

Stevie Grieshammer Memorial Meet Sunday, October 19, 2025

Hosted by Blazing Barracudas

Held under the sanction of USA Swimming Sanction/Approved #OH-26SC-28

Location:	Robert F. Busbey Natatorium Cleveland State University 2451 Euclid Avenue Cleveland, OH 44115
Facility:	25 yards by 10 lanes, Colorado timing system and 10 lanes digital readout score board with ample locker room space and balcony seating for spectators; Continuous warm-up and warm-down pool available in non-competitive end of the pool. The depth of the pool at both the start end and turn end is 12 feet. The host will ensure the required course dimensions.
Meet Director:	Sarah Tobin bbameetentries@hb.edu 440-552-7023
Meet Referee:	Branden Burns
Officials Contact for the Meet:	Branden Burns bburns@hb.edu 330-888-8940
Entry Chair:	Sarah Tobin bbameetentries@hb.edu 440-552-7023
Disclaimer:	In granting this sanction it is understood and agreed that USA Swimming shall be free from any liabilities or claims for damages arising by reason of injuries to anyone during the conduct of the event.
Meet Type:	This meet is open to all eligible swimmers. Swimmers must be USA registered. All events are Timed Finals 13 & Over events will be deck seeded. 12 & Under events may be deck seeded. Events will be swim slowest to fastest
# of Sessions:	Two Sessions/Timed Finals Session 1 – Sun, Oct 19 – timed finals Warm-ups will begin at 7:30 am. Competition will begin at 8:20 am Session 2 – Sun, Oct 19 – timed finals Warm-ups will begin 15 minutes after the end of session 1 Competition will begin 50 minutes after the start of warm-ups Warm-ups may be split if the average number of swimmers per lane is scheduled to exceed USA Swimming's recommended number of athletes per lane. Sessions and events may be combined/split in order to control the length of the meet. Events will be swum slowest to fastest
Medical Supervision available to athletes	The finalized warm up plan will be found on the <u>BBA website</u> by Tuesday, October 14, 2025 A Meet Safety Director and lifeguards will be present to respond to an emergency or provide first aid in the event that is needed.

Organization Regulations/Waivers				
USA Swimming Rules	At a sanctioned competitive event, all USA Swimming athletes must be under the supervision of a USA Swimming member coach. Arrangements for coach supervision must be made in advance of the meet.			
	 Any swimmer entered in the meet <u>must</u> 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. 			
	The use of audio or visual recording devices, including a cell phone, is not permitted in changing areas, rest rooms or locker rooms.			

