

**CDOG 17<sup>th</sup> Annual IMX Meet  
Qualifier  
October 21-22, 2023**

Cheshire Community Pool, 520 South Main Street, Cheshire, CT, 06410

<https://goo.gl/maps/pLYVnuJSMJHRQwKcA>

Held under sanction of USA Swimming and Connecticut Swimming, Inc. #S23-12. 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.

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MEET HOST: CDOG

WEBSITE: <http://seadogswim.org>

POOL EMERGENCY NUMBER: 203-271-3208

COURSE: SCY

SESSION TIMES: **Subject to Change**

Session 1: 9-12 IMX Saturday	6:00 A.M.	7:30 A.M.
Session 2: 10/Under Developmental Saturday	12:00 P.M.	1:15 P.M.
Session 3: 13/Over IMX Saturday	2:45 P.M.	4:15 P.M.
Session 4: 9-12 IMX Sunday	6:30 A.M.	8:00 A.M.
Session 5: 13/Over IMX Sunday	12:45 P.M.	2:15 P.M.

**DEADLINES:** Deadline is October 9th. 2023. Mail hardcopy and payment to the entry chairperson: Kyle Shadeck, 967 South Main Street, Cheshire, CT, 06410. All entries must be legible and must use full names and registration numbers from USA Swimming registration. An entry will be considered received using the time stamp on the email with Entry File.

**PAYMENT INSTRUCTIONS:** Please make checks payable to STPA and mail to: Sean Farrell, 967 South Main Street, Cheshire, CT, 06410. Payment must be received by 10/10/2023.

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**ENTRY FEES:** 12.00 for IMX Session individual events, \$9.00 for Developmental Session Events. Manual entries: \$16.00 for individual. No refunds will be given for entries that are accepted, or for entries that are rejected due to improper entry.

**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.

**SANCTIONED OR APPROVED:** Sanctioned

**MEET DURATION:** Full meet with time limits as defined by CT/USA Swimming.

**MEET FORMAT:** The meet will be swum as Timed-Final, scoring will be separated by single age.

**FACILITY:** The Cheshire Community Pool is a 10 lane , 25 yard pool. Water depth at start end is: 6ft. Water depth at turn end is: 6ft. The competition course has been certified in accordance with 104.2.2C(4). The copy of such certification is on file with USA Swimming. The Cheshire Community Pool has a 10 lane Daktronics Scoreboard with Omnisport 2000. There are bleachers for spectators.

Changing into or out of swimsuits other than in locker rooms or other designated areas is prohibited.

**MEDICAL SUPERVISION:** Lifeguards will be on duty with access to AEDs devices.

**WIFI ACCESS:** Public wifi is available.

**WARM-UPS:** CT Swimming Warm-Up Procedures will be in effect. Depending on the number of athletes each session, there will be 2-4 warm-up sessions and between 8-15 warm-up lanes.

**EVENT INFORMATION:** Deck entries will not be accepted.

**ENTRY LIMITATIONS:** Swimmers will be limited to 4 events per day and 6 for the entire meet.

**SCRATCH PROCEDURES:** All scratches are due no later than 20 minutes after the start of warm-up. Failure to comply with this procedure will result in swimmers being entered with NT's.

**FACILITY PROTOCOLS:** It is recommended that swimmers bring a deck chair to sit in for the duration of the meet. Swimmers will be seated outside. Teams can also bring tents. All tents need to be secured to the ground at all times. Heat Sheets will be available on Meet Mobile after all Scratches are finished.

**SAFE SPORT POLICIES:** The meet will allow spectators.

**DISABLED ACCESS:** The Cheshire Community Pool is handicap accessible in all facets including parking, entrance/exit, and a ramp into/out of the pool. For further accommodations, please contact the Safety Chair, Sean Farrell at [sfarrell@sccymca.org](mailto:sfarrell@sccymca.org) .

**ELIGIBILITY:** All USA Swimming clubs and individuals. Athletes with Flex memberships must not have swum in more than one USA Swimming meet prior to this meet in order to be eligible.

