

**Washington Township Swim Club**  
**Summertime Challenge Invitational**

June 9-11, 2023

North Central High School Natatorium, Indianapolis, IN

[www.wtscswim.org](http://www.wtscswim.org)

**Format:** All events will be timed finals. (See attached schedule).

**Friday Arrival:** Swimmers, coaches, officials, volunteers, parents, spectators and vendors are **NOT** permitted on the North Central High School campus **before 3:00 pm EDT**.

**Sanction:** This meet is sanctioned by USA Swimming and Indiana Swimming IN23275. Current USA Swimming and Indiana Swimming rules will govern this meet.

**Location:** North Central High School Natatorium, 1801 E. 86th Street, Indianapolis, IN 46240.

**Directions:** The North Central Natatorium is located on the north side of Indianapolis. From I-465, exit at Meridian Street or Keystone Avenue head south. From Meridian turn left/east at 86th Street and turn right/south at the stoplight at the school entrance across from the Northview Shops. From Keystone turn right/west at 86th Street/Nora exit and left/south at school entrance. Enter door #24 at rear of school.

**Parking:** All parking will be in the student parking lot on the southeast side of the campus. All guests can enter through Door #16.

**Facility:** The North Central Natatorium will use a 50-meter competition pool with 10 lanes and Keifer-McNeil non-turbulent lane markers, equipped with a Colorado Electronic Timing System. All sessions will be staffed with lifeguards for swimmer and guest safety.

The water depth of the pool from the west end to a distance beyond five meters is a constant six feet, and from the east end to a distance past five meters the depth is 14'6". At a point beyond five meters from the ends, the bottom slopes up to a water depth of 4'6" for a middle portion of the pool. The competition course is certified in accordance with 104.2.2C(4) and is on file with USA Swimming.

**Spectators:** Spectator seating will be available on the north side of the natatorium and accommodates about 500 spectators. The performing arts hallway will also be available for seating between races.

**Admissions:** \$6/single session, \$15/All Session pass

**Concessions:** A variety of food and beverage options will be available.

An inherent risk of exposure to COVID-19 exists in any public place where people are present. COVID-19 is an extremely contagious disease that can lead to severe illness and death. According to the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, senior citizens and individuals with underlying medical conditions are especially vulnerable.

USA Swimming, Inc., cannot prevent you (or your child(ren)) from becoming exposed to, contracting, or spreading COVID-19 while participating in USA Swimming sanctioned events. It is not possible to prevent against the presence of the disease. Therefore, if you choose to participate in a USA Swimming sanctioned event, you may be exposing yourself to and/or increasing your risk of contracting or spreading COVID-19. BY ATTENDING OR PARTICIPATING IN THIS COMPETITION, YOU VOLUNTARILY ASSUME ALL RISKS ASSOCIATED WITH EXPOSURE TO COVID-19 AND FOREVER RELEASE AND HOLD HARMLESS USA

SWIMMING AND [THE LSC] AND EACH OF THEIR OFFICERS, DIRECTORS, AGENTS, EMPLOYEES OR OTHER REPRESENTATIVES FROM ANY LIABILITY OR CLAIMS INCLUDING FOR PERSONAL INJURIES, DEATH, DISEASE OR PROPERTY LOSSES, OR ANY OTHER LOSS, INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO CLAIMS OF NEGLIGENCE AND GIVE UP ANY CLAIMS YOU MAY HAVE TO SEEK DAMAGES, WHETHER KNOWN OR UNKNOWN, FORESEEN OR UNFORESEEN, IN CONNECTION THEREWITH.

**Safe Sport 360:** The Minor Athlete Abuse Prevention Policy prohibits Applicable Adults (as defined) from having one-on-one interactions with minor athletes which are not within an observable and interruptible distance from another adult. Applicable Adults are required to abide by this policy in full during this meet.

