



Edwardsville Swimming

Presents

## INDEPENDENCE CELEBRATION LONG COURSE SWIM MEET

July 10-12, 2015

**Sanction:** Ozark Swimming #

**Host:** EHS Tigers Swimming

**Location:** Chuck Fruit Aquatic Center  
6168 Center Grove Rd.  
Edwardsville, IL 62025  
618-655-7100

### **Facility**

The 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 104.2.2C(4). The copy of such certification is on file with USA Swimming.

**Meet Directors** – Kim Gremaud

**Safety Marshall** – Marcia Bilhartz

**Co-Meet Referees** - Dana M LeVasseur: [cfacofficiating@hotmail.com](mailto:cfacofficiating@hotmail.com) 804-986-9591. Bill Rener – [wrener@lmi.org](mailto:wrener@lmi.org)

Please email a list of available officials able to work the meet to Dana LeVasseur.

**Entry Chair**- Bob Rettle: [edwyswim@yahoo.com](mailto:edwyswim@yahoo.com) 618-407-7665

### **Directions**

From I-255: Take the IL-162 exit, EXIT 29, toward Glen Carbon/Granite City. Merge onto IL-162 toward Glen Carbon. Turn left onto N Bluff Rd/IL-157/IL-162. Continue to follow N Bluff Rd/IL-157. Turn slight right onto S State Route 157/IL-157. Turn right onto Center Grove Rd. Destination is on your Right.

### **Parking**

Parking is located in the EHS Sports Complex that houses The Chuck Fruit Aquatic Center. Additional parking is located nearby in the Teacher’s Lot at the EHS campus. Signage will be present. Please see the attached facility map.

### **Schedule**

	Friday Evening	Saturday/ Sunday Mornings*	Saturday/Sunday Afternoons*
<b>1st Warm-up</b>	2:00 – 2:25 pm	6:30 – 6:55 am	1:30 – 1:55 pm
<b>2nd Warm-up</b>	2:25 – 2:50 pm	6:55 – 7:20 am	1:55 – 2:20 pm
<b>Session Start</b>	3:00 pm	7:30 am	2:30 pm

\* Saturday and Sunday afternoon times are an estimate for planning purposes. Actual times, along with specific team warm up assignments will be posted one week prior to the meet, once the meet has been seeded and the timelines are set.

### **Eligibility**

Open to all registered athlete members of USA Swimming. USA Swimming memberships applied for will **not** be accepted. Swimmers entered in the meet who do not hold current membership will be dropped from the meet, and the entry fees will not be refunded. If a swimmer swims and is not registered, a \$100 fine will be imposed. Swimmer's age on July 10th, 2015 determines their age group for the meet.

### **Events**

All events are Timed Finals. A swimmer may enter three individual events per day. Any swimmer who enters more than the maximum number will be scratched down to the limit, starting with the highest event number on the day the over-entry occurs. We reserve the right to pre-seed the meet at our discretion, if timelines permit. We further reserve the right to limit or eliminate events due to the timeline constraints. Deck entries will be accepted if the meet is not filled on **ONLY** as NEW ADDITIONS; CHANGES WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED. Entry fee for deck entries are \$8.00.

### **Limited Events**

All of limited events will be positive check in and seeded as described in the meet packet event list (see below).

### **Check In**

There will be a positive check in for all limited events. Swimmers who have not checked in 20 minutes prior to the start of the session will not be seeded in those events.

### **Entry Fees**

\$4.00 per individual event with a \$10 Ozark Swimming Surcharge per swimmer.

### **Entries- email to: [edwyswim@yahoo.com](mailto:edwyswim@yahoo.com)**

Entries will be accepted starting Monday June 13<sup>th</sup>, 2015 at 9:00 a.m. central time and accepted through Monday, June 19<sup>th</sup>, 2015 at 12 noon central time, or until the meet is filled. Please note that the meet may be filled **BEFORE THE DEADLINE DATE**. Please submit entries in long course meter times. Time conversions are **NOT** allowed for any event. Any entry times for limited events not found in SWIMS must be proven by other means; meet results or TM proof of times from USA Sanctioned meets are sufficient. Refunds for those who do not make the cut in these limited events will be issued to the teams who requested a refund within one week of the meet end. There will be no refunds for illness or weather related absences. Swimmers not making the cut in the 400 Free or the 400 IM will be allowed to choose another event. The deadline for choosing another event is Friday, July 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2015. E-mail entries only will be accepted. All entries must be in Hy-Tek Team Manager Format. E-mail entries will receive a confirmation that their e-mail was received. If you do not receive a confirmation, please contact Coach Bob Rettle at (618) 407-7665. Confirmation does not mean that your entry has been accepted. Teams will be notified of acceptance no later than June 30<sup>th</sup>, 2015. A check for fees and a hard copy of your team entry fees must be received within 7 business days of your acceptance.

### **Entry Deadline – Monday June 19<sup>th</sup>, 2015**

Entries may be accepted after the deadline if the meet is not full. Entry fees must accompany each entry.

### **Make Checks Payable to: ECUSD 7**

### **Mail to**

Bob Rettle, Meet Entry Chair ([edwyswim@yahoo.com](mailto:edwyswim@yahoo.com))  
C/O Chuck Fruit Aquatic Center  
6168 Center Grove Rd.  
Edwardsville, IL 62025

## Meet Results

Meet results will be e-mailed to all participating teams and posted online at [www.ozarkswimming.org](http://www.ozarkswimming.org).