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. There are NO Swimmer Restrictions. 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](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.

**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 prior to competition. Adapted athletes may direct questions to the [Connecticut Swimming office](#).

**ENTRY TIMES:** Submit entry times in: SCY

**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 [kshadeck@sccymca.org](mailto:kshadeck@sccymca.org). Please check that your team name, address, and contact information are listed correctly in this file. Payment must be received prior to the start of the Meet.

**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.

All adult athletes, or parents of minor athletes, who enter without club affiliation will be required to attest to reading and understanding the [Minor Athlete Abuse Prevention Policy](#).

**OUTREACH ENTRY FEE REIMBURSEMENT:** 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 [Outreach Athlete](#) page on ctswim.org.

#### **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. 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).

**RESERVE THE RIGHT TO MAKE CHANGES:** In accordance with CSI Policies, the meet referee reserves the right to make any adjustments to the provisions of the meet announcement deemed necessary to ensure the fair and efficient running of the meet. The Meet Referee will seek Program Operations approval for all changes requiring approval. Clubs will be notified of changes no later than Monday before the meet.

**RELAYS:** No

**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.

**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.

**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.

**RULES:** Current USA Swimming rules will govern all competition.

**TIME TRIALS:** No

**TIMERS, OFFICIALS OR WORK ASSIGNMENTS:** All Teams participating in the Meet will be given Volunteer Assignments. All Visiting Team Officials should contact the Meet Referee. All Swimmers in the 500 Free must provide their own Timer and Counter. All clubs will be notified of work assignments by the Monday before the meet.

All volunteers will be required to attest to reading and understanding the [Minor Athlete Abuse Prevention Policy](#).

**CONCESSIONS:** No

**DECK ACCESS:** Only athletes, coaches, officials, and official meet staff actively participating in the meet are permitted on the pool deck.

**SCORING:** The meet will be scored, only for the purposes of deciding the IMX/Developmental Awards. HyTek Age Group Points will be used to determine IMX/Developmental Scoring.

**AWARDS:**

**IMX Cup:** Swimmers must legally complete every IMX event to be qualified for an IMX Cup award. Awards for the Top 6 overall IMX scores for each age and gender (9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16), with the 1st place finisher in each age/gender category receiving the IMX Cup.

**Developmental Session:** Swimmers must legally complete every event (8/Unders complete 25's, 9/10's complete 50's) to be qualified for an award.

Awards for the Top 6 overall scorers for each age group (8/Under, 9, 10) and gender. Awards will be presented at the end of the final session for each age group. Awards will not be mailed.

**HOSPITALITY FOR COACHES AND OFFICIALS:** Yes

**PARKING:** Parking should be only in the parking lot adjacent to the Pool. DO NOT park in the traffic circle or by the pavilion. Drop Off ONLY in the Traffic Circle.

**CDOG Annual IMX 2023 - 10/21/2023 to 10/22/2023****Session Report**

Session: 1 9-12 IMX Saturday

Day of Meet: 1 Starts at 07:30 AM Heat Interval: 1 Seconds / Back +15 Seconds

Round	Event	Entries	Heats	Starts at	
Finals	1 Girls 9-10 100 Backstroke	0	0	07:30 AM	_____
Finals	2 Boys 9-10 100 Backstroke	0	0	07:30 AM	_____
Finals	3 Girls 9-10 100 Breaststroke	0	0	07:30 AM	_____
Finals	4 Boys 9-10 100 Breaststroke	0	0	07:30 AM	_____
Finals	5 Girls 9-10 200 IM	0	0	07:30 AM	_____
Finals	6 Boys 9-10 200 IM	0	0	07:30 AM	_____
	Finish Time			07:30 AM	_____

