2018 CONNECTICUT YMCA SWIMMING AND DIVING CHAMPIONSHIPS

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The Connecticut YMCA Swimming and Diving League
Sanction # TBD
Hosted by the Wilton Wahoos
Wilton Family YMCA
404 Danbury Rd.
Wilton, CT 06897
January 6-7, 2018

Held under the approval of USA Swimming and Connecticut Swimming, Inc. A #17-6 In granting this approval 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.

All attending Teams must submit a certificate of insurance naming Wilton YMCA 404 Danbury Road, Wilton, Ct 06897 as additionally insured to the meet director by Jan 1, 2018

EVENTS

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MEET TYPE: CT Approved/ YMCA Sanctioned **Please Note:** This approved meet will not count toward the regularly scheduled sanctioned meet eligibility requirement for CSI championships (Regional Championships and Age Group Championship). This meet does not count toward the eligibility requirement of Connecticut Swimming Scholar Athlete, Athlete Travel Assistance, or other CSI recognition programs with meet eligibility requirements. This meet will not count toward the regularly scheduled sanctioned meet eligibility requirement for CT Zone Team selection.

MEET CLASSIFICATION: This is closed YMCA meet for 13 & over swimmers. 2017 USA SWIMMING TECHNICAL RULES govern this meet.

MEET FORMAT: Timed Finals. The 500 Free/400 IM will both be swum Fastest to Slowest, alternating heats girl and boys. Please pass this information on to your parents.

SCRATCH PROCEDURES: Coaches will receive a scratch sheet for each session in their information packet at the meet. These sheets will list all swimmers and events for that session at the pool. Coaches must indicate all scratches on these sheets (or if there are no scratches) and turn them in within 15 minutes after the beginning of warm-up.

FACILITY: Wilton Family YMCA, 404 Danbury Rd., Wilton, CT. The Wilton YMCA pool is a 6 lane by 50 meter facility with a dividing bulkhead and Daktronics electronic timing. 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 pool is 50 meters x 15 yards with a north end (dive end) pool depth of 6 ½ ft and south end (turn end) pool depth of 4.7 ft. When the pool is divided into the 2 SCY pools, 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. When the pool is set up for SCY, there is a section that is 5 yds x 15 yards across between the two courses and its depth is 6.7 ft. This portion of the pool is not used during competition.

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

DISABLED ACCESS: 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.

COURSE: SCY.

SESSION TIMES:

Saturday January 6, 2018	Warm Up	Meet Start Time
15-18 Boy/Girls + Open Events	7:00 AM	8:30 AM
Sunday January 7, 2018	Warm Up	Meet Start Time
13-14 Boys/Girls + Open Events	7:00AM	8:30 AM

^{*}The meet host reserves the right to adjust the warm-up and start times after all the entries are received and accurate timelines can be determined.

WARM-UPS: CT Swimming Warm-up procedures will be in effect. There will be 2 warm-ups (30 min) in each pool and 6 lanes available for each session for a total of 12 lanes per session. Followed by sprint/pace for 15 min

ELIGIBILITY: All athletes must meet the standards regarding Swimmer Eligibility as stated in the YMCA of the USA Competitive Swimming Black Book. 2018 CT YMCA SWIMMING AND DIVING CHAMPIONSHIP shall be a closed competition as that term is defined in the Rules That Govern YMCA Competitive Sports. All teams must be currently registered through the YMCA online Team Registration system in order to participate in the meet. All coaches must show current certifications in the following safety courses in order to be permitted on deck at a YMCA sanctioned meet:

First Aid CPR

Safety Training for Swim Coaches OR Lifeguarding

At least one coach on deck must be certified with the YMCA Principles of Competitive Swimming and Diving Class. Coaches may show their current YMCA credentials, current USA Swimming credentials or the individual certification cards.

ADAPTED SWIMMING: Any current athlete with a disability as defined by USA Swimming Rules and Regulations may enter this meet. If modifications to the USA Swimming rules are necessary then the coach or athlete must notify the meet refer of any disability prior to the competition. Adapted athletes may direct questions to the <u>Connecticut Swimming office</u>.

ENTRY LIMITATIONS: Swimmers may enter and swim a maximum of Six (6) individual scoring events and two (2) relay events. A swimmer may swim no more than 4 events (3 individual and 1 relay) each day. <u>High School boys may swim in this meet Exhibition</u>. If the Boys have or will swim two dual meets the week before or after they cannot swim in this meet (per CIAC rules). Please mark your HS <u>boys as Exhibition on your entries</u>.

