



2020 TIGER INVITATIONAL

January 17-19, 2020



Held under the sanction of USA Swimming issued by SC Swimming: Sanction Number SC2060SCY

Host Club:	CLEMSON AQUATIC TEAM
Meet Director:	Jon Mengering meetdirector@clemsonaquaticteam.org 301-442-7859
Meet Referee:	QT Taylor qhtaylor@yahoo.com 864-367-5285
Meet Entries To:	Mary Beth Kurz-Edsall meetdirector@clemsonaquaticteam.org 864-506-5576
Safety Marshal:	Bridget Trogden trogden@clemson.edu 864-623-7995
Facility:	<p>McHugh Natatorium is located in the Fike Recreation Center on the Clemson University Campus (251 Williamson Dr, Clemson, SC 29634). The eight (8) lane pool is bottom striped; wall targeted, and has non-turbulent lane lines. The adjacent diving well provides six (6) lanes for continual warm-up / warm-down. The water depth of the competition course is 8 feet measured from one (1) meter to five (5) meters at the starting end of the course and 4.5 feet measured from one (1) meter to five (5) meters at the turn end of the course). The competition course has not been certified in accordance with 104.2.2C(4).</p> <p>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.</p> <p>On-campus parking will be available and the cost is included in the facility fee. Pay close attention to the parking information available at the meet and or posted on http://www.clemsonaquaticteam.org. Failure to comply with parking regulations will lead to ticketing by Clemson University Parking Services.</p> <p>Stadium seating is available in the natatorium and available for spectators. Only swimmers, officials, coaches and meet personnel are allowed on certain portions of the pool deck; signage will indicate areas that are for swimmers and meet personnel only. Please note that there is an office / sauna on the pool deck which is not to be entered.</p> <p>Please enter the facility through the sundeck following the swim meet signs and directions of meet personnel.</p>
Rules:	<p>Meet to be conducted in accordance with the current USA Swimming and SC Swimming Rules and Regulations and information herein. General warm-up procedures will apply. Specific warm-up procedures or lane assignments will be posted on deck and on the host website http://www.clemsonaquaticteam.org prior to the start of the meet. Use of audio or visual recording devices, including a cell phone, is not permitted in changing areas, rest rooms or locker rooms. Deck changes are prohibited.</p> <p>SWIMWEAR: Swimmers 10 years old or younger are not permitted to wear "technical" suits at this meet.</p>
Athlete Eligibility:	<p>All swimmers and teams must be currently registered members of USA Swimming. Age will be based on the swimmers age on the first day of the meet. 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.</p>
Entry Fees:	<p>\$20 per swimmer Facility Fee \$2 per swimmer SCLSC Travel Fund/Program Fee \$2 per swimmer SCLSC Sports Development Fee \$2 per out-of-state/SCLSC swimmer Travel Fund/Program Fee \$3.50 per individual event; \$7 per individual event for deck entries and time trials. \$8 per relay event; \$16 per relay event for deck entries. Each swimmer may enter three events plus two relays per day. Each session will be limited to four hours maximum, excluding distance 400 yards and longer. Teams not making the entry limit will be notified as soon as possible.</p>