Session: 2 10/U Developmental Saturday

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

Round	Event	Entries	Heats	Starts at	
Finals	7 Girls 8 & Under 25 Butterfly	0	0	01:15 PM	_____
Finals	8 Boys 8 & Under 25 Butterfly	0	0	01:15 PM	_____
Finals	9 Girls 9-10 50 Butterfly	0	0	01:15 PM	_____
Finals	10 Boys 9-10 50 Butterfly	0	0	01:15 PM	_____
Finals	11 Girls 8 & Under 25 Backstroke	0	0	01:15 PM	_____
Finals	12 Boys 8 & Under 25 Backstroke	0	0	01:15 PM	_____
Finals	13 Girls 9-10 50 Backstroke	0	0	01:15 PM	_____
Finals	14 Boys 9-10 50 Backstroke	0	0	01:15 PM	_____
Finals	15 Girls 8 & Under 25 Breaststroke	0	0	01:15 PM	_____
Finals	16 Boys 8 & Under 25 Breaststroke	0	0	01:15 PM	_____
Finals	17 Girls 9-10 50 Breaststroke	0	0	01:15 PM	_____
Finals	18 Boys 9-10 50 Breaststroke	0	0	01:15 PM	_____
Finals	19 Girls 8 & Under 25 Freestyle	0	0	01:15 PM	_____
Finals	20 Boys 8 & Under 25 Freestyle	0	0	01:15 PM	_____
Finals	21 Girls 9-10 50 Freestyle	0	0	01:15 PM	_____
Finals	22 Boys 9-10 50 Freestyle	0	0	01:15 PM	_____
	Finish Time			01:15 PM	_____

Session: 3 13/O IMX Saturday

Day of Meet: 1 Starts at 04:15 PM Heat Interval: 15 Seconds / Back +15 Seconds

Round	Event	Entries	Heats	Starts at	
Finals	23 Girls 13 & Over 200 Backstroke	0	0	04:15 PM	_____
Finals	24 Boys 13 & Over 200 Backstroke	0	0	04:15 PM	_____
Finals	25 Girls 13 & Over 200 Breaststroke	0	0	04:15 PM	_____
Finals	26 Boys 13 & Over 200 Breaststroke	0	0	04:15 PM	_____
Finals	27 Girls 13 & Over 400 IM	0	0	04:15 PM	_____
Finals	28 Boys 13 & Over 400 IM	0	0	04:15 PM	_____
	Finish Time			04:15 PM	_____

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Session: 4 9-12 IMX Sunday

Day of Meet: 2 Starts at 08:00 AM Heat Interval: 15 Seconds / Back +15 Seconds

Round	Event	Entries	Heats	Starts at	
Finals	29 Girls 9-12 100 Freestyle	0	0	08:00 AM	_____
Finals	30 Boys 9-12 100 Freestyle	0	0	08:00 AM	_____
Finals	31 Girls 9-12 200 Freestyle	0	0	08:00 AM	_____
Finals	32 Boys 9-12 200 Freestyle	0	0	08:00 AM	_____
Finals	33 Girls 9-12 100 Butterfly	0	0	08:00 AM	_____
Finals	34 Boys 9-12 100 Butterfly	0	0	08:00 AM	_____
Finals	35 Girls 9-12 500 Freestyle	0	0	08:00 AM	_____
Finals	36 Boys 9-12 500 Freestyle	0	0	08:00 AM	_____
	Finish Time			08:00 AM	_____

Session: 5 13/O IMX SUNDAY

Day of Meet: 2 Starts at 02:15 PM Heat Interval: 15 Seconds / Back +15 Seconds

Round	Event	Entries	Heats	Starts at	
Finals	37 Girls 13 & Over 200 IM	0	0	02:15 PM	_____
Finals	38 Boys 13 & Over 200 IM	0	0	02:15 PM	_____
Finals	39 Girls 13 & Over 200 Butterfly	0	0	02:15 PM	_____
Finals	40 Boys 13 & Over 200 Butterfly	0	0	02:15 PM	_____
Finals	41 Girls 13 & Over 500 Freestyle	0	0	02:15 PM	_____
Finals	42 Boys 13 & Over 500 Freestyle	0	0	02:15 PM	_____
	Finish Time			02:15 PM	_____