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2021 SEGA Tsunami

Sunday, September 26, 2021

HOST	Southern Eagle Aquatics - (SEGA)
MEET PURPOSE:	13&O - To provide athletes an experience of a college dual meet format where team score wins the meet. 12&U - To provide an efficient meet where athletes can swim each stroke.
SANCTION: ATTESTATION:	Held under the sanction of USA Swimming, issued by Georgia Swimming Inc., Sanction #: GA21-115 (Rev1) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 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 sanction, Southern Eagle Aquatics 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.
LIABILITY:	In granting this sanction it is understood and agreed that USA Swimming, Inc., Georgia Swimming, Inc., and Southern Eagle Aquatics, shall be free and held harmless from any liabilities or claims for damages arising by reason of injury to anyone during the conduct of the event. THE ATTACHED LIABILITY FORM MUST ACCOMPANY EACH TEAM'S ENTRY.
Minor Athlete Abuse Prevention Policy: Effective June 23, 2019	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 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 18yrs and older and adults who are attending the swim meet and interact with minor athletes are expected to comply with the MAAPP policy. All chaperones, team managers, adult swimmers, meet directors, officials, and non-member parents and meet volunteers who are attending the swim meet 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.
REPORT DISCRIMINATION:	The Georgia LSC believes that there is no place for discrimination in the sport of swimming. If you believe you are the victim of discrimination, you are encouraged to report the incident to USA-Swimming's Associate Counsel & Director of Safe Sport, Abigail Howard (ahoward@usaswimming.org or 719-866-3529). Please provide a complete description of the incident as well as a way to contact you and/or other parties involved. For more information refer to gaswimming.org/diversity

D, E, & I = Reference / Informational Section	Gaswim.org <u>Georgia Swimming LSC: D, E, & I (teamunify.com)</u>						
ELIGIBILITY FOR TIME RECOGNITION TO THE SWIMS DATABASE	Times achieved by an athlete member at a sanctioned competition who is 18 years of age (+30-day grace period) who have not completed the Athlete Protection Training OR (whose APT training had expired) by the date of the swim, WILL NOT be uploaded to the SWIMS database.						
MEET DIRECTOR:	Beau Caldwell / swimsega@gmail.com						
MEET REFEREE:	Frank Campbell / frankacampbell@gmail.com						
STARTER:	Marie Sinkiewicz / maries0811@yahoo.com						
STROKE & TURN:	Jeff Tysinger / tysingerj@georgiasouthern.edu						
ADMIN OFFICIAL:	Kathlene Wilkerson /						
SAFETY:	Katie Thorpe//Scottie Snipes						
FACILITY:	<p>Splash In The Boro 1388 GA-24 Statesboro, GA 30461</p> <p>Facility contains one outdoor 10-lane 25-yard pool and a separate 4-lane 25-yard pool. Ample warm-down space will be made available. Starting depth is more than 10 feet deep in each lane; depth at the turn end is minimum 4 feet in each lane. Ample parking is available. There is no scoreboard, but an Event/Heat board will be on display. The competition course has been certified in accordance with 104.2.2C (4). The copy of such certification is on file with USA Swimming & Georgia Swimming.</p> <p>SEATING/STAGING: Seating within the pool area is permitted. Families are encouraged to bring tents to set up around the facility. A public address system and Event/Heat board will be in place.</p> <p>Splash in the Boro encourages the mask-wearing of each guest on the pool decks and also ask patrons to social distance themselves the best they can to protect themselves and others.</p>						
SCHEDULE:	<table style="width: 100%; border: none;"> <tr> <td style="text-align: center;"><u>Session 1</u></td> <td style="text-align: center;"><u>Session 2</u></td> </tr> <tr> <td>Warm-up Starts: Not before 7:30am</td> <td style="color: red;">Not before 12:00 Noon</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Meet Starts: Not before 9:00am</td> <td style="color: red;">Not before 12:45pm</td> </tr> </table>	<u>Session 1</u>	<u>Session 2</u>	Warm-up Starts: Not before 7:30am	Not before 12:00 Noon	Meet Starts: Not before 9:00am	Not before 12:45pm
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MEET FORMAT:	ALL EVENTS WILL BE PRE-SEEDED AND SWUM AS TIMED FINALS Races will be contested in 6 or 8 lanes depending on the number of entries. ALL EVENTS will start from the starting blocks at the diving board end of the pool						
ELIGIBILITY:	<p style="color: red;">Open to all swimmers registered with USA SWIMMING and Georgia Swimming.</p> <p>Deck Pass is acceptable proof of USA Swimming membership to all USA-registered swimmers and teams. Southern Eagle Aquatics will not allow unregistered swimmers, coaches, officials, or</p>						

