

61st ANNUAL CHRISTMAS MEET TEAM PITTSBURGH ELITE AQUATICS DECEMBER 14-17, 2023



This meet is held under the Sanction of USA Swimming and Allegheny Mountain Swimming, #AM-121423-01 TT# AM-121423-1TT In granting this sanction it is understood and agreed that USA Swimming shall be free from any liabilities or claims for damages arising by reason of injuries to anyone during the conduct of the event.

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Cocility	Trees Pool, University of Pittsburgh, Allequippa and Darragh St. Pittsl						
Facility Facility Description	Two 8 lane, 25 yard competition pool with Daktronics timing system an There will be a separate six lane 25-yard warm-up/warm-down pool wl 9 lanes will be used for all Final sessions and Thursday night timed fin. The depth of the water at the start end of the deep pool is 7 feet and a	wo 8 lane, 25 yard competition pool with Daktronics timing system and anti-wave lane lines. There will be a separate six lane 25-yard warm-up/warm-down pool which will be available during the meet. I all lanes will be used for all Final sessions and Thursday night timed finals, the depth of the water at the start end of the deep pool is 7 feet and at the turn end of the pool is 16 feet. The depth of the water at the start end of the deep pool is 4.5 feet and at the turn end of the pool is 4.5 feet.					
Pool Certification	he competition course has been certified in accordance with Article 104.2.2C (4)						
Entries Open	Tuesday, November 14, 2023 @ 10:00pm	Entries Close	Sunday, December 10, 2023 @10:00pm				
Supplemental Entries	None						
Entry Fees	Individual - \$7.00; Relays - \$12.00 Distance \$8.00 (1000/1650 Free)	•	\$8.00				
Event Limit	3 Individual Events per day (excluding relays). No Club may enter mo						
Meet Director	Marian Clark	Phone: 412-648-3154	E-Mail: mclark@athletics.pitt.edu				
Meet Entry Chair	Marian Clark		E-Mail Entries to: peaq-entries@amswim.org				
Mail Entry Fees to:	Mimi Perez-PEAQ at PITT, 222 Gladstone Rd, Pittsburgh PA 15217		Checks Payable to: Team Pittsburgh Swimming				
	Payments <u>shall</u> be made for the entries to the host prior to the start of of events	f the meet. No refunds wi	ill be given, except for mandatory scratch down				
Operational Risk Director	Mimi Perez Phone: 412-606-2882 E-MAIL: mimiperez71@gmail.com						
Officials Contact	Christie Newcamp	Phone: 412-496-7918	E-MAIL:				
Official's Qualifying Meet QM# - QM23-177	Application to Officiate If you would like to be evaluated as an N2 Strong December 1, 2023. The application form can be found at: APPLICATIONFICIALS ' BRIEFINGS	oke & Turn, Chief Judge,	Starter or Referee, please submit applications by				
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Meet Referee	Christie Newcamp	Phone: 412-496-7918	E-MAIL: retiredlawyer@comcast.net				
Administrative Referee	Donna Beyerl	Phone: 412-977-7036	E-MAIL: donnabeyerl@gmail.com				
Awards	Individual Awards: Medals 1st-3rd for 13-14, 15-16, & Senior Medals 1st -3rd place and Ribbons 4th-9th place for 12 & under Note: High point awards for all age groups and seniors will be awarded at the conclusion of the meet. Points scored will only count in the age group that they are swum. Relay Awards: Medals 1st-3rd place *Special Award*: The Carol and Jerry Zaleski award will be presented to the winner of Senior Men and Senior Women 100-yard freestyle. The names of the winner will be placed on a permanent plaque in the pool balcony						
Scoring	This meet will be scored for all events/age groups, championship final only Individual events: 10,8,7,6,5,4,3,2,1 Relay events: 20,16,14,12,10,8,6,4,2						
Session	Warm-Up Times – (Times listed below may be modified base	ed upon entries)	Meet Start Time				
Thursday Evening	Warm-ups begin at 4:00 PM		5:00pm				
Fri, Sat, Sun AM	Doors open at 6:30AM, warm-ups begin 6:50AM (lanes and times ma	<u> </u>	8:30am				
Fri. Sat, Sun PM	Warm-ups begin no sooner than 11:30 PM Fri/Sat/Sun (lanes and tim		No sooner than 12:30PM Fri/Sat/Sun				
Fri, Sat, Sun Finals	No later than 5:00PM Fri/Sat. and *4:00 Sun* - *NOTE Sun. times diff	er.	6:00PM Fri/Sat *5:00PM Sun*				
	There may be up to a ten (10) minute break prior to the start of the 13	and over relays, prelims	s, and finals				
Events	This meet will be conducted in accordance with the attached schedule Fly-over starts WILL be used during Prelims Sessions.	e of events, and if applica	able, per the Qualifying Times stated.				

