



# CLUB SWIMMING

AT THE OHIO STATE UNIVERSITY

## 2018 FALL INVITATIONAL

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 22<sup>ND</sup>, 2018

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| LOCATION | The Ohio State University<br>Bill and Mae McCorkle Aquatic Pavilion<br>1847 Neil Avenue<br>Columbus, OH 43210   |                                  |
| TIMELINE | Deck Opens: 10:45a<br>Warm-up: 11:00a<br>President's Meeting: 11:45a<br>Meet Start: 12:00p  |                                  |
| PARKING  | This meet is held on the same day as an Ohio State football game. <b>PARKING WILL BE LIMITED.</b> Please utilize the SpaceTracker <a href="#">HERE</a> on the day of the meet to find available parking. All garage and parking lot addresses can also be found through this website. |                                  |

We recommend getting to Columbus a bit earlier than when the deck opens. Teams are free to travel around the campus until the start of warmups.

Some garages we recommend are the [Neil Avenue Garage](#), the [Gateway Garage](#), the [Ohio Union North Garage](#), and the [Ohio Union South Garage](#).

**PLEASE STAY AWAY FROM ALL PARKING ON THE MEDICAL CAMPUS (SAFEAUTO Garage, 12<sup>th</sup> Avenue Garage, 9<sup>th</sup> Avenue West Garage, 9<sup>th</sup> Avenue East Garage, North Cannon Garage, South Cannon Garage).**

**FACILITY** McCorkle Aquatic Center is home to an Olympic-sized pool, set up for short-course competition, featuring ten 25-yard competition lanes, adjustable fins on the blocks, backstroke ledges, and ten 25-yard warmup lanes. In the past year, the McCorkle Aquatic Center was the site of the 2017 USA Winter Nationals, the 2018 Women's Big Ten Championships, the 2018 Women's NCAA Championships, and the TYR Pro Swim Series. In March 2019, the McCorkle Aquatic Pavilion will be the site of the 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual College Club Swimming National Championship Meet.

The scoreboard at the north end of the facility will display all ten competition lanes simultaneously. The scoreboard will also display previous events' results and team scores throughout the meet.

**ELIGIBILITY** All swimmers must be a member of their university's club team and in good standing with their university.

It is highly recommended that each competing team and its athletes be registered with College Club Swimming.

**MEET  
FORMAT** The meet will be swum in short course yards. Competition will be held in the South competition pool using 10 lanes. The meet may utilize flyover starts if necessary. All events are timed finals. Events will be seeded slowest to fastest.

**RULES** College Club Swimming rules and regulations will govern the meet. For their governance handbook, please click [here](#).

It should be noted that any suits with tie-backs (i.e. JOLYN swimsuits) or other fasteners are not permitted for competition.

**WARM-UP** Prior to the start of the meet, both the North and South competition pools will be open for warm-up. The South competition pool will be closed 10 minutes prior to the first event.

During the meet, the North competition pool will be open for warm-up and cool-down.

No one is permitted to use the diving well prior to or during the meet.

## ORDER OF EVENTS

| <i>Women</i>               |                            | <i>Men</i> | <i>Women</i>               |                            | <i>Men</i> |
|----------------------------|----------------------------|------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|------------|
| #1                         | <b>200 Medley Relay</b>    | #2         | #21                        | <b>50 Backstroke</b>       | #22        |
| #3                         | <b>25 Backstroke</b>       | #4         | #23                        | <b>25 Breaststroke</b>     | #24        |
| #5                         | <b>200 Freestyle</b>       | #6         | #25                        | <b>100 Butterfly</b>       | #26        |
| #7                         | <b>25 Butterfly</b>        | #8         | #27                        | <b>500 Freestyle</b>       | #28        |
| #9                         | <b>200 IM</b>              | #10        | <b>**15-minute break**</b> |                            |            |
| #11                        | <b>25 Freestyle</b>        | #12        | #29                        | <b>100 Freestyle</b>       | #30        |
| #13                        | <b>50 Breaststroke</b>     | #14        | #31                        | <b>100 Backstroke</b>      | #32        |
| #15                        | <b>50 Freestyle</b>        | #16        | #33                        | <b>50 Butterfly</b>        | #34        |
| <b>**15-minute break**</b> |                            |            | #35                        | <b>100 Breaststroke</b>    | #36        |
| #17                        | <b>400 Freestyle Relay</b> | #18        | #37                        | <b>200 Freestyle Relay</b> | #38        |
| #19                        | <b>100 IM</b>              | #20        | #39                        | <b>200 Co-Ed/Fun Relay</b> |            |

The Meet Coordinator reserves the right to remove any breaks and/or the 200 Co-Ed/Fun Relay due to time constraints.

**ENTRY LIMIT** The Meet Coordinator reserves the right to limit entries to a maximum of 500 swimmers, exclusive of Club Swimming at Ohio State swimmers, to ensure that the running time of the meet stays within reason. Teams will be given preference based solely on time in which entries are submitted.

