

# CONNECTICUT SWIMMING

## 2022 SC REGIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS

SATURDAY, and SUNDAY

February 25 - 26, 2023

Hosts: BULL, CDOG, GRYM, HHAC, LEHY, RST, and WYW

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Held under sanction of USA Swimming and Connecticut Swimming, Inc. #S22-78A-G. 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.

### COVID-19 Statement

In applying for this sanction, the Host, Bulldog Swimming, Cheshire Y/Sea Dog Swim Club, YMCA of Greenwich Marlins, Hamden Hall Aquatic Club, Laurel East Hartford YMCA, Rapids Swim Team and Wilton Y Wahoos, agrees to comply and to enforce all health and safety mandates and guidelines of USA Swimming, Connecticut Swimming, the State of Connecticut and, [City of New Haven](#), [Town of Greenwich](#), [Town of Cheshire](#), [Town of Monroe](#), [Town of Hamden](#), [City of East Hartford](#) and [Town of Wilton](#)

### COVID-19 Assumption of Risk Disclaimer

We, Bulldog Swimming, Cheshire Y/Sea Dog Swim Club, YMCA of Greenwich Marlins, Hamden Hall Aquatic Club, Laurel East Hartford YMCA, Rapids Swim Team and Wilton Y Wahoos, have taken enhanced health and safety measures – for athletes, coaches, officials, volunteers, and meet management. You must follow all instructions while participating in/spectating at 2023 SC Regional Championships or on site at Hutchinson Natatorium, Cheshire Community Pool, Greenwich YMCA, Beckerman Athletic Complex at Hamden Hall, Mausk High School and Wilton YMCA . 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 guests with underlying medical conditions are especially vulnerable. By participating in/spectating at 2023 SC Regional Championships and being on site at Cheshire Community Pool, Greenwich YMCA, Beckerman Athletic Complex at Hamden Hall, Mausk High School and Wilton YMCA ., you voluntarily assume all risks related to exposure to COVID-19.

### COVID-19 Release

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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 CONNECTICUT SWIMMING 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 WITH EXPOSURE, INFECTION, AND/OR SPREAD OF COVID-19 RELATED TO PARTICIPATION IN THIS COMPETITION.

Any questions regarding the meet, prior to competition, should be directed to the contacts listed below. The sponsors reserve the right to make adjustments based on the time study and/or other factors, with approval from Program Operations. In the event of any change, teams will be contacted no later than Monday before the meet.

**DIVISION:** All clubs will enter using FAST Online Entries. Program Operations will divide the teams into divisions to ensure balanced meets. Clubs will be notified of their division assignment no later than Friday, February 18, 2022.

	<b>BULL</b>	<b>CDOG</b>	<b>GRYM</b>	<b>HHAC</b>	<b>LEHY</b>	<b>RST</b>	<b>WYW</b>
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<b>Location</b>	Hutchinson Natatorium 125 Wintergreen Ave. New Haven, CT 06515.	Cheshire Community Pool, 520 South Main St, Cheshire, CT 06410	YMCA of Greenwich 50 E Putnam Ave Greenwich, CT 06830	Beckerman Athletic Center 225 Skiff Street Hamden, CT 06517	East Hartford High School 869 Forbes Street East Hartford 06118	Masuk High School 1014 Monroe Tpke, Monroe, CT 06468	Wilton Family YMCA. 404 Danbury Rd, Wilton, CT 06897
<b>Safety Chair</b>	Tim Quill	Kyle Shadeck	Maura O'Grady	Martha Phelan	Joe Guenther	Kyle Barber	Eric Holden
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<b>Facilities</b>	8 lane, 25 yard pool. Water depth at start end is 5ft and at the turning end is 13 ft.	10-lane, 25-yard pool. Daktronics Timing. Water depth at start end is: 6-8 ft. Water depth at turn end is: 6-8 ft.	8-lane, 25-yard pool. Omega Timing. Water depth at start end is 13' Water depth at turn end is 6.7'.	6-lane, 25-yard pool. Colorado Timing. Water depth at start end is 12 ft. Water depth at turn end is 3.5 ft.	6-lane, 25-yard pool. Colorado Timing. Water depth at start end is 10 ft. Water depth at turn end is 3.5 ft.	6-lane, 25-yard pool. Colorado Timing. Water depth at start end is 9 ft. Water depth at turn end is 4 ft.	(2) 6 lane pools with Daktronics Timing System the North course is 6 .7 Ft. at the dive end and 6 .7 ft at turn end. The South Course is 6 .7 ft at the dive end and 4.7 ft at the turn end.
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<b>Schedule</b>							
<b>Saturday</b>	12/U Girls & 13/O Boys Warm up 7a	12/U Girls & 13/O Boys Warm up 8a	12/U Girls and 13/O Boys Warm-up 7:15a	12/U Girls and 13/O Boys Warm up 7:00a	12/U Girls and 13/O Boys Warm up 7:15a	12/U Girls & 13/O Boys Warm up 7:00a	12/U Girls and 13/O Boys Warm up 7:00a
<b>Sunday</b>	12/U Boys & 13/O Girls Warm up 12:30p	12/U Boys & 13/O Girls Warm up 1:15p	12/U Boys and 13/O Girls Warm up 12:30p	12/U Boys and 13/O Girls Warm up 11:30a	12/U Boys and 13/O Girls Warm up 1:00p	12/U Boys & 13/O Girls Warm up 12:30p	12/U Boys and 13/O Girls Warm up 1:30p

