

2026 Wisconsin LSC Regional Short Course Championship



Hosted by McFarland Spartan Sharks & Storm Aquatics



McFarland High School
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Meet Leadership

Meet Directors	Officiating Leadership	Entry Chair
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Schedule

Warmup & Competition Schedule	Session	Warmup	Session Start
	Friday PM	4:40P	5:45P
	Saturday & Sunday AM	7:15A	8:20A
	Saturday and Sunday PM	10 min after AM concludes	65 min after PM warmup begins
Breaks may be scheduled as needed and will be determined by the meet leadership team before the start of the meet. Breaks will be out-of-water unless specified otherwise, however the adjacent warmup lanes will be open throughout the meet.			

Event Order

		Girls	FRIDAY	Boys		
		101	10U 200 IM	102		
		103	11-12 200 IM	104		
		105	13-14 400 IM	106		
		107	SR 400 IM	108		
			BREAK			
		109	10U 500 Free	110		
		111	11-12 500 Free	112		
		113	13-14 1000 Free	114		
		115	SR 1000 Free	116		
SAT AM						
201	8U 100 Medley Relay	202			301	8U 100 Free Relay
203	10U 200 Medley Relay	204			303	10U 200 Free Relay
205	11-12 200 Medley Relay	206			305	11-12 200 Free Relay
BREAK						
207	8U 25 Free	208			307	8U 50 Back
209	10U 50 Free	210			309	10U 100 Back
211	11-12 50 Free	212			311	11-12 100 Back
213	11-12 200 Back	214			313	8U 25 Breast
215	8U 25 Fly	216			315	10U 50 Breast
217	10U 50 Fly	218			317	11-12 50 Breast
SUN AM						

219	11-12 50 Fly	220		319	8U 50 Free	320
221	8U 25 Back	222		321	10U 100 Free	322
223	10U 50 Back	224		323	11-12 100 Free	324
225	11-12 50 Back	226		325	8U 50 Fly	326
227	11-12 200 Fly	228		327	10U 100 Fly	328
229	8U 50 Breast	230		329	11-12 100 Fly	330
231	10U 100 Breast	232		331	11-12 200 Breast	332
233	11-12 100 Breast	234		333	8U 100 IM	334
235	8U 100 Free	236		335	10U 100 IM	336
237	10U 200 Free	238		337	11-12 100 IM	338
239	11-12 200 Free	240		339	11-12 1000 Free	340
241	11-12 400 IM	242				

	SAT PM				SUN PM		
251	13-14 200 Medley Relay		252		351	13-14 200 Free Relay	352
253	SR 200 Medley Relay		254		353	SR 200 Free Relay	354
BREAK						BREAK	
255	13-14 100 IM		256		355	13-14 50 Back	356
257	SR 100 IM		258		357	SR 50 Back	358
259	13-14 200 Free		260		359	13-14 100 Free	360
261	SR 200 Free		262		361	SR 100 Free	362
263	13-14 100 Fly		264		363	13-14 200 Fly	364
265	SR 100 Fly		266		365	SR 200 Fly	366
267	13-14 200 Breast		268		367	13-14 100 Breast	368
269	SR 200 Breast		270		369	SR 100 Breast	370
271	13-14 50 Free		272		371	13-14 200 Back	372
273	SR 50 Free		274		373	SR 200 Back	374
275	13-14 100 Back		276		375	13-14 50 Fly	376
277	SR 100 Back		278		377	SR 50 Fly	378
279	13-14 50 Breast		280		379	13-14 200 IM	380
281	SR 50 Breast		282		381	SR 200 IM	382
BREAK						BREAK	
283	13-14 500 Free		284		383	13-14 1650 Free	384
285	SR 500 Free		286		385	SR 1650 Free	386