for 12 & under, 5 relays for 14 & under and 5 relays for Open provided each swimmer may enter only one mixed relay and mixed relays must include two females and two males. Swimmers must appear on the master entry to be eligible for a relay. Swimmers must appear on the master entry to be eligible for a relay. Each relay must have at least 2 swimmers per relay who are entered in an individual event. *No Time entries will not be accepted. Note: Names of relay participants may be changed, without penalty, only until their first relay swimmer steps up to the block. All relay events are swum as timed finals. NO DECK ENTERED RELAYS WILL BE ACCEPTED. Deck Entries Deck entries are not permitted at this meet. QUALIFYING TIMES MUST BE ACHIEVED AFTER ANUARY 1, 2020. Qualifying times OUALIFYING TIMES MUST BE ACHIEVED AFTER ANUARY 1, 2020. Qualifying times For 13 and older events 200 and shoroal Time standards For 13 and older events 200 and shoroal Time standards shall are stablished by USA Swimming 12 and under entry times are based off of National "Bit" time standards and events 400 and longer are national "AA" standards. Senior event entry times are based off of In National "Bit" time standards and events 400 and longer are national "AA" standards. Bonus events are available this year!! - If a swimmer qualifies for a single (1) individual event or more, the swimmer may compete in up to three (3) additional events if the bonus time standard is met keeping in mind not to exceed 3 events per day. Bonus events are available this year!! - If a swimmer qualifying time for events 200 AND shorter will be within 1 second per 50 of the meet qualifying standard. Bonus event qualifying times for the 4010 Mr. within 1 (40) seconds of the 0.7. - 500 Free- within the (50) seconds of the 0.7 (four (50) seconds fy you are using the 400 Free LCM OT), and for the - 1600 Free- within the (50) seconds of the 0.7 (four (50) seconds fy you are using the 800 Free LCM OT), and for the - 1600 Free- within the five (50) sec	r							
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	Individual Events: ALL 8 & Under Events, 10 & Under 200 IM, 12 & Under 500 Free and 400 IM, Senior 1000 and 1650 are all timed finals. Senior 1650 FASTEST HEAT swimming with Finals. Heats swum in Prelim Sessions will be seeded fastest to slowest. These heats may alternate Women/Men depending on number of pools being used.
Timed	Sunday Only: The fastest seeds for the 1650 and Senior 400 Freestyle Relay may opt to swim early. Please declare the 1650 Freestyle and the Senior 400 Freestyle Relay intentions by the beginning of Finals Saturday (6pm)
Finals/Finals	Relay Events: ALL Relay events (with the FASTEST HEAT of Senior Relays swimming at Finals)
	15 & 16 Individual Events and Senior Individual Events will each have 2 heats in finals – 1 Consolation Heat (non-scoring) and 1 Championship Heat (scoring)
	Events for 10 & Under, 11-12, 13-14, will be swum in a prelim/finals format with only one scoring heat for FINALS (championship final heat). For all Finals there will be 9 lanes.
Proof of Times	Proof of Times is required for this meet. "NT" (No Time) entries are not accepted. If an athlete fails to be faster than his or her entry time and does not have a proven qualifying time in SWIMS, there may be a fine of \$10.00 per occurrence. ** If Proof of Times is Required, all entry times must be proven through the National SWIMS Database. Times not in SWIMS must be proven 30 minutes prior to the start of the session
	with official results from a USA Swimming Sanctioned, Approved, or Observed meet. See Allegheny Mountain Swimming Policy II.4.0.B.4.
Meet Duration	For sessions with 12&U events, the USA Swimming rule 205.3.1F governs meet duration. Meet session duration may also be subjected to any facility restrictions. Events may be combined to control the length of the meet. Events 400 yards/meters or longer may be limited to the fastest 5 heats per event.