## Awards

Ribbons: 1st – 16th place

(12&U events will be scored as 8&U, 9-10, and 11-12; 13&O events will be scored as 13-14 and 15&O)

## Meet Safety

In accordance with the recommendations of USA Swimming and Ozark LSC, the EHS Tigers will operate this meet under the guidance of a meet Safety Marshall. Use of audio or visual recording devices, including cell phones, is not permitted in changing areas, restrooms, locker rooms or behind the starting blocks at either end of the pool. NO deck changing is allowed and if caught, offender will be removed from the rest of the meet and requested to leave the facility.

## Rules

- This meet is being held under the sanction of USA Swimming, and all technical and administrative rules of USA Swimming shall apply. In granting this approval, it is understood and agreed that USA Swimming shall be free and held harmless from any liabilities or claims for damages arising by reason of injuries to anyone during the conduct of the event.
- All swimmers who are not accompanied by a USA Swimming certified coach must report to the meet referee or meet director prior to warming up before each session in which he/she is swimming. The swimmer will be assigned to a coach on deck.
- Coaches must have their meet and USA credentials displayed at all times while on the pool deck. All coaches must have a current USA Swimming Coaches Card. Coach assistants will not be permitted on the pool deck without the same credentials required of the coaches. Coaches present on deck must have an official swimmer assigned to their team swimming in the meet in order to be on deck. In addition, coaches will be given an official deck pass. No coaches without the appropriate meet (deck pass) and USA credentials will be allowed on the pool deck. (This will be strictly enforced).
- No parents are permitted on the pool deck unless they are volunteers with appropriate credentials assigned to work that session.
- The only swimsuits permitted are those in compliance with FINA and USA Swimming rules. Changing into or out of swimsuits other than in locker rooms or other designated areas is not permitted.
- Any swimmer entered in the meet must be certified by a USA Swimming member-coach as being proficient in performing racing start or must start each race from within the water. When unaccompanied by a member-coach, it is responsibility of the swimmer or the swimmer's legal guardian to ensure compliance with this requirement.
- **If a swimmer positively checks in for a limited event and does not swim the event, they will be disqualified from their next event.**

## Facility Rules

1. Keep all trash picked up and do not block exit doors or aisles.
2. Swimmers, parents, and spectators are not permitted in any unauthorized areas. No Coolers are allowed on the pool deck or in spectator seating. We want to make sure all spectators have a place to sit.
3. "No Smoking" laws are in effect. No smoking or tobacco products are allowed on District 7 property.
4. Cell phones with video and video recording devices are prohibited in all locker rooms and restrooms.
5. No photography or cell phone operation will be permitted from behind the starting blocks.

## Concessions

Food and drink will be available for purchase throughout the meet.

## Vendor

B&B Aquatics will be available throughout the meet.

**Hotel Accommodations**

Hotels below are within 15 minutes of the pool. Contact the hotels directly for rates and availability.

Holiday Inn Express	Country Hearth Inn and Suites	Hampton Inn	Comfort Inn
1000 Plummer Dr,	1013 Plummer Dr.	5723 Heritage Crossing	3080 State 157
Edwardsville, IL	Edwardsville, IL	Glen Carbon, IL	Edwardsville, IL
(618) 692-7255	(618) 656-7829	(618) 589-5000	(618) 656-4900

## Friday Evening

Girls		Event	Boys	
1	Top 24	10-U 200 IM	Top 24	2
3	Top 48	15-O 200 IM	Top 48	4
5	Top 48	13-14 200 IM	Top 48	6
7	Top 32	11-12 200 IM	Top 32	8
9	Top 32	15-O 400 Free	Top 32	10
11	Top 32	13-14 400 free	Top 32	12
13	Top 24	11-12 400 Free	Top 24	14

## Saturday Morning

Girls	Event	Boys
15	13 & O 100 Fly	16
17	13 & O 200 Breast	18
19	13 & O 100 Free	20
21	13 & O 100 Back	22
	13-14 200 Medley	
23	Relay	24
	15 & O 200	
25	Medley Relay	26
27	13-14 400 IM*	28
29	15 & O 400 IM*	30

## Saturday Afternoon

Girls	Event	Boys
31	12 & U 100 Breast	32
33	12 & U 50 Back	34
35	12 & U 50 Fly	36
37	12 & U 100 Free	38
39	12 & U 200 Free	40
	10 & U 200	
41	Medley Relay	42
	11-12 200 Medley	
43	Relay	44

*\*These events are limited to the top 32 swimmers*

## Sunday Morning

Girls	Event	Boys
45	13 & O 100 Breast	46
47	13 & O 200 Fly	48
49	13 & O 50 Free	50
51	13 & O 200 Back	52
53	13 & O 200 Free	54
	13-14 200 Free	
55	Relay	56
57	15 & O 200 Free	58
	Relay	

## Sunday Afternoon

Girls	Event	Boys
59	12 & U 100 Fly	60
61	12 & U 50 Breast	62
63	12 & U 50 Free	64
65	12 & U 100 Back	66
	10 & U 200 Free	
67	Relay	68
	11-12 200 Free	
69	Relay	70