

10th Annual February Fling Meet

MEET UPDATE

Coaches,

First, we would like to personally thank all of our visiting teams for participating. We wanted to take a moment to update you on this weekend's swim meet.

- Meet web site: <http://www.gocukes.com/SubTabGeneric.jsp?team=scsyssc&stabid=32431>
- All events will be run in 12 lanes.
- Please notify your team families that **parking is only available in the front parking lots** (opposite side from the pool) of the YMCA. **Parking at the other end of the YMCA is for coaches and meet officials only.**
- We greatly appreciate help by visiting officials. Individuals wishing to officiate should report to Clerk of Course 40 minutes prior to the start of the session.
- There is NO running allowed on deck at any time.
- Seating is limited to the **pool deck or outdoor areas only**. No seating will be allowed in the facility's lobby or hallways. The pool deck will **not** be open before 6:30 AM for seating.
- **Please consider bringing a deck chair to free up bleacher space for the athletes. Both parents and swimmers are welcome to bring deck chairs.**
- Spectators and swimmers should enter and exit from the building through YMCA front doors only. Pool deck doors are to remain closed during the meet.
- Please ask your team and families to help keep your team areas clean throughout the meet, every day.
- **Any destruction or damage to the gym or YMCA facility will result in that swimmer and his/her team being scratched from the rest of the meet weekend.**
- It is the goal of meet management to keep the duration of the session as short as possible yet retain adequate recovery time for every swimmer. Several methods will be used to achieve this:
 1. All events 400 yards and greater will be positive check-in.
 2. Heats will be combined whenever possible. Most of these will be noted on the meet program. Please make a special note to notify your swimmers to pay careful attention to those heats so that they do not miss their event. Care has been taken so that combined heats appear adjacent to each other where possible. In some cases this may require a **change in the event sequence**. Again, the printed meet program will show the correct sequence.
 - a. **50 yard events** will not be combined.
 3. If the meet referee makes changes to any heats from what is printed in the heat sheet, the coach of any affected swimmers will be notified in advance.
- Positive check-in for the session closes promptly **30 minutes prior** to the start of the session. If you intend to scratch (i.e., not check-in) a swimmer, **please also confirm scratches** on the check-in sheet.
- Events shorter than 400 yards do not require a check-in, but notification of any scratches will be appreciated.
- *An athlete whole-meet scratch form will be available at Clerk of Course.* If at any point during the meet you know one of your swimmers will no longer be swimming, please note this on the whole meet scratch form.
- Addition of new athletes to deck seeded events will only be permitted **prior to the start of warm-ups**.
- Adds to pre-seeded events will only be permitted on a "lane available" basis. **No heats will be added for the event.**
- All swimmers **must supply their own** timer **and** counter for the 500 Free, 1000 Free, and 1650 Free.

- Since this is considered a “last chance meet” before the state meet, we’ll make every effort to accommodate time trials within reason. Time trials will be conducted at the discretion of the meet referee.
 1. 15-20 minutes has been set aside after each session to conduct time trials.
 2. You must let the clerk-of-course know your intent to swim a time trial **no later than one hour before the end of each session**. This will provide time to set up the time trials and not have a long waiting period after each session. The end of each session will be announced well in advance.
 3. Time trials will be grouped by distance...i.e...multiple strokes and mixed genders may end up swimming in one heat of the same distance.
 4. If you have questions please see the clerk-of-course.
- Hospitality will serve dinner on Friday and breakfast and lunch Saturday and Sunday for coaches and officials in a room off the YMCA main lobby. Snacks and refreshments for coaches & officials will be available on deck.
- A concessions stand will be available for swimmers and spectators and will open ten minutes prior to the start of each session.
- Firehouse Subs will be available at the concession stand throughout the meet.
- Rolling Cart Eatery food truck will be here on Saturday!
- Mexibilly’s food truck will be here on Sunday!
- Augusta Swim Supply will be at the meet on Friday and Saturday.
- Heat sheets will be available at the concession stand.
- There will be prizes for heat winners.

	Warm-Up Start	Session Start	Session End	Duration
Friday PM	4:30 PM	5:30 PM	8:00 PM	2.5 hours
Saturday AM	7:30 AM	8:30 AM	1:00 PM	4.5 hours
Saturday PM	1:15 PM	2:15 PM	5:15 PM	3 hours
Sunday AM	7:30 AM	8:30 AM	12:15 PM	3.75 hours
Sunday PM	12:30 PM	1:30 PM	4:15 PM	2.75 hours

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact Dan or me.

Thanks again! [Mike Jann](#) [Dan Mascolo](#)