



# 2024 TIGER INVITATIONAL



Name of Meet:

Date of Meet:

**January 12-14, 2024**

Meet sanction

Held under the sanction of USA Swimming issued by SC Swimming:  
Sanction Numbers SC2475SCY / SC2476TT

Host Club:

**CLEMSON AQUATIC TEAM**

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<b>Meet Referee:</b>	Chad Hawkins	Chad.Hawkins@prosperitysc.com	803-940-0572
<b>Admin Official:</b>	Jeff Siggins	meetdirector@clemsonaquaticteam.org	864-593-7144
<b>Meet Entries To:</b>	Mary Beth Kurz-Edsall	meetdirector@clemsonaquaticteam.org	864-506-5576
<b>Safety Marshal:</b>	Lauren Russell	lmeeks23@yahoo.com	865-250-7632
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**Facility:**

McHugh Natatorium at Fike Recreation Center on the Clemson University Campus  
251 Williamson Dr, Clemson, SC 29634

The eight (8) lane pool is bottom striped; wall targeted and has non-turbulent lane lines. The adjacent diving well provides six (6) lanes for continual warm-up / warm-down. The water depth of the competition course is 8 feet measured from one (1) meter to five (5) meters at the starting end of the course and 4.5 feet measured from one (1) meter to five (5) meters at the turn end of the course). The competition course has not been certified in accordance with 104.2.2C(4).

- On-campus parking will be available and the cost is included in the facility fee. Pay close attention to the parking information available at the meet and / or posted on <http://www.clemsonaquaticteam.org>. Failure to comply with parking regulations will lead to ticketing by Clemson University Parking Services.

Please bring swimmers to sundeck for entry, following the swim meet signs and directions of meet personnel.

Medical supervision will be provided by the lifeguard staff. There is an AED onsite.

**Rules:**

Meet to be conducted in accordance with the current USA Swimming and SC Swimming Rules and Regulations and information herein.

Use of audio or visual recording devices, including a cell phone, is not permitted in changing areas, restrooms, or locker rooms.

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.

Deck changing is prohibited by USA Swimming and South Carolina Swimming. A first offense will result in the disqualification of the offending swimmer from the next scheduled event. The second offense for the same swimmer will result in the disqualification from the remainder of the meet.

**SWIMWEAR:** No technical suit may be worn by any 12&U USA Swimming athlete member in competition at any Sanctioned, Approved, or Observed meet (USA Swimming Rule 102.8.1.F)

**MAAPP 2.0:** 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.

Athletes will use the restrooms in the locker rooms. Meet Personnel will use the restroom in the former Diving Locker room. Other guests will be directed to the Port-a-Potties. If there are any questions, ask a Marshal.

**Athlete Eligibility:** All swimmers and teams must be currently registered members of USA Swimming. Age will be based on the swimmer's age on the first day of the meet. 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. 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.

**Image Release:** By attending or participating in this competition, you agree to be filmed and photographed by the host club approved photographer(s) and videographer(s) 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 SCLSC 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 start of the meet

**Entry Fees:** \$30 per swimmer Facility Fee (includes parking and heat sheet via internet and Meet Mobile)  
\$2 per swimmer SCLSC Travel Fund/Program Fee  
\$2 per swimmer SCLSC Sports Development Fee  
\$2 per out-of-LSC/SCLSC swimmer Travel Fund/Program Fee  
\$3.50 per individual event; \$7 per individual event for deck entries.  
\$8 per relay event; \$16 per relay event for deck entries.  
\$8 per time trial

Each session will be limited to four hours maximum, excluding distance 400 yards and longer.

Heat sheets will be available for access through Meet Mobile, by email to coaches and on [clemsonaquaticteam.org](http://clemsonaquaticteam.org). Printed heat sheets will be provided for coaches and officials before each session at the meet.

Each swimmer may enter three events plus two relays per day, including time trials.

Teams not making the entry limit will be notified as soon as possible.