Pursuant to USA Swimming Rules and Regulations and federal law, it is every member's responsibility to immediately (i.e., within 24 hours) report any incident of child abuse, including physical or sexual abuse, to law enforcement and the U.S. Center for SafeSport. Reporting must occur when an individual has firsthand knowledge of misconduct or where specific and credible information has been received from a victim or knowledgeable third party. A report to the U.S. Center for SafeSport may be made via telephone at [720-531-0340](tel:720-531-0340) or online at [www.uscenterforsafesport.org/report-a-concern](http://www.uscenterforsafesport.org/report-a-concern). Various state laws may also require reporting to law enforcement or to a designated child protection agency.

All athletes age 18 and older must complete Athlete Protection Training in order to be a USA Swimming registered member in good standing. Any athlete who turns 18 on or after [insert date that is 30 days prior to the last date of the actual competition], who has not completed Athlete Protection Training by the first day of competition, will be prohibited from participating in the competition until such time as all membership requirements are completed. Times achieved by an athlete who turns age 18 on or after [insert same date], who competes in this USA Swimming sanctioned event without completing this membership requirement, will NOT count for qualification or recognition. This includes participation as a member of a relay.

All adults participation in or associated with this meet acknowledge that they are subject to the provisions of the USA Swimming Minor Athlete Abuse Prevention Policy (MAAPT) and that they understand that compliance with MAAPT is a condition of participation in the conduct of this competition.

**Meet Directors: Emily Wolfe & Autumn Leppert- [wtscmeetdirector@gmail.com](mailto:wtscmeetdirector@gmail.com)**

**Head Coach: Josh Saylor- [jsaylor5@yahoo.com](mailto:jsaylor5@yahoo.com)**

**Meet Referee: Eric Hillenbrand- [ehillenbrand@ccim.net](mailto:ehillenbrand@ccim.net)**

**Entry Chair: Bridget Parker- [wtscswimming@gmail.com](mailto:wtscswimming@gmail.com)**

**Communications:** WTSC will only communicate with club coaches and/or designated representatives and not the swimmers' parents. Please seek additional information from those designated.

**Entry Acceptance Date:** Entries will not be accepted prior to **12:01 AM EDT on May 22, 2023.**

**Entry Deadline:** The Entry Deadline is **11:59 PM EDT, May 28, 2023.. All athletes planning to swim, must be entered by the May 28, 2023 deadline.** No additional swimmers will be added after 5/28/23..

Teams not accepted will be notified by **8:00 PM EDT May 31, 2023..** The deadline will be extended if the meet is not full.

#### **Entry Procedures:**

Submit entries **via the internet only** in an USA Swimming approved SDIF file format recognized by Hytek's Meet Manager to MEET ENTRY CHAIR:

[wtscswimming@gmail.com](mailto:wtscswimming@gmail.com)

Note: In a short time you should receive an email confirming submitted entry. Immediately report any problems entering to: [wtscswimming@gmail.com](mailto:wtscswimming@gmail.com). Your team will not be penalized or rejected from meet if you experience technical difficulties.

**Other Entry Rules:**

- Current and correct Swimming ID numbers must be supplied with your entry for every swimmer.
- No times and non-conforming times will be accepted.
- Non-conforming times will be converted by Hy-tek Meet Manager and will be seeded with conforming times accordingly.
- Relay entries must include names of four swimmers (minimum) of the correct sex and age group for the event. These names will be submitted in the order in which you intend them to swim. Actual relay teams and swimming order may be modified via the submission of relay cards. (See relay card section below.) The Entry Chair will not accept relay teams entered without names.
- Your electronic entry file must include all team information regarding your coach's name/s, team address, team phone number and team email address. Those teams that do not include this information will not be accepted into the meet until all of the required information is provided.