	All swimmers must be registered athletes of USA Swimming as provided in Article 302. Age as of the first day of the meet shall determine the swimmer's age for the entire meet. On-deck USA Swimming registration is not permitted.
	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 without the use of the backstroke ledge. 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.
Swimmer Eligibility	Swimmers must be under the direct supervision of a USA Swimming member coach at all times, including during warm-up and warm-down. Unattached swimmers and swimmers attending without a coach are responsible for securing a USA Swimming member coach to supervise them prior to the meet. It is recommended that swimmers include this information with their entries. Swimmers must inform the Meet/Deck Referee of their selected coach prior to the start of each session.
	Swimmers with disabilities are welcome to attend this meet and should contact the Meet Director and/or Referee prior to the start of the meet regarding any accommodations.
	Only authorized personnel may access the deck. All coaches, officials, and meet personnel must sign-in at the registration table and receive a wristband to be allowed into the pool area. Coaches and officials must show proof of their current, valid USA Swimming registration. USA Swimming Deck Pass is acceptable proof.
Deck Privileges	Prior to entering the deck, unattached swimmers and attached swimmers attending without a coach are responsible for securing a USA Swimming Member coach who will supervise them during warm-up, warm-down, before, during, and after the meet; the swimmer must notify the Referee of this coach prior to the start of the session. Additionally, these swimmers must register a contact person with the Meet Director. This information should be submitted with the entries. Failure to do so will result in the swimmer not being permitted to participate. Coaches and swimmers must remain a minimum of four (4) feet from the pool edge to allow officials to perform their assigned tasks. Coaches and Officials: only competing swimmers, officials and lap counters are permitted within four (4) feet of the pool edge both in the starting and turning areas.
	Warm-up policies are strictly enforced by Meet Marshals and the Meet Referee. See AMS Policies & Procedures. These policies, along with the lane assignments, if applicable shall be posted on the wall at the start end of the pool and at the administrative table.
Warm-Up Policies	 There will be specifically designated lanes during all warm-up sessions for 10 & under swimmers. Warm-up and warm-down is reserved for meet participants only. Swimmers will enter the pool feet first at the start end of the pool and shall be under the direct supervision of a certified coach. No equipment in the competition pools during scheduled warm-ups. (Including but not limited to snorkels, kickboard, fins, or pull buoys.) Designated lanes will be open for starts and one-way sprints during each warm-up session. The outside lanes will be open throughout warm-ups for continual warm-up.
	In sessions with distance events 400 yards/meters or longer, the outside lanes shall be reserved for pacing only. Additionally, there shall be a ten (10) minute break before the events when there is not a separate warm-up/warm down pool available or at the discretion of the Referee. In sessions with distance events (1000/800, 1650/1500) offered and at any championship formatted meet (prelims/finals), the outside lane or
	lanes shall be restricted to pace lanes only at the same time sprint lanes are opened. At any distance only meet or session (1000/800, 1650/1500), only one lane shall be opened for sprinting. Specific warm-up times for each club (if applicable) and/or changes to the warm-up schedule will be posted on the AMS Web Site no later than
	five (5) days prior to the start of the meet and e-mailed by Entry Chair. The Meet Director (in consultation with the Technical Planning Committee), reserves the right to adjust warm-ups and start times based on the number of entries (prior to the meet) or the Meet Referee (the day of the meet).

