

2024 IE SWAT WINTER INVITE

December 6-8, 2024

We will NOT be allowing swimmers/spectators into the venue before the stated “Venue Opens” time. All belongings must be removed from the venue at the end of each session.

Friday, December 6 Timed Finals – Venue Opens at 5:15 p.m.

Positive Check-In: *required for the following events: 500 Freestyle, 400 IM*

- Coaches Meeting: 5:15 p.m.
- Warm-ups: 5:30 p.m.
- Officials Meeting: 5:45 p.m.
- **Events Begin: 6:15 p.m.**

Saturday, December 7 – Venue Opens at 8:30 a.m.

- Coaches Meeting: 8:30 a.m.
- **11 & Over Prelims Warm-ups: 8:45 a.m.**
 - Officials Meeting: 9:00 a.m.
 - Prelims Begin: 9:30 a.m.
- **10 & Under Midday Session – Venue Opens 15 minutes after the conclusion of the prelims session**
 - *To comply with fire code regulations, 10&U participants and families will not be allowed to enter the venue until 15 minutes after the conclusion of the prelims session.*
 - **Warm-ups: 20 minutes after the conclusion of the prelims session**
 - Officials Meeting: 35 minutes before the start of the midday session
 - Midday Session Begins: 1 hour after the end of the prelims session
- **11 & Over Finals**
 - **Warm-ups: immediately after the end of the midday session**
 - Officials Meeting: 35 minutes before the start of the finals session
 - Finals Begin: 1 hour after the end of the midday session

Saturday & Sunday Finals information:

- Finals will be the top 6 qualifiers in each event.
- Finals will be broken down into 11-12, 13-14, and 15-19 age groups.
- All 200s of stroke will be swum in finals as 11-14 and 15-19.

- **SCRATCH PROCEDURES:** The IES scratch procedures and no-show rules will be used at this meet. These rules are described in the current IES Policies & Procedures Section 5.7.12
 - Preliminary heats of individual events and all timed final events are pre-seeded. Scratching from these heats and events is not required. Athletes/teams not reporting for or competing in these heats and events will not be penalized.
 - Athletes will have 30 minutes after the announcement of finals event qualifiers to declare their intention to scratch from finals events and must declare their final intention to scratch or swim within 30 minutes of their last individual preliminary event of that session. Head coaches or their designee will report to the Admin Office to declare their athlete's intention to scratch finals events.
 - **Any qualifying swimmer who does not declare an intention to scratch a finals event and fails to compete in that finals event will be barred from competition for the remainder of the meet.**

Sunday, December 8 – Venue Opens at 7:30 a.m.

- Coaches Meeting: 7:30 a.m.
- **11 & Over Prelims Warm-ups: 7:45 a.m.**
 - Officials Meeting: 8:00 a.m.
 - Prelims Begin: 8:30 a.m.
- **10 & Under Midday Session – Venue Opens 15 minutes after the end of the prelims session**
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 - **Warm-ups: 20 minutes after the end of the prelims session**
 - Officials Meeting: 35 minutes before the start of the midday session
 - Midday Session Begins: 1 hour after the end of the prelims session
- **11 & Over Finals**
 - **Warm-ups: immediately following the end of the midday session**
 - Officials Meeting: 35 minutes before the start of the finals session
 - Finals Begin: 1 hour after the end of the midday session