



## 2021 Savannah Sprints

March 27, 2021

<b>HOST</b>	Savannah Swim Team - (SST)
<b>SANCTION:</b>	Held under the sanction of USA Swimming, issued by Georgia Swimming Inc., <b>Sanction #:</b>
<b>MAAPP: Minor Athlete Abuse Protection Policy</b>  <b>Effective June 23, 2019</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>A USA Swimming club that hosts a sanctioned USA Swimming swim meet indicates acknowledgement of USA Swimming's Minor Athlete Abuse Prevention Policy ("MAAPP").</i></li> <li>• <i>All USA Swimming members including athletes 18yrs and older and adults <u>who are attending this swim meet</u> and interact with minor athletes are expected to comply with the MAAPP policy.</i></li> <li>• <i>All chaperones, team managers, adult swimmers, meet directors, officials, and non-member parents and meet volunteers <u>who are attending this swim meet</u> are expected to understand and comply with MAAPP.</i></li> <li>• <i>As the host club, you are responsible for ensuring that these individuals know about and comply with MAAPP..</i></li> </ul>
<b>LIABILITY:</b>	In granting this sanction it is understood and agreed that USA Swimming, Inc., Georgia Swimming, Inc., and Savannah Swim Team., 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.
<b>MEET DIRECTOR:</b>	Joe Witt / <a href="mailto:wittjoe@gmail.com">wittjoe@gmail.com</a>
<b>MEET REFEREE:</b>	Frank Campbell / <a href="mailto:frankacampbell@gmail.com">frankacampbell@gmail.com</a>
<b>STARTER:</b>	Heather Harmon, Brendan Sheehan
<b>STROKE AND TURN:</b>	Autumn Shonk, Kimberly Kitchens-Hayes, Daniela Jones
<b>ADMIN OFFICIAL:</b>	Michele Smith/ <a href="mailto:sstentries@gmail.com">sstentries@gmail.com</a>
<b>SAFETY DIRECTOR:</b>	Autumn Shook

<b>FACILITY:</b>	Chatham County Aquatic Center (CCAC), 7240 Sallie Mood Drive, Savannah, GA 31406 (912) 652-6793 This facilities competition pool is a 50-meter x 25-yard pool with deep flow-over gutters, non-turbulent lane lines, depth varying between 7 and 9 feet, and conforms to USA Swimming rules and regulations for competition pools. The competition course has been certified in accordance with 104.2.2C(4). A copy of such certification is on file with USA Swimming and Georgia Swimming. A separate, 6-lane, 25-yard pool is available for warm-up and warm-down. Other features include spectator seating, generous deck space, locker rooms, Dual 8-lane scoreboard, and a Colorado timing system.
<b>SCHEDULE:</b>	Session 1: ALL Ages (Open) - Warm up: 9AM Start: 10AM
<b>MEET FORMAT:</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• SCY</li> <li>• Time Final Format (TF)</li> </ul>
<b>ENTRY FEES:</b>	Flat FEE: \$30.00 A \$2.00 Ga travel surcharge applies to all non-Georgia LSC registered swimmers. LATE ENTRIES: \$30.00 +\$10.00
<b>ELIGIBILITY:</b>	Open to all USA-registered swimmers and teams. SST will not allow unregistered swimmers, coaches, officials or teams to participate in this meet. No swimmer will be permitted to compete unless the swimmer is a member in as provided in Article 302.
<b>ENTRIES:</b>	Swimmers may swim a maximum of 5 individual events per day.
<b>CLERK OF COURSE:</b>	Deck entries can be made with the clerk of course up to 30 minutes before the start of the session
<b>ENTRY SUBMISSION:</b>	<b>ENTRY DEADLINE: Friday, March 19th, 2021 at 7pm.</b> Submit entries using Hy-Tek team manager. Entries must include the USA Swimming Club Code and each swimmer's USA Swimming number, first and last name, age, and seeding time for each event entered.

**RULES:**

Georgia Swimming Tech Suit Policy - refer to [www.gaswim.org](http://www.gaswim.org)

**Select: Meets/Events from the home page to review full policy**

**Revised: Effective April 1, 2019:**

In all Georgia Swimming Sanctioned or Approved competitions, the use of Tech Suits as defined below will NOT be allowed by any 12&Under athletes (whether competing in age-specific or "Open" events). 11-12 swimmers only will be allowed to wear Tech Suits at meets determined as Championship meets in the LSC such as Divisionals, State Championships, and Age Group Sectionals

**Current USA Swimming Technical Rules, including the Minor Athlete Abuse Prevention Policy ("MAAPP"), will govern this meet.**

Use of audio or visual recording devices, including a cell phone, is not permitted in changing areas, rest rooms or locker rooms.

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.

**Deck changes are prohibited.** (Defined as changing, in whole or in part, into or out of a swimsuit when wearing just one suit in an area other than a permanent or temporary locker room, bathroom, changing room or other space designated for changing purposes). Swimmers participating in deck changing could be subject to removal from further competition in the meet.

On deck registrations will not be permitted during this event.