	This meet will be governed by current USA Swimming Rules and Current AMS Operating Procedures.
	The Meet/Deck Referee shall be in charge of the meet. Any questions regarding the conduct of the meet should be made directly to him/her. The Meet/Deck Referee has final judgment for any issues that arise that day during the meet.
Rules	Per USA Swimming Rule 202.4.9(I), Changing into or out of swimsuits other than in locker rooms or other designated areas is prohibited.
	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.
	Use of audio or visual recording devices, including a cell phone, is not permitted in changing areas, rest rooms, or locker rooms, plus areas behind the starting blocks during the entire meet, including warm-up, competition, and warm-down periods. Only Allegheny Mountain Swimming BOD-approved on-deck photographers may take pictures or videos on deck. Refer to Allegheny Mountain Swimming Policy I.4.0.3 for full information. In the event of any disputes regarding video recording, the Referee's decision shall be final and binding. In no case shall coaches be permitted to delegate this role to athletes
	No glass containers are allowed in the meet venue. Sale and use of alcoholic beverages is prohibited in all areas of the meet venue. The use and sale of any tobacco products are strictly is prohibited in any part of the meet venue.
Minor Athlete Abuse Prevention Policy	All applicable adults participating in or associated with this meet, acknowledge that they are subject to the provision of the USA Swimming Minor Athlete Abuse Prevention Policy ("MAAPP"), and that they understand that compliance with the MAAPP policy is a condition of participation in the conduct of this competition.
Meet Marshals	Meet Marshals have full authority through the Meet/Deck Referee for safety and good order throughout the venue at all times. Swimmers, coaches and spectators may be removed from the deck/venue for non-compliance with procedures or non-cooperation with Marshals' instructions.
Protests	A Meet Jury will adjudicate any protests including issues of conduct which may occur in the meet venue. All protests must be in writing to the Meet/Deck Referee. The Meet Jury will consist of the Meet Director, an Athlete and a Coach. Additional members including an official may be added for a jury of five. The Meet/Deck Referee will act as a mediator A Meet Jury shall be identified and posted at the beginning of each session of the meet.
Racing Start Certification	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. A copy of the Racing Start Certification Checklist, signed by a USA Swimming member coach, must be given to the referee prior to the start of the meet.
Technical Suit Ban	Per USA Swimming Rule 102.8.1F, 12 & Under athletes may not compete in Technical Suits at this meet. A Technical Suit is one that has the following components: Any male or female suit with bonded or taped seams regardless of fabric or silhouette; or Any male or female suit with woven fabric extending to the knee or mid-thigh regardless of the seam type.
COVID-19 Disclaimer	An inherent risk of exposure to COVID-19 exists in any public place where people are present. COVID-19 is an extremely contagious disease that can lead to severe illness and death. According to the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, senior citizens and guests with underlying medical conditions are especially vulnerable. By attending the meet, you voluntarily assume all risks related to exposure to COVID-19. USA Swimming, Inc., cannot prevent you (or your child(ren)) from becoming exposed to, contracting, or spreading COVID-19 while participating in USA Swimming sanctioned events. It is not possible to prevent against the presence of the disease. Therefore, if you choose to participate in a USA Swimming sanctioned event, you may be exposing yourself to and/or increasing your risk of contracting or spreading COVID19. BY ATTENDING OR PARTICIPATING IN THIS COMPETITION, YOU VOLUNTARILY ASSUME ALL RISKS ASSOCIATED WITH EXPOSURE TO COVID-19 AND FOREVER RELEASE AND HOLD HARMLESS USA SWIMMING AND AMS AND EACH OF THEIR OFFICERS, DIRECTORS, AGENTS, EMPLOYEES OR OTHER REPRESENTATIVES FROM ANY LIABILITY OR CLAIMS INCLUDING FOR PERSONAL INJURIES, DEATH, DISEASE OR PROPERTY LOSSES, OR ANY OTHER LOSS, INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO CLAIMS OF NEGLIGENCE AND GIVE UP ANY CLAIMS YOU MAY HAVE TO SEEK DAMAGES, WHETHER KNOWN OR UNKNOWN, FORESEEN OR UNFORESEEN, IN CONNECTION THEREWITH. For more compliance to USA Swimming's Return to Competition sanctioning requirements, please visit: https://www.usaswimming.org/docs/default-source/governance/2020returntocompetitionIscsanctionregsv2i-3.pd
Parental Access & Safe Sport Considerations for Athletes	Should a parent need to access a child who is on deck, the child will be brought to the parent at the pool door or in case of emergency, the parent may be escorted to the child. Allegheny Mountain Swimming and the Host teams encourage parents to volunteer during the swim meet to reduce the number of people in the facility.
Additional Facility Requirements	The University of Pittsburgh determines whether or not masks are mandated indoors based on the community transmission. LOW Community Spread: Masks are not required. MEDIUM Community Spread: Masks are recommended but not mandatory. HIGH Community Spread: Masks are mandated for all visitors to the University buildings. PEAQ will enforce ALL University regulations. The level of community spread will be communicated to all teams at the time the meet announcement is published as well as updating the teams if the status changes.
Directions & Other Information	Parking information will be posted by Thursday AM (the start of the meet) TIMERS - Team timer assignments will be scheduled based on team size. Coaches will be informed of their teams' assignments shortly after the entry deadline.