**FACILITIES:** The competition courses listed above have not been certified in accordance with 104.2.2C (4).

**SAFE SPORT POLICIES:** Spectators will be allowed all facilities.

## **HANDICAPPED/DISABLED ACCESS**

Hutchinson Natatorium	Handicapped accessibility is available at the Moore Field House and the Hutchinson Natatorium. Handicapped parking is located in the main parking lot between the Moore Field House and the Wintergreen Building. Handicapped entrance, with automatic door, is located in the front of the Moore Field House. Please follow walk-way around the front of the main lobby to the entrance
East Hartford High School	East Hartford High School handicapped parking and ramp access to the pool are located on the south side of the facility. An area has been set aside on the pool deck for limited handicapped seating. Access to this area is obtained through the men/women locker rooms. In order that we may better prepare to assist individuals with special needs, we ask that you contact the Meet Manager, Laura McLaughlin, at 860-798-8946 prior to the meet.
Cheshire Community Pool	Cheshire Community Pool is accessible to the disabled. Please contact the Meet Director with questions.
Beckerman Athletic Center	Beckerman Athletic Center is accessible to the disabled. Please contact the Meet Director with questions.
Masuk High School	Masuk High School
Wilton YMCA	Wilton Family YMCA is Handicapped-accessible. Pool deck and spectator area are accessible through men's and women's locker rooms and are also handicapped-accessible.
YMCA of Greenwich	YMCA of Greenwich handicap parking is located in the Mason Street lot and will lead to elevator access to the pool on the first floor. Anyone needing access should contact the Meet Director for assistance before the meet.