**Acceptance Criteria:** If meet is over-entered, WTSC will consider entries to accept based on:

- Past support of other WTSC Meets (not State Championships)
- Number of officials volunteering to assist with officiating the meet
- Balance of age groups and gender in entry
- Level of competition
- Order of acceptance after Meet Entry Acceptance Date **Once Accepted:** Please perform the following tasks:
- Carefully check the entry report that WTSC emailed back to your team's designated individual. Report any errors or variances via email as soon as possible and before the deadline for changes, **June 4, 2023 by 5:00 PM EDT. All athletes planning to swim, must be entered by the May 28, 2023 deadline.** There will be no late entries accepted
- Keep the original Entry Report WTSC sent to you along with all subsequent Entry Reports notifying you of changed or update entries. These are the official record of your team's entry. No refunds or changes will be made to your team's entry due to your failure to review reports sent to you by WTSC.
- Please email the following to: [wtscswimming@gmail.com](mailto:wtscswimming@gmail.com) so it will be received by the Entry Chair on or before **5:00 PM EDT June 4, 2023:** ○ Executed release and hold harmless agreement ○ Officials/Volunteer Sheets
- **Pay Fees:** Pay your fees at the meet prior to your first swimmer starting competition. If other payment options need to be arranged, please email the Meet Entry Chair.

**Fees:**

- IN swimmers-\$2.50 per swimmer surcharge
- out-of-LSC athletes- \$5.00 athlete surcharge.
- \$5 per Individual Event (IE)

**Deck Entry Fees:** No deck entries will be accepted.

**Entry Limitations:** Swimmers are limited to four (4) events per day. WTSC reserves the right to limit select events during all sessions if deemed necessary to keep session within reasonable time line.

**Friday Evening Events:** Meet Entry Chair may establish cuts for Friday night events to keep session within reasonable time line. No time updates or additional entries to Friday evening events will be accepted after cuts are announced. If time line permits, host team may add heats in limited events solely for host team swimmers who do not meet cut. Swimmers cut from all events on Friday evening do not need to report to pool. Swimmers who miss cuts due to an entry error that was not reported to WTSC prior to deadline for changes will not be added to limited events.

**Saturday and Sunday Events:** WTSC reserves right to limit select events during all sessions if deemed necessary to complete session/s within requirements of Indiana Swimming rules. No time updates or additional entries to any limited events will be accepted after cuts are announced. WTSC swimmers will be subject to same cuts and will not be added after cuts are announced. Swimmers who miss cuts due to an entry error that was not reported to WTSC prior to deadline for changes will not be added to limited events.

**Psych Sheets:** Psych Sheets for limited events will be e-mailed to participating clubs on or before **June 7, 2023**. They will also be posted to WTSC web site at: [www.wtscswim.org](http://www.wtscswim.org). Failure by a coach or parent to determine if a swimmer has been cut is not an accepted excuse. Swimmers who have been cut may not swim.

**Fly-Over Starts:** Fly-Over starts may be used for this meet.

**Session Start Times:** WTSC may request ability to adjust start times of warm-ups or competition to be either earlier or later than published times as dictated by number of entries received and to coincide with Indiana Swimming recommendations. If start times are adjusted, team representatives will be notified via email on or before **June 7, 2023**.

**Swimmer Eligibility:** Swimmers must be registered with USA Swimming to be accepted into this meet. The swimmer's age as of **the first day of the meet June 9, 2023**, will determine eligibility for age group events. Current and correct Swimming ID numbers must be supplied with every swimmer entry. (Foreign athletes not currently registered with USA Swimming should submit the registration number assigned to them by their country's FINA member organization.) Athletes without proper registration will be denied participation in the meet. Indiana Swimming does not process on-site registrations.

#### **USA Swimming Rules:**

- **Supervision Rules:** (202.5.3) At a sanctioned competitive event, USA Swimming athlete members must be under the supervision of a USA Swimming member coach during warm-up, competition, and warmdown. The Meet Director or Meet Referee may assist in making arrangements for such supervision, but it is the swimmer's responsibility to make such arrangements prior to the start 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."

Lifeguards will be on duty and medical services available upon request

**Check-In:** All events will be pre-seeded.

**Awards:** No awards will be given.

**Final Results:** Within three days of the conclusion of the meet, WTSC will email the designated Club Contact (and others upon request) the following results files: Hy-tek Meet Manager Back up (Swmmbkup.zip); Hy-tek Team Manager Results (CL2); and Text file (Html and/or PDF). Any team wishing a hard copy of the results should indicate accordingly in the "Special Requests" sections of the on-line entry form.