ENTRY TIMES: SCY - no NT will be accepted

DEADLINE: Entries must be received by 9:00 PM on Friday, December 15th, 2017. No changes may be made after the entry is received. Any entry received after the above date will be returned

ELECTRONIC ENRIES: Teams are encouraged to submit their entries via email Using the Hy-tek Swim Program. You may also submit in SDI format or other swim entry program. Please ZIP your entry and attach it to an email note to jmccaffrey@riverbrookymca.org

Meet entries may be submitted on the official entry form or a computer generated facsimile. All entries via email must be accompanied by a pdf copy of the entry. Your entry will not be considered final until we receive your entry fee by mail.

ENTRY FEES:

\$9.00 per individual event, \$20.00 per relay. Please make checks payable to "Wilton Wahoos" and mail the check with the entry forms and insurance waiver to Wilton Wahoos C/O Jo Ann McCaffrey, 404 Danbury Road, Wilton, CT 06897

CUT PROTOCOL:

- 1 Entries will be accepted on a first-come, first-served basis
- 2. Visiting teams may be cut on the date/time receipt of the paid final entry. If teams are cut, the host reserves the right to offer the available partial entry to the cut teams in the order the teams were received in order to fill the meet. Be aware the meet may close prior to the entry deadline. Teams whose entries cannot be accepted will be notified as soon as the meet is full, but no later than January 1, 2018

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

Notifications of any cuts or changes will be made to Program Operations and the attending teams as soon as possible and no later than Monday before the meet.

RESERVE THE RIGHT TO MAKE CHANGES:

In accordance to 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 changes requiring approval. Clubs will be notified no later than Monday before the meet.

RELAYS: Yes

SAFETY:

- 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 warmdown 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 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 the 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.

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

<u>RULES:</u> Current USA Swimming Rules will govern all competition. Changing in or out of swimsuits other than in locker rooms or other designated areas is prohibited.

Officials:

YMCA Sanctioned Championship Meets <u>must</u> be run under USA Swimming Technical Rules. It is recommended that they also follow the USA-S Administrative Regulations of Competition in Part Two of the Rulebook, modified to adapt to local conditions.

It is expected that YMCA Sanctioned Championship Meets will obtain "Approved Meet" status from the local USA-S LSC and enter the results into the USA-S SWIMS database.

YMCA Sanctioned Championship Meets must be officiated by YMCA certified officials. USA-S certified officials may assist in the officiating and should be encouraged to do so. However, the Meet Referee must be YMCA certified and two additional YMCA certified officials must be on deck at all times, one of whom must be the deck referee. A copy of the Meet Referee's YMCA Certified Official's card must be submitted with the sanction request.

Work Assignments:

All teams are required to provide timers and officials in proportion to the size of their entry. Teams will be notified as to the number of timers needed as soon as possible after the entries are received. Please send the names of officials with preferred sessions with your entry.

Athletes swimming the 500 Freestyle/400 IM must provide their own timers and counters.

AWARDS:

13/14 1-6 Medals

7-12 Ribbons Individual

13/14 1-3 Medals Relay

4-12 Ribbons Relay

15/18 NO AWARDS

Scoring: Individual Events: 1st -12th place

(16,13,12,11,10,9,7,5,4,3,2,1) Relay Events: 1st-12th place (32,26,24,22,20,18,14,10,8,6,4,2)

CONCESSIONS: Yes

HOSPITALITY FOR COACHES AND OFFICIALS: Yes

Psych sheet/Results:

The psych sheets for the entire meet will be sent out to all coaches about one week before the meet. Meet results will be posted shortly after the meet.

PARKING:

There is limited parking at the Wilton Family YMCA. Overflow parking will be in the high school parking lot opposite the YMCA

DIRECTIONS:

From New York: 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.

From New Haven: 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.

From I 95: 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.

Swimmer Eligibility

YMCA Membership

A Swimmer must be a YMCA member who, after due application, is enrolled by the association as a member, entitled to full privileges, activities, and services of that association. This means that members of YMCA competitive teams must have full-privilege YMCA memberships that entitle them to the same activities and services as other full privilege YMCA members. A swimmer must be a member in good standing of his/her YMCA for **30 days** prior to competing for that YMCA in a meet. The swimmer must be a member in good standing of his/her YMCA for **90 days** prior to representing that YMCA in a district, regional, state or national championship meet. (Rules That Govern, Rule II Sec.1a) The membership status must be valid through the end of the competition. A swimmer may represent his/her YMCA *only* (in competition) for at least 90 days prior to the YMCA National Championship Meet entry deadline in order to compete in that meet. The National Advisory Committee recommends that local, district, regional and state leagues and committees adopt the same rule for their championship meets.