## **DIRECTIONS**

Hutchinson Natatorium	<u>From New York (via I-95)</u> : I-95, Exit 44 (Kimberly Avenue, Route 10). Turn right at the end of the exit onto Kimberly Avenue, then left at the stoplight onto Ella Grasso Boulevard, Route 10. Ella Grasso Boulevard ends at Crescent Street, near the south entrance of the campus. <u>From New York (via Rt. 15, Merritt-Wilbur Cross Parkway)</u> : Rt. 15, Merritt-Wilbur Cross Parkway, Exit 59 (Whalley Avenue). Head south on Whalley Avenue, turn left onto Fitch Street, which bisects the campus. <u>From New London</u> I-95, Exit 44 (Ella Grasso Boulevard, Route 10). Follow Ella Grasso Boulevard north. Ella Grasso Boulevard ends at Crescent Street, near the south entrance of the campus. <u>From Hartford</u> : Wilbur Cross Parkway, Exit 60 at Dixwell Avenue. Head south on Dixwell Avenue to Arch Street. Turn right at Arch Street and left at Fitch Street, which bisects the campus.
Cheshire Community Pool	<u>From 91 North</u> : to Exit 10 (Rt. 40 ext). Follow to the end heading North, take a right onto Rt. 10. Follow Rt. 10 into Cheshire. Pool is on the right across from the pool. <u>From 91 South</u> : to 691 West. Take exit 3 off 691, Cheshire. At the light at the end of the ramp, go left, heading South on Rt. 10. Follow Rt. 10 South through Cheshire. Pool is on the left across from the High School. <u>From 84 West</u> : to 691 East, take the Cheshire exit. Take a right at the end of the ramp onto Rt. 10 South through Cheshire. Pool is on the left across from the High School. <u>From 84 East</u> : to exit 26 (Rt. 70). Follow Rt. 70 into Cheshire. At Rt. 10 intersection, take a right, heading South on Rt. 10 through Cheshire. Pool is on the left across from the High School.
East Hartford HS	<u>FROM SOUTH</u> : I-91 North take exit 25, (Route 3). Keep to the left take Route 2 to East Hartford, exit 5A to Main Street. Turn right at first light, Brewer Street. Turn left at 2 <sup>nd</sup> light and school will be approximately ½ mile on the left. <u>FROM NORTH AND WEST</u> : Take I-84 East to Roberts Street Exit. At end of exit take a right and an immediate left onto Silver Lane. Turn right at Forbes Street, (5 <sup>th</sup> light). School will be on right ¾ mile. <u>FROM EAST</u> : Take I-84 West to I-384 East; exit Spenser Street /Silver Lane. Turn right on Spenser Street (Spencer Street turns into Silver lane at East Hartford town line). Turn left on to Forbes Street, school will be on right approximately ¾ mile.
Beckerman Athletic Center	<u>FROM I-95 (N or S)</u> : I-95 into New Haven. North on I-91. To Exit 6 Willow St./Blatchley Ave. (left hand exit off I-91) Turn right off ramp onto Willow St. & follow to the end. Turn right onto Whitney Ave. Proceed approximately 5 miles. (Going past Hamden Hall at the 2 mile mark, then past the Reservoir on both sides, and finally past Walgreen's & through the Spring Glen neighborhood.) Turn left at major intersection onto Skiff St. (the 8th light after Hamden Hall, the next light after Spring Glen School.) The entrance to the complex is 1/4 mile up on left. <u>FROM RT. 15 MERRITT/WILBUR CROSS PARKWAY (N or S)</u> : Exit 60 Hamden. Turn left (north) onto Dixwell Ave. Proceed past strip malls on both sides. At major intersection, turn right onto Skiff St. (just past TGI Friday's & Super Stop & Shop plaza on right.) Entrance is approximately 1/2 mile down Skiff St. on the right. <u>FROM I-91 GOING SOUTH</u> : Exit 10 Hamden/Mt. Carmel: The exit ramp turns into the Mt. Carmel Connector. Take Exit 1 off connector. At end of ramp turn left and proceed to end. Turn left at light onto Hartford Turnpike. At first light turn right onto Dixwell Ave. Proceed up hill and then down hill and into center of town. Turn left at major intersection onto Whitney Ave. (Rt. 10 South). Proceed to third light at major intersection and turn right onto Skiff St. Field entrance is 1/4 mile up on the left.
Masuk High School	Directions to Masuk High School, 1014 Monroe Turnpike, Monroe, CT 06468 <u>From Merritt Parkway</u> : Take the Merritt toward Trumbull to Exit 49 North. Follow Route 25 north to stoplight at Route 111 (Monroe Turnpike). Turn right and follow Route 111 North for approximately 5 miles. Masuk High School will be on your right. <u>From I-95</u> : Take I-95 towards Bridgeport to Exit 27A. Follow Route 25 and 8 North. When highway splits follow Route 25 North to stoplight at Route 111 (Monroe Turnpike). Then go right and follow Route 111 North for approximately 5 miles. Masuk High School will be on your right.
Wilton YMCA	<u>From New York</u> : Take the Merritt Parkway to Exit 39B Follow the Route 7 North freeway to its end and turn right at the light. Turn left onto Rt. 7 North. Go 4.4 miles and turn right into the Y parking lot. The Wilton Family Y is on the right, and the Wilton High School is on the left. <u>From New Haven</u> : Take the Merritt Parkway to exit 41(Rt 33). At the end of the ramp, turn left (north) onto Rt 33. Go North along Rt.33 for 2.5 miles. Rt 33 merges with Rt. 7. Stay on Rt. 7 for 2.6 miles to the Y. The Wilton Y is on the right and the Wilton High School is on the left. <u>From I 95</u> : Take exit 15 to Rt. 7 North. Follow Rt 7 freeway to the end and turn right at the light. At the end of the road turn left onto old Rt. 7 North. Proceed to the Wilton Y as above.
YMCA of Greenwich	<b>DIRECTIONS</b> : The Greenwich YMCA is located at 50 E. Putnam Avenue (aka Post Rd, US 1). • From I-95, exit 4. From I-95 North – turn left, from I-95 South – turn right onto Indian Field Rd.; continue approx. 1 mile to traffic light at E. Putnam Ave. intersection; turn left onto E. Putnam Ave., go through 6 traffic lights (approx. 1-1/10 mile). From Merritt Parkway exit 31, North Street. From Northbound Merritt- bear left exit to stop sign and turn left onto North

