

# 2014 **Speedo Junior National Championships**

Wednesday, July 30th - Sunday, August 3rd

William Woollett, Jr. Aquatic Center Irvine, CA

**Event Information** 

Entry Deadline is Monday, July 21, 2014

These championships and corresponding time trials are sanctioned by USA Swimming















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# **Important Facts About the Meet**



- ◆ Entry Deadline; All U.S. entries must be made online at usaswimming.org/ome no later than Monday, July 21, 2014, by 11:59 p.m. Mountain Time. The entry system will open April 1, 2014.
- New Qualifying Swims: Swims achieving the qualifying time standards for the first time from Tuesday, July 22, 2014, through Sunday, July 27, 2014, may be entered through OME under the title "2014 Junior Nationals: New Qualifying Swims". These entries must be submitted no later than 11:59pm Mountain Time on Sunday, July 27, 2014, and cannot be used to improve the seed time of a prior entry. Normal entry fees apply.
- ♦ The qualification period for this event is June 25, 2013 through the entry deadline.
- ♦ Bonus events will be permitted for this meet. All athletes who qualify for one or more individual events will be permitted to enter and swim in up to two bonus events, provided they have achieved the published Bonus Event Time Standards.
- ♦ All athletes at the meet must be 18 or under on the first day of the meet. College athletes who meet this age requirement are permitted to compete in the meet.
- ♦ Foreign national teams are not permitted to compete in this meet, however foreign athletes who are registered members of USA Swimming clubs will be permitted.
- ♦ The 400 Freestyle and 400 IM events will have the final two heats circle-seeded. All other prelim/final events will have the final three heats circle-seeded.
- ♦ As per the Senior Development Committee's September 2013 decision, the Women's and Men's 400m Individual Medleys will be flighted, with the top 5 seeded heats of women swum first, followed by the top 5 seeded heats of men, seeded slowest to fastest, and then the remaining heats alternating women/men fastest to slowest at the end of the preliminary session. Also, the 100m Backstroke events will be the first events swum in preliminaries, but will be swum in event order for finals.
- ♦ This event will follow the scratch rules as defined in section 207.11.6 of the USA Swimming Rules and Regulations.
- ♦ Swimmers may qualify for the 800 and 1500 Freestyle events with either the 800 time standard or the 1500 time standard.
- ♦ All relays will be swum as timed finals in the evening sessions only. Relay qualifying times must be made by swimmers age 18 or under when the qualifying time is achieved.
- ◆ Relay-only swimmers will be allowed to swim in time trials. Time trial entries will only be taken on-site at the Clerk of Course.
- ♦ Team scores will be kept and awarded.
- ◆ At the discretion of the Meet Referee, the preliminary sessions may be conducted using "Flyover" starts and/or in an A/B format. Details of any changes to normal meet operations protocol will be announced at the technical meeting.
- ♦ It shall be the swimmers' and coaches' responsibility to acquaint themselves with all of the information contained in this meet information book and information or changes announced at the Technical Meeting.

# **Meet Administration**



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**Meeting Schedule** 

Tuesday, July 29 5:00 p.m. Technical Meeting Irvine High School Theater

(adjacent to pool)

Wednesday, July 30 7:30 a.m. Officials' Meeting Aquatic Center All subsequent officials' briefings will be held one hour prior to the start of each session

# **Broadcast Statement**

Any photographs, videotape or other audio and/or visual recordings of the event created by a spectator or participant may be used solely for such spectator or participant's personal non-commercial use, and may not be broadcast, published or disseminated, or used for any commercial purposes, without the prior written consent of USA Swimming.

# **Image Authorization**

All participants agree to be filmed and photographed by the official photographer(s) and network(s) of USA Swimming under the conditions authored by USA Swimming, and allow event organizers the right to use names, pictures, likenesses, and biographical information before, during or after the period of participation in USA Swimming competitions to promote such competitions. All participants agree not to use or authorize use of pictures in the uniforms and equipment provided by USA Swimming for the purpose of trade, without the consent of USA Swimming. All participants agree not to use medals or photos, or portraits or films with the medals, which are received for performances in this competition, for the purpose of trade. Furthermore, participants agree to return these uniforms and equipment, bearing USA Swimming logos and marks, if and when requested.