Any Swimmer or relay team failing to swim an event at a pre-seeded session of a prelims-finals meet shall not be penalized for failure to swim. Positive Check-in events (400 yards/meters or longer): Any swimmer who has checked in for an individual event that is seeded on the deck must swim in the event unless he notifies the Referee or designated meet official of his/her wish to scratch before the seeding for the event has begun. Failure to scratch prior to seeding and failure to swim the event will result in the swimmer being barred from his/her next individual event or relay.

Events seeded on the deck shall be closed for seeding no later than 35 minutes prior to the start of the event. Any swimmer qualifying for a C, B or A (bonus and consolation final or) final race in an individual event who fails to compete in said final shall be barred from further competition for the remainder of the meet, except as noted in "Exceptions for Failure to Compete." A declared false start or deliberate delay of meet is not permitted and will be regarded as a failure to compete.

Any Swimmer who qualifies for a C, B or A Final and does not compete shall be subject to a monetary fine. If such failure to compete occurs on the swimmer's last day of the meet, the swimmer shall be charged a penalty of \$25 by AMS. The \$25 penalty fee will be charged to the swimmer's club or to the swimmer themselves in the event that they are unattached.

This penalty fee should be paid to AMS (Allegheny Mountain Swimming) and mailed to the Permanent Office within 14 days of the conclusion of the meet. Failure to pay this fine prevents this swimmer/team from participating in a future meet. The Meet /Deck and or Admin Referee shall notify the Permanent Office of any penalties due within 1 day of the conclusion of the meet.

AMS Scratch Rule for Prelims/Finals

Thirty (30) Minute Scratch Rule

A swimmer who qualified for a C, B or A Final (Bonus – C, Consolation – B, Championship – A) must notify the designated official of his/her intent to scratch within thirty (30) minutes after the announcement of the qualifiers.

The swimmer shall further declare his/her final intention within thirty (30) minutes following his/her last individual preliminary event in the session. If the swimmer does not declare his/her intention at the end of the 30 minutes of his/her final individual event, the swimmer will be seeded into the final event. Any penalties for not swimming at finals will be upheld. Swimmers and/or coaches should re-check with the Scratch Table to see if their swimmer has been scratched into one of the finals heats. Swimmers not intending to return for finals, regardless of the seeded position should fill out the scratch form.

Exception for Failure to Scratch- No Penalty shall apply:

- a. The Referee is notified of illness or injury and accepts the proof thereof.
- b. A swimmer qualifying for a consolation final or final race following preliminaries notified the Referee or designee within thirty (30) minutes after the announcement of the qualifiers for that race that the swimmer may not intend to compete. The swimmer must declare within thirty (30) minutes following his last individual preliminary event a final intention to scratch or swim.
- c. It is determined by the Referee that failure to scratch was caused by circumstances beyond the control of the swimmer.
- d. A swimmer who was not one of the original qualifiers and who was scratched into the qualifiers list

WOMEN	EQUAL TO OR FASTER THAN	EQUAL TO OR FASTER THAN	THURSDAY EVENING Session 1 – DEEP END	EQUAL TO OR FASTER THAN	EQUAL TO OR FASTER THAN	MEN
	LCM	SCY		SCY	LCM	
1	NQT	NQT	10 & Under 200 Mixed Relay	NQT	NQT	1
2	NQT	NQT	12 & Under 200 Mixed Relay	NQT	NQT	2
3	NQT	NQT	14 & Under 400 Mixed Relay	NQT	NQT	3
4	NQT	NQT	Open 400 Medley Relay	NQT	NQT	4
5	5:56.49	6:38.19	12 & Under 500 Free	6:27.49	5:48.69	6
7	3:43.19	3:15.59	10 & Under 200 Individual Medley	3:13.19	3:40.79	8
9	10:05.29	11:18.69	Senior 1000 Free	10:27.09	9:23.59	10
11	6:48.29	5:56.79	11-12 400 Individual Medley	5:46.39	6:39.19	12

Swimmers competing in 12 & Under 500 and/or Senior 1000 Thursday must provide their own lap counter.