Operation of a drone, or any other flying apparatus, is prohibited over the venue (pools, athlete/coaches' 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, Program & Events Committee Chair or designee.

Photos and videos may be taken of swimmers during the meet by parents or a professional photographer retained by the host club. All participants agree to be filmed or photographed by photographers designated by the meet host and to allow the meet host the right to use names, pictures, likenesses, and biographical information before, during, or after the period of participation in Georgia Swimming competitions to promote swimming and meets hosted by the meet organizer. If you do not wish to have your child(ren) photographed, you may withdraw your consent by informing the Meet Director before the start of the first day of the meet.

Swimmers will be responsible for swimming in their assigned heat and lane.

Deck Pass is acceptable proof of USA Swimming membership.

Swimmers entered in the meet, unaccompanied by a member coach must report to the Meet Referee or Meet Director, prior to the beginning of swimming activities to arrange for coach supervision of warm up, competition and warm down during the meet.

<b>COACHES:</b>	Coaches will be required to sign in and show their USA Swimming coaches registration card or <b>DECK PASS</b> for verification that all certifications are current. Coaches meeting as needed.
<b>OFFICIALS:</b>	SST welcomes visiting officials and apprentices and will appreciate help in officiating this competition. There will be an official's meeting at 8:30 prior to the start of each session. The official's uniform will consist of a white polo collared shirt, navy blue shorts, skirts or slacks with white socks and shoes. All officials must present at check in, their current LSC Officials Certification Card; <b>OR</b> a recently completed Apprentice Form; <b>AND</b> proof of current USA Swimming Non-Athlete membership. Credentials may be required for deck access and hospitality.
<b>MEET COMMITTEE:</b>	The Meet Committee shall be established during the coaching meeting or prior to the competition and shall consist of the Meet Director, Meet Referee, Coaches and athlete members, as appropriate. As defined in the Official Glossary (2020 USA Swimming Rule-book)
<b>AWARDS:</b>	None
<b>SCORING:</b>	No Scoring
<b>CONCESSIONS:</b>	N/A
<b>GEORGIA WARM-UP POLICY:</b>	The Georgia Swimming approved warm-up guidelines will be followed for this meet. Warm-up lane assignments will be posted at the pool. USA Swimming Certified Coaches must supervise in the vicinity of all warm-up activities. <b>Refer <a href="http://www.gaofficials.org/documents">www.gaofficials.org/documents</a></b>
<b>GEORGIA SCRATCH RULE:</b>	<b>Refer <a href="http://www.gaofficials.org/documents">www.gaofficials.org/documents</a></b>
<b>MISC. INFORMATION:</b>	<b>Prior to the meet warm-up, any team wanting water time must rent lanes from the CCAC. Lane availability are limited, and arrangements must be made in advance. Contact the facility directly at (912) 652-6793.</b>

**Saturday Morning, March 27, 2021**

Warm-Ups: 9:00am

Meet Start: 10:00am

<b>Event Number</b>	<b>Event*</b>	<b>Gender</b>
1	25 Free	Mixed
2	25 Breast	Mixed
3	25 Back	Mixed
4	25 Fly	Mixed
5	50 Free	Mixed
6	100 Fly	Mixed
7	50 Breast	Mixed
8	100 Back	Mixed
9	100 IM	Mixed
10	50 Back	Mixed
11	100 Breast	Mixed
12	50 Fly	Mixed
13	100 Free	Mixed
	7 Minute Break	
14	500 Free	Mixed

**\*All events will be OPEN, Mixed, Seeded Fast to Slow.**

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Team Name \_\_\_\_\_ Team abbreviation \_\_\_\_\_

Team Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Head Coach \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Home \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

For entry problems call or e-mail \_\_\_\_\_

***All coaches from your team present at the meet, must be listed***

Coach \_\_\_\_\_ Coach \_\_\_\_\_

Coach \_\_\_\_\_ Coach \_\_\_\_\_

Coach \_\_\_\_\_ Coach \_\_\_\_\_

Swimmers \_\_\_\_\_ X \$25.00 = \_\_\_\_\_

Surcharge applies to all non-Georgia LSC registered swimmers. X \$2.00 = \_\_\_\_\_

**Total fees submitted** \_\_\_\_\_

**Submit one check payable to: Savannah Swim Team**

Entries must be received on or before **Thursday, Mar 19, 2021 at 7pm.**

Mail entries to: Joe Witt  
106 Hidden Way, Savannah, GA, 31419

**WAIVER, ACKNOWLEDGMENT AND LIABILITY RELEASE**

I, the undersigned coach or team representative, verify that all swimmers and coaches listed on the enclosed entry are registered with USA Swimming.

I acknowledge that I am familiar with the safety rules of USA Swimming and Georgia Swimming regarding warm-up procedures and that I shall be responsible for the compliance of my swimmers with those rules during this meet.

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

**I have reviewed RULE 302.4 FALSE REGISTRATION and understand that if a swimmer who is not properly registered with USA Swimming competes in a sanctioned competition, Georgia Swimming Inc. may impose a fine of up to \$100.00 per event against the individual, member coach or member club submitting the entry.**

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Signature/Title

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date