# **Order of Events**



Heats Begin at 9:00am

Finals Begin at 6:00pm

Women's Events	Day 1- Wednesday, July 30	Men's Events
1	200 Butterfly	2
3	100 Breaststroke	4
5	Women's 800 Freestyle	
	Men's 1500 Freestyle	6
	Day 2 - Thursday, July 31	
7	200 Backstroke	8
9	100 Freestyle	10
11	400 IM*	12
13	400 Free Relay	14
	Day 3 - Friday, August 1	
15	400 Freestyle	16
17	100 Butterfly	18
	Men's 800 Free Relay	19
	Day 4 - Saturday, August 2	
20	200 Freestyle	21
22	200 Breaststroke	23
24	100 Backstroke**	25
26	Women's 800 Free Relay	
	Day 5 - Sunday, August 3	
27	200 Individual Medley	28
29	Women's 1500 Freestyle	-
30	50 Freestyle	31
-	Men's 800 Freestyle	32
33	400 Medley Relay	34

<sup>\*</sup>The Women's and Men's 400m Individual Medleys will be flighted, with the top 5 seeded heats of women swum first, followed by the top 5 seeded heats of men, seeded slowest to fastest, and then the remaining heats alternating women/men fastest to slowest at the end of the preliminary session.

In the morning session only, heats for events 29 and 32 will be swum after event 31

<sup>\*\*</sup>The 100m Backstroke Events will be the first events swum in preliminaries, but will be swum in event order for finals

# **Tickets and Accommodations**



Ticket information may be found at *novaquatics.com* under the USNationals/JRNationals tab.

#### All Session Pass - week:

Adults \$60.00 Students/Senior \$48.00

\*All-session passes include heat sheets.

#### Day Pass - prelim+final:

Adults \$15.00\* Student/Senior \$10.00\*

#### **Daily Single Event Tickets:**

#### **Prelims**

Adult \$10.00 Student/Senior \$5.00

#### **Finals**

Adult \$10.00 Student/Senior \$5.00

Will Call and pre-sale tickets will be available in front of the Aqautic Center from 10:00 am-noon and 1:00-3:00 pm Monday July 28 and Tuesday July 29

For ticket questions, please contact:

Kim Hoesterey at 714-731-8065 or khoest@aol.com

#### **Transportation**

USA Swimming has negotiated rates with United Airlines if ticketed by Polk Majestic Travel Group. Discounts are based on class of service and availability. For more information, you may contact the PMTG, Group Air Department at 303-302-2540 or 800-218-9481, or contact *usaswim*-

ming@polkmajestic.com with your request.

#### Airlines serving Irvine, California (Orange County)

United	800-521-4041
America West	800-235-9292
American	800-433-7300
America Trans Air	800-225-2995
Delta	800-221-1212
Southwest	800-435-9792
US Airways	800-428-4322

#### Car rental agencies

Alamo	800-327-9633
Avis	800-230-4898
Budget Rent-A-Car	800-527-0700
Dollar	800-800-3665
Enterprise	800-736-8222
Hertz	800-654-3131
National	800-227-7368
Thrifty	800-847-4389

# **Directions to Pool from Airport**

#### From John Wayne (SNA) Airport

Start out going SOUTHWEST on DEPARTING FLIGHTS ACC toward AIRPORT EXIT. Turn SLIGHT LEFT onto AIRPORT DEPARTURES. AIRPORT DEPARTURES becomes AIRPORT WAY. Stay STRAIGHT to go onto AIRPORT EXIT/AIRPORT WAY. Turn LEFT onto MACARTHUR BLVD. Merge onto I-405 S toward SAN DIEGO. Take the CULVER DR exit. Turn LEFT onto CULVER DR. Turn RIGHT onto WALNUT AVE.

### From Los Angeles International (LAX) Airport

Start out going SOUTHEAST on ramp. Stay STRAIGHT to go onto ramp. Merge onto S SEPULVEDA BLVD/CA-1 S. Take the I-105 E/IMPERIAL HWY WEST ramp toward IMPERIAL TERMINAL. Merge onto I-105 E toward NORWALK. Merge onto I-405 S toward LONG BEACH. Take CA-22 E toward GARDEN GROVE. Merge onto I-5 S toward SAN DIEGO. Take the CULVER DR exit. Turn RIGHT onto CULVER DR. Turn LEFT onto WALNUT AVE.

### **Hotels**

Marriott is a proud sponsor of USA Swimming. USA Swimming has partnered with Pse Tournament Housing to provide attendees/groups with the best available rates. Hotels have been carefully selected to ensure quality and are within close proximity to the venue (s). Rooms will book up quickly so please book well in advance.