WOMEN	EQUAL TO OR FASTER THAN	EQUAL TO OR FASTER THAN	FRIDAY MORNING Sessions 2 & 3	EQUAL TO OR FASTER THAN	EQUAL TO OR FASTER THAN	MEN
	LCM	SCY		SCY	LCM	
13	2:47.79	2:25.49	13-14 200 Individual Medley	2:17.09	2:38.29	14
15	2:44.49	2:22.99	15-16 200 Individual Medley	2:10.09	2:31.39	16
17	2:43.39	2:20.89	Senior 200 Individual Medley	2:06.59	2:28.89	18
19	1:14.29	1:05.49	13-14 100 Butterfly	1:00.99	1:09.69	20
21	1:13.19	1:03.99	15-16 100 Butterfly	57.89	1:06.29	22
23	1:12.19	1:03.09	Senior 100 Butterfly	56.49	1:04.69	24
25	NQT	NQT	Senior 800 Freestyle Relay	NQT	NQT	26
27	5:01.29	5:34.99	13-14 500 Freestyle	5:17.59	4:46.69	28
29	4:53.39	5:24.99	Senior 500 Freestyle	4:57.49	4:30.39	30

Friday Morning Deep will be Events 13, 16, 18, 19, 22, 24, 26, 27, 30 Friday Morning Shallow will be Events 14, 15, 17, 20, 21, 23, 25, 28, 29

GIRLS	EQUAL TO OR FASTER THAN	EQUAL TO OR FASTER THAN	FRIDAY AFTERNOON Sessions 4 & 5	EQUAL TO OR FASTER THAN	EQUAL TO OR FASTER THAN	BOYS
	LCM	SCY		SCY	LCM	
31	2:49.19	2:28.99	11-12 200 Freestyle	2:23.49	2:44.89	32
33	3:20.99	2:57.19	10 & Under 200 Freestyle	2:47.99	3:12.09	34
35	1:49.79	1:37.39	8 & Under 100 Freestyle	1:35.59	1:47.79	36
37	38.29	33.89	11-12 50 Butterfly	34.19	38.59	38
39	47.09	41.79	10 & Under 50 Butterfly	40.49	45.99	40
41	1:05.09	57.99	8 & Under 50 Butterfly	56.19	1:03.09	42
43	N/A	1:18.09	11-12 100 Individual Medley	1:14.99	N/A	44
45	N/A	1:31.69	10 & Under 100 Individual Medley	1:28.89	N/A	46
47	3:09.89	2:43.99	11-12 200 Backstroke	2:39.69	3:05.19	48

Friday Afternoon either be swum all in the Deep in Event Number order 31-48

	FRIDAY FINALS	
WOMEN	Session 6- DEEP END	MEN
31	11-12 200 Freestyle	32
33	10 & Under 200Freestyle	34
13	13-14 200 Individual Medley	14
15	15-16 200 Individual Medley	16
17	Senior 200 Individual Medley (C,B,A)	18
37	11-12 50 Butterfly	38
39	10 & Under 50Butterfly	40
19	13-14 100 Butterfly	20
21	15-16 100 Butterfly	22
23	Senior 100 Butterfly (C,B,A)	24
43	11-12 100 Individual Medley	44
45	10 & Under 100 Individual Medley	46
27	13-14 500Freestyle	28
29	Senior 500 Freestyle (C,B,A)	30
47	11-12 200 Backstroke	48
25	Senior 800 Freestyle Relay (Final Heat)	26

WOMEN	EQUAL TO OR FASTER THAN	EQUAL TO OR FASTER THAN	SATURDAY MORNING Sessions 7 & 8	EQUAL TO OR FASTER THAN	EQUAL TO OR FASTER THAN	MEN
	LCM	SCY		SCY	LCM	
49	NQT	NQT	Senior 400 Medley Relay	NQT	NQT	50
51	2:29.39	2:10.39	13-14 200 Freestyle	2:02.59	2:20.59	52
53	2:25.39	2:07.29	Senior 200 Freestyle	1:54.09	2:12.49	54
55	1:17.09	1:05.69	13-14 100 Backstroke	1:01.29	1:11.89	56
57	1:14.89	1:03.99	15-16 100 Backstroke	58.39	1:08.69	58
59	1:14.19	1:03.19	Senior 100 Backstroke	56.69	1:07.39	60
61	3:08.29	2:43.69	13-14 200 Breaststroke	2:31.39	2:56.09	62
63	3:02.69	2:37.59	Senior 200 Breaststroke	2:19.99	2:44.19	64
65	31.79	27.89	13-14 50 Freestyle	25.69	29.49	66
67	31.19	27.19	15-16 50 Freestyle	24.39	27.89	68
69	30.99	26.89	Senior 50 Freestyle	23.89	27.79	70
71	NQT	NQT	13-14 200 Medley Relay	NQT	NQT	72
73	NQT	NQT	15-16 200 Medley Relay	NQT	NQT	74
75	5:41.29	4:58.69	13-14 400 Individual Medley	4:40.49	5:22.59	76
77	5:32.89	4:48.49	Senior 400 Individual Medley	4:22.69	5:03.39	78

