



2021 Georgia Senior Short Course State Championships
March 19th-21st, 2021

Host Club:

SwimAtlanta

Sanction:

Held under the sanction of USA Swimming, issued by Georgia Swimming Inc.,

- **Sanction #: GA21-050**
- Article 202.4.3: Granted sanctions are non-transferrable to other organizations or clubs. Any such transferred sanction shall be void and the Sanction Committee shall deny any further sanctions to the organization or club violating this provision.
- In applying for this sanctioned event, the Host, SwimAtlanta agrees to comply and to enforce all health and safety mandates and guidelines of USA Swimming, Georgia LSC, the State of Georgia, and local jurisdiction.

Minor Athlete Abuse Protection Policy: (MAAPP) Effective June 23, 2019

- A USA Swimming club that hosts a sanctioned USA Swimming swim meet indicates acknowledgement of USA Swimming's Minor Athlete Abuse Prevention Policy ("MAAPP").
- All USA Swimming members including athletes 18 and older and adults who interact with minor athletes at swim meets are expected to comply with the MAAPP policy.
- All chaperones, team managers, adult swimmers, meet directors, officials, and non-member parents and meet volunteers are expected to understand and comply with MAAPP.
- As the host club, you are responsible for ensuring that these individuals know about and comply with MAAPP.

Meet Referee:

Joe DeCarlo - jDeCarlo.usaswimming@gmail.com

Admin Official:

Cheryl Loprinzo cheryl.loprinzo@comcast.net

Meet Director:

Mark Schilling markschilling@goldswim.com , Wil Bayer wil@swimatlanta.com & Chris Davis chrisjr@swimatlanta.com

Meet Entries:

Jim Young jimyoung1@mindspring.com 770-519-6500

Facility:

Georgia Tech McAuley Aquatic Center
750 Ferst Drive
Atlanta, GA 30332-0110

Only credentialed coaches, officials, and volunteers will be permitted on the pool deck. **Security will be posted to enforce this policy. Thank you for your cooperation.**

Rules:

- The current USA Swimming Rules and Regulations will govern the conduct of the meet including Minor Athlete Abuse Prevention Policy - MAAPP
- **Use of audio or visual recording devices, including a cell phone, is not permitted in changing areas, rest rooms or locker**

rooms.

- **Deck Pass is acceptable proof of USA Swimming membership**
- Swimmers will be responsible for swimming in their assigned heats and lanes.
- The Meet Referee may elect to change and/or combine heats, determine the need to do dive-over starts, and determine the need to use two pools during competition. Every reasonable effort will be made to notify teams of any changes.
- 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. (Changing, in whole or in part, into or out of swimsuit when wearing just one suit in an area other than a permanent or temporary locker rooms, bathrooms, changing room or other space designated for changing purposes areas) Swimmers participating in deck changing could be subject to removal from further competition in the meet.
- 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 Vice President of Program Operations.
- 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 photographed, you may withdraw your consent by informing the Meet Director before the start of the first day of the meet.
- **No Tech Suits will be allowed to be worn by any athlete 12&under. Per USA SWIMMING POLICY**
- **On-Deck registrations will not be accepted during this meet. No Deck Entries are permitted.**
- If a swimmer is not properly registered with USA Swimming competes in a sanctioned competition, the host LSC may impose a fine of up to \$100.00 per event against the individual, member coach or member club submitting the entry.
- 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 their warmup, competition and warm down.

Eligibility:

- Open to all swimmers registered with USA Swimming and Georgia Swimming who have achieved the required qualifying time standard (see "Qualifying Times") for each event entered during the qualifying period, which is **December 1, 2019 to March 11, 2021.**
- Any swimmer that has qualified for the 1650/ 1500/ 800 Free but does not have a qualifying time in the 1000 Free may enter the 1000 Free at the 1000 Free qualifying time.
- **Effective only for 2021: A swimmer who is qualified for any event in one session may enter the maximum number of events allowed in that session.**

Entry Limit:

- Swimmers may compete in no more than three (3) individual events per day.
- Any swimmer that competes in more events than their daily limit will be disqualified from the last event(s) of that day.

Entries:

- Hy-Tek Meet Manager software will be used, so please submit entries via Hy-Tek Entry File. Entries must include each swimmer's first and last name, age, seed times for each event entered, and their USA Swimming registration number.
- **Swimmers and Teams cannot participate until their entries are complete. Entries are considered complete when both the Email and Mail submissions are received as described below.**
- Confirmation emails will be sent to each team upon receipt of their email and mail submissions.