Street. From Southbound Merritt- turn right at end of exit ramp onto North Street (southbound). Proceed approx. 4 miles to end of North Street, at Maple Ave. Turn left onto Maple Ave. following signs to Greenwich Business District. At traffic light, bear right onto E. Putnam Ave. Go through 2 lights and arrive at YMCA

**SWIMWEAR:** Per CT Swimming policy, swimmers 12 years old and younger are not permitted to wear "Tech Suits" at any CT sanctioned or approved meets. "Tech Suits" are defined as a suit that has Bonded Seams, Kinetic Tape, or Meshed Seams. Age is determined on the first date of the meet.

**ADULT ATHLETES:** All athletes who will be 18 years of age or older must complete the mandatory Athlete Protection Training prior to competition. Failure to do so will result in the swimmer being scratched from the meet.

**ADAPTED SWIMMING:** Any CSI-registered swimmer with a disability as defined by USA Swimming Rules and Regulations should refer to the CSI Adapted Swimming Policy available on [ctswim.org](http://ctswim.org) and contact Adapted Swimming Chair [office@ctswim.org](mailto:office@ctswim.org) for time standards and other information.

**OUTREACH:** CSI has adopted an outreach policy as of October 18, 2007 to enable Outreach athletes to enter this championship meet with their entry fees waived. Further information is set forth in the Entry Fee Section.

**ELIGIBILITY:** All the following criteria must be met:

1. Swimmers must be 2023 CT-registered members of USA Swimming and 18/Unders. NEW this year 7/Unders are permitted to enter Regionals.
2. No membership registrations will be processed at the meet.
3. FLEX memberships are not permitted.
4. A participating swimmer needs to have swum in one (1) CSI regularly-scheduled sanctioned meet since January 1, 2021
5. NO 14/Under Swimmers may compete in any event in which he/she has achieved a 2023 Short Course Age Group.
6. NO 15-18 yr old swimmer may compete in any event in which he/she has achieved a 2023 Short Course CT Sr Invite cut.
7. 12/Unders may swim the 50's at this meet for the first time and may enter with NT. 13/Overs may swim the 50 freestyle for the first time at this meet and may enter with NT
8. Each multi-age group event will have separate MAX cutoff times.
9. There are no minimums time standards for any event, ONLY time standards are the MAX time standards mentioned earlier. Besides for the aforementioned 50's, a swimmer MUST have swum the event legally and have a reportable time since January 1, 2021.
10. Championship Qualifying Time (COT). This includes LCM and SCY times (attached).

Age for the meet will be swimmer's age as of the first day of the meet, with the following directive:

Swimmers shall not be denied the opportunity to attempt to qualify for Short Course Age Group Championships because of a birthday occurring within the time frame defined as the "Championship Period". The Championship Period is defined as the first day of the Regional Championships through and including the first day of the Age Group Championships for the Short Course season. He/she may compete in the next higher age group if:

1. his/her birthday falls within the Championship Period, and as a result would be required to qualify in the next higher age group at the Short Course Age Group Championships in that Championship Period, and
2. he/she has exceeded the maximum COT for his/her current age, and
3. he/she has not exceeded the maximum COT for the higher age group.

The meet director and the referee must be notified prior to the meet. Please email [office@ctswim.org](mailto:office@ctswim.org) for entry instructions. All championship birthday entries are due by the published deadline.

Swimmers whose birthdays do not occur during the Championship Period shall be required to swim their appropriate age group and shall not be permitted to swim in a higher age group under any circumstances, even though the age groups are defined as 10/U, 12/U, 14/U, etc. These classifications exist only for those swimmers whose birthdays fall within the Championship Period.

**SCHEDULE:** The table ABOVE lists warm-up times only. Start times will be posted on [ctswim.org](http://ctswim.org) after clubs are assigned a venue. Schedule is subject to change.

**TIME STANDARDS:** There are no minimums time standards for any event, ONLY time standards are the MAX time standards. 14/Under max time standards are 2023 SC Age Group cuts and 15-18 year old max time standards are 2023 SC Sr Invite cuts. 12/Unders may swim the 50's at this meet for the first time and may enter with NT. 13/Overs may swim the 50 free for the first time at this meet and may enter with NT. Besides for the aforementioned 50's, a swimmer MUST have swum the event legally and have a reportable time since January 1, 2021, and may not have bettered the maximum time standards.