**Meet Format:**

- Meet management reserves the right to combine events with less than 8 entries.
- Meet management reserves the right to adjust warm-up times based on number of entries received.
- Meet management reserves the right to split sessions based on number of entries received.
- Meet Management reserves the right to limit the number of heats of 500 Free, 1650 Free and 400 IM. Teams will be notified when the timeline is sent if any swimmers did not make the cut-off for an event and fees assessed will be amended accordingly.
- Teams will be notified of the timeline by Monday January 8, 2024.
- Distance events are all events 400 yards and above and will be positive check-in. Any swimmer who is positively checked-in for an event and does not swim will be disqualified from his/her next individual event.
- Positive check-in for deck seeded events will close 30 minutes prior to the scheduled start of that session. Late entries after that time will be taken only at discretion of meet director or meet referee. All events 400 yards and longer will be swum fast to slow alternating girls and boys.

Time trials will be conducted after each session at the discretion of the meet referee.

- Time trial fees must be paid upon entry at clerk-of-course
- Each swimmer swimming in a time trial will be required to provide their own timer.

**Time of Meet:** Fri. Evening: Warm-ups @ 5 pm, Meet no earlier than 6 pm  
Sat. and Sun Morning: Warm-ups @ 7:30 am, Meet no earlier than 9 am  
Sat and Sun Afternoon: Warm-ups no earlier than 1 pm Meet no earlier than 2 pm

**Entries:**

- Only electronic entries using Standard Data Interchange format (SDIF/SD3) will be accepted. Seed times must be listed to 1/100th second using short course yards times or with a no time entry.

- **The entry deadline is 11:59 pm on January 2, 2024.** Electronic files must be submitted by this deadline to [meetdirector@clemsonaquaticteam.org](mailto:meetdirector@clemsonaquaticteam.org). In order for your entries to be considered complete, the final Summary Sheet (attached) must be signed and e-mailed to the same address, no later than 11:59 pm on **January 2, 2024**.
  - Your payment in full (a single check payable to Clemson Aquatic Team) should be submitted to the Clerk of Course prior to the start of the first session.
  - If mail for the Summary Sheet and check is preferred, it must be received prior to the start of the meet and mailed to: Mary Beth Kurz-Edsall, 103 E. Brookwood Dr, Clemson SC 29631.
  - Entries are first come, first serve and will only be accepted until we have reached the session lengths described above (excluding distance 400 yards and longer).
- SC Swimming does not accept deck registrations, all swimmers entered must be registered at time of entry deadline.

**Awards:** Ribbons will be given to places 1-8 for 10&U, 11-12 age groups only.

**Scoring Details:** Not scored.

**Timing:** A fully automatic Colorado Timing System operated by Clemson Aquatic Team with manual backup and an 8-lane scoreboard will be used. **Volunteer lane timers from participating teams are encouraged and appreciated.**

- Swimmers must provide their own personnel to time for the 1650 Free. These personnel will check-in at the Entry Door with the Safety Marshal.
- Swimmers must provide their own personnel to lap count for events 500 and longer – if they choose to have one. These personnel will check-in at the Entry Door with the Safety Marshal.

**Coaches Eligibility:** Coaches must check in at Clerk of Course and be able to show proof of current registration and certifications.

**Other Information:** **Officials:** Certified officials willing to work are most welcome. Officials interested in working the session should email the Meet Referee.

Timers from participating teams are encouraged and appreciated.

There will be limited concessions provided on Friday night. Concessions will be available on Saturday and Sunday. Hospitality will be available for coaches and officials each day.

Hotel contact information can be found on the CAT website: <http://www.clemsonaquaticteam.org> and click on CAT Hosted Meets tab, then on the Hotels link for details.

Alternate contact information: Lindsey Little, [coachlindsey@clemsonaquaticteam.org](mailto:coachlindsey@clemsonaquaticteam.org), 217-521-2472

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### Order of Events

#### Session 1: Friday Evening

Warm-ups @ 5:00 pm

Girls Event #	Competition no earlier than 6:00 pm	Boys Event #
1	Open 500 Free (P) (provide counter)	2
3	12&U 200 IM	4
5	Open 1650 Free (P) (provide timers and counter)	6