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Meet Format:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Meet management reserves the right to combine events with less than 8 entries. • Meet management reserves the right to adjust warm-up times based on number of entries received. • Meet Management reserves the right to limit the number of heats of 500 Free, 1650 Free and 400 IM. Teams will be notified when the timeline is sent if any swimmers did not make the cut-off for an event and fees assessed will be amended accordingly. • Teams will be notified of the timeline by Monday January 13, 2020. • Distance events are all events 400 yards and above and will be positive check-in. Any swimmer who is positively checked-in for an event and does not swim will be disqualified from his/her next individual event. • Swimmers must provide their own personnel to time and lap count for events 400 yards and longer. • Positive check-in for deck seeded events will close 30 minutes prior to the scheduled start of that session. Late entries after that time will be taken only at discretion of meet director or meet referee. • All events 400 yards and longer will be swum fast to slow alternating girls and boys.
Time of Meet:	<p>Fri. Evening: Warm-ups @ 5 pm, Meet at 6 pm Sat. and Sun Morning: Warm-ups @ 7:30am , Meet @ 9 am Sat and Sun Afternoon: Warm-ups no earlier than 1 pm Meet no earlier than 2 pm</p>
Entries:	<p>Only electronic entries using Standard Data Interchange format (SDIF/SD3) will be accepted. Seed times must be listed to 1/100th second using short course yards times or with a no time entry.</p> <p>The entry deadline is 11:59 pm on January 7, 2020. Electronic files must be submitted by this deadline to meetdirector@clemsonaquaticteam.org. In order for your entries to be considered complete, the final Summary Sheet (attached) must be signed and e-mailed to the same address, no later than 11:59 pm on January 7, 2020.</p> <p>Your payment in full (a single check payable to Clemson Aquatic Team) should be submitted to the Clerk of Course prior to the start of the first session.</p> <p>If mail for the Summary Sheet and check is preferred, it must be received prior to the start of the meet and mailed to: Jon Mengering, 104 Allee St, Clemson SC 29631.</p> <p>Entries are first come, first served and will only be accepted until we have reached the session lengths described above (excluding distance 400 yards and longer).</p> <p>SC Swimming does not accept deck registrations; swimmers must be registered with USA Swimming by entry deadline.</p>
Awards:	<p>Ribbons will be given to places 1-8 for 10&U, 11-12, 13-14 and Senior events.</p>
Scoring Details:	<p>Not scored.</p>
Timing:	<p>A fully automatic Colorado Timing System operated by Clemson Aquatic Team with manual backup and an 8-lane scoreboard will be used. Volunteer lane timers from participating teams are encouraged and appreciated. All swimmers entered in events 400 yards and longer must provide their own timer and counter.</p>
Coaches Eligibility:	<p>Coaches must check in at Clerk of Course and be able to show proof of current registration and certifications.</p>
Other Information:	<p>Individuals wishing to officiate should report to the hospitality suite 40 minutes prior to session start time.</p>



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Timers from participating teams are encouraged and appreciated. Each swimmer in events 400 and over will be required to provide a timer, and if desired, a person to count laps.

Concessions are available for sale to swimmers and spectators; a private hospitality suite is available for coaches and officials.

Directions: From Southbound Interstate 85S take exit 19B - merge right onto US76 / SC28 up to Clemson (10mi) – OR -- From Northbound Interstate 85N take exit 14 - turn left on SC187 (6 mi). The road ends at the only traffic light, so turn left onto US76/SC28 toward Clemson (5mi). Either way, as you get near Clemson, take the SC93 exit and turn left onto SC93 for 1.4mi. You'll pass 4 lights, then ** you'll see the soccer stadium and tennis courts on the left. Turn left at the next light onto Williamson Road. Fike is the first building on the left. From US123, drive to downtown Clemson. At the College Avenue light (SC133, by Starbucks), turn left toward Clemson University. At the second light (at the campus, 0.7mi), turn hard right onto SC93. Follow from the ** above.

Several of the Clemson area hotels support our team with special rates for the swim meet; please tell them you are coming for the CAT swim meet when making arrangements. Hotel contact information can be found on the CAT website: <http://www.clemsonaquaticteam.org> and click on CAT Hosted Meets tab, then on the Hotels link for details.