Saturday Morning Deep will be Events 49, 52, 53, 56, 57, 59, 62, 63, 66, 67, 69, 72, 73, 76, 77, Saturday Morning Shallow will be Events 50, 51, 54, 55, 58, 60, 61, 64, 65, 68, 70, 71, 74, 75, 78

GIRLS	EQUAL TO OR FASTER THAN	EQUAL TO OR FASTER THAN	SATURDAY AFTERNOON Sessions 9 & 10	EQUAL TO OR FASTER THAN	EQUAL TO OR FASTER THAN	BOYS
	LCM	SCY		SCY	LCM	
79	1:18.09	1:08.29	11-12 100 Freestyle	1:05.89	1:15.49	80
81	1:31.19	1:19.99	10 & Under 100 Freestyle	1:18.79	1:30.19	82
83	1:40.89	1:27.19	11-12 100 Breaststroke	1:24.49	1:38.39	84
85	1:59.79	1:44.99	10 & Under 100 Breaststroke	1:41.69	1:55.99	86
87	1:13.19	1:04.99	8 & Under 50 Breaststroke	1:03.79	1:11.89	88
89	40.79	35.39	11-12 50Backstroke	34.99	40.39	90
91	48.89	41.89	10 & Under 50 Backstroke	42.29	49.19	92
93	3:11.39	2:47.29	11-12 200Individual Medley	2:43.99	3:08.49	94
95	N/A	2:03.69	8 & Under 100 Individual Medley	2:00.39	N/A	96
97	3:10.19	2:47.19	11-12 200 Butterfly	2:40.79	3:06.19	98
99	NQT	NQT	10 & Under 200 Freestyle Relay	NQT	NQT	100
101	NQT	NQT	11-12 200 Freestyle Relay	NQT	NQT	102

Saturday Afternoon will either be swum all in the Deep in Event Number order 79-102 $\,$

OR

Saturday Afternoon Deep will be Events 79, 82, 83, 86, 88, 89, 92, 93, 96, 97, 100, 101 Saturday Afternoon Shallow will be Events 80, 81, 84, 85, 87, 90, 91, 94, 95, 98, 99, 102

WOMEN	SATURDAY FINALS	MEN
WOMEN	Session 11- DEEP END	MEN
51	13-14 200 Freestyle	52
53	Senior 200 Freestyle	54
79	11-12 100 Freestyle	80
81	10 & Under 100Freestyle	82
55	13-14 100 Backstroke	56
57	15-16 100 Backstroke	58
59	Senior 100 Backstroke (C,B,A)	60
83	11-12 100 Breaststroke	84
85	10 & Under 100 Breaststroke	86
61	13-14 200 Breaststroke	62
63	Senior 200 Breaststroke (C,B,A)	64
89	11-12 50 Backstroke	90
91	10 & Under 50 Backstroke	92
65	13-14 50 Freestyle	66
67	15-16 50 Freestyle	68
69	Senior 50 Freestyle (C,B,A)	70
93	11-12 200 Individual Medley	94
75	13-14 400 Individual Medley	76
77	Senior 400 Individual Medley (C,B,A)	78
97	11-12 200 Butterfly	98
49	Senior 400 Medley Relay (Final Heat)	50