**Coach Eligibility:** Coaches and Officials MUST display their current USA Swimming coach credential or Deck Pass to gain deck access. The meet referee and/or meet director reserves the right to ask for coach credential or Deck Pass and/or deny deck access if coach does not comply or card is no longer valid/current.

**Facility rules:** Please do not tape posters, placards, signs or banners to painted surfaces, use tiled surfaces only. Violations will be subject to damages payable to NCHS Natatorium. No damage or vandalism to property. Keep all trash picked up. No balloons in pool area. No smoking or tobacco allowed in Natatorium or on school premises including parking lots. Keep out of unauthorized areas, any place other than the lobby, seating area, pool deck, and designated camping areas. **Only swimmers competing in a current session, coaches of entered teams, officials and volunteers working a current session will be allowed on deck.** Refrain from flash photography during race starts.

***SCHEDULE:*** (Also see attached Event List)

	<b>Start Time</b>	<b>Age Groups</b>
Friday Distance Warm-ups	4:00 PM	All
Friday Distance Competition	5:00PM	All
Sat. & Sun. AM Warm-ups	7:00 AM	13-14, 15 & Over
Sat. & Sun. AM Competition	8:00 AM	13-14, 15 & Over
Sat. & Sun. PM Warm-ups	Not Before 11:00 AM	10 & Under, 11-12
Sat. & Sun. PM Competition	One Hour After Warm-up Begins (12:00 PM)	10 & Under, 11-12

**FRIDAY PM EVENTS** – WARM-UPS START AT 4:00 PM

- MEET STARTS AT 5:00 PM

GIRLS EVENT	AGE	DISTANCE	STROKE	BOYS EVENT
1	13 & Over	400	IM	2
3	12 & Under	200	IM	4
5	13 & Over	400	Free	6
7	12 & Under	400	Free	8

**SATURDAY AM EVENTS** - WARM-UPS START AT 7:00 AM

- MEET STARTS AT 8:00 AM

<b>GIRLS EVENT</b>	<b>AGE</b>	<b>DISTANCE</b>	<b>STROKE</b>	<b>BOYS EVENT</b>
9	13-14	200	IM	10
11	15 & Over	200	IM	12
13	13-14	100	FLY	14
15	15 & Over	100	FLY	16
17	13-14	200	BREAST	18
19	15 & Over	200	BREAST	20
21	13-14	100	BACK	22
23	15 & Over	100	BACK	24
25	13-14	100	FREE	26
27	15 & Over	100	FREE	28

**SATURDAY PM EVENTS** - WARM-UPS START NO EARLIER THAN 11:00 AM

- MEET STARTS 1 HOUR LATER

<b>GIRLS EVENT</b>	<b>AGE</b>	<b>DISTANCE</b>	<b>STROKE</b>	<b>BOYS EVENT</b>
29	12 & under	200	BACK	30
31	10 & Under	50	FLY	32
33	11-12	50	FLY	34
35	10 & Under	100	BREAST	36
37	11-12	100	BREAST	38
39	10 & Under	50	BACK	40
41	11-12	50	BACK	42
43	10 & Under	100	FREE	44
45	11-12	100	FREE	46
47	12 & Under	200	FLY	48



**SUNDAY AM EVENTS** – WARM-UPS START AT 7:00 AM

- MEET STARTS AT 8:00 AM

<b>GIRLS EVENT</b>	<b>AGE</b>	<b>DIST</b>	<b>STROKE</b>	<b>BOYS EVENT</b>
49	13-14	200	FREE	50
51	15 & Over	200	FREE	52
53	13-14	200	FLY	54
55	15 & Over	200	FLY	56
57	13-14	100	BREAST	58
59	15 & Over	100	BREAST	60
61	13-14	200	BACK	62
63	15 & Over	200	BACK	64
65	13-14	50	FREE	66
67	15 & Over	50	FREE	68