View hotels and book online: https://pse.tournamenthotels.com/GroupBlocking.aspx?eid=JC80k18KkUiAGUL2D96X6w or book by phone at 888-417-6446



# Site information



## **Publicity**

Any swimmer competing in the championship final of an event for the first time at this meet should be sure that his/her biographical information is on file with the USA Swimming media staff.

#### Information/Lost & Found

An Information/Lost & Found booth will be available at the lifeguard office.

#### Lockers

Day lockers will be available for use at the Woollett Aquatics Center for use by athletes, coaches and officials. The locker room area will be strictly for use by properly credentialed individuals (athletes, coaches, officials).

#### **Medical Assistance**

Medical assistance will be provided at the facility.

#### Parking

Restricted Parking for athletes, coaches and officials will be available in the front of the Aquatics Center. Parking is available for spectators, teams and officials on the north side of Irvine High School accessed via Escolar on the East side of the Aquatics Center adjacent to Heritage Park.

#### Concessions

Concessions will be available for spectators at the entrance of spectator seating.

#### Hospitality

Coaches' and Officials' hospitality will be available throughout the meet in the Aquatic Center Rotunda area adjacent and in view of the competition pool and the Warm-up pool. There will be an athletes' hospitality on the Warm-up pool deck and pro-shop behind spectator seating.

#### About the Facility

Woollett Aquatics Center was completed as a major renovation of the original Heritage Park Aquatics Complex – site of the 1980 USA National Championships and the 1990 Junior Nationals West Championships. The newly renovated Center was completed in September of 2004. The center is an outdoors facility consisting of one constant depth (7 feet) competition pool (50 meter by 25 yard) and variable depth warm-up pool (50 meter x 25 yard). In addition, a 25 yard by 25 meter teaching pool is

available if necessary for additional warm-up space. Expansive locker room facilities for both men and women are adjacent to the warm-up pool.

This facility was the site of the 2005, 2006, and 2010 ConocoPhillips National Championships, the 2005, 2006, 2010, and 2013 Speedo Junior Nationals, and the 2005 Mutual of Omaha Duel in the Pool. It was also the site for the 2010 Pan Pacific Championships.

# **Pool Hours**

Monday, Jul 28	9:00 a.m 9:00 p.m.
Tuesday, Jul 29	6:00 a.m 9:00 p.m.
Wednesday, Jul 30	6:00 a.m 1 hour after finals
Thursday, Jul 31	6:00 a.m 1 hour after finals
Friday, Aug 1	6:00 a.m 1 hour after finals
Saturday, Aug 2	6:00 a.m 1 hour after finals
Sunday, Aug 3	6:00 a.m 1 hour after finals

#### Credential Pick-Up

Credentials can be picked up at the Natatorium on the following schedule:

Monday, Jul 28	9:00 a.m Noon and
	1:00p.m 8:00 p.m.
Tuesday, Jul 29	7:30 a.m Noon and
	1:00 p.m 8:00 p.m.
Wed, Jul 30 through	7:30 a.m Noon and
Sun, Aug 3	1:00 p.m end of Finals

# Team Banners

Team banners will not be allowed at this event.

# Credentials

Restricted access to the facility will be strictly enforced. Please wear your credential at all times. There is a \$50 replacement charge for lost credentials.

# **Entering the Meet**



## Entering Online at usaswimming.org/ome

All Entry questions should be directed to Anthony Buhr at USA Swimming (abuhr@usaswimming.org or 719-866-3581).

All U.S. entries must be made online at usaswimming.org/ome no later than Monday, July 21, 2014, by 11:59 p.m. Mountain Time. The entry system will open April 1, 2014. You will be required to pay for the online entries with a Visa, Mastercard, American Express or Discover.

OME is not an eligibility report. It is the coach's responsibility to know for which events your athlete is qualified. You can modify your entry online by adding to the original entry. You may not delete an online entry once it has been submitted/paid for. Once you complete your online entry, you will be sent confirmations via e-mail. Please keep all of these and bring them with you to the meet (just in case).

Drug waiver forms will automatically be sent to you via e-mail after the entry deadline closes. Please have these filled out and bring them with you to the meet.

#### **Qualifying Period**

The qualification period for this event is June 25, 2013 through the entry deadline.