WOMEN	EQUAL TO OR FASTER THAN	EQUAL TO OR FASTER THAN	SUNDAY MORNING Sessions 12 & 13	EQUAL TO OR FASTER THAN	EQUAL TO OR FASTER THAN	MEN
	LCM	SCY		SCY	LCM	
103	NQT	NQT	Senior 400 Freestyle Relay	NQT	NQT	104
105	2:44.89	2:22.99	13-14 200 Backstroke	2:13.99	2:36.09	106
107	2:40.19	2:16.99	Senior 200 Backstroke	2:04.19	2:26.19	108
109	1:08.99	1:00.49	13-14 100 Freestyle	56.29	1:04.49	110
111	1:07.89	58.99	15-16 100 Freestyle	53.49	1:01.69	112
113	1:07.39	58.49	Senior 100 Freestyle	52.29	1:00.19	114
115	2:45.49	2:24.89	13-14 200 Butterfly	2:15.59	2:35.09	116
117	2:40.09	2:20.19	Senior 200 Butterfly	2:06.39	2:24.39	118
119	1:27.49	1:15.39	13-14 100 Breaststroke	1:09.69	1:21.29	120
121	1:25.29	1:13.59	15-16 100 Breaststroke	1:05.59	1:16.99	122
123	1:24.59	1:12.79	Senior 100 Breaststroke	1:04.39	1:15.39	124
125	NQT	NQT	13-14 200 Freestyle Relay	NQT	NQT	126
127	NQT	NQT	15-16 200 Freestyle Relay	NQT	NQT	128
129	19:18.49	18:44.09	Senior 1650 Freestyle	17:22.09	17:59.89	130

Sunday Morning Shallow will be Events 103, 106, 107, 110, 111, 113, 116, 117, 120, 121, 123, 126, 127, 129 Sunday Deep will be Events 104, 105, 108, 109, 112, 114, 115, 118, 119, 122, 124, 125, 128, 130

GIRLS	EQUAL TO OR FASTER THAN	EQUAL TO OR FASTER THAN	SUNDAY AFTERNOON Sessions 14 & 15	EQUAL TO OR FASTER THAN	EQUAL TO OR FASTER THAN	BOYS
	LCM	SCY		SCY	LCM	
131	3:35.99	3:06.59	11-12 200 Breaststroke	3:00.19	3:28.69	132
133	1:03.69	56.79	8 & Under 50 Backstroke	57.49	1:04.49	134
135	1:45.99	1:30.69	10 & Under 100 Backstroke	1:29.29	1:43.09	136
137	1:30.99	1:18.09	11-12 100 Backstroke	1:15.69	1:27.99	138
139	52.69	46.69	8 & Under 50 Freestyle	45.89	51.79	140
141	39.89	35.19	10 & Under 50 Freestyle	34.49	39.49	142
143	35.69	31.29	11-12 50 Freestyle	30.29	34.69	144
145	1:52.99	1:39.09	10 & Under 100 Butterfly	1:37.09	1:50.79	146
147	1:28.49	1:17.59	11-12 100 Butterfly	1:16.09	1:26.29	148
149	53.99	47.49	10 & Under 50 Breaststroke	46.59	53.29	150
151	45.49	39.99	11-12 50 Breaststroke	39.49	45.19	152
153	NQT	NQT	10 & Under 200 Medley Relay	NQT	NQT	154
155	NQT	NQT	11-12 200 Medley Relay	NQT	NQT	156

Saturday Afternoon will either be swum all in the Deep in Event Number order 131-156 OR

Saturday Afternoon Shallow will be Events 131, 134, 136, 137, 140, 142, 143, 146, 147, 150, 151, 154, 155 Saturday Afternoon Deep will be Events 132, 133, 135, 138, 139, 141, 144, 145, 148, 149, 152, 153, 156

	SUNDAY FINALS				
WOMEN	Session 16- DEEP END	MEN			
131	11-12 200 Breaststroke	132			
129	Senior 1650 Freestyle (Final Heat)	130			
135	10 & Under 100 Backstroke	136			
137	11-12 100 Backstroke	138			
105	13-14 200 Backstroke	106			
107	Senior 200 Backstroke (C,B,A)	108			
141	10 & Under 50 Freestyle	142			
143	11-12 50 Freestyle	144			
109	13-14 100 Freestyle	110			
111	15-16 100 Freestyle	112			
113	Senior 100 Freestyle (C,B,A)	114			
145	10 & Under 100 Butterfly	146			
147	11-12 100 Butterfly	148			
115	13-14 200 Butterfly	116			
117	Senior 200 Butterfly (C,B,A)	118			
149	10 & Under 50 Breaststroke	150			
151	11-12 50 Breaststroke	152			
119	13-14 100 Breaststroke	120			
121	15-16 100 Breaststroke	122			
123	Senior 100 Breaststroke (C,B,A)	124			
103	Senior 400 Freestyle Relay (Final Heat)	104			