

Storrs Aquatic Club May Qualifier May 30 – 31, 2026

University of Connecticut – Wolff-Zackin Natatorium
2095 Hillside Road, Storrs, CT 06269

Held under sanction of USA Swimming and Connecticut Swimming, Inc. #L26-21. In granting this sanction it is understood and agreed that USA Swimming and Connecticut Swimming, Inc. 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.

	SAQ
Meet Director	Tim Wise tim.wise@uconn.edu (203) 668 7616
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Referee	Kathleen Mendonca
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Official's Contact	Tim Wise tim.wise@uconn.edu (203) 668 7616
FACILITY INFORMATION	
Location	2095 Hillside Road, Storrs, Ct 06269
Facilities	6-lane, 50-meter pool. Colorado Timing. The competition course has been certified in accordance with 104.2.2C(4). Water depth at start end 6ft and 14 at turn end. * Changing into or out of swimsuits other than in locker rooms or other designated areas is prohibited.
Course	LCM
Emergency Phone	860 486 9193
Website	http://www.storrsaquatics.com
Wifi Access	Wifi is available
Medical Supervision	AED exists on deck and a lifeguard will be present on site
Safe Sport	Spectators are not allowed on deck nor to stand near the starting block area
Handicapped/Disabled Access	The facility is handicapped accessible to athletes and spectators
Parking	Surface lot parking is available. South Garage is available for a fee. SAQ is not responsible for cars that receive parking citations.
ENTRY INFORMATION	
Entry Open Date	Entries will be accepted no <u>earlier</u> than April 10 at 7:00p.
CT ONLY Deadline	There are no CT ONLY deadlines for any meet at any time this LC season
Entry Deadline	Deadline is Tuesday May 19, 2026 @ 5:00 pm
Entry Fees	Individual: \$15.00 Per Swimmer Surcharge: \$10.00 Manual Entry Fees: \$5.00 will be added to the amounts above ** No refunds will be given for entries that are accepted, or for entries that are rejected due to improper entry.
Swimmer Surcharge	Teams that are charged pool rental for running a regularly scheduled non CSI Championship meet during the LC season (4/1-8/31), can charge a per swimmer facility fee not to exceed \$10. This charge will NOT be subject to CSI surcharges.

Send Payment to	Tim Wise 34 Dudley Road – Wethersfield, CT 06109 Payment must be received by 05/30/2026
Makes checks payable to	Storrs Aquatic Club
MEET INFORMATION	
Meet Format	The meet will be swum as Timed-Final. The 400 Free will be mixed and run fast to slow and may be limited by swimmers and/or heats depending upon entries received. Swimmers who are cut from the 400 will be allowed to choose another event that day. Swimmers will be asked to provide their own back up timer for the 400.
Entry Limitations	Swimmers may enter 4 events per session.
Meet Duration	Full meet with time limits as defined by CT/USA Swimming.
Sanction Type	Sanctioned
Rules	Current USA Swimming rules will govern all competition.
Relays	No
Time Trials	Yes. Time trials may be offered at the discretion of the Meet Referee in accordance with CSI Policy if time allows. Time trials are limited to the events published in this meet announcement (age/distance/stroke). Time Trials will count toward the athlete's event limitations for the day and meet. If they are offered, only athletes properly entered in one or more events in the meet are eligible for time trials and must be properly entered in the Time Trial. The deadline for Time Trial entries is 60 minutes after the session begins. The fee for Time Trial entries is \$20.00.
SCHEDULE	
Saturday	Session 1 Warm up: 7:30 Start: 8:30 Session 2 Warm up: 12:30 Start: 1:30
Sunday	Session 1 Warm up: 7:30 Start: 8:30 Session 2 Warm up: 12:30 Start: 1:30
CT Swimming Warm-Up Procedures will be in effect.	
MISCELLANEOUS	
Adapted Swimming	Any current athlete members of USA Swimming with a disability as defined by USA Swimming Rules and Regulations may enter this meet. If modifications to USA Swimming rules are necessary then the coach or athlete must notify the meet referee of any disability <u>prior</u> to competition. Adapted athletes may direct questions to the <u>Connecticut Swimming office</u> .
Outreach	Participating clubs will submit payment in full to the meet host for all Outreach athlete entry fees (splash fees). These fees will be reimbursed by CSI to the participating CSI club after completion of the meet. Scratches and 'No Swims' will not be reimbursed. For more information and to submit a reimbursement visit the <u>Outreach Athlete</u> page on ctswim.org .
Adult Athletes	All adult athletes, or parents of minor athletes, who enter without club affiliation will be required to attest to reading and understanding the <u>Minor Athlete Abuse Prevention Policy</u> .
Hospitality	Yes
Concession	Yes
Awards	No
Work Assignments	Clubs will be asked to provide timer assistance based upon the size of their entry. A list will be emailed the Monday before the meet. All volunteers will be required to attest to reading and understanding the