#### Session 2: Saturday Morning

Warm-ups @ 7:30 am

Girls Event #	Competition no earlier than 9:00am	Boys Event #
7	12&U 200 Fly	8
	<b>5 Minute Break</b>	
9	10&U 100 IM	10
11	11-12 100 IM	12
13	10&U 50 Free	14
15	11-12 50 Free	16
17	10&U 100 Breast	18
19	11-12 100 Breast	20
21	10&U 100 Back	22
23	11-12 100 Back	24
25	10&U 50 Fly	26
27	11-12 50 Fly	28
29	12&U 200 Free	30
	<b>5 Minute Break</b>	
31	10&U 200 Medley Relay	32
33	11-12 200 Medley Relay	34

#### Session 3: Saturday Afternoon

Warm-ups no earlier than 1 pm

Girls Event #	Competition no earlier than 2 pm	Boys Event #
35	13-14 200 Free Relay	36
37	Open 200 Free Relay	38
39	13-14 200 Free	40
41	15&O 200 Free	42
43	13-14 200 Breast	44
45	15&O 200 Breast	46
47	13-14 100 Back	48
49	15&O 100 Back	50
51	13-14 100 Fly	52
53	15&O 100 Fly	54
55	13-14 100 Free	56
57	15&O 100 Free	58
59	13-14 400 IM (P)	60
61	15&O 400 IM (P)	62
	<b>5 Minute Break</b>	
63	13-14 400 Medley Relay (P)	64
65	Open 400 Medley Relay (P)	66

**Order of Events**  
**Session 4: Sunday Morning Session**  
**Warm-ups @ 7:30 am**

<b>Girls Event #</b>	<b>Competition no earlier than 9:00am</b>	<b>Boys Event #</b>
67	10&U 100 Free	68
69	11-12 100 Free	70
71	10&U 50 Breast	72
73	11-12 50 Breast	74
75	12&U 200 Breast	76
77	10&U 50 Back	78
79	11-12 50 Back	80
81	12&U 200 Back	82
83	10&U 100 Fly	84
85	11-12 100 Fly	86
<b>5 Minute Break</b>		
87	10&U 200 Free Relay	88
89	11-12 200 Free Relay	90

**Session 5: Sunday Afternoon Session**  
**Warm-ups no earlier than 1 pm**

<b>Girls Event #</b>	<b>Competition no earlier than 2 pm</b>	<b>Boys Event #</b>
91	13-14 200 Medley Relay	92
93	Open 200 Medley Relay	94
95	13-14 200 IM	96
97	15&O 200 IM	98
99	13-14 50 Free	100
101	15&O 50 Free	102
103	13-14 100 Breast	104
105	15&O 100 Breast	106
107	13-14 100 IM	108
109	15&O 100 IM	110
111	13-14 200 Back	112
113	15&O 200 Back	114
115	13-14 200 Fly	116
117	15&O 200 Fly	118
<b>5 Minute Break</b>		
119	13-14 400 Free Relay (P)	120
121	Open 400 Free Relay (P)	122

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Total Number of Swimmers _____	x \$2.00 SCLSC Travel Fund/Program Fee	= \$ _____
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Total Number of out-of-LSC _____	x \$2.00 SCLSC Travel Fund/Program Fee	= \$ _____
Total Number of Swimmers _____	x \$30.00 Facility Fee and Heat Sheet	= \$ _____
Total # Individual Events _____	x \$3.50 Individual Event Fee	= \$ _____
Total # Relay Events _____	x \$8 Relay Event Fee	= \$ _____
Total Fees:		= \$ _____

Team: \_\_\_\_\_ Team Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Number of coaches at meet: \_\_\_\_\_

Head Coach: \_\_\_\_\_

Send e-mail results to: \_\_\_\_\_

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.

It is further understood SC LSC, Clemson Aquatic Team, Clemson University and all agents, employees, meet sponsors, volunteers and coaches of these organizations 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.

E-mail a signed copy of this form to [meetdirector@clemsonaquaticteam.org](mailto:meetdirector@clemsonaquaticteam.org) .

Bring a check for the above amount to the Clerk of Course prior to the first session.

If mail is preferred, it must be received prior to the start of the meet and should be mailed to: Mary Beth Kurz-Edsall, 103 E. Brookwood Dr., Clemson SC 29631

Signature of Team Representative \_\_\_\_\_