#### **Entry Fees:**

\$15.00 per individual event \$30.00 per relay event \$20.00 per credentialed coach

# Number of Events

A swimmer may only swim three (3) individual events per day (including time trials). A swimmer may enter any number of individual events in which the qualifying time standard has been met. All entry times must be proven.

# **New Qualifying Swims**

Swims achieving the qualifying time standards for the first time from Tuesday, July 22, 2014, through Sunday, July 27, 2014, may be entered through OME under the title "2014 Junior Nationals: New Qualifying Swims". These entries must be submitted no later than 11:59pm Mountain Time on Sunday, July 27, 2014, and cannot be used to improve the seed time of a prior entry. Normal entry fees apply.

# Foreign Entries

Foreign national teams are not permitted to compete in this meet, however foreign athletes who are registered members of USA Swimming clubs will be permitted.

#### Late Entries

Any team or athlete missing the entry deadline will be permitted to enter late, subject to the following requirements:

- A. Late entries must be submitted through the Online Meet Entry system (OME);
- Late entries must be submitted no later than 11:59 p.m. Mountain Time on Sunday, July 27, 2014;
- C. The team or athlete must pay a one-time processing fee of \$150.00, and pay entry fees of \$30 per individual event and \$50 per relay event.

#### **Bonus Events**

Bonus events will be permitted for this meet. All athletes who qualify for one or more individual events will be permitted to enter and swim in up to two bonus events, provided they have achieved the published Bonus Event Time Standards.

#### **Secondary Club Recognition**

The online entry form contains a space for secondary "club recognition." You may enter a second club for each of your athletes if you wish. The secondary club will be listed in the psych sheet, meet roster and heat sheets, if space is available. Each athlete will have only 16 characters for both his/her club and his/her secondary club. The club does not need to be a USA Swimming member club. It may be any club that your athlete wishes to recognize. Listing this club is for recognition purposes only. Listing this club has nothing to do with representation, team scoring or credentials.

### Relay Proof of Time

If you are using a relay entry time achieved as a relay (team time), you must list the four swimmers that actually achieved the time. If your relay is an aggregate, list all of the swimmers and their times. If any of the listed swimmers are not going to compete on a relay, they should not be entered. Enter only those swimmers who may be competing.

- Relay teams may be entered at the listed provable time or at the lowest priority non-conforming time standard.
- B. If you are entering an A and B relay, you must use eight (8) different swimmers. You cannot use the same swimmer twice in an event, or to prove a time.
- C. Teams can only submit two relays per event.

#### Waiver and Release Form

The USA Swimming Waiver and Release Form will be automatically generated by the online system. These forms must be submitted at the registration desk. Make copies as needed for each swimmer. Having this completed will save time during check-in at the competition site. Additionally, a parent or legal guardian must sign form if a swimmer is under the age of majority in his/her home state.

# **Championship Procedures**



#### Rules

USA Swimming Rules and Regulations will govern the conduct of these Championships. It shall be the swimmers' and coaches' responsibility to acquaint themselves with all of the information contained in this meet information book.

#### Membership Requirement

All persons expecting to receive a deck pass should be prepared to show a current USA Swimming membership card. Non-members who have successfully completed the Athlete Protection Training (APT) course and a USA Swimming background check may join on site at the registration check-in desk. Information regarding the APT course and the background check will be available at meet check-in and is also online at usaswimming.org/protect. Coaches must provide proof of CPR, First Aid and Safety Training for Swimming Coaches or USA Swimming approved equivalents, and must have successfully passed the required background check and APT Course.

No swimmer will be issued credential without a coach member present. If the home club coach is not planning to attend event, swimmer must be assigned a supervising coach. Arriving with fellow LSC club/coach is preferred. However, if a swimmer arrives without a coach, he/she must find a willing coach at the facility to sign a supervision form before a credential can be issued.

### SWIMS Database—Proof of Time

Times from the following will be in SWIMS, the national times database. Times in the database are not automatic entries to meets.

- A. USA Swimming Sanctioned competition
- B. USA Swimming Approved competition Check two weeks before the competition to assure the meet has been approved by the LSC, and prior to the start of the competition, ask the Meet Director for the procedure for getting a time into SWIMS.
- C. USA Swimming <u>Observed</u> swims Be sure a proper request for an Observed Swim is made according to guidelines appearing in the USA Swimming SWIMS Time Module Policy Manual, and prior to the start of the meet, verify that proper procedures are in place for the Observed swim.
- D. The time of any swimmer recorded while legally representing a USA Swimming club, secondary school, college, or university within the appropriate time frame, may be used in proving relay entry times. That swimmer does need to be entered in the championship in question or currently representing that club. Relay times belong to the team. Individual times belong to the swimmer.