Email Submission (Step 1)

- Entries should be emailed to the host team. The email must include.
 - 1) The Hy-Tek Entry File
 - 2) A .pdf version of those same Hy-Tek entries, and
 - 3) A list of all attending coaches with their and the team's contact information for confirmation of receipt and any and all additional correspondence and meet announcements.
- Errors in entries submitted are the responsibility of the applicant.
- Email entries should be submitted to: Jim Young jimyoung1@mindspring.com

Mail Submission (Step 2)

- Before entries are considered complete, the following items must also be received by the host team.
 - 1) A completed and signed 'Entry Summary and Liability Release Form'.
 - 2) Full payment of meet entry fees, and
 - 3) A signed hard copy of the entries.
- Mail to:

SwimAtlanta - Megan Davis
Attn: Senior State
5059 Post Road
Cumming, GA 30040

Entry Deadline:

- **All entries must be received by 10:00 PM, Friday, March 12, 2021.**
- On March 13th, a Psych Sheet will be posted on www.swimatlanta.com
- Teams revised entries and changes will be accepted until 10:00PM on Monday, March 15 and shall be sent in by a NEW COMPLETE TEAM, REVISED HY-TEK ENTRY FILE. THE PREVIOUSLY SENT FILE WILL BE DISCARDED.

Note: teams are responsible for errors in their entry file. The dual-entry deadline is meant for teams to have a chance of catching such errors. There will be no corrections after Monday, March 15.

Entry Fees: Make checks payable to “Amateur Swimming Foundation”

- \$10.00 per individual event
- \$21.00 per swimmer facility surcharge.

Late Entries:

- **NO Late entries will be allowed in the meet.**

Format:

Individual Events

- All individual events will be conducted on a Preliminary and Final basis with the exception of the 1000 and 1650 Freestyles, which will be conducted as a timed final event.
- The 1000/1650 Freestyle heats will be swum fastest to slowest, alternating women followed by men, with all heats being conducted at the end of Sunday’s Prelims. **Note: Positive check-in deadline for the 1000/1650 Freestyle is at the start of Finals on Saturday. Distance heat sheets will be available during the Saturday Finals session.*
- The 400 IM and 500 Freestyle Preliminary heats will be seeded as follows: fastest four heats swum slowest to fastest (4 women heats, 4 men heats), followed by remaining heats swum fastest to slowest alternating women/men. **Note: Positive check-in deadline is TBA for these races on the day of the event.*
- **There may be a 10-minute rest break in Prelims each day before the start of that day’s distance event (400 IM, 500 Free, 1000/1650 Free). Meet management will decide and will be announced at the Coaches’ meeting.**
- Championship, Consolation, Bonus “C” and “D” heats (4 heats in all) will be swum in all Prelim/Final events except for the 400 IM and 500 Free where only a Championship and Consolation Final heat will be conducted. 10 lanes will be used for all Finals heats.
- The order of the Finals heats will be D-C-B-A. For the 500 Free/400 IM it will be B-A. **Note: Those swimmers named as First and Second Alternate in each Prelim/Final event must stand by the starter at the beginning of the event for which they are named if they wish to swim.*

Schedule:

- Georgia Swimming warm-up procedures and rules will be posted and must be followed.
- Subject to Change due to entries and/or Georgia Tech
 - Friday AM: Warmup 8:30AM, 9:45 AM Start
 - Friday PM Finals: Warmup 5:00 PM, 6:00 PM Start
 - Saturday AM: Warmup 10:15 AM, 11:30 AM Start
 - Saturday PM Finals: Warmup 5:30 PM, 6:30 PM Start
 - Sunday AM: Warmup 9:00 AM, 10:15 AM Start
 - Sunday PM Finals: Warmup 4:30 PM, 5:30 PM Start.

Disabled Swimmers:

- All disabled swimmers must meet the [USA-Swimming Para-Motivational Time Standards](#) for their Age Group in every event they wish to participate in the meet. For information on disabled classification contact Glenda Orth (glenda.orth@comcast.net) or the Southern Zone Disability Coordinator – Rayleen Soderstrom: soderstromrayleen@gmail.com
 - Any swimmer with a disability that is not classifiable by the International Paralympic Committee (IPC) standards, that has been diagnosed by a physician as having a disability may compete if they meet the national version of the time standard derived from that disabilities’ international governing body world standards
- Coaches with disabled swimmers competing must notify the Meet Referee prior to the meet.
- Disabled swimmers are eligible to compete in the 50, 100, and 200-yard events. The meet referee may elect to have them swim the 50’s during the 100 able-body 100 events, 100’s during the 200 events, and 200’s during the 400/500 events, based on entry times. The swimmers will swim in their correct age groups.