**PROOF OF ENTRY TIMES:** All entry times must be pre-proven. The results of any USA Swimming sanctioned, approved, or observed meet or a meet attested by a USA Referee or CIAC/ Independent Referee will be acceptable as proof of time. Eligible times not verified in

Connecticut FAST may be proven by using the Connecticut FAST custom times tool available to CSI clubs or, in the case of unattached entries, by sending an email to the entry chair, which includes the meet name, date, location, referee attestation, and pertinent page(s) of the results. Failure to pre-prove an entry time will prevent the swimmer from being entered in that event. **Proof of time is the responsibility of each coach.** In accordance with CSI policy, (Integrity Statement 1/25/94), the Club from which a swimmer's time cannot be proven, shall be fined the sum of \$100 per event. The \$100.00 fine must be paid by April 29, 2023 to the Connecticut Swimming office.

**ENTRIES:** Swimmers may enter a maximum of three (3) individual events plus two (2) relays each day. **Swimmers may compete in a maximum of six (6) individual events for the meet (Sat-Sun).** DECK ENTRIES WILL BE ACCEPTED, see correction header for details.

**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.

**SEEDING:** Swimmers may qualify with times from 25 yard, 25 meter or 50 meter courses. Qualifying times shall be seeded as follows: All conforming times (SCY) shall be arranged from fastest to slowest. Then non-conforming long course meter times (LCM) will be arranged in time order followed by non-conforming short course meter times (SCM).

**DISTANCE EVENT:** The 500Y Freestyle events will be swum fastest to slowest. Swimmers must supply their own timers and lap counters. The 13/14 and 15/18 500Y Freestyle events have distinct qualifying times, but the events shall be seeded as single women's and men's events and swum as timed finals. Awards and points shall be determined in separate age categories.

**SCRATCHES:** Scratch sheet system will be used. Coaches will receive a packet containing scratch sheets at the beginning of each session. These sheets must be returned 30 minutes before session begins OR as indicated in packet, with scratched swimmers clearly identified. Referee must be able to read the event and name of swimmer being scratched.

**BREAKS:** The addition of any unpublished breaks in the competition schedule is at the discretion of the Meet Referee. Coaches and swimmers should note that entering and swimming "back to back" events, under normal circumstances of meet operation does not warrant an unscheduled break. Three (3) to five (5) heats should be anticipated in each preliminary event and relays. **ALL BREAKS ARE GENERAL WARMUP AND WILL NOT INCLUDE START/SPRINT ACCOMMODATIONS.**

**Packets will only be given to USA Swimming coach members.** 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.

**DEADLINE AND FEES:** Deadline is **9 PM** Wednesday February 15, 2023. CSI clubs will enter using [Connecticut FAST Online Entries](#) . Contact [office@ctswim.org](mailto:office@ctswim.org) by this deadline to enter adapted athletes, championship birthday athletes, and/or 7 year olds aging to 8 years old (see Eligibility section). CSI-member unattached athletes not affiliated with a CSI club should email an entry file (\*.sd3 or \*.cl2) and proof of time to [office@ctswim.org](mailto:office@ctswim.org). If meet entry software is not available, email [office@ctswim.org](mailto:office@ctswim.org) the athlete name, USA ID, age, event number, event name, time, and proof of time (Extra fees apply to manual entries.). Please review the Proof of Entry Times section for acceptable proof of times.

Club divisions will be posted on [ctswim.org](http://ctswim.org) on no later than Friday, February 17, 2023. Clubs will send entry fee payment to their assigned host postmarked by 5 PM by February 23, 2022. Host clubs have the right to remove unpaid club entries, with approval from Program Operations. **PAYMENT IS BY CHECK TO MEET HOST. DO NOT MAKE CREDIT CARD PAYMENTS.**

**FEES:** Meet entry fee: Splash fees: \$12/individual event; \$24/relay and \$5 relay-only swimmer. If no electronic entry is provided, there is a \$12 manual entry fee per swimmer. **OUTREACH ATHLETE:** Individual event entry fees for CSI registered Outreach Athletes are waived. When submitting the meet entry, the entering club must request, in writing, that the individual entry fees be waived for the Outreach athlete(s) listed on the club's entry.