Organization Regulations/Waivers Use of cameras, cell phones or any other recording device is not permitted immediately behind the starting blocks at either end of the racing course(s) during race starts, competition and warm-ups. Please refer to the Safe Sport section of the Ohio Swimming, Inc. policies and procedures for further information regarding the use of visual recording devices. Deck changes are prohibited. 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. Flash photography is not permitted at the start of any race. All applicable adults participating in or associated with this meet acknowledge that they are subject to the provisions of the USA Swimming Minor Athlete Abuse Prevention Policy (MAAPP) and that they understand that compliance with the MAAPP policy is a condition of participation in the conduct of this competition. Per USA Swimming Rule 102.8.1F, 12 & Under athletes may not compete in Technical Suits at this meet. Please **Technical Suit Ban** refer to the USA Swimming rulebook for definitions of a technical suit. Ohio State Laws that Ohio's Return to Play Law (ORC 3313.539 and ORC 3707.511) requires that coaches and referees either (1) complete are applicable to a free online training once every three (3) years in recognizing the symptoms of concussion or (2) hold a pupil-activity Ohio Swimming program permit from the Ohio State Board of Education. Free online concussion training is offered through the sanctioned events National Federation of State High School Association and Centers of Disease Control. Training links can be found at www.swimohio.com under Safe Sport>Concussion. There will be the required number of certified lifeguard(s) on duty at all times at this meet per Ohio Administrative Code 3701-31-04-E-4. Safe Sport 360 The U.S. Center for Safe Sport program is a comprehensive abuse prevention program dedicated to creating a healthy and positive environment free from abuse for all its members. Components of the program include, but are not limited to, providing education and training, enforcing policies (such as the Minor Athlete Abuse Prevention Policy), rules and best practice guidelines, promoting healthy boundaries and mandatory reporting of violations. The Minor Athlete Abuse Prevention Policy (MAAPP) prohibits Applicable Adults (as defined) from having one-on-one interactions with minor athletes which are not within an observable and interruptible distance from another adult. Applicable Adults are required to abide by this policy in full during this meet. Pursuant to USA Swimming Rules and Regulations and federal law, it is every member's responsibility to immediately (i.e., within 24 hours) report any incident of child abuse, including physical or sexual abuse, to law enforcement and the U.S. Center for SafeSport. Reporting must occur when an individual has firsthand knowledge of misconduct or where specific and credible information has been received from a victim or knowledgeable third party. A report to the U.S. Center for SafeSport may be made via telephone at 833-5US-SAFE (833-587-7233) or online at www.uscenterforsafesport.org/report-a-concern. Various state laws may also require reporting to law enforcement or to a designated child protection agency. All athletes aged 18 and older must complete Athlete Protection Training in order to be a USA Swimming registered member in good standing. Any athlete who turns 18 on or after the first day of the start of competition, who has not completed Athlete Protection Training by the first day of competition, will be prohibited from participating in the competition until such time as all membership requirements are completed. Times achieved by an athlete who turns age 18 on or after the first day of competition, who competes in this USA Swimming sanctioned event without completing this membership requirement, will NOT count for qualification or recognition. This includes participation as a member of a relav. For information on how to report other alleged violations, including without limitation, the USA Swimming Code of Conduct, and the Minor Athlete Abuse Prevention Policy, please visit www.usaswimming.org/report Waiver/Release By entering this meet, you are granting permission for the names of any or all of your team's swimmers to be published on the internet in the form of Psych Sheets, Meet Results, or any other documents associated with the running of this meet. All participants agree to be filmed and photographed by the host club approved photographer(s) and videographers and to allow the right to use names and pictures before, during, or after the meet such as in public psych sheets, heat sheets, and results or featured on the host club or OSI website or social media or in public broadcast of the event via television or webcast. Parents and guardians of minor swimmers who do not wish their swimmers to participate in interviews or have individual pictures featured on any media should inform their team's head coach and the Meet Director prior to the meet.

Entering the Meet	
Eligibility:	No swimmer will be permitted to compete unless the <u>swimmer is a member</u> as provided in Article 302.
	All contestants must be verified USA Swimming members. Membership will not be verified at the meet.