Seeding:

- Any swimmer entered with a time slower than the qualifying time for that event as shown in "Qualifying Times", including "NT", will be seeded with the qualifying time for that event.
- Any swimmer entering the 1000 Free based on their qualifying time for the 1650/ 1500/ 800 Free will be seeded with the qualifying time for the 1000 Free.

Bonus Events:

- Swimmers who qualify for any event in a session can swim the maximum number of events in that session. Excludes the 400 IM, 500 Free, 1000 free, and 1650 Free.

Proof of Times:

- Swimmers who enter State Championship meets must have achieved a time equal to or faster than the qualifying standard for at least one event per session entered as shown in "Qualifying Times" during the qualifying period."
- The qualifying period for this meet is **December 1, 2019 to March 11, 2021**. The finalized results for each event will be reviewed by Georgia Swimming.
- Proof of times may include those times achieved during either short course yard events (SCY) or long course meter events (LCM) during the eligibility period (see "Qualifying Times" and "Eligibility"). Long course meter equivalent events include:
 - Swimmers who achieve the 400 meters Free cut are allowed to enter the 500 yards Free.
 - Swimmers who achieve the 800 meters Free, 1500 meter Free, or the 1650 yards Free cut are allowed to enter the 1000 yards Free.
- The SWIMS database and unsanctioned events will be used to verify proof of time for this meet.

Scoring:

- There will be no scoring for this event.

Coaches:

- Coaches must sign in with the Clerk of Course and show proof of current USA Swimming Coach certifications and membership, either through coaches' card or Deck Pass.
- Any coach not having current certification will be barred from the building; no exceptions will be made.

Meeting:

- **A TBA coaches' meeting will be held.** At least one coach from each team should attend since coaches are responsible for any and all information discussed and disseminated at the meeting. Subsequent meetings will be arranged if needed.

Heat Sheets:

- Heat Sheets will be provided for each team and posted online at www.swimatlanta.com

Supervision:

- A current coach member of USA Swimming must supervise each swimmer participating in this meet during warm-up and competition. An athlete not escorted by a current coach member must check-in with the Meet Referee upon arrival at the meet. Such athletes will be assigned a member coach who will supervise him/her during warm-up and competition.

Officials:

- The Host Teams welcome visiting officials and appreciates their help in conducting this event.
- Officials or apprentices requesting certain positions may contact the Meet Referee as early as possible prior to the meet. Note that apprenticing as a Starter will not be allowed at this meet.
- Officials must display their credentials while on the pool deck and in hospitality.

Parents and Spectators:

- Parents and spectators are NOT allowed in the Aquatic Center.

Volunteers:

- Megan Davis megan@swimatlanta.com

Hospitality:

- There will be a complimentary hospitality area for coaches and officials.

Attachments:

- The Qualifying Times, Order of Events, Directions and the Entry Summary and Liability Release Form are attached.

Directions:

The Campus Recreation Center's address is: **750 Ferst Drive, Atlanta, GA 30332-0110**. If you have any questions about directions, please call us at 404-385-PLAY.

From the North

Travel South on I-75/85. Exit at North Avenue. Turn right. Continue on North to Cherry Street (immediately before 2nd light) and turn right. Turn left at the stop sign onto Ferst Drive. Go through the light at Regents Drive. The Campus Recreation Center will be on your left.

Alternative Directions heading southbound on I-75: Exit at Howell Mill/Northside Drive Exit. Follow the exit ramp past Howell Mill and exit at Northside Drive. Turn right onto Northside Drive and stay on it as you pass 17th Street, 14th Street, and 10th Street. After the 10th Street intersection, veer to the left at the fork in the road onto Tech Parkway. At the first light turn left onto Regents Drive. Take an immediate left at the next light onto Ferst Drive. The Campus Recreation Center will be on your left.

