibited.

All swim suits must be in compliance with FINA and USA Swimming rules. Deck changing is prohibited.

All coaches must hold a valid USA Swimming Coaches Card and all officials must be USA certified.

No parents are permitted on the pool deck unless they are volunteers assigned to work that session.

All prelim/final events will be pre-seeded. All relay events require coaches to submit relay cards by designated times and this will count as positive check in. Any relays not turned in by the deadline will be scratched from the event.

There will be a positive check in for the distance events (400 IM, 500 Free, & 1000 Free). Swimmers must be checked in prior to the conclusion of warm up. Any scratch after positively checking in will result in a \$50 fine payable to Ozark Swimming.

Swimmers must provide their own counter for the 500 Free and 1000 Free. Timers will be supplied for the 400 IM and 500 Free. Swimmers will need to provide their own timer for the 1000 Free.

Warm-up procedures will be defined by the Ozark LSC safety regulations. A swimmer attending the meet without a USA-S registered coach must report to the meet referee prior to warming up. The referee or his designee shall instruct the swimmers in the safety rules and assign them to a lane. Lanes will be assigned.

Scratches:

Any swimmers NOT reporting for or competing in a preliminary heat or individual timed final (except after positive check in) shall not be penalized.

Any swimmer who qualifies for a bonus, consolation, or championship final in an individual event who then fails to show up for said final event shall be ejected from their next event.

THERE WILL BE NO PENALTY FOR FAILURE TO COMPETE IN FINALS IF:

- A) The referee is notified in the event of illness or injury and accepts proof thereof,
- B) A swimmer qualifying for a bonus, consolation, or championship finals swim notifies the referee within thirty (30) minutes after the announcement of the finalists for that event that he/she may not intend to compete and further declares his/her intention within thirty (30) minutes following his/her last individual preliminary event; this is called Declaring an Intent to Scratch”
- C) The swimmer scratches his or her finals swim within thirty (30) minutes following the announcement of the finalists for that event. The

swimmer or their coach must report to the announcer in order to scratch an event

- D) It is determined by the meet referee that failure to compete was caused by circumstances beyond the control of the swimmer.

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Event Schedule:

Friday Night – (Parkway North HS)

Girls	Event	Boys
1	400 IM (Timed Finals)	2
3	1000 Free (Timed Finals)	4

Saturday Prelims

Girls	Event	Boys
5	200 Medley Relay	6
	5 minute break	
7	200 Free	8
9	100 Fly	10
11	200 Back	12
13	200 Breast	14
15	100 Free	16

Saturday Finals

Girls		Event		Boys
7	Top 24	200 Free	Top 24	8
9	Top 24	100 Fly	Top 24	10
11	Top 24	200 Back	Top 24	12
13	Top 24	200 Breast	Top 24	14
15	Top 24	100 Free	Top 24	16

Sunday Prelims

Girls	Event	Boys
17	200 Free Relay	18
	5 minute break	
19	200 IM	20
21	50 Free	22
23	100 Back	24
25	100 Breast	26
27	200 Fly	28
	10 minute break	
29	500 Free (Timed Finals)	30

Sunday Finals

Girls		Event		Boys
19	Top 24	200 IM	Top 24	20
21	Top 24	50 Free	Top 24	22
23	Top 24	100 Back	Top 24	24
25	Top 24	100 Breast	Top 24	26
27	Top 24	200 Fly	Top 24	28
29	Top 8	500 Free	Top 8	30

Senior Champs Qualifying Times: 13-14 A times/ *Distance events 15-18 BB times

Girls	Qualifying Times	Boys
5:31.99	400 IM*	5:05.59
21:26.19	1650 free*	20:02.89
2:11.29	200 free	2:02.59
1:05.99	100 fly	1:01.29
2:23.39	200 back	2:14.69
2:44.59	200 breast	2:32.89
1:00.69	100 free	56.29
2:26.99	200 IM	2:17.19
27.99	50 free	25.69
1:06.19	100 back	1:01.79

1:15.99	100 breast	1:09.79
2:25.79	200 fly	2:15.69
6:12.09	500 free*	5:45.99