#### **Entering Official Times**

Individual Events - All individual entry times must be made prior to the entry deadline and must be proven prior to the scratch deadline for that event through the SWIMS Database. No swimmer will be permitted to swim without said proof. Program Operations reserves the right to challenge any submitted time. All scratches must be proven.

Relay Events - Entered times must be proven prior to the scratch deadline for each relay team, in aggregate or as a team. For the purpose of proving times, a club may name a swimmer on only one of its relay teams in each event. Once the relay team or teams have been proven, any swimmer listed by that organization on the entry is eligible to compete on that relay team. Relay teams may be entered at the listed provable time or at the lowest priority non-conforming time standard. This choice must be indicated during the entry process. A club may enter no more than two relay teams in each relay event.

#### Responsibility Clause

The coach, swimmer or swimmer representative who enters a USA Swimming Championship thereby attests that all times stated are true and correct as achieved qualifying times for each event entered. He/she assumes all responsibility for false or incorrect times, or times which are unacceptable under USA Swimming rules, and shall be assessed a \$100 penalty payable to USA Swimming for each such time entered, unless absolved of the fine by the Vice President of Program Operations or designee or Board of Review. Additional action or penalty may be taken or levied as deemed appropriate by the USA Swimming.

Such penalty shall also be levied against any USA Swimming verification officer who knowingly entered such a false time(s) into the SWIMS Database.

Appeal of fines are to be made to the Vice President for Program Operations or designee and/or Board of Review. Any appeal of the decision of the Vice President for Program Operations or designee shall be in accordance with the provisions of Part Four, specifically Article 405.

#### **Automatic Proven Times**

Times submitted to the USA Swimming SWIMS database no later than 20 days prior to the Championships will be in the database. If a time for a swimmer is visible in the public search feature on the USA Swimming website (Times/Time Standards) and it was swum in the appropriate qualifying period, it is considered a proven official time. Entry times not proven by the scratch deadline for the event will be considered as false or incorrect times and are subject to action under provisions of the USA Swimming Rules and Regulations.

SWIMS data entry from properly authorized and observed college meets must be requested. These times will not be automatically placed in the database. Times from all major international championships will be automatically entered in the database. Times from any other meets in which National time standards were met must be requested from the SWIMS Time Official in the LSC in which the meet was held. LSC officials may charge a fee for data entry requested after the meet ends.

Note: Relay lead offs and/or intermediate split times must be requested from the SWIMS Time official in the LSC where the time was achieved. Requesting SWIMS data entry won't enter a swimmer into a competition nor place your club on the USA Swimming mailing list.

# **Championship Procedures**



#### Registration

Credentials for this event will be provided at no charge for participating athletes and officials who are members of USA Swimming. Credentials for coaches, managers and chaperones to serve as deck passes for this event shall be issued to those persons listed on each team's deck pass request list in OME. These deck credentials cost \$20 each and are issued according to the following schedule, based upon the total number of participating athletes. There shall be a surcharge of \$20 per person for spectator passes, which money shall become the property of the meet host. For clubs that wish to bring one certified massage therapist with their teams, a \$50 surcharge will apply if the massage therapist exceeds the deck pass formula below. These funds shall become the property of the meet host. All massage therapists must be non-athlete members of USA Swimming.

- 1-3 swimmers in individual events or 1 relay only team with any number of alternates: 1 deck pass;1 spectator pass.
- 4-6 swimmers in individual events; 2 deck passes; 1 spectator pass.
- 7-9 swimmers in individual events; 3 deck passes; 1 spectator pass.
- 10-20 swimmers in individual events; 4 deck passes; 2 spectator passes.
- 21-30 swimmers in individual events; 5 deck passes; 2 spectator passes.
- 31-40 swimmers in individual events; 6 deck passes;3 spectator passes.
- 41-50 swimmers in individual events; 7 deck passes, 3 spectator passes.
- 51 or more swimmers in individual events; 9 deck passes; 5 spectator passes.

Unattached swimmers with a team shall be included in above schedule even if listed on separate entry blank.

Unattached swimmers not with a team: 1 deck pass: 1 spectator pass.