From the South

Travel North on I-75/85. Exit at West Peachtree/Spring Street. Turn left at 2nd light on West Peachtree. Turn left at the first light onto North Avenue. Continue on North Avenue over the interstate to Cherry Street (immediately before 2nd light) and turn right. Turn left at the stop sign onto Ferst Drive. Go through the light at Regents Drive. The Campus Recreation Center will be on your left.

From 10th Street

Turn South on Hemphill Avenue. When Hemphill ends at Ferst Drive, turn right, and follow Ferst Drive. The Campus Recreation Center will be on your right.

From Midtown

Take 5th Street from Midtown Atlanta (accessible from West Peachtree St. or Spring St.) across the interstate onto campus where 5th Street becomes Ferst Drive. Follow Ferst Drive around campus. After the stop sign at Hemphill Avenue, the Campus Recreation Center will be on your right.

From Northside Drive (from the Georgia Dome)

Head North on Northside Drive. Turn right onto North Avenue. Follow North Avenue under the bridge and turn left onto Tech Parkway at the stoplight (the Coca-Cola building will be on your right). Follow Tech Parkway to the next stoplight and turn right. Then make an immediate left onto Ferst Drive. The Campus Recreation Center will be on your left.

Events & Qualifying Times

Women's Event Number	Qualifying Standard SCY	Qualifying Standard LCM	Friday, March 19 th	Qualifying Standard LCM	Qualifying Standard SCY	Men's Event Number
1	2:00.09	2:16.59	200 Free	2:04.79	1:49.49	2
3	1:15.09	1:25.39	100 Breast	1:16.09	1:06.69	4
5	1:02.09	1:10.39	100 Fly	1:03.59	55.99	6
7	29.99	34.19	50 Back	32.09	28.29	8
9	4:47.89	5:28.99	400 IM*	4:59.49	4:23.99	10

Women's Event Number	Qualifying Standard SCY	Qualifying Standard LCM	Saturday, March 20 th	Qualifying Standard LCM	Qualifying Standard SCY	Men's Event Number
11	1:06.29	--	100 IM	--	1:00.99	12
13	2:22.59	2:36.69	200 Fly	2:21.79	2:05.19	14
15	25.89	29.59	50 Free	26.59	23.19	16
17	2:39.09	3:00.59	200 Breast	2:44.09	2:24.19	18
19	1:02.69	1:10.79	100 Back	1:05.29	57.69	20
21	5:19.69	4:45.39	500 Free	4:22.99	4:54.59	22

Women's Event Number	Qualifying Standard SCY	Qualifying Standard LCM	Sunday, March 21 st	Qualifying Standard LCM	Qualifying Standard SCY	Men's Event Number
23	2:16.79	2:35.89	200 IM	2:22.39	2:05.39	24
25	27.89	31.79	50 Fly	28.89	25.19	26
27	2:13.99	2:31.19	200 Back	2:20.59	2:04.49	28
29	34.89	39.99	50 Breast	35.59	30.89	30
31	56.09	1:03.89	100 Free	57.89	50.69	32
33	11:15.49	10:02.89	Mixed 1000 Free	9:03.79	10:09.19	--
--	17:49.09	18:10.49	Mixed 1650 Free	17:40.09	17:19.29	34

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Entry Summary and Liability Release Form

Team Name _____ Team abbreviation _____

Team Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Head Coach _____

Phone _____ Home _____ Email _____

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

Coach _____ Coach _____

Coach _____ Coach _____

Coach _____ Coach _____

For entry problems call or email _____

Total individual events _____ X \$10.00 = \$ _____

Facility surcharge per swimmer _____ X \$21.00 = \$ _____

Total fees submitted \$ _____

Submit one check payable to "Amateur Swimming"

Entries must be received on or before 10:00 PM, Tuesday, March 16, 2021

Mail entries to: **SwimAtlanta - Megan Davis**
Attn: Senior State
5059 Post Road
Cumming, GA 30040

Email entries to: jimyoung1@mindspring.com

WAIVER, ACKNOWLEDGMENT AND LIABILITY RELEASE

I, the undersigned coach, or team representative, verify that all of the 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.

The Georgia Tech Aquatic Center, SwimAtlanta, Georgia Swimming, Inc, and United States Swimming, Inc., its agents, employees and coaches shall be free from any liability or claim for damages rising by reason of illness or injury to anyone during the conduct of this meet.

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, the host LSC may impose a fine of up to \$100.00 per event against the individual, member coach or member club submitting the entry.

Signature/Title

Date