Entering Into the Meet

Entry Deadline	Entries must be uploaded to Swimcloud by 6pm on Friday, February 13th, 2026. Teams are permitted to make changes through 6pm on Monday, February 17th, 2026. Entries received after the deadline may be accepted and are subject to a \$150 late fee, payable to the meet host.	
Entry Qualifying Window	September 1 st , 2024 through the meet deadline.	
Submission Process	<p>Meet Landing Page Directions for upload can be found here.</p> <p>After uploading entries, be sure you've finished the process by clicking the "submit entries" button. You'll know you've done it correctly if you get a confirmation email. If you don't get a confirmation email, you didn't finish the process.</p> <p>Entries not submitted through Swimcloud will not be accepted.</p>	
Entry Details for Para Athletes	When entering a disabled athlete into the meet, please email the entry chair with any needed documentation used to determine P1, P2 or P3 designated disability placement.	
Entry Limits	<p>A swimmer may compete in not more than eight (8) individual events for the meet, excluding time trial events.</p> <p>A swimmer may compete in no more than five (5) individual events per day.</p> <p>Individual entries plus time trial individual entries may not exceed six (6) per day.</p> <p>Teams may enter unlimited teams in relay events. Swimmers must be registered as an athlete in the meet in order to compete in relays.</p>	
Entry Fees	Event Fees Individual Event Fee: \$7 Relay Event Fee: \$16	Surcharges Facility Fee: \$5 Wisconsin Swimming Splash Fee: \$4 Deck Entry Surcharge: Normal fees plus \$5 per deck entry
Make Check Payable To	Sun Prairie Swim, Inc Bring waiver and check to meet.	
Deck Entries (HS Boys)	<p>Deck entries are available for High School boys. New heats may be added to accommodate the added High School boy's entries. High School boy's deck entries will be at the same fees as a regular entry, plus any additional athlete surcharges charged by the meet host.</p> <p>All High School boys MUST be registered with USA/WI Swimming prior to Feb 15, 2026 and show proof of registration. Athletes 18 years and older MUST show proof of completion of APT prior to competition</p>	
Deck Entries (All Others)	Deck entries are allowed at the discretion of the entry chair. No new heats will be created for deck entries, and all entries must be completed at least 30 minutes prior to the start of the session in which the swimmer will participate.	

General Meet information

Facility	<p>Pool Specifications</p> <p>Indoor, eight lane, 25 yard pool. Depth is 11'6" – 12'6" at the start end and 4'0" at the bulkhead (turn end). The meet host will ensure the required course dimensions. Backstroke wedges will not be available.</p>
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	<p><u>Timing</u> All events will be timed using a Colorado Timing Gen 7 System with horn start, touch pads, buttons, and watches. 25 yard races will start from the blocks and will be timed using 2 plungers and 2 watches.</p> <p><u>First Aid/Medical</u> Lifeguards and pool staff will be available and providing medical supervision during the meet, both on deck and in the pool office.</p>
Officials & Timers	<p>An Officials Meeting will be held prior to the start of each session in the hospitality room. Anyone wishing to officiate at this meet should contact the Meet Referee. Officials must have valid USA Swimming registration and must be working that session to be on deck. The official mobile application of USA Swimming is acceptable proof of USA Swimming Membership.</p> <p>Timers Briefings will be held before the start of each session.</p>
Deck Access	<p>Deck access is restricted to participating athletes, coaches, working officials and meet personnel. Credentialed coaches will be given wristbands upon signing in at the computer desk. These must be worn at all times while on deck, or the coach must check in again. This will be strictly enforced by Meet Marshals and other meet staff.</p> <p>Parents/guardians are NOT allowed on deck or in the locker rooms at any time.</p> <p>Parents and other non-swimmers not involved in the running of the meet are requested to remain in designated spectator areas. The Meet Director and Meet Referee reserve the right to limit deck access in the event of overcrowding, inappropriate behavior or for any reason concerning the safety or the efficient operation of the meet. USAS Rules of Conduct will be strictly enforced.</p>
Spectator Admission	Admissions will be ticketed through HomeTown Ticketing. Tickets are \$5 per session for non-volunteer adults (children are free). Handicapped seating is available. Please contact the Meet Director for seating accommodations.
Parking	Parking is available in front of the school. The area behind the school nearest the pool is reserved for coaches and officials.
Concessions	Concessions will be available throughout the meet.
Lost & Found	If items are lost and found, they may be collected at the designated area near the office. The meet hosts and facility are not responsible for lost items. Items not picked up by the end of the meet may be discarded or donated.
Meet Website	All meet documents including: heat sheets, ticket links, warmup schedules, etc can be found on the meet host website. https://www.gomotionapp.com/team/wisps/page/hosted-meets
Livestream	The meet will be livestreamed for free at https://www.youtube.com/@stormaquaticswi