**SUNDAY PM EVENTS** – WARM-UPS START NO EARLIER THAN 11:00 AM

- MEET STARTS 1 HOUR LATER

<b>GIRLS EVENT</b>	<b>AGE</b>	<b>DIST</b>	<b>STROKE</b>	<b>BOYS EVENT</b>
69	11-12	200	FREE	70
71	10 & Under	200	FREE	72
73	11-12	100	FLY	74
75	10 & Under	100	FLY	76
77	11-12	50	BREAST	78
79	10 & Under	50	BREAST	80
81	11-12	100	BACK	82
83	10 & Under	100	BACK	84
85	11-12	50	FREE	86
87	10 & Under	50	FREE	88
89	12 & Under	200	BREAST	90

**WASHINGTON TOWNSHIP SWIM CLUB**

**Summer Challenge Invitational**

**June 9-11, 2023**

**RELEASE AND HOLD HARMLESS AGREEMENT**

**CLUB:** \_\_\_\_\_

**CLUB CODE:** \_\_\_\_\_

IN CONSIDERATION OF BEING PERMITTED TO PARTICIPATE IN THE SWIM MEET, CLUB, AND ITS SWIMMERS, COACHES, PARENTS, MEMBERS AND VOLUNTEERS HEREBY RELEASE AND FOREVER DISCHARGE WASHINGTON TOWNSHIP SWIM CLUB, USA SWIMMING, INDIANA SWIMMING, NORTH CENTRAL HIGH SCHOOL, THE RESPECTIVE OWNERS, TRUSTEES, DIRECTORS, OFFICERS, AGENTS, EMPLOYEES, MEMBERS, SUCCESSORS AND ASSIGNS OF EACH OF THEM, AND ALL OTHER PERSONS OR ENTITIES IN ANY WAY CONNECTED WITH SPONSORING OR HOLDING THIS SWIM MEET, OF AND FROM ANY AND ALL LIABILITIES, CLAIMS, DEMANDS, ACTIONS, CAUSES OF ACTION, LOSSES, DAMAGES OR EXPENSES, OF WHATEVER KIND OR CHARACTER, ARISING OUT OF OR IN CONNECTION WITH SAID SWIM MEET AND THE FACILITIES AND PERSONNEL FOR IT. FURTHER, CLUB AND ITS SWIMMERS, COACHES, PARENTS, MEMBERS AND VOLUNTEERS SHALL INDEMNIFY AND HOLD HARMLESS WASHINGTON TOWNSHIP SWIM CLUB, USA SWIMMING, NORTH CENTRAL HIGH SCHOOL, THE RESPECTIVE OWNERS, TRUSTEES, DIRECTORS, OFFICERS, AGENTS, EMPLOYEES, MEMBERS, SUCCESSORS AND ASSIGNS OF EACH OF THEM, AND ALL OTHER PERSONS OR ENTITIES IN ANY WAY CONNECTED WITH SPONSORING OR HOLDING THIS SWIM MEET, OF AND FROM ANY AND ALL LIABILITIES, CLAIMS, DEMANDS, ACTIONS, CAUSES OF ACTION, LOSSES, DAMAGES OR EXPENSES, OF WHATEVER KIND OR CHARACTER, ARISING OUT OF OR IN CONNECTION WITH ANY INJURY TO ANY PERSON, INCLUDING DEATH, OR INJURY OR DAMAGE TO ANY PROPERTY.

THE UNDERSIGNED REPRESENTS THAT HE/SHE IS AUTHORIZED BY THE CLUB, AND ITS SWIMMERS, COACHES, PARENTS, MEMBERS AND VOLUNTEERS TO EXECUTE THIS RELEASE AND HOLD HARMLESS AGREEMENT ON BEHALF OF EACH OF THEM, BINDING CLUB, AND ITS SWIMMERS, COACHES, PARENTS, MEMBERS AND VOLUNTEERS TO THE TERMS HEREOF.

**EXECUTED THIS** \_\_\_\_\_ **DAY OF** \_\_\_\_\_, **2021**

**SIGNATURE** \_\_\_\_\_

**PRINTED NAME** \_\_\_\_\_

**POSITION** \_\_\_\_\_

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