	<u>Minor Athlete Abuse Prevention Policy.</u>
Registration Reporting	The Meet or Entry Director MUST run a meet verification report and give said report to the Meet Referee. This is to ensure that no swimmer without their APT credentials or unregistered swimmers participate in a sanction USA/CT Swimming meet.
Deck Access	Only athletes, coaches, officials, and official meet staff actively participating in the meet are permitted on the pool deck.
Meet Changes	Once the meet has begun, the Meet Referee may make adjustments to the conduct of competition in accordance with USA Swimming Rule 102.11. Any pre-meet changes to the provisions of this meet announcement may only be made with approval of CT Swim Program Operations, unless specifically authorized by CT Swim policy.

SCRATCH PROCEDURES: Scratch sheets will be due 30 minutes after warm up begins.

ELIGIBILITY: All USA Swimming clubs and individuals.

For Sanctioned Meets: All athletes must be current athlete members of USA Swimming. Age on the first day of the meet shall determine the swimmer's age and age group for the meet. List any restrictions, such as age, etc. Any swimmer, who is entered and is unregistered, will be scratched from the meet until registration is completed. See CT Swimming athlete registration procedures. Registrations will not be processed at the meet. All coaches must present a valid USA Swimming coach card to the Meet Director prior to the commencement of any sanctioned swim meet, and must have this card with them while on deck. Clubs are reminded that participation of unregistered swimmers and/or coaches will result in a **\$100 fine** per instance, as described in CT Swimming meet policies:

<https://www.ctswim.org/Customer-Content/www/CMS/files/Membership/Registration-Policy-for-Athletes.pdf>

and

https://www.ctswim.org/Customer-Content/www/CMS/files/policies_admin/RegistrationPolicyforMeetHosts.pdf

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 **without the use of the backstroke ledge**. 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.

ELECTRONIC ENTRIES: Electronic entries (such as from Hy-Tek Team Manager or other team management software) that are in CL2 or SD3/SDIF format may be emailed as an attachment to the entry chair at tim.wise@uconn.edu. Please check that your team name, address, and contact information are listed correctly in this file. Payment is expected before the meet begins. Club will be notified that their entry has been received with 48 hours via email confirmation. IF you do not receive confirmation within 48 hours please contact the meet director to verify receipt. Clubs will be notified of their acceptance into the meet no later than Wednesday 5/20/26.

ENTRIES FROM ATHLETES WITH NO CLUB AFFILIATION: Athletes entering this meet independent of a USA Swimming club or coach shall: 1.) be under the supervision of a USA Swimming coach for the duration of the meet. It is the swimmer's responsibility to make arrangements with a USA Swimming member coach prior to the meet. Athletes unaccompanied by a USA Swimming coach will not be permitted on deck. Please contact the Meet Director for assistance. 2) 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. It is the responsibility of the swimmer or the swimmer's legal guardian to ensure compliance with this requirement. The name of the USA Swimming member coach supervising the athlete and racing certification should be submitted to the Meet Director with the entry.

CUT PROTOCOL:

If the session is oversubscribed the following protocol will be instituted IN THE ORDER PRESENTED to reduce the timeline to the required length or participation number:

1. Athletes aged 7 and Under will be cut from the meet.
2. All relays, if planned, will be eliminated.
3. The distance events (400 meters or yards or greater) may be heat limited to the 6 heats of entries per gender in the order they were received.
4. The maximum number of events allowed per day may be reduced by one (1).
5. [This provision will always be last] Visiting teams may be cut based on the date/time of the receipt of the final paid entry. If teams are cut, the host reserves the right to offer the available partial entry to the cut teams in the order that entries were received in order to fill the meet.

The host reserves the right to seek approval from Program Operations for additional changes, which may reasonably maximize participation opportunities.