**LATE QUALIFIERS:** Any swimmer achieving an initial qualifying time after the initial deadline must be entered no later than **9 PM, Wednesday, February 22, 2022 by email to the meet Entry Chair.** After this deadline, you may enter via "deck entry", see below for explanation. No improvements in seed time will be accepted and swimmers may not enter additional Regional events as late qualifiers if they are entered in the maximum number of events, with the following exception: Swimmers who achieve an Age Group Championship qualifying time for an event(s) on their entry, must scratch or substitute that event(s) for another Regional qualifying event. Late qualifying entries may not be included in meet program.

**CORRECTIONS:** Meet entry corrections will be accepted by the meet Entry Chair until **9 PM, Wednesday, February 22, 2022.** After this deadline, you may enter via "deck entry" deadline, see below for explanation. For each correction clubs will be assessed \$12.00 in addition to the published splash fee. Only email corrections will be accepted.

- If John Doe is omitted from a team's entry and he wants to swim in six (3) events, adding John Doe is a \$12 charge, adding 3 events is a \$36 charge in addition to the cost of his entry. Total for John Doe \$84.



- If John Doe is entered in the 100 backstroke, but should have been entered in the 100 breaststroke, taking John out of the back is \$12, entering him into the breaststroke is \$12 – total is \$24.
- If a relay team is added, the charge will be \$20.00 plus splash fee. Total for additional relay \$32.00.
- A “deck entry” is any addition or correction after the correction deadline has passed until the end of the meet. A \$50 per addition/correction will apply. If Jimmy was omitted from the entry and he wants to swim two events, adding Jimmy is \$50, each event is \$50 (\$100 plus the entry fee (\$12 per event) – total to add Jimmy \$162

**OVERSUBSCRIPTION:** In the event of oversubscription, relays will be cut. We reserve the right to adjust the schedule. Teams will be notified of any change no later than Monday before the meet.

**TIME TRIALS:** There will be no time trials.

**AWARDS & SCORING:**

- Medals will be awarded for 1-6 places for individual events and 1-3 places for relays.
- Events will be scored to 6 places. Individual Events: 7-5-4-3-2-1 Relays: 14-10-8-6-4-2
- Friday night’s scores will be combined with Saturday and Sunday Team scores.
- Team Champions will be awarded to the women’s, men’s and combined team that earn the most points across all ages.

**REFRESHMENTS:** Refreshments will be available. Coaches and officials will have complimentary lunch.

**TIMERS:** Teams will be required to supply timers based on the size of their entry. Teams will be notified of the number of timers they will need to supply per session by Monday before the meet. Please note that timers are required for entire session. It is the responsibility of each team and its coaching staff to organize its assigned timers and make sure they are signed in and present at the timers' meeting for each session. Please consider this well in advance and do not delay the start of the meet. Swimmers must provide their own timers and counters for the 500Y Freestyle.

**OFFICIALS:** Certified USA Swimming officials are welcome and needed to work on deck. Please list names and areas of certification and attach to entry form, or contact:

**WARM-UPS:** All teams must warm-up under the supervision of a coach or marshal. Coaches should register in the office when they arrive in order for their teams to begin warm-up. Any swimmers who do not have a coach in attendance **MUST** report to the Meet Director and have a supervisor assigned. The following warm-up procedures will be in effect: 12/Unders and 13/18 will have their own separate warm-up lanes, assigned by teams. 12/Under lanes will have a maximum of 15 swimmers assigned per lane. 13/18 will have a maximum of 12 swimmers assigned per lane. 12/Unders will be provided with 20 minutes of general warm-up, 13/18 will be provided with 25 minutes of general warm-up. General warm-up will be followed by 10 minutes of sprint lanes and pace and circle lanes. Warm-up assignments are to be submitted to Program Operations no later than Monday before the meet for approval.

**PHOTOGRAPHY AND VIDEO RECORDING:** Meet Management has the full authority to restrict any and all photography and visual recording at the meet. Photography or video recording (using cameras, video cameras, iPads, cell phones, etc) from the deck is prohibited by all individuals other than participating Coach and Athlete Members unless prior authorization from the Meet Referee or his/her designee has been granted. 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.

Additionally, the following “Non-Camera Zones” shall be enforced:

- Photography or video recording and the use of audio or visual recording devices, including a cell phone, is not permitted in changing areas, rest rooms or locker rooms.
- Photography or video recording (using cameras, video cameras, iPads, cell phones, etc) is not permitted in the area immediately behind the starting blocks at either end of the racing course(s) while they are in use for “race starting purposes” during competition and warm-ups.
- Additional "Non-Camera Zones" may be designated by Meet Management.

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.

