

<b>Name of Meet:</b>	<b>2019 RAYS 2<sup>ND</sup> ANNUAL LYNN WILLIAMS LONG COURSE INVITATIONAL</b>		
<b>Date of Meet:</b>	<b>05/17-19/2019</b>		
<b>Meet Sanction:</b>	Held under the sanction of USA Swimming issued by SC Swimming: Sanction Number SC19100LCM and SC19101TT		
<b>Host Club:</b>	<b>UPPER PALMETTO YMCA STINGRAYS</b>		
<b>Co-Meet Directors:</b>	Melissa Reeves	mreeves@rmail.org	803-372-9531
<b>Meet Referee:</b>	Christy Schoonmaker	c.schoons@yahoo.com	631-525-2210
<b>Administrative Official:</b>	Aimee Onoszko	aonoszko@bellsouth.net	816-665-6080
<b>Meet Entries to:</b>	Cara Tully	ttully1@sc.rr.com	803-817-7665
<b>Safety Marshal:</b>	Lynn Williams	lmwilliams@comporium.net	803-417-8982
<b>Facility:</b>	Tim Tully	ttully1@sc.rr.com	803-817-7665
	<p><b>Meet Location:</b> Clover School District Community YMCA, 5484 Charlotte Hwy, Clover, SC 29710</p> <p>Emergency Phone Number: (803) 831-9622</p> <p>The Clover School District Community YMCA is an outdoor facility with an eight lane 50 Meter pool and adjacent six lane and four lane warm-up pool. The warm-up pool will be available for the duration of the meet. The Paddock built competition pool has eight-foot-wide lanes with bottom striping and wall targets. The pool also features an Automatic Surge Reduction guttering system with non-turbulent lane lines and starting blocks with wedges located at both ends of the 50meter course. The facility also features an eight lane Colorado Timing Digital Scoreboard.</p> <p>The facility features 6 locker rooms (Boys &amp; Men, Girls &amp; Women) along with separate rest room facilities for spectators inside the YMCA. All areas of the facility are handicap accessible. Overflow parking is available at the adjacent elementary school.</p> <p>The water depth of the competition course is seven (7) feet, zero (0) inches, measured from one (1) meter to five (5) meters, on the starting end of the course, and seven (7) feet, zero (2) inches, measured from one (1) meter to five (5) meters, at the turn end of the course. The competition course has a gradual rise after 20 meters to four (4) feet; after fifteen (15) meters from this point the depth gradually decreases back to seven (7) feet for fifteen (15) meters.</p> <p>The water depth of the six (6) lane warm down course is seven (7) feet, zero (0) inches, measured from one (1) meter to five (5) meters, on the starting end of the course, and three (3) feet, six (6) inches, measured from one (1) meter to five (5) meters, at the turn end of the course.</p> <p>The water depth of the four (4) lane warm down course is five (5) feet measured from one (1) meter to five (5) meters at the start end of the course and three feet (3) six (6) inches measured from one (1) meter to five (5) meters at the turn end of the course.</p> <p>The competition courses have 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>
<b>Rules:</b>	<p>The Meet is to be conducted in accordance with the current USA Swimming and SC Swimming Rules and Regulations and information herein.</p> <p>Use of audio or visual recording devices, including a cell phone, is prohibited in changing areas, rest rooms, and locker rooms.</p> <p><b>Swimwear: Swimmers 10 years old and younger are not permitted to wear "Technical" suits at this meet.</b></p> <p><b>DECK CHANGES ARE PROHIBITED.</b></p>
<b>Athlete Eligibility:</b>	<p>This competition is open to any USA-S registered swimmer. Swimmers will compete at their age as of May 17, 2019.</p> <p>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>
<b>Entry Fees:</b>	<p>Swimmers may enter one individual event on Friday and four individual events on Saturday and Sunday including any time trials.</p> <p>Entry fees will be \$4.00/event, \$25.00 per swimmer for pool use, \$4.00 per instate swimmer for S.C.L.S.C. travel fund/program fee (\$2.00 per swimmer S.C.L.S.C. Travel Fund/Program fee, \$2.00 Sport Development Fee) or \$6.00 per out of state swimmer for S.C.L.S.C. travel fund/program fee (\$2.00 per swimmer S.C.L.S.C. Travel Fund/Program fee, \$2.00 per swimmer Sport Development Fee &amp; \$2.00 per swimmer additional Travel Fund/Program fee).</p> <p>ALL FEES (EVENT FEE AND POOL SURCHARGE) WILL BE DOUBLED FOR LATE ENTERED SWIMMERS.</p> <p>\$8.00 per time trial.</p> <p>Checks should be made payable to the Upper Palmetto YMCA. Credit cards may also be used for payment of entry fees.</p>
<b>Meet Format:</b>	<p>All events will be contested as timed finals.</p> <p>All events 400 and longer will be contested fast to slow alternating heats girls and boys and will be positive check in. Genders and age groups may be seeded together but will be scored separate. Distance events may be seeded together and scored separately (13 &amp; over 400 and longer) per rule 102.1.4. All swimmers entered in events 400 yards and longer are required to provide their own timer and counter if they desire one. Swimmers who fail to swim in a positive check in event will not be permitted to swim in their next individual event.</p> <p>A swimmer who misses their assigned heat may be entered into another heat as determined by the Meet Referee and the swimmer may be allowed to swim.</p> <p>No refunds will be given.</p> <p>The entry limit for the meet will be 325 swimmers in addition to RAYS swimmers.</p> <p>Time trials will be held at the discretion of the meet referee.</p>