Notification of any cuts or requests for changes must be made to Program Operations as soon as possible by the host. Attending teams will be notified no later than the Monday before the meet.

NOTE: If the host is required to institute the published cut protocol above. All accepted entries at the time that the cut protocol is instituted may be considered final by the host for the purposes of financial responsibility. (i.e. Teams submitting "placeholder" entries will be required to pay for the entries if the cut protocol is required).

SAFETY:

1. Diving will be prohibited during warm-ups except in specifically announced one-way sprint lanes. There will be no diving in the warm-up and warm-down areas at any time
2. No shaving is permitted at the competition site.
3. No glass containers are permitted within the facility.
4. Swimmers must be under the supervision of a coach. If a swimmer arrives at the meet without a coach, the swimmer should notify the referee before he/she warms up. The referee will assign the swimmer to a registered coach for warm-ups.
5. Use of audio or visual recording devices, including a cell phone, is not permitted in changing areas, rest rooms or locker rooms.

PHOTOGRAPHY AND VIDEO RECORDING:

Meet Management has the full authority to restrict any and all photography, audio and visual recording using cameras, video cameras, tablets, cell phones or other electronic devices at a meet.

Photography or video recording from the deck is prohibited by all individuals, other than participating Coaches, unless prior authorization from the Meet Referee or meet referee has been granted.

Under no circumstances is photography or video recording permitted by anyone in the area adjacent to or behind the starting blocks, including spectator stands at deck level, while they are in use for race starting purposes during competition and warm-ups. Flash photography is prohibited during the start of any heat, including whenever any swimmer is stepping up or standing on a block for the purpose of the start of a heat.

Photography or video recording and the use of audio, including a cell phone, is not permitted in changing areas, rest rooms or locker rooms. Additional "No Camera Zones" may be designated by Meet Management or the meet referee.

If individuals are properly credentialed, not obstructing movement on the deck and abiding by these rules, the following individuals may be allowed by Meet Management and the meet referee with prior authorization if they possess the following:

- Professional photographers with current, official media credentials that are promoting the sport of swimming
- Official team and professional meet photographers that are USA Swimming members, background checked, have signed off on MAAPP and completed Athlete Protection Training
- A participating athlete directly assisting a Coach, for instructional purposes, during an event using the Coach's electronic device

Any individual failing to abide by these rules may be ejected from the facility and be subject to a Code of Conduct violation at the discretion of Meet Management.

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DRONES: 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. Exceptions may be granted with prior written approval by USA Swimming Vice President of Program Operations.

SAQ May Qualifier - 5/30/2026 to 5/31/2026
Session Report

Session: 1 Saturday Morning

Day of Meet: 1 Starts at 08:30 AM Heat Interval: 30 Seconds / Back +15 Seconds

Round	Event	Entries	Heats	Starts at	
Finals	1 Women 13 & Over 200 IM	0	0	08:30 AM	_____
Finals	2 Men 13 & Over 200 IM	0	0	08:30 AM	_____
Finals	3 Women 13 & Over 50 Freestyle	0	0	08:30 AM	_____
Finals	4 Men 13 & Over 50 Freestyle	0	0	08:30 AM	_____
Finals	5 Women 13 & Over 100 Backstroke	0	0	08:30 AM	_____
Finals	6 Men 13 & Over 100 Backstroke	0	0	08:30 AM	_____
Finals	7 Women 13 & Over 200 Breaststroke	0	0	08:30 AM	_____
Finals	8 Men 13 & Over 200 Breaststroke	0	0	08:30 AM	_____
Finals	9 Women 13 & Over 100 Butterfly	0	0	08:30 AM	_____
Finals	10 Men 13 & Over 100 Butterfly	0	0	08:30 AM	_____
Finals	11 Women 13 & Over 50 Breaststroke	0	0	08:30 AM	_____
Finals	12 Men 13 & Over 50 Breaststroke	0	0	08:30 AM	_____
Finals	13 Women 13 & Over 200 Freestyle	0	0	08:30 AM	_____
Finals	14 Men 13 & Over 200 Freestyle	0	0	08:30 AM	_____
	Finish Time			08:30 AM	_____