Rules, Regulations, and Procedures

Official Rules	Official current USA Swimming and Wisconsin LSC rules shall prevail for this meet except as otherwise specified in this meet information. Participating athletes must be registered USA Swimming athletes and in good standing. The athlete's age on the first day of the meet determines age group for the entire competition.
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	<p>All coaches and officials are required to sign in and prove that their USA Swimming membership is in good standing and all certifications are current. The official mobile application of USA Swimming should be used for proof of USA Swimming membership.</p> <p>All USA Swimming athletes must be under the supervision of a USA Swimming member coach during warm-up, competition, and warm-down. The Meet Director or Meet Referee may assist an unaccompanied swimmer make arrangements for such supervision, but it is the swimmer's responsibility to make such arrangements prior to the start of the meet.</p>
Conduct	<p>Coaches are responsible for the conduct of their swimmers and will see that their club has proper supervision at all times. Meet Marshals have the authority to remove any swimmer and/or spectator from the meet for any violation such as improper behavior, damage to property, etc.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● No underwater video recording equipment is allowed at any time during the meet. ● No glass containers of any kind are allowed on deck or in locker room areas ● Use of audio or visual recording devices, including cell phones, is not permitted in the changing areas, restrooms, or locker rooms. ● Changing into or out of swimsuits other than in locker rooms or other designated areas is not appropriate and is prohibited. 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 will not be allowed during the start of any heat. Individuals using flash photography near the start of a heat may be ejected from the meet facility. <p>All participants agree to be filmed and photographed by the official photographer(s) and network(s) of Wisconsin Swimming and the meet host under the conditions authored by Wisconsin and USA Swimming, and allow event organizers the right to use names, pictures, likenesses, and biographical information before, during or after the period of participation in this Wisconsin Swimming competition to promote such competitions.</p>
MAAPP	<p>All 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 MAAPP is a condition of participation in the conduct of this competition. Times achieved by an athlete member at a sanctioned/approved meet who is over 18 years of age who had not completed the Athlete Protection Training (or whose APT training had expired) by the date of the swim, will not be able to be uploaded to SWIMS. This includes participation as a member of a relay. These athletes will also be considered "not in good standing" and can be subject to fines under Wisconsin Swimming Policy 11.2.1.</p>
Swimmer Eligibility	<p>All swimmers must be current Wisconsin LSC registered athlete members of USA Swimming and in good standing. All individual swimmers entered in the meet shall be eligible to swim in the meet. Any swimmer who swims in the meet and is found ineligible will be disqualified from the meet, forfeit all awards and points achieved and their club fined. The representative submitting entries shall be responsible for verifying that all swimmers satisfy eligibility requirements. Relay-only swimmers are not permitted.</p>
Start Certification	<p>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.</p>
Para Swimming	<p>Please note any special requirements and/or requests for a swimmer with disability with your meet entry. All requests for swimmers with disabilities must be received before the start of the meet and presented to the meet referee.</p>

	The WSI Para Accommodation Form shall be used for all accommodation and/or modification requests
Deck Registration	No deck registrations will be accepted at this meet.
Warmups	<p>Warm up times and lanes shall be assigned. Assignments will be posted on the meet landing page and communicated to each team. Only circle swimming will be permitted, except in designated lanes and times. All entry to pools during open warm-up cool down periods shall be feet first three-point entry from the start end. No snorkels, kickboards or other training devices are allowed during warm-ups. Teams should plan to do starts, sprint and pace work within their assigned warm-up time.</p> <p>USA Swimming and Wisconsin Swimming warm-up procedures will be enforced throughout the meet. Swimmer(s) without a coach present are to report to the Meet Director prior to warm-ups for lane assignment.</p> <p>Lanes behind the bulkhead will be available for warmup/cooldown throughout the meet.</p>
Qualifying Times	<p>8 & Under, 10 & Under, 11-12, and 13-14 swimmers may not swim in an event in their age group in which they have achieved an LSC Championship standard prior to entry deadline IN ANY COURSE (SCY, SCM, LCM). A swimmer that achieves an LSC Championship standard after the entry deadline may still swim that event at the Regional meet.</p> <p>Swimmers may not swim a Senior event if they have achieved the Senior LSC Championship standard prior to the entry deadline.</p> <p>All swimmers who have achieved LSC Championship standard may swim those events in the Senior category provided they have not achieved the Senior standard in that event.</p> <p>New for 2026</p> <p>An exception shall be allowed for swimmers with birthdates (day/month) that are between their Regional and LSC Championship Meet, which would cause them to move into higher age group qualifying standards. Such swimmers may enter events in which they have their current age LSC Championship time standard. However, such entries shall be made as "exhibition" (not eligible for points or 'win and in' status). Please contact the entry chair directly for any swimmers in this situation.</p>
Meet Format	<p>All events are timed final events with fly-over starts.</p> <p>Breaks may be inserted at the discretion of meet management. Depending on duration, the competition pool may or may not be open for warm-ups during these breaks. All added breaks will be posted to the session report and communicated to lead coaches.</p>
Seeding	All events will be pre-seeded and swam slow-to-fast. Events 400 yards or longer will be positive check-in. Meet management reserves the right to combine events as needed. Positive check-in events will be checked in at the computer table, with check-in ending 30 minutes prior to the start of the appropriate session.
Awards	<p>The following age groups will be used for scoring and awards: 8&U, 10&U, 11-12, 13-14. Open/Senior events are not awarded.</p> <p>1st through 16th place ribbons will be awarded for individual events.</p> <p>1st through 8th place ribbons will be awarded for relay events.</p> <p>Individual High Point Awards:</p> <p>1st - 3rd Place for each gender in each Age Group will be awarded (with the exception of Senior Events). Points awarded to 14&U athletes competing in any Senior event will not count toward Age Group High Point.</p>