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

**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 the USA Swimming Vice President of Program Operations.

**EVENT LINE-UP & MAX CUTOFF TIMES see below:**

**2023 CT SC Regional Championships - 2/25/2023 to 2/26/2023****Session Report**

Session: 1 Saturday Morning

Day of Meet: 1 Starts at 08:30 AM Heat Interval: 20 Seconds / Back +15 Seconds

<b>Round</b>	<b>Event</b>	<b>Entries</b>	<b>Heats</b>	<b>Starts at</b>	
Finals	1 Girls 12 & Under 200 Freestyle Relay	0	0	08:30 AM	_____
Finals	2 Boys 13-18 200 Freestyle Relay	0	0	08:30 AM	_____
Finals	3 Girls 12 & Under 50 Freestyle	0	0	08:30 AM	_____
Finals	4 Boys 13-18 200 IM	0	0	08:30 AM	_____
Finals	5 Girls 12 & Under 100 IM	0	0	08:30 AM	_____
Finals	6 Boys 13-18 100 Breaststroke	0	0	08:30 AM	_____
Finals	7 Girls 12 & Under 50 Breaststroke	0	0	08:30 AM	_____
Finals	8 Boys 13-18 200 Butterfly	0	0	08:30 AM	_____
Finals	9 Girls 12 & Under 100 Butterfly	0	0	08:30 AM	_____
Finals	10 Boys 13-18 100 Freestyle	0	0	08:30 AM	_____
Finals	11 Girls 12 & Under 100 Backstroke	0	0	08:30 AM	_____
Finals	12 Boys 13-18 200 Backstroke	0	0	08:30 AM	_____
Finals	13 Girls 12 & Under 400 Medley Relay	0	0	08:30 AM	_____
Finals	14 Boys 13-18 400 Medley Relay	0	0	08:30 AM	_____
Finals	15 Boys 13-18 500 Freestyle	0	0	08:30 AM	_____
	Finish Time			08:30 AM	_____

**2023 CT SC Regional Championships - 2/25/2023 to 2/26/2023**

**Session Report**

Session: 2 Saturday afternoon

Day of Meet: 1 Starts at 01:00 PM Heat Interval: 20 Seconds / Back +15 Seconds

Round	Event	Entries	Heats	Starts at	
Finals	16 Boys 12 & Under 200 Freestyle Relay	0	0	01:00 PM	_____
Finals	17 Girls 13-18 200 Freestyle Relay	0	0	01:00 PM	_____
Finals	18 Boys 12 & Under 50 Freestyle	0	0	01:00 PM	_____
Finals	19 Girls 13-18 200 IM	0	0	01:00 PM	_____
Finals	20 Boys 12 & Under 100 IM	0	0	01:00 PM	_____
Finals	21 Girls 13-18 100 Breaststroke	0	0	01:00 PM	_____
Finals	22 Boys 12 & Under 50 Breaststroke	0	0	01:00 PM	_____
Finals	23 Girls 13-18 200 Butterfly	0	0	01:00 PM	_____
Finals	24 Boys 12 & Under 100 Butterfly	0	0	01:00 PM	_____
Finals	25 Girls 13-18 100 Freestyle	0	0	01:00 PM	_____
Finals	26 Boys 12 & Under 100 Backstroke	0	0	01:00 PM	_____
Finals	27 Girls 13-18 200 Backstroke	0	0	01:00 PM	_____
Finals	28 Boys 12 & Under 400 Medley Relay	0	0	01:00 PM	_____
Finals	29 Girls 13-18 400 Medley Relay	0	0	01:00 PM	_____
Finals	30 Girls 13-18 500 Freestyle	0	0	01:00 PM	_____
	Finish Time			01:00 PM	_____