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Session Report

Session: 2 Saturday Afternoon

Day of Meet: 1 Starts at 01:30 PM Heat Interval: 30 Seconds / Back +15 Seconds

Round	Event	Entries	Heats	Starts at	
Finals	15 Girls 12 & Under 100 Backstroke	0	0	01:30 PM	_____
Finals	16 Boys 12 & Under 100 Backstroke	0	0	01:30 PM	_____
Finals	17 Girls 12 & Under 50 Butterfly	0	0	01:30 PM	_____
Finals	18 Boys 12 & Under 50 Butterfly	0	0	01:30 PM	_____
Finals	19 Girls 12 & Under 200 Breaststroke	0	0	01:30 PM	_____
Finals	20 Boys 12 & Under 200 Breaststroke	0	0	01:30 PM	_____
Finals	21 Girls 12 & Under 50 Freestyle	0	0	01:30 PM	_____
Finals	22 Boys 12 & Under 50 Freestyle	0	0	01:30 PM	_____
Finals	23 Girls 12 & Under 200 Butterfly	0	0	01:30 PM	_____
Finals	24 Boys 12 & Under 200 Butterfly	0	0	01:30 PM	_____
Finals	25 Girls 12 & Under 50 Breaststroke	0	0	01:30 PM	_____
Finals	26 Boys 12 & Under 50 Breaststroke	0	0	01:30 PM	_____
Finals	27 Mixed 12 & Under 400 Freestyle	0	0	01:30 PM	_____
	Finish Time			01:30 PM	_____

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Session: 4 Sunday Morning

Day of Meet: 2 Starts at 08:30 AM Heat Interval: 30 Seconds / Back +15 Seconds

Round	Event	Entries	Heats	Starts at	
Finals	28 Women 13 & Over 100 Freestyle	0	0	08:30 AM	_____
Finals	29 Men 13 & Over 100 Freestyle	0	0	08:30 AM	_____
Finals	30 Women 13 & Over 50 Backstroke	0	0	08:30 AM	_____
Finals	31 Men 13 & Over 50 Backstroke	0	0	08:30 AM	_____
Finals	32 Women 13 & Over 200 Butterfly	0	0	08:30 AM	_____
Finals	33 Men 13 & Over 200 Butterfly	0	0	08:30 AM	_____
Finals	34 Women 13 & Over 200 Backstroke	0	0	08:30 AM	_____
Finals	35 Men 13 & Over 200 Backstroke	0	0	08:30 AM	_____
Finals	36 Women 13 & Over 100 Breaststroke	0	0	08:30 AM	_____
Finals	37 Men 13 & Over 100 Breaststroke	0	0	08:30 AM	_____
Finals	38 Mixed 13 & Over 50 Butterfly	0	0	08:30 AM	_____
Finals	39 Mixed 13 & Over 50 Butterfly	0	0	08:30 AM	_____
Finals	40 Mixed 13 & Over 400 Freestyle	0	0	08:30 AM	_____
	Finish Time			08:30 AM	_____

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Session Report

Session: 5 Sunday Afternoon

Day of Meet: 2 Starts at 01:30 PM Heat Interval: 30 Seconds / Back +15 Seconds

Round	Event	Entries	Heats	Starts at	
Finals	41 Girls 12 & Under 200 IM	0	0	01:30 PM	_____
Finals	42 Boys 12 & Under 200 IM	0	0	01:30 PM	_____
Finals	43 Girls 12 & Under 50 Backstroke	0	0	01:30 PM	_____
Finals	44 Boys 12 & Under 50 Backstroke	0	0	01:30 PM	_____
Finals	45 Girls 12 & Under 100 Breaststroke	0	0	01:30 PM	_____
Finals	46 Boys 12 & Under 100 Breaststroke	0	0	01:30 PM	_____
Finals	47 Girls 12 & Under 200 Freestyle	0	0	01:30 PM	_____
Finals	48 Boys 12 & Under 200 Freestyle	0	0	01:30 PM	_____
Finals	49 Girls 12 & Under 100 Butterfly	0	0	01:30 PM	_____
Finals	50 Boys 12 & Under 100 Butterfly	0	0	01:30 PM	_____
Finals	51 Girls 12 & Under 200 Backstroke	0	0	01:30 PM	_____
Finals	52 Boys 12 & Under 200 Backstroke	0	0	01:30 PM	_____
Finals	53 Girls 12 & Under 100 Freestyle	0	0	01:30 PM	_____
Finals	54 Boys 12 & Under 100 Freestyle	0	0	01:30 PM	_____
	Finish Time			01:30 PM	_____