#### Check-In

Coaches are responsible for all business conducted at the General Meeting. If, for any reason, you cannot attend the meeting, be sure to find out what occurred. You must arrive prior to the scratch deadline for your swimmer's first event to prove times if necessary.

- A. Start with the person that is checking the swimmers' and coaches' membership in USA Swimming. Have your coach membership card with you. To avoid any problems with your swimmers, have their membership cards as well.
- B. Review the psych sheet posted by the Times desk and make sure your swimmers do not have an asterisk (\*) by their time.
- C. In the event of an asterisk, go to the Times desk immediately and clear the time. It is your responsibility to do this. If it is not cleared by the scratch deadline, the swimmer will be scratched from the event. If a time cannot be proved, the coach is subject to a \$100 fine. You should make sure all your athletes' times are in the SWIMS database.
- D. If you have a distance swimmer (800 meter or 1500 meter), he/she must be checked in prior to the scratch deadline in order to be seeded.
- E. Check your scratches make certain they are correct and submitted on time. Do not let your swimmer miss his/her best event because you failed to scratch an entry.
- F. Follow all proof of time, scratch and distance event entry procedures by the required deadlines as published.

#### Warm-Up and Safety

Program Operations will provide a complete schedule of warm-up procedures to include lane usage and times, which must be adhered to by all participants. This information will be distributed with the meet information at registration, posted throughout the venue, announced on a regular basis before and during the meet, and monitored by the Meet Referee (or his/her special designees). Flagrant violation of these procedures may result in a disqualification from the meet for unsportsmanlike activity. Encourage your swimmers to cooperate with marshals. The main competition pool will be reserved the last 60 minutes for swimmers competing in that session's events.

#### **Scratch Procedures**

- A. Location of Scratch Box
  - The scratch box will be located at the Registration Desk prior to the start of the meet and until the Technical Meeting.
  - It will be at the Technical Meeting.
  - After the Technical Meeting, the scratch box will be located with the Clerk of Course for the remainder of the meet.
- B. Scratch Deadlines:
  - The scratch deadline for the first day's events shall be fifteen (15) minutes after the Technical Meeting is adjourned. The scratch deadline for all subsequent day's events shall be thirty (30) minutes after the time established for the start of the finals sessions.

#### Scratch Rules

This event will follow the scratch rules as defined in section 207.11.6 of the USA Swimming Rules and Regulations.

# Ready Room

A Ready Room will be used at these Championships prior to each finals heat. Each swimmer must report to the Ready Room no later than five minutes preceding the event.

# Awards Staging

All medalists in each event should report to the Awards Staging Area in full team warm-up attire immediately following the "A" Finals for their event.

#### Relays and Relay Check-In Procedures

- A. Teams are limited to two relay entries in each relay event.
- B. Entries for all relays must be checked in prior to the scratch deadline in order to be seeded. Each coach shall pick up relay entry forms from the Clerk of Course on which he/she shall list the competing relay swimmers, their first and last names and order of swimming for each entered relay. Relay forms shall be returned to the Clerk of Course for tabulation approximately one (1) hour prior to the start of the relays. However, relay order may be changed up to the time of the swim.
- All relays will be timed finals with all heats swum in the evening session.
- D. The order shall be:

Women's 2nd Fastest Heat Women's Fastest Heat Men's 2nd Fastest Heat Men's Fastest Heat

# **Championship Procedures**



Women's 3rd Fastest Heat Men's 3rd Fastest Heat Women's 4th Fastest Heat Men's 4th Fastest Heat

#### **Distance Freestyle**

- Distance Entry Any swimmer who qualifies for the 800m or 1500m freestyle events may enter at his/her fastest time or at the qualifying time standard, if entered in two or more individual events on the day of the distance freestyle.
- Distance Check-in and Seeding Entrants in the 800m and 1500m freestyle must check in and confirm their intention to compete before the scratch deadline in order to be seeded. Seeded heat sheets will be published at the end of finals the evening before. The swimmers will be listed in the psych sheet in the order of submitted times, beginning with the fastest.
- Order of Distance Events On Day 1 and Day 5, the 800m and 1500m freestyle events will be swum slowest to fastest, alternating women's and men's heats, with the fastest heat of each race swum during the evening session. All other heats will be scheduled so the second fastest heat of the Men's event finishes approximately one hour prior to the start of the evening session.
- Swimmers may qualify for the 800 and 1500 Freestyle events using either the 800 or 1500 qualifying standards (i.e. the conforming or non-conforming distance event standards).