	teams to participate in this meet. No swimmer will be permitted to compete unless the swimmer is a member of USA Swimming as provided in Article 302.
QUALIFYING TIMES:	8&U athletes must have a B time in the next shortest distance in order to swim 100 back, 100 breast, 100 fly, or 200 freestyle
CUT-OFF TIMES:	None
RELAYS:	13&O Relays will be contested as single gender events. 12&U & 10&U Relays will be contested as mixed gender events
ENTRY FORMAT	Please submit entries in standard data format (SDIF) or Hy-tek (preferred). Entries must include each swimmer's USA Swimming registration number, first and last name, age, and seed time for each event entered. Paper/electronically written entries will not be accepted. Please mail a printed copy of all entries, fees, and a completed and signed liability release form to: Beau Caldwell 1019 Bradford Way Statesboro, GA 30461 Email Entries: swimsega@gmail.com
ENTRY LIMIT / SESSIONS	Athletes may enter up to 4 events - 13&O may enter 2 individuals & 2 relays, or 3 individuals & 1 relay Teams may enter maximum of 3 individuals/gender in each the 1000 and 500 free 12&U may enter 4 individuals, or 3 individuals & 1 relay Meet Management may adjust session events and entry limitations if the timeline dictates the need to do so in order to keep session under 4 hours, including, but not limited to putting a cap on number of heats and entries in events 200's and longer
ENTRY FEES	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● \$30/athlete ● \$2/athlete Non-Georgia LSC registered athletes ● Please make checks payable to "Southern Eagle Aquatics"
ENTRY DEADLINE	Friday, September 17 at 11:59pm
ON-DECK/ LATE ENTRIES	Lineup changes to 13&O events may be made by each team's respective coaching staff up to the start of an event. On-deck, new entries will not be accepted.
SEEDING	Events will be seeded fast to slow.
RULES:	<p>Tech Suit Restriction for 12-and-Under Swimmers: https://www.usaswimming.org/news/2020/08/24/tech-suit-restriction-for-12-and-under-swimmers</p> <p>102.8 SWIMWEAR .1 Design F. No Technical Suit may be worn by any 12 & Under USA Swimming athlete member in competition at any Sanctioned, Approved or Observed meet.</p> <p><i>1) A Technical Suit is one that has the following components:</i> <i>a. Any suit with any bonded or taped seams regardless of its fabric or silhouette; or</i> <i>b. Any suit with woven fabric extending past the hips.</i></p>

(Note: WOVEN FABRIC-A suit with woven fabric and sewn seams that does not extend below the hips is permitted.)

(Note: KNIT FABRIC-A suit with knit fabric and sewn seams not extending below the knees is permitted.)

This rule is in effect for all USA Swimming competitions in the United States, so any manufacturer or vendor selling a suit in the United States is subject to the above rule. No Technical Suits may be worn by any 12-Under USA Swimming athlete member in competition at any Sanctioned, Approved or Observed meet.

Current USA Swimming 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, behind the blocks (Including warm-up, warm-down, and Competition), 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.

All referees, starters, administrative officials, chief judges, and stroke and turn judges, serving in an official capacity in a sanctioned event, must be non-athlete members of USA Swimming or members of other FINA-member organizations. All meet directors for meets sanctioned by USA Swimming must be members of USA Swimming. Except for coaches accompanying athletes participating under the provisions of 202.9 or USA Swimming’s “open border” policy, all persons acting in any coaching capacity in a sanctioned event must be coach members of USA Swimming.

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.

A swimmer must start and finish the race in the same lane.

Deck Pass is acceptable proof of USA Swimming membership.

	<p>Swimmers participating under the provisions of 202.9 or USA Swimming’s “open border” policy must be under the supervision of their own coach or a USA Swimming member coach. The Meet Director or Meet Referee may assist the swimmer in deciding for such supervision, but it is the swimmer’s responsibility to make such arrangements prior to the start of the meet.</p>
<p>COVID-19 DISCLAIMER</p>	<p>SEGA and Splash in the Boro have taken enhanced health & safety measures for each guest. Guests to Splash in the Boro must follow all posted instructions while visiting. 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 visiting Splash in the Boro, you voluntarily assume all risks related to exposure to COVID-19.</p> <p>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 individuals with underlying medical conditions are especially vulnerable. USA Swimming, Inc., GA Swimming, Bulloch County Board of Commissioners, and Southern Eagle Aquatics 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 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 COVID-19.</p> <p>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, GA SWIMMING, BULLOCH COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS, SOUTHERN EAGLE AQUATICS, 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 WITH EXPOSURE, INFECTION, AND/OR SPREAD OF COVID-19 RELATED TO PARTICIPATION IN THIS COMPETITION</p>
<p>COACHES:</p> <p>COACHES MEETING:</p>	<p>Coaches will be required to sign in and show their USA Swimming coaches registration card or DECK PASS for verification that all certifications are current. At least one coach from each team must attend any coaches’ meeting.</p> <p>NOTE: A coaches meeting, if necessary, will be held via ZOOM within a few days of the meet.</p>
<p>OFFICIALS:</p>	<p>Southern Eagle Aquatics welcomes visiting officials and will appreciate help in officiating this competition. Any certified official or apprentice registered with USA swimming wishing to officiate or apprentice at any session must sign in prior to the required official meeting. There will be an officials’ meeting one (1) hour prior to the start of each session in the auxiliary room.</p> <p>All officials must present, at check-in, their current LSC Officials Certification Card; OR a recently completed Apprentice Form; AND proof of current USA Swimming Non-Athlete membership. Credentials may be required for deck access.</p>