Dual Representation and Membership Transfer

Swimmers who wish to change their membership from one YMCA to another may do so through **Transfer by Consent**. An athlete may transfer from one YMCA team to another YMCA team and be eligible to compete for his/her new YMCA team immediately upon the written consent of the YMCA that he/she previously represented. This includes transfer from one metropolitan branch to another. The membership transfer shall be completed BEFORE the individual competes for the new association or branch. This written consent must be in the form of a letter from the executive director of the YMCA association or branch that he/she previously represented. However, the athlete must still be a full privilege member of a YMCA - any YMCA - for 30 days prior to competing in any YMCA meet and be a full privilege member of a YMCA - any YMCA - for at least 90 days prior to competing in a YMCA district, regional, state or national championship meet. Once an individual transfers by consent to another YMCA, that person cannot transfer back and compete for the YMCA unit he/she previously represented for one year from the date of the original transfer. (Rules That Govern, Rule 2 Sec. 2)

Swimmers who wish to **transfer from a non-YMCA team** (USA Swimming team) to a YMCA team during the current season must observe the YMCA membership rules as stated above and in the Rules That Govern. To be eligible to compete in the YMCA National Championship meets a swimmer must not have represented any organization other than his/her YMCA team (high school excepted) for at least 90 days prior to the YMCA National Championship entry deadline. A swimmer must also have met the additional eligibility requirements for YMCA Nationals as stated below.

2018 CT YMCA Swimming and Diving Championship - 1/6/2018 to 1/7/2018 Session Report

Session: 1 Saturday Morning

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

Round	Event	Entries	Heats	Starts at	
Finals	1 Girls 15-18 200 Medley Relay	0	0	08:30 AM	
Finals	2 Boys 15-18 200 Medley Relay	0	0	08:30 AM	
Finals	3 Girls 13 & Over 200 Freestyle	0	0	08:30 AM	
Finals	4 Boys 13 & Over 200 Freestyle	0	0	08:30 AM	
Finals	5 Girls 15-18 100 Breaststroke	0	0	08:30 AM	
Finals	6 Boys 15-18 100 Breaststroke	0	0	08:30 AM	
Finals	7 Girls 15-18 50 Freestyle	0	0	08:30 AM	
Finals	8 Boys 15-18 50 Freestyle	0	0	08:30 AM	
Finals	9 Girls 13 & Over 200 Backstroke	0	0	08:30 AM	
Finals	10 Boys 13 & Over 200 Backstroke	0	0	08:30 AM	
Finals	11 Girls 15-18 100 Butterfly	0	0	08:30 AM	
Finals	12 Boys 15-18 100 Butterfly	0	0	08:30 AM	
Finals	13 Girls 15-18 100 Freestyle	0	0	08:30 AM	
Finals	14 Boys 15-18 100 Freestyle	0	0	08:30 AM	
	Break: 10 Minutes:				
Finals	15 Girls 13 & Over 400 IM	0	0	08:40 AM	
Finals	16 Boys 13 & Over 400 IM	0	0	08:40 AM	
	Finish Time			08:40 AM	

Session: 2 Sunday Morning

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

Round	Event	Entries	Heats	Starts at	
Finals	17 Girls 13-14 200 Medley Relay	0	0	08:30 AM	
Finals	18 Boys 13-14 200 Medley Relay	0	0	08:30 AM	
Finals	19 Girls 13 & Over 200 Butterfly	0	0	08:30 AM	
Finals	20 Boys 13 & Over 200 Butterfly	0	0	08:30 AM	
Finals	21 Girls 13-14 100 Backstroke	0	0	08:30 AM	
Finals	22 Boys 13-14 100 Backstroke	0	0	08:30 AM	
Finals	23 Girls 13-14 50 Freestyle	0	0	08:30 AM	
Finals	24 Boys 13-14 50 Freestyle	0	0	08:30 AM	
Finals	25 Girls 13 & Over 200 Breaststroke	0	0	08:30 AM	
Finals	26 Boys 13 & Over 200 Breaststroke	0	0	08:30 AM	
Finals	27 Girls 13-14 100 Freestyle	0	0	08:30 AM	
Finals	28 Boys 13-14 100 Freestyle	0	0	08:30 AM	
Finals	29 Girls 13-14 200 IM	0	0	08:30 AM	
Finals	30 Boys 13-14 200 IM	0	0	08:30 AM	
	Break: 10 Minutes:				
Finals	31 Girls 13 & Over 500 Freestyle	0	0	08:40 AM	
Finals	32 Boys 13 & Over 500 Freestyle	0	0	08:40 AM	
	Finish Time			08:40 AM	