



# TWST Meet Sign-up Procedure



TWST Parents,

USA Swimming has developed a motivational program to encourage swimmers to participate in a variety of events. This allows the swimmer to compare their performances with other swimmers across the nation within their age group. More importantly, it broadens the base allowing for more opportunities for the swimmer to compete at the next level in their swimming careers.

There has been an immense effort to incorporate this program into TWST's seasonal plan. In order to complete the cycle, it is very important that we provide abundant opportunities for our swimmers to compete in events that are outlined in their prospective age groups.

To capitalize on this program the coach, along with the swimmer, will decide which events are the most beneficial to participate. This is a collaborative effort between the coach and the swimmer.

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Choose a meet that your swimmer is able to attend by viewing the meet schedule. To do this go to TWST.org, hover over the schedules tab, click on meet schedule. There is a lot of information on this page including: "meet information", "eligibility reports" (if applicable), "meet results", and "meet entries", along with a description (this helps you determine if your swimmer should attend the meet).

Once you have determined which meet you are going to attend, go to the meet sign-up page (under the schedules tab). Fill out the form and click on "submit form". The text box is to tell me the days you are able to attend the meet, and the maximum amount of events you are willing to pay for; please state whether the swimmer is available to swim in relays. Relays will be filled according to the swimmers that are available on a particular day. You will be billed for relays AFTER the meet is completed!

After I have received your submission, I will print out a list of swimmers and give it to the appropriate coach. This is when the events are chosen! The swimmer will choose his/her favorite events and the coach will determine which other events are appropriate. This will complete the event sign-up process.

**Meet entries** will be posted on the website on the meet schedule page. Click on the meet...more details, you will see the meet entry .pdf file.

## **TWST Payment Procedure**

Approximately one week after the deadline, you will receive an email with your bill attached. At this point, you can complete the sign-up process by submitting your payment to a coach on deck.

If you have further questions or concerns, please feel free to contact me anytime.

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