<b>Time of Meet:</b>	<p>Friday afternoon session will begin with warmups at 5:00 pm with events at 6:00 pm. Saturday and Sunday morning sessions will begin warm-ups at 7:00 am and timed finals at 8:00 am. Saturday and Sunday afternoon sessions will begin warm-ups at 12:00 pm and timed finals at 1:00 pm.</p> <p>Meet management reserves the right to adjust the warm-up and start times of any session to run the meet more efficiently.</p> <p>Meet management reserves the right to combine sessions or to move age groups to a different session to run the meet more efficiently.</p>
<b>Entries:</b>	<p>Please use swimmer's full name, age as of May 17, 2019, and sanctioned short course yards entry times. Attach a copy of your current USA Swimming roster with athlete numbers as supplied by your LSC registration chairman for verification purposes. Electronic entry using SDIF format is encouraged. You must submit paper back-up copy for verification.</p> <p>Meet entries should be received by Tuesday, May 7, 2019. Hard copies and checks should be mailed to 2019 RAYS 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Lynn Williams Long Course Invitational Entries c/o Lynn Williams, 325 Rawlinson Road, Rock Hill, SC 29732. E-mailed entries must also be accompanied by Word document exports of the <b><u>entries by swimmer</u></b> and fee summary. E-mail entries should be sent to <a href="mailto:lmwilliams@comporium.net">lmwilliams@comporium.net</a>. Please send any certified or express mail with a signature release. Make checks payable to Upper Palmetto YMCA. Payment may also be made by credit card. Late entries and deck entries will be accepted at the discretion of the meet director and at double the event fee. Time trials will be held at the end of each session at the discretion of the Referee. All swimmers deck entering the meet must provide proof of current USA Swimming membership.</p> <p><b><u>SC Swimming does not accept deck registrations, all swimmers entered must be registered at time of entry deadline.</u></b></p>
<b>Awards:</b>	There will be a custom participation award but no individual awards.
<b>Scoring:</b>	This meet will not be scored for individual or team points.
<b>Timing:</b>	Colorado Timing System and data processing by Upper Palmetto YMCA Timing. Timers from participating teams are requested in proportion to the number of swimmers entered.
<b>Coaches Eligibility:</b>	All coaches must be a current coach member in good standing with USA Swimming and present their credentials to receive their coaching packet. <b>There will be a Coaches Meeting at 5:50 pm on Friday. Each team should have one representative coach present for each of this meeting.</b>
<b>Other Information:</b>	<p><b>Officials:</b> Certified officials willing to work are most welcome. There will be an Officials meeting beginning one (1) hour prior to the start of each session. Officials interested in working the session should report to the hospitality room for the meeting.</p> <p><b>Warm-up Procedures:</b> Team lane assignments will be made for each session. All S.C.L.S.C. and USA Swimming safety guidelines will be enforced.</p> <p><b>Seating:</b> The facility does not have bleacher seating. Spectators and swimmers should bring chairs. Tents for shade are also suggested.</p> <p><b>Contact Person:</b> Lynn Williams 803-417-8982 <a href="mailto:lmwilliams@comporium.net">lmwilliams@comporium.net</a></p> <p><b>Directions:</b> From I-77 take Exit 82C Hwy 161 towards York. Hwy 161 (Celanese Road) will be six lanes wide at this point. Continue straight until it becomes 4 lanes Turn right onto Hwy 274. The Clover School District Community YMCA will be approximately 8.5 miles on the left.</p> <p><b>Hotel Information:</b> Hotel information may be posted on <a href="http://www.swimrays.com">www.swimrays.com</a></p>