**2023 CT SC Regional Championships - 2/25/2023 to 2/26/2023**  
**Session Report**

Session: 3 Sunday morning

Day of Meet: 2 Starts at 08:30 AM Heat Interval: 20 Seconds / Back +15 Seconds

<b>Round</b>	<b>Event</b>	<b>Entries</b>	<b>Heats</b>	<b>Starts at</b>	
Finals	31 Girls 12 & Under 200 Medley Relay	0	0	08:30 AM	_____
Finals	32 Boys 13-18 200 Medley Relay	0	0	08:30 AM	_____
Finals	33 Girls 12 & Under 100 Freestyle	0	0	08:30 AM	_____
Finals	34 Boys 13-18 50 Freestyle	0	0	08:30 AM	_____
Finals	35 Girls 12 & Under 50 Backstroke	0	0	08:30 AM	_____
Finals	36 Boys 13-18 200 Breaststroke	0	0	08:30 AM	_____
Finals	37 Girls 12 & Under 100 Breaststroke	0	0	08:30 AM	_____
Finals	38 Boys 13-18 100 Butterfly	0	0	08:30 AM	_____
Finals	39 Girls 12 & Under 50 Butterfly	0	0	08:30 AM	_____
Finals	40 Boys 13-18 200 Freestyle	0	0	08:30 AM	_____
Finals	41 Girls 12 & Under 200 Freestyle	0	0	08:30 AM	_____
Finals	42 Boys 13-18 100 Backstroke	0	0	08:30 AM	_____
Finals	43 Girls 12 & Under 200 IM	0	0	08:30 AM	_____
Finals	44 Boys 13-18 400 Freestyle Relay	0	0	08:30 AM	_____
Finals	45 Girls 12 & Under 400 Freestyle Relay	0	0	08:30 AM	_____
	Finish Time			08:30 AM	_____

**2023 CT SC Regional Championships - 2/25/2023 to 2/26/2023**  
**Session Report**

Session: 4 Sunday Afternoon

Day of Meet: 2 Starts at 01:00 PM Heat Interval: 20 Seconds / Back +15 Seconds

<b>Round</b>	<b>Event</b>	<b>Entries</b>	<b>Heats</b>	<b>Starts at</b>	
Finals	46 Boys 12 & Under 200 Medley Relay	0	0	01:00 PM	_____
Finals	47 Girls 13-18 200 Medley Relay	0	0	01:00 PM	_____
Finals	48 Boys 12 & Under 100 Freestyle	0	0	01:00 PM	_____
Finals	49 Girls 13-18 50 Freestyle	0	0	01:00 PM	_____
Finals	50 Boys 12 & Under 50 Backstroke	0	0	01:00 PM	_____
Finals	51 Girls 13-18 200 Breaststroke	0	0	01:00 PM	_____
Finals	52 Boys 12 & Under 100 Breaststroke	0	0	01:00 PM	_____
Finals	53 Girls 13-18 100 Butterfly	0	0	01:00 PM	_____
Finals	54 Boys 12 & Under 50 Butterfly	0	0	01:00 PM	_____
Finals	55 Girls 13-18 200 Freestyle	0	0	01:00 PM	_____
Finals	56 Boys 8-12 200 Freestyle	0	0	01:00 PM	_____
Finals	57 Girls 13-18 100 Backstroke	0	0	01:00 PM	_____
Finals	58 Boys 12 & Under 200 IM	0	0	01:00 PM	_____
Finals	59 Girls 13-18 400 Freestyle Relay	0	0	01:00 PM	_____
Finals	60 Boys 12 & Under 400 Freestyle Relay	0	0	01:00 PM	_____
	Finish Time			01:00 PM	_____



**2023 SC Senior Invite Time Standards**  
**15-18 year old Regional MAX time standards**

		<b>WOMEN</b>		<b>MEN</b>	
	<b>Qualifying Time LCM</b>	<b>Qualifying Time YDS</b>	<b>Event</b>	<b>Qualifying Time</b>	<b>Qualifying Time LCM</b>
			<b>THURSDAY</b>		
	19:54.30	19:30.89	W 1650 Free		
			<b>FRIDAY</b>		
	30.42	26.69	50 Free	24.69	28.20
	2:46.10	2:27.30	200 Butterfly	2:19.60	2:37.55
	1:26.68	1:16.29	100 Breast	1:09.39	1:19.02
	2:20.17	2:03.40	200 Free	1:57.10	2:13.18
	5:46.93	5:06.79	400 IM	4:47.49	5:25.51
			<b>SATURDAY</b>		
	1:13.09	1:04.59	100 Butterfly	59.79	1:07.76
	3:07.03	2:44.90	200 Breast	2:36.40	2:57.60
	1:14.22	1:05.79	100 Backstroke	1:01.19	1:09.12
	4:55.67	5:31.29	500 Free	5:16.89	4:42.82
			<b>SUNDAY</b>		
			M 1650 Free	18:54.69	19:17.38
	2:38.68	2:20.80	200 Backstroke	2:14.20	2:31.36
	1:05.30	57.39	100 Free	53.29	1:00.75
	2:38.26	2:19.70	200 IM	2:11.90	2:29.60

\*NOTE: all events have MAX cutoff time ONLY (shown above). No minimum cuts for any event. See "ELIGIBILITY" for details.