VOLUNTEER TIMERS:	Each visiting club will be assigned lanes to time based on athlete representation in the meet. Visiting clubs are responsible for ensuring these chairs are filled with responsible timers for the duration of the meet.
AWARDS	NO awards will be given out at this meet
SCORING:	<p>Each 13&O event will be scored as follows: Individual events: 9-6-5-4-3-2-1 Relay events: 11-4-2 Teams may score a maximum of two (3) individuals and one (1) relay in each event.</p> <p>12&U events will not be scored.</p>
HOSPITALITY & CONCESSIONS	<p>NO concessions will be sold at this meet. Athletes and families should pack their own food and snacks.</p> <p>Water, soft drinks, and light snacks will be provided to coaches, officials, and meet workers. Please bring your own snacks or eat beforehand.</p>
HEAT SHEET:	Heat sheets are free and will be emailed to coaches, posted on SEGA's twitter @swimsega, and on Meet Mobile.
MEET COMMITTEE:	The Meet Committee shall be established during the coaching meeting or prior to the competition and shall consist of the Meet Referee, 1 head coach and 1 athlete from SEGA, GCAT, and ASL, as appropriate. As defined in the Official Glossary (2021 USA Swimming Rulebook)
GEORGIA WARM-UP POLICY:	The Georgia Swimming approved warm-up guidelines will be followed for this meet. Warm-up lane assignments will be emailed to coaches, posted on SEGA website, and posted at the pool. USA Swimming Certified Coaches must supervise in the vicinity of all warm-up activities. Refer www.gaofficials.org/documents
GEORGIA SCRATCH RULE:	Refer www.gaofficials.org/documents
ADDITIONAL INFO:	For more information, to review psych sheets, check results. VISIT - http://sites.google.com/view/swimsega ; @swimsega on twitter & Instagram

ORDER OF EVENTS

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Session 1

Warm Up @ Not before 7:30am

Start @ Not before 9:00am

Girls Event	13&O all events	Boys Event
1	4x50 Medley Relay	2
3	1000 Free*	4
5	200 Free	6
7	100 Back	8
9	100 Breast	10
11	200 Fly	12
13	50 Free	14
	10 Min Break	
15	100 Free	16
17	200 Back	18
19	200 Breast	20
21	500 Free*	21
23	100 Fly	24
	10 Min Break	
25	200 IM	26
27	4x100 Free Relay	28

***Maximum 3 entries/ team in 1000 free and 500 free**

All events run as 13&Over - Athletes may swim 4 events total: no more than 3 individuals.

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Session 2

Warm Up @ Not before 12:00noon

Start @ Not before 12:45pm

Event number	All Events Mixed Gender
29	12&U 100 Free
30	12&U 50 Free
31	8&U 25 Free
32	12&U 100 Breast#
33	12&U 50 Breast
34	8&U 25 Breast
35	12&U 100 Fly#
36	12&U 50 Fly
37	8&U 25 Fly
38	12&U 100 Back#
39	12&U 50 Back
40	8&U 25 Back
41	12&U 200 Free#
42	12&U 4x50 Free Relay
43	10&U 4x50 Free Relay

#8&U swimmers must have a B time in next shortest event to enter

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Team Name _____ Team abbreviation _____

Team Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Head Coach _____

Phone _____ Home _____ E-mail _____

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

Coach _____ Coach _____

Coach _____ Coach _____

Coach _____ Coach _____

Total individual Meet Fee _____ X \$30.00 = _____

Total fees submitted: _____

Submit one check payable to: Southern Eagle Aquatics

Entries must be received on or before **Sept 18, 2021**. Mail entries to:
Beau Caldwell
501 Parrish Rd
Statesboro, GA 30458
swimsega@gmail.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.

In granting this sanction it is understood and agreed that USA Swimming, Georgia LCS and Southern Eagle Aquatics shall be free and harmless from any liabilities or claims for damages arising by reason of injury, or as outlined in this meet announcement, to anyone during the conduct of this event.

I have reviewed RULE 302.4 FALSE REGISTRATION and 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