**Order of Events:**

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Order of Events

*Odd Numbers – Girls*

*Even Numbers - Boys*

Friday, May 17, 2019

Warm-up 5:00 pm, Timed Finals 6:00 pm

1-2                    12-U 200 IM  
3-4                    Open 1500 Free

Saturday, May 18, 2019

Warm-up 7:00 am

Timed Finals 8:00 am

5-6    13/Over   100 Back  
7-8    13/Over   200 Fly  
9-10   13/Over   200 Free  
11-12 13/Over   100 Breast  
13-14 13/Over   50 Free  
15-16 13/Over   400 IM

Sunday, May 19, 2019

Warm-up 7:00 am

Timed Finals 8:00 am

29-30   13/Over   200 Back  
31-32   13/Over   100 Fly  
33-34   13/Over   200 IM  
35-36   13/Over   100 Free  
37-38   13/Over   200 Breast  
39-40   13/Over   400 Free

Saturday, May 18, 2019

Warm-up 12:00 pm

Timed Finals 1:00 pm

17-18   12/Under 100 Back  
19-20   11/12     200 Fly  
21-22   12/Under 200 Free  
23-24   12/Under 100 Breast  
25-26   12/Under 50 Free  
27-28   12/Under 50 Fly

Sunday, May 19, 2019

Warm-up 12:00 pm

Timed Finals 1:00 pm

41-42   11/12     200 Back  
43-44   12/Under 100 Fly  
45-46   12/Under 100 Free  
47-48   12/Under 50 Breast  
49-50   12/Under 50 Back  
51-52   11/12     200 Breast

**Meet Entry  
Summary  
Sheet:**

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Meet Entry Summary Sheet

Total Number of Events \_\_\_\_\_ x \$4.00 per Event Entry Fee \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Total Number of Swimmers \_\_\_\_\_ x \$25.00 per Swimmer Pool Fee \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Total Number of Swimmers \_\_\_\_\_ x \$2.00 per Swimmer SCLSC  
Travel Fund/Program Fee \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Total Number of Swimmers \_\_\_\_\_ x \$2.00 per Swimmer SCLSC  
Sport Development Fee \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Total Number of out-of-state Swimmers \_\_\_\_\_ x \$2.00 per Swimmer  
Additional SCLSC Travel Fund/Program Fee \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Total Fees: (checks payable to the Upper Palmetto YMCA) \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Team: \_\_\_\_\_ Team Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Number of coaches at meet: Friday \_\_\_\_\_ Saturday \_\_\_\_\_ Sunday \_\_\_\_\_

Head Coach: \_\_\_\_\_

Send e-mail results to: \_\_\_\_\_

Send Paper copy in lieu of e-mail to: \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_

Team Contact Person \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_ Work Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail Address \_\_\_\_\_

I, the undersigned coach or team representative, verify that all the swimmers and coaches listed on the enclosed entry forms are registered with United States Swimming. A copy of our team's current USA Swimming roster is attached for verification purposes.

In granting this sanction it is understood and agreed that USA Swimming, its agents and employees shall be free from any liabilities or claims for damages arising by reason of injuries to anyone during the conduct of this event.

It is understood that the SC Swimming LSC, the Upper Palmetto YMCA, Upper Palmetto YMCA Stingrays, Upper Palmetto YMCA Timing, its agents, employees, and coaches shall be free from any liabilities or claims for damages arising by reason of injuries to anyone during the conduct of the event.

Signature/Title \_\_\_\_\_

Mail check for the above amount, and signed copy of this form to:  
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Rock Hill, S.C. 29732**