Athletes may enter up to four (4) individual events. If an athlete is entered in four (4) individual events, they must mark one as a bonus event. The Meet Coordinator reserves the right to disqualify all bonus events to ensure the running time of the meet stays within reason.

There is no limit on the number of relays an athlete may swim.

To include relay swimmers' names in the final results, please provide names in the order they will be swimming on the relay with your entries.

**ENTRIES** Send entries to Michael Cochenour, [competition.csosu@gmail.com](mailto:competition.csosu@gmail.com), by 5:00 pm on Sunday, September 16<sup>th</sup>.

**Entries MUST be sent in a Hy-Tek file for teams exceeding 10 participating swimmers.** For teams bringing 10 or fewer swimmers, an Excel file may be submitted.

Swimmers' College Club Swimming ID's MUST be provided with their name and entries. Teams may be asked to resubmit entries if ID's are missing from the entries.

Teams will be sent a confirmation email when their entries are imported into Meet Manager. The confirmation email will include the number of entered swimmers, any problems with the file, and meet updates. It is asked that each team confirms they have read the confirmation email.

**ENTRY FEES** Entries are \$10 per swimmer, with a \$250 team cap.

The preferred method of payment is by check. Checks should be made payable to "**Club Swimming at Ohio State.**" Checks may be submitted at the check-in table or at the President's meeting. You may request an invoice to pay online, but please do so prior to the meet so that payment can be made before the day of the meet.

Payment must be received by the conclusion of the meet. Late payments may be subject to a \$50 fee, at the discretion of the Meet Coordinator.

Refunds will not be offered if a swimmer signs up for the meet, but does not show up.

**SEED TIMES** **Seed times are required for all individual events.**

**SCRATCHES** Teams may submit scratch requests until Wednesday, September 19. All scratches will be confirmed by email. If a swimmer drops out from the meet before Wednesday, September 19, the team fee will be adjusted.

Scratches will not be accepted after Wednesday, September 19. Team fees will not be adjusted after this date.

The policy outlined for scratches also applies to adding or changing a swimmer's events, altering your team roster, and altering a seed time.

**DECK ENTRIES** Deck entries will not be accepted. A swimmer's meet schedule will be set when the window for altering a swimmer's events closes.

**DECK ACCESS** Deck access is limited to swimmers, officials, coaches, volunteer timers, and Ohio State personnel.

- VOLUNTEERS** Twenty-two volunteer timers will be needed for the event to run smoothly. Shifts will be created should the number of volunteers exceed twenty-two. If any parent or athlete is interested in helping, please contact the Meet Coordinator.
- SCORING** The top 16 finishers in individual and relay events will be scored.
- Individual: 20-17-16-15-14-13-12-11-9-7-6-5-4-3-2-1  
Relay: 40-34-32-30-28-26-24-22-18-14-12-10-8-6-4-2
- The 200 co-ed/fun relay will not be scored.
- MEET RECORDS** Swimmers who break meet records will be recognized during the meet. If certificates are not ready by the end of the meet, they will be handed out at a later time (i.e. a meet both teams attend, Nationals, etc.).
- PSYCH/HEAT SHEET** A psych sheet will be emailed out to all teams on Thursday, September 20. Hard copies of the heat sheet will be given to each team during check-in. Additional heat sheets may be purchased at the admissions table.
- RESULTS** PDF and Hy-Tek versions of the results will be sent to all attending teams within 24 hours of the conclusion of the meet. A Hy-Tek results file will be sent to College Club Swimming within 24 hours of the conclusion of the meet.
- LODGING** There are several hotels around Columbus and Ohio State's campus to choose from if your team plans to stay overnight. Here is a short list we would personally recommend, all of which are a short drive to the aquatic center. If you have any questions regarding hotels, please contact the Meet Coordinator.

**The Blackwell Inn and Conference Center – 1.1 miles**  
2110 Tuttle Park Place, Columbus, Ohio, 43210  
(614)-247-4000

**SpringHill Suites (Columbus OSU) – 1.3 miles**  
1421 Olentangy River Road, Columbus, Ohio, 43212  
(614)-297-9912

**Fairfield Inn and Suites (Columbus OSU) – 2.3 miles**  
3031 Olentangy River Road, Columbus, Ohio, 43202  
(614)-267-1111

**Homewood Suites University – 2.6 miles**  
1576 W Lane Avenue, Columbus, Ohio, 43221  
(614)-488-1500

**Hilton Garden Inn (Columbus-University area) – 2.8 miles**

3232 Olentangy River Road, Columbus, Ohio, 43202

(614)-263-7200

**Hampton Inn and Suites (Columbus/University area) – 2.9 miles**

3160 Olentangy River Road, Columbus, Ohio, 43202

(614)-268-8700

Misc. For spectators, there will be a \$4 admission fee. Heat sheets will be available for \$2.

Concessions will not be offered at the meet. Food can be purchased at the RPAC – the building across from the aquatic center.

Please understand each team will be required to complete a brief liability/insurance form before the first event.

Thank you. We look forward to seeing you!