# Seeding

For these Championships, the seeding order is:

- 1. long course meters (LC)
- 2. short course yards (SY)

#### **Finals Session Event Order**

There will be a bonus, consolation, and championship final in each individual event at this Championship (except the 800m and 1500m freestyle events, which will have a championship final only). The order of the final events shall be C, B and A (bonus, consolation and championship).

#### **Meet Scoring**

Scoring will be on a sixteen (16) place basis. Individual events: 20, 17, 16, 15, 14, 13, 12, 11, 9, 7, 6, 5, 4, 3, 2, 1. Relay events receive double these point values.

After each evening's finals at these championships, the results will be available at usaswimming.org/nationals.

#### **Awards**

- Team Awards Team awards will be presented to the top three teams in Men's, Women's, and Combined catego-
- B. Individual Awards - Medals will be awarded to all place winners in the "A" final.
- Individual High Point Awards High Point Awards will be given to the top scoring male and female.

#### **Time Trials**

Time Trials will be conducted for swimmers entered in the meet with a provable time (individual or relay), provided there is sufficient time between the end of the preliminary session and the start of warm-ups for the final session. These Time Trials shall be held under a separate sanction and shall be limited to a maximum of one hour each day.

- Time Trials will be conducted in long course meters each dav.
- B. A swimmer is limited to a maximum of two Time Trials during the course of the Championships.
- A swimmer must be entered in the meet with a proven time (individual or relay) to participate in the Time Trials.
- Except as noted below, long course Time Trials shall be swum in the order listed under the meet program as follows:
  - First Day: that day's events, followed by the remaining events in the meet.
  - Remaining Days: that day's events, followed by the remaining events in the meet.
  - The 800 and 1500 Freestyle will typically be offered on only one day of the meet. The day will be determined by the Meet Referee, depending on the size of the meet, time available, etc; and be announced at the General Meeting.
  - The 50s are the last events swum in Time Trials, except on the day(s) which they are contested in the meet, when they will be the first event of time trials.

Entry fees for Time Trials are the same as those established for the meet.



	Women	14 (Summer Juniors)	Men	
SCY	LCM	Event	LCM	SCY
22.89	26.69	50Fr	24.09	20.59
49.89	57.79	100Fr	52.19	44.59
1:47.79	2:04.69	200Fr	1:54.69	1:38.79
4:49.09	4:22.19	400Fr	4:03.59	4:29.29
9:58.79	9:00.29	800Fr	8:24.69	9:15.19
16:35.89	17:14.29	1500Fr	16:08.09	15:37.49
54.69	1:04.59	100Bk	58.99	49.89
1:58.09	2:18.69	200Bk	2:07.39	1:48.39
1:03.09	1:13.49	100Br	1:06.29	55.99
2:15.89	2:38.69	200Br	2:23.69	2:01.59
54.19	1:02.59	100Fl	56.69	49.19
1:59.59	2:17.39	200Fl	2:05.49	1:48.29
2:00.99	2:21.39	200IM	2:08.69	1:49.29
4:15.59	4:58.09	400IM	4:33.89	3:53.49
	3:56.49	4X100 Fr-R	3:34.89	
	8:29.99	4x200 Fr-R	7:47.69	
	4:22.69	4x100 Med-R	3:56.99	

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	Women		Men	
SCY	LCM	Bonus Events	LCM	SCY
23.49	27.19	50Fr	24.49	21.19
50.79	58.29	100Fr	52.89	45.39
1:49.39	2:05.69	200Fr	1:56.49	1:40.09
4:52.19	4:23.89	400Fr	4:05.49	4:30.09
10:05.19	9:05.09	800Fr	8:27.69	9:19.39
16:45.09	17:29.69	1500Fr	16:27.39	15:46.39
56.09	1:05.59	100Bk	59.69	50.49
2:00.69	2:20.89	200Bk	2:09.69	1:49.69
1:03.89	1:14.29	100Br	1:07.09	56.59
2:18.89	2:40.49	200Br	2:25.09	2:02.89
55.69	1:03.59	100Fl	57.69	49.89
2:02.39	2:19.29	200Fl	2:07.29	1:49.89
2:03.99	2:22.39	200IM	2:10.09	1:50.69
4:22.09	5:00.49	400IM	4:37.29	3:56.89

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