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	 Membership verification deadline is 5 PM EST one (1) business day prior to the first day of the meet. Unverified swimmers will be scratched from the meet after that deadline. There will be no refunds for unverified swimmers scratched from the meet. 						
	All adult athletes must hold current Athlete Protection Training certification.						
	Age on the first day of the meet will determine age for the entire meet.						
	The meet is open to all swimmers.						
	There are no qualifying times.						
Disability Swimmers:	Ohio Swimming welcomes swimmers with a disability.						
	Entry Procedures:						
	 Enter the USA-S swimmers with a disability electronically or on the paper entry form. 						
	2. Provide the grouping the swimmer is identified under (P1, P2, P3) and any necessary accommodations.						
	 List in the email with the electronic entry (or on the paper entry) the swimmer's name, entry times, based on grouping (P1, P2, P3) strokes/distances and days/sessions. 						
	Preferred seeding is in the swimmer's age group entered event at the same distance with their equivalent non-conforming time to ensure seeding in the initial heats.						
	See the Ohio Swimming Policy Book for Grouping descriptions (P1, P2, P3).						
Entry Limits	Swimmers may swim a maximum of 3 individual events per day and 3 relays.						
Entry Fees:	• \$7.00 per individual event.						
	• \$10.00 per relay event.						
	\$4.00 OH LSC surcharge per swimmer.						
	\$8.00 Facility Fee per swimmer						
Entry Procedures:	Entries will NOT be accepted before Monday, September 29, 2025 at 9:00 PM EST.						
	Entries sent prior to the permitted time will be deleted.						
	It is suggested that you sync your computer time with the official US time clock found at http://www.time.gov/ or www.time.is prior to submitting your entries.						
	Email entries to <u>bbameetentries@hb.edu</u>						
	Mail hard copy to Blazing Barracudas c/o Sarah Tobin 5525 Kenbridge Dr. Highland Heights, OH 44143. Make checks payable to Blazing Barracudas.						
	Deadline for receipt of entries is Friday, October 3, 2025 at 12:00 noon						
	Entries must be submitted in Short Course Yards using electronic meet entry software (Hy-Tek/Team Unify).						
	 Unattached swimmers (not with a team) are encouraged to use Hytek's TM Lite for entry submission. Entries not completed through a team software are subject to a \$25/swimmer surcharge. These fees are due at the time of the entry submission. 						
	Please include the names of any Outreach swimmers in the email.						
	Checks should be made payable to: Blazing Barracudas						
	"No Time" (NT) entries will NOT be accepted.						
	 The Meet Director reserves the right to limit entries, if necessary, to manage the timeline and number of competitors and spectators at each session. 						
	In the event the meet is over-entered, BBA reserves the right to determine which teams' entries to accept. Teams will be notified of their acceptance within 48 hours of the entry deadline.						
Timers	Teams entering 5 or more athletes in a session will be required to provide one (1) timer for those sessions.						
Warm-up and Safety Guidelines:	The meet host will provide a complete schedule of warm-up procedures to include lane assignments and times, which must be adhered to by all participants. This information will be distributed in advance of the meet.						
	Warm-ups will be monitored jointly by the Meet Director and Meet Referee (or their special designees).						
	 Except during supervised racing starts, swimmers must enter the pool feet first in a cautious manner with one hand in contact with the pool deck. 						
	Ohio LSC Swimming Safety Guidelines and Warn-Up Procedures will be in effect for this meet.						
	No spectators allowed on deck.						
Competition	This meet will be a timed finals meet.						
Guidelines:	This meet will be contested in SCY.						

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J	 13 & Over events will be deck seeded. 12 & Under events may be deck seeded. 						
	 Deck entries may be accepted at the meet for verified athletes only. No new swimmers will be accepted. No Clerk of Course Events will be swum slowest to fastest 						
Deck Entries	 Deck entries may be accepted for athletes verified by the published deadline in the meet info on a space availal basis at the discretion of the meet director up to 45 minutes before the start of the session and seeded at No Time. The decision about deck entries will be published after the entry deadline with warm-up information. Deck entrants should sign up at the deck entry table at \$14.00 per individual event & \$20.00 per relay. Swimmers new to the meet will NOT be permitted to deck enter. 						
Time Trials	Time Trials will NOT be offered.						
Awards	 12 & Under events only according to age groups – 8 & Under, 9-10, 11-12 Individual Events – 1st – 10th place Relay Events – 1st – 3rd place Results will not be posted during the meet. 						
Scoring	Scoring will be as follows: 11, 9, 8, 7, 6, 5, 4, 3, 2, 1 for individual events; relays double. 13 & Over events will be scored 13-14; 15 & over 12 & Under events will be scored 8 & Under; 9-10; 11-12						
General	Admissions: No admission fee. Parking: CSU charges for event parking (est. \$10 per day). Parking lots are available at the corner of Chester and E. 22 nd Street or on Euclid Ave and E. 24th Street. City of Cleveland street meter parking is free all day Sunday on Chester Avenue. Cleveland State University meter parking is available on a very limited basis.						
	Concessions: Concessions may be provided by CSU Heat Sheets: Heat Sheets will be on Meet Mobile after seeding if technology permits. Results: Results will not be posted on site. If technology permits, the meet results will be available on Meet Mobile. TM/TU and PDF of the results will be sent to the team representatives after the meet						
Code of Conduct:	 Swimville USA will be at the meet selling suits, googles, etc in the upstairs lobby. Any individual who exhibits a behavior of a threatening, abusive, or derogatory manner toward an official or member of the meet staff is subject to immediate removal and further expulsion from the meet. Coaches will be notified of the actions of their respective teams. Good sportsmanship is expected at all times. Bullying or taunting, foul language or derogatory behavior will not be tolerated and will be subject to immediate removal. All volunteers, spectators, coaches, officials and meet staff are expected to be respectful of others. The Ohio Swimming Code of Conduct governs this meet. The purpose of the Zero-Tolerance Code of Conduct Policy is to establish consistent expectations across the LSC in the best interest of our Athletes and Sport. Ohio Swimming is committed to creating a safe and fair environment for all of its athlete members. This policy is to be used as a guide to 						
	promote a positive environment and good sportsmanship at meets and events conducted in the geographical boundary of Ohio Swimming. The complete Ohio Swimming Code of Conduct can be reviewed on the Ohio Swimming website under Governance> OSI Policy & Procedures Manual, Appendix 18.						

