



Spring Fever

May 6-8, 2016

hosted by Flyers Aquatic Swim Team
at the Chuck Fruit Aquatic Center
Edwardsville, IL

**Held under the sanction of USA Swimming/Ozark Swimming
Sanction # TBD**

Eligibility

Open to currently registered USA Swimming athletes only. "Applied for..." will not be accepted. On deck registration is not available. Swimmers who do not hold current USA Swimming membership will be dropped from the meet. There is a \$100 fine for entering nonregistered athletes in an Ozark meet. Coaches must be currently registered with USA Swimming as Coach members.

Athletes attending the meet unaccompanied by a USA Swimming coach must report to the meet referee or meet director prior to warming up for each session. The athlete will be assigned to a coach on deck for each session of the meet they are entered in.

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.

In granting this sanction it is understood and agreed that USA Swimming shall be free from any liabilities and claims for damages arising from damages or injuries to anyone during the conduct of the event.

Meet Format

All of the technical and administrative rules of USA Swimming will apply. All events are timed finals.

Meet Contacts

Admin Official/Meet Director: Angie Dorsey (314) 852-5216 adorsey@fast-swimming.com

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Meet Entry Contact: Angie Dorsey (314) 852-5216 entries@fast-swimming.com

Officials Coordinator: Dave Otten (618) 781-3806 fastofficials@fast-swimming.com

Safety Marshall: Brian Ullery (314)821-8390 brian.ullery@gmail.com

Facility

The Chuck Fruit Aquatic Center pool is an 8 lane, 50 meters in length with 2 movable bulkheads with elevated spectator seating capacity of 499 as well as floor coach/team pool deck seating.

The competition course has been certified in accordance with USA Swimming Rule 104.2.2C(4). The copy of such certification is on file with USA Swimming. The pool depth at the start end is 7ft. The pool depth at the turn end is 13ft.

Directions & Parking

The Chuck Fruit Aquatic Center is located at 6168 Center Grove Rd., Edwardsville, IL 62025.

Entry Fees

Swimmer Surcharge: \$10.00 per swimmer
Individual Events: \$5.00 per individual event

No Refunds will be issued.

Entry Limits

The meet may be limited to 300 swimmers prior to the addition of the host team entry. No Team entry will be split. The host team reserves the right to limit the entry for any specific event in order to provide reasonable timelines for each session.

Swimmers may enter a maximum of 2 individual events during the Friday session & 4 individual events per day for the Saturday and Sunday sessions for a total of a maximum of 10 individual entries for the meet.

Entry Process

FAST will begin to accept entries on **Monday, April 25, 2016 at 9:00am CT.**

All Teams are required to send an entry file that is compatible with the Hytek Meet Manager Program.

All entries should be submitted by email to entries@fast-swimming. FAST will send a confirmation email once your entry email has been received. This **does not** indicate acceptance into the meet.

The signed meet entry summary form and the check for the team entry fees **must** be received within 7 days of the entry deadline.

Please mail your summary forms and checks (made payable to Flyers Aquatic Swim Team) to:
Angie Dorsey
C/O FAST
PO Box 8595
St. Louis, MO 63126

The **Entry Deadline** for the meet will be **Wednesday, April 27, 2016 at 5 pm CT.**
Entries may be accepted after the deadline if the meet is not full.

FAST will contact each team by email no later than 7 pm CT on Wednesday, April 27, 2015 to confirm acceptance into the meet.

Acceptance Criteria for Team Entries (listed in order of priority)

1. Teams that attended FAST meets within the past two seasons will be accepted until the meet capacity has been reached.
2. Teams that provide a list of officials who are committed to attending the meet (and have contacted our official's coordinator) will be given priority over teams that do not provide a list of officials.
3. Teams that did not attend FAST meets within the past two seasons will be accepted on a first come-first serve basis until the meet capacity has been reached.

Deck entries may be accepted at the discretion of the administrative official.

Pre-Meet Information & Meet Results

A technical bulletin will be emailed to all participating clubs prior to the meet which will include estimated timelines, warm-up assignments and any other pertinent meet information.

Meet Results will be posted at the meet throughout each session. The official final results will be posted on the Ozark Swimming website (www.ozarkswimming.org) following the meet.