	No award presentations will take place. All awards will be bagged and can be picked up at the conclusion of the meet. No awards will be mailed. Awards not picked up will be given to teams at a later date.
Scoring	Individual events will be scored using 16 place scoring. Relay events will score double. 20-17-16-15-14-13-12-11-9-7-6-5-4-3-2-1
Win And You're In	Any swimmer competing and winning an event of 200 yards or fewer in the 8 & Under, 10 & Under, or 11-12 age groups, regardless of whether they achieved a Wisconsin Swimming LSC Qualifying Standard, will be qualified to compete in that event during the 2026 Wisconsin Swimming LSC Short Course Championship. Swimmers will be seeded at the slowest SCY Time Standard in the LSC Championship meet.
Results	Results will be available on Meet Mobile (unofficial) and in the hallway (official). Following the conclusion of each day, results will be uploaded to the meet landing page.

2026 Regional Championship Time Trials Information

McFarland High School
5101 Farwell Street McFarland WI 53558
February 21-22, 2026
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Held under the sanction of USA Swimming. In granting this sanction, it is understood and agreed that USA Swimming and Wisconsin 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 this event.

Schedule	At the conclusion of the afternoon session on Saturday, February 21 and Sunday, February 22, 2026. The pool will be open for a 10 minute warm-up period following the conclusion of the afternoon session.
Entry Deadline	Entries will be accepted through the end of the first hour of the PM session on both Saturday & Sunday.
Eligibility	Time trials are reserved for athletes assigned to the McFarland Regional Championship (unattached athletes not attached to a specific team but registered as a Wisconsin LSC athlete may compete). Only athletes already entered in the meet are eligible to participate in the Time Trial portion of this meet, with the exception of high school boys. All High School boys must be registered with USA/WI Swimming prior to the Feb 15 th , 2026 and show proof of registration. Athletes 18 years and older must show proof of completion of APT prior to competition.
Events	All NAG-eligible events plus 8&U 25s will be offered. Events and or Genders may be combined at the discretion of the head official and the meet directors. Events will start at the shortest distance (25y) and progressing up to the longest (1650y). The 1000FR and 1650FR will run as a combined final event, if needed.
Entry Limit	Swimmers may swim up to six (6) individual events per day. PLEASE NOTE: Time Trials are under a separate sanction and therefore do not fall under the eight (8) events per meet. However, swimmers are NOT allowed to swim more than six (6) individual events per day which include a combined total of Competition Session events and Time Trial events.
Fee	\$10 per individual event, \$20 per relay event, plus any additional meet surcharges listed in the primary meet information.
Registration Procedure	Swimmer(s) will sign up for an event through the Google Form linked on the meet page and around the facility. A meeting for time trials participants will be held prior to the start of time trials. It is the swimmer's responsibility to be ready to swim when his/her event is called. The referee will not hold the start of the event to wait for a swimmer to show. An announcement will be made that time trials are beginning and swimmers should report to the meeting immediately. Swimmers, who sign up for a time trial event and make the LSC Championship standard after the registration deadline, will be refunded upon request.
Host club provides	Officials, Meet Management, and stopwatches
Athlete provides	(2) Timers, and counters, where applicable.

2026 Regional Championship Meet Waiver

In granting this sanction it is understood and agreed that USA Swimming and Wisconsin Swimming, Inc. shall be free from any liabilities or claims for damages arising by reason of injuries to anyone during the conduct of the event.

In consideration of the acceptance of this entry, I/we hereby for myself/ourselves, my/our heirs, administrators and assigns, waive and release any and all claims against USA Swimming, Wisconsin Swimming Inc., McFarland Spartan Sharks, Sun Prairie Swim, Inc, McFarland School District, and meet officials for injuries and/or expenses incurred by me/us at this meet or while on the road to and from this meet. I/we are bona fide amateur athletes and eligible to compete in all the events I/we have entered.

Signature of Club Official, parent or guardian:

Position:

Phone #:

Team Name and Abbreviation:

Team Coach:

Phone #:

Total # of individual events

X \$ =
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X \$ =

Total # of Relays

Total # of swimmers LSC Splash Fee

Total # of swimmers Athlete Fee

TOTAL BALANCE DUE:

Make checks payable to:

Email entries to:

BRING WAIVER AND PAYMENT TO THE MEET and SUBMIT AT CHECK IN