EVACUATION PLAN

SPECTATOR EMERGENCY EVACUATION PLAN In the event of an alarm or an emergency requiring evacuation: Remain calm, walk to the nearest exit, and leave the building. Do not use the elevators. Do not attempt to go on deck or into the locker rooms

Swimmers will be directed by their coaches or meet workers to STILLWELL HALL ON THE WEST SIDE OF THE BUILDING (the scoreboard is on the west wall of the pool)

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SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Morning Session

7:30 Warm-up, 8:20 Meet Start (Timed Finals)

Girls#	Age Group/Stroke 13 & OVER	Boys #
1	200 Medley Relay	2
3	200 Freestyle	4
5	200 Individual Medley	6
7	50 Freestyle	8
9	100 Butterfly	10
11	100 Freestyle	12
13	500 Freestyle	14
15	200 Freestyle Relay	16
17	100 Backstroke	18
19	100 Breaststroke	20
21	400 Freestyle Relay	22

13 & Over events will be scored 13 - 14; 15 & Over

Afternoon Session

Afternoon warm-up will begin 15 minutes after the conclusion of the morning session Competition will begin at the completion of the 45-minute warm-up.

Warm up info will be posted on the BBA website by Tuesday, October 14, 2025

Girls #	Age Group/Stroke	Boys#
	12 & UNDER	
23	200 Freestyle	24
25	100 Individual Medley	26
27	50 Freestyle	28
29	50 Butterfly	30
31	100 Freestyle	32
33	500 Freestyle	34
35	200 Medley Relay	36
37	50 Backstroke	38
39	50 Breaststroke	40
41	200 Freestyle Relay	42

12 & under individual events will be scored/awarded top 10 per age groups: 8 & under, 9-10, 11-12

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Summary of Fees/Release Form

Team Name								
Club Representative								
Club Rep Email (for questions about entries)								
Coach Attending								
Coach Phone								
Coach Email								
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Item		Total #		Cost per		Total		
Individual Entries (exclude Outreach)				\$7.00 per event				
Relay Entries			\$10.00 per relay					
OSI Swimmer Surcharge (exclude Outrea	ach)		\$4.00 per swimmer					
Host Team Facility Surcharge (exclude C	outreach)			\$8.00 per swimmer				
Total Fees Due								
Please list any Outreach Swimmers Below	:							
Total # outreach IEs: (# swimmers x # entries)				Total # of Outreach swin	nmers			
(Outreach fees can be subtracted from your team total	als)						1	
Waiver, Acknowledgement and Liability I, the undersigned coach, or team represed current USA Swimming members IN GOO Swimming, Inc. regarding warm-up proced those rules during this meet. BBA, CSU, Cand harmless from any and all liabilities or acknowledge that by entering this meet, I a in the form of Psych Sheets, Meet Results.	ntative, ver D STANDI ures and n Dhio Swimr claims for am granting	NG. I acknowledge neet safety guidelir ming, Inc., and US/ damages arising b g permission for the	e tha nes, a A Sw oy rea e nar	t I am familiar with the Sat and that I shall be respons vimming, Inc., their agents ason of illness or injury to mes of any or all of my tea	fety Rules of sible for the , employee anyone dur im's swimm	of USA Swimn compliance of s, and coache ing the condu	ning, Inc. and Ohio of my swimmers with es shall be held free ct of this meet. I also	
Signature (Coach or Club Representative)				Club Title (Coach etc)				
Name of Club		Date						

Send this form with check to: Blazing Barracudas

Send payment to: Sarah Tobin, 5525 Kenbridge Drive, Highland Heights, OH 44143