Awards

Awards will be given to 1st, 2nd and 3rd place swimmers in the 12&Under **broken** 200IM and **broken** 400IM and the 13&over **broken** 200IM and **broken** 400IM. Swimmers must swim the 50 Freestyle, 50 Backstroke, 50 Breaststroke, and 50 Butterfly to place in the broken 200IM. Swimmers must swim the 100 Freestyle, 100 Backstroke, 100 Breaststroke, and 100 Butterfly to place in the broken 400IM. The swimmer with the lowest cumulative time for all four events shall be declared the winner. A swimmer must complete all four events to be considered for an award. If a swimmer is disqualified in one or more events, that swimmer is ineligible for an award.

Positive Check-in

We will deck seed the all Friday evening events and the 13& Over 400 Freestyle and 800 Freestyle on Saturday. All swimmers will be required to check-in no later than 30 minutes prior to the session start time. Failure to Check-in will be considered a scratch.

All remaining events will be pre-seeded. Heat sheets will be available for sale in the concession area.

USA Swimming Swimsuit Legislation

The only suits allowed are those permitted by FINA and in compliance with current USA Swimming rules.

The criteria for allowable swimsuits at USA Swimming competition, under Rule 102.9, is as follows:

1. Swimsuits for men may not extend above the navel or below the knee and for women may not cover the neck or extend past the shoulders or below the knee;
2. No zippers or other fastening devices are allowed except for a waist tie on a brief or jammer; and
3. Suits must be of textile material and must not be made of any rubberized type of material such as polyurethane or neoprene.

USA Swimming/Ozark Policy and Facility Rules

As per USA Swimming guidelines, cameras & video recording devices (including cell phones with such capability) are prohibited in the area behind the starting blocks, in the locker rooms, changing areas, showers or restrooms. Violators may be reported to law enforcement or other governmental authorities and/or may be barred from the facility during this sanctioned event. Lindbergh High School is a tobacco-free facility with no use of tobacco products on the pool deck or in the adjacent buildings. Deck changing is prohibited in accordance with USA Swimming Rule 202.4.9.I.

Vendor

B&B Aquatics will be at the meet.

Concessions

Concessions will be available in the concession area.

Additional Notes to Coaches and Athletes

- All events will be swum fastest to slowest.
- Breaks will be added at the discretion of the meet referee.

Friday Evening Warm-up: 4:00 pm Meet Starts: 5:00 pm		
Girls	Event	Boys
1	13&Over 200 Freestyle	2
3	13&Over 400 Individual Medley	4

Saturday Morning Warm-up: 8:30 am Meet Starts: 9:30 am		
Girls	Event	Boys
5	11-12 100 Butterfly	6
7	10&Under 100 Butterfly	8
9	11-12 50 Breaststroke	10
11	10&Under 50 Breaststroke	12
13	11-12 50 Freestyle	14
15	10&Under 50 Freestyle	16
17	11-12 100 Backstroke	18
19	10&Under 100 Backstroke	20
21	12&Under 200 Individual Medley	22

Saturday Afternoon Warm-up: 1:30 pm Meet Starts: 2:45 pm		
Girls	Event	Boys
23	13&Over 100 Freestyle	24
25	13&Over 50 Butterfly	26
27	13&Over 50 Backstroke	28
29	13&Over 100 Breaststroke	30
31	13&Over 400 Freestyle	32
33	13&Over 800 Freestyle	34

Sunday Morning Warm-up: 8:30 am Meet Starts: 9:30 am		
Girls	Event	Boys
35	11-12 100 Freestyle	36
37	10&Under 100 Freestyle	38
39	11-12 50 Butterfly	40
41	10&Under 50 Butterfly	42
43	11-12 50 Backstroke	44
45	10&Under 50 Backstroke	46
47	11-12 100 Breaststroke	48
49	10&Under 100 Breaststroke	50
51	12&Under 200 Freestyle	52

Saturday Afternoon Warm-up: 1:30 pm Meet Starts: 2:45 pm		
Girls	Event	Boys
53	13&Over 100 Butterfly	54
55	13&Over 50 Breaststroke	56
57	13&Over 50 Freestyle	58
59	13&Over 100 Backstroke	60
61	13&Over 200 Individual Medley	62