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Order of Events

Session 1: Friday Evening

Warm-ups @ 5:00 pm
Competition @ 6:00 pm
 Open 500 Free (P)
 12&U 200 IM
 Open 1650 Free (P)

Girls Event #
 1
 3
 5

Boys Event #
 2
 4
 6

Session 2: Saturday Morning

Warm-ups @ 7:30 am
Competition @ 9:00am

Girls Event #
 7

 9
 11
 13
 15
 17
 19
 21
 23
 25
 27
 29

 31
 33

12&U 200 Fly
5 Minute Break
 10&U 100 IM
 11-12 100 IM
 10&U 50 Free
 11-12 50 Free
 10&U 100 Breast
 11-12 100 Breast
 10&U 100 Back
 11-12 100 Back
 10&U 50 Fly
 11-12 50 Fly
 12&U 200 Free
5 Minute Break
 10&U 200 Medley Relay
 11-12 200 Medley Relay

Boys Event #
 8

 10
 12
 14
 16
 18
 20
 22
 24
 26
 28
 30

 32
 34

Session 3: Saturday Afternoon

Warm-ups no earlier than 1 pm
Competition no earlier than 2 pm

Girls Event #
 35
 37
 39
 41
 43
 45
 47
 49
 51
 53
 55
 57
 59
 61

 63
 65

13-14 200 Free Relay
 Open 200 Free Relay
 13-14 200 Free
 15&O 200 Free
 13-14 200 Breast
 15&O 200 Breast
 13-14 100 Back
 15&O 100 Back
 13-14 100 Fly
 15&O 100 Fly
 13-14 100 Free
 15&O 100 Free
 13-14 400 IM (P)
 15&O 400 IM (P)
5 Minute Break
 13-14 400 Medley Relay
 Open 400 Medley Relay

Boys Event #
 36
 38
 40
 42
 44
 46
 48
 50
 52
 54
 56
 58
 60
 62

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Order of Events (Sunday)

Session 4: Sunday Morning Session

Warm-ups @ 7:30 am
Competition @ 9:00am

Girls Event #		Boys Event #
67	10&U 100 Free	68
69	11-12 100 Free	70
71	10&U 50 Breast	72
73	11-12 50 Breast	74
75	12&U 200 Breast	76
77	10&U 50 Back	78
79	11-12 50 Back	80
81	12&U 200 Back	82
83	10&U 100 Fly	84
85	11-12 100 Fly	86
	5 Minute Break	
87	10&U 200 Free Relay	88
89	11-12 200 Free Relay	90

Session 5: Sunday Afternoon Session

Warm-ups no earlier than 1 pm
Competition no earlier than 2 pm

Girls Event #		Boys Event #
91	13-14 200 Medley Relay	92
93	Open 200 Medley Relay	94
95	13-14 200 IM	96
97	15&O 200 IM	98
99	13-14 50 Free	100
101	15&O 50 Free	102
103	13-14 100 Breast	104
105	15&O 100 Breast	106
107	13-14 100 IM	108
109	15&O 100 IM	110
111	13-14 200 Back	112
113	15&O 200 Back	114
115	13-14 200 Fly	116
117	15&O 200 Fly	118
	5 Minute Break	
119	13-14 400 Free Relay	120
121	Open 400 Free Relay	122



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Meet Entry Summary Sheet

Entry Deadline is January 7, 2020

Total Number of Swimmers _____	x \$2.00 SCLSC Travel Fund/Program Fee	= \$ _____
Total Number of Swimmers _____	x \$2.00 SCLSC Sports Development Fee	= \$ _____
Total Number of out-of LSC _____	x \$2.00 SCLSC Travel Fund/Program Fee	= \$ _____
Total Number of Swimmers _____	x \$20.00 Facility Fee	= \$ _____
Total # Individual Events _____	x \$3.50 Individual Event Fee	= \$ _____
Total # Relay Events _____	x \$8 Relay Event Fee	= \$ _____
Total Fees:		= \$ _____

Team: _____ Team Code: _____

Number of coaches at meet: _____

Head Coach: _____

Send e-mail results to: _____

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.

It is further understood SC LSC, Clemson Aquatic Team, Clemson University and all agents, employees, meet sponsors, volunteers and coaches of these organizations 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.

E-mail a signed copy of this form to meetdirector@clemsonaquaticteam.org .

Bring a check for the above amount to the Clerk of Course prior to the first session.

If mail is preferred, it must be received prior to the start of the meet and should be mailed to: Jon Mengerling, 104 Allee St, Clemson SC 29631

Signature of Team Representative _____