

Etown Spooktacular 2023 Closed Invite Meet

September 30, 2023

Sanction: Sanction of USA Swimming, Inc. Issued by Kentucky Swimming, Inc. Sanction #KYSC24-ET01

Location: T.K. Stone Middle School , , Poplar Drive @ Beach Street, Elizabethtown, KY 42701

Officials: Job Sign up for Officials will be posted on the meet site.

Meet Referee: Paul Godfrey (270-234-6683), godfrey5@windstream.net

Meet Director: Tina Godfrey

Meet Entry: Robyn Brandenburg etdolphinsentries@gmail.com (270)307-7304

Mail Entries: E'Town KY Dolphins, Attn: Entry Chair, PO Box 2542, Elizabethtown, KY 42702

LOCATION: T.K. Stone Middle School indoor pool, Poplar Drive @ Beach Street, Elizabethtown, KY 42701. Take Exit 94 off I-65 • proceed West on US 62 (Mulberry St.) • turn right on Beech Street • Follow Beech until it dead ends onto Poplar Dr at the back of the school • You are now in the parking lot for the pool. For navigation apps put in "Crutcher Ln 42701".

FACILITIES: 8 lane, 25 yards indoor pool with non - turbulent dividers; Colorado Timing/Start system; 8 line digital scoreboard;
SR Smith starting blocks. The depth of the pool at the start end is 6 feet. The depth at the shallow end is 4 feet. **The competition course has been certified in accordance with 104.2.2C(4).**

ADMISSION: FREE

HEAT SHEETS: We will be utilizing Meet Mobile.

There will not be concessions available at this meet.

Rules: The meet will be conducted as a Timed Final Meet in accordance with the current USA Swimming codes, except where rules therein are optional and exceptions are herein stated. FINA starting procedures will be used. The FINA system, approved by USA Swimming, uses a series of whistles followed by a one-whistle announcement for the swimmers. The No Recall Start Rule will be enforced during this meet. The use of "Fly-Over starts" will be at the discretion of the Meet Referee. 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.

Deck changes are prohibited.

The use of audio or visual recording devices, including cell phones, is not permitted in changing areas, rest rooms or locker rooms.

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.

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.

Life guard and AED device are provided

Safety: Warm-ups; Entry will be from the start end of the pool. All entries during warm-ups are feet first only, no diving from the blocks. Coaches must maintain contact with their swimmers during warm-ups.

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. Exceptions may be granted with prior written approval by the Program & Events Committee Coordinator (or his/her designee).

Format: This meet will be **Elizabethtown Swim Team and Invited teams only. Events will be seeded as Mixed and scored by gender and age groups of 8 & under, 9-10, 11-12, 13-14, and 15 & Over. Swimmer’s age on September 30, 2023 will determine their age for the meet. Enter meet in short course yards times. The competition course will consist of eight (8) 25 yard lanes. Heats will be swum slowest to fastest. We reserve the right to change to 6 lanes with one lane as continuous warm up/cool down lane.**

SWIMMERS WITH A DISABILITY: Entries for swimmers with a disability should be handled in the following Manner:

- 1) enter the swimmer in the Hy-Tek database;
- 2) complete and submit with entries the Swimmers with a Disability Coach and Meet Referee Communication
- 3) provide any information about special accommodations needed by the swimmer.

The final determination of seeding will be made by the Meet Referee after consultation with the swimmer and his/her coach.

Eligibility: This meet is only open to **Elizabethtown Swim Team Members and Invited Teams.** Swimmers must be USA registered athletes. Age of Swimmer on October 28, 2023 will determine their age group for this meet. The 2023/24 Official USS rules will govern all competition. Coaches must show their USA Swimming credentials in order to receive their coaches’ packet. All coaches are required to have their USA Coaches Credentials exhibited on their person at all times with no exceptions to the USA requirement that requires certified coaches on deck.

Seeding: All events will be pre-seeded. All events will be Mixed and scored by gender and age groups of 8 & under, 9-10, 11-12, 13-14, and 15 & Over. **Swimmer’s age on September 30, 2023** will determine their age for the meet. Enter meet in short course yards times.

Entries: ALL TIMES MUST BE IN SHORT COURSE YARDS. Entries must be submitted electronically (Hy-Tek or SDIF). Handwritten, telephone or fax entries will not be accepted. If the USSID for any swimmer is omitted, that swimmer's entries will not be accepted. All swimmers' registration will be checked against Kentucky Swimming database of registered athletes. **Entries are due by September 25, 2023.**

LATE ENTRIES: Late/deck entries will be accepted at the discretion of the meet director.

Entry Limits: Swimmers may enter a maximum of five (5) individual events and one relays per day.

Entry Fees: 5.00 each individual entry and 10.00 each relay entry.

Surcharges: \$3.50 per swimmer Kentucky Swimming Surcharge and 20.00 per swimmer Facility Fee.

CLERK OF COURSE: There will not be a Clerk of Course

EVENTS:

This meet will be run in one session, with warm-up at 9:00AM, Meet start at 10AM. *If entry warrants we will split events by gender.

MIXED	EVENT
1	Mixed 11 & UP 100 IM
2	Mixed 10 & Under 100 IM
3	Mixed 25 Butterfly
4	Mixed 50 Butterfly
5	Mixed 25 Backstroke
6	Mixed 50 Backstroke
7	Mixed 25 Breaststroke
8	Mixed 50 Breaststroke
9	Mixed 25 Freestyle
10	Mixed 50 Freestyle
11	Mixed 11-99 200 Medley Relay
12	Mixed 10 & Under 100 Freestyle Relay

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(This form **MUST** accompany your meet entry)

TEAM NAME _____ LSC CODE _____

HEAD COACH _____ # of coaches attending _____

ADDRESS _____ PHONE (H) _____

_____ (W) _____

_____ E-Mail _____

Person to contact for questions on entry _____

PHONE (H) _____ (W) _____ E-mail _____

CERTIFIED OFFICIALS INTERESTED IN WORKING THE MEET (please note sessions)

1. _____ 2. _____ 3. _____

USA SWIMMING MEMBERS INTERESTED IN APPRENTICING AS AN OFFICIAL

1. _____ 2. _____ 3. _____

RELEASE: In consideration of the acceptance of this entry, we hereby waive and release any and all claims against any individual or organization associated with the E'Town Ky Dolphins "2023 Etown Spooktacular Closed Invite" Swim Meet, including USA Swimming, Kentucky Swimming, Inc., E'Town Ky Dolphins, Elizabethtown Swim & Fitness Center and their officers, agents, and representatives for any and all injuries which may be sustained at this meet or while in transit to and from this meet or any loss or damage incurred at this meet. Further, I affirm that all athletes entered in this meet by my team and all coaches from my team attending this meet by my team are current / valid members of USA Swimming and are in compliance.

Signature of Club Official _____ Date _____

ENTRY RECAP

TOTAL HY-TEK INDIVIDUAL EVENTS ENTERED _____ x \$ 5.00 \$ _____

TOTAL HY-TEK RELAY EVENTS ENTERED _____ x \$ 10.00 \$ _____

TOTAL SWIMMERS ENTERED FOR FACILITY SURCHARGE _____ x \$ 20.00 \$ _____

TOTAL SWIMMERS ENTERED FOR LSC SURCHARGE _____ x \$ 3.50 \$ _____

TOTAL AMOUNT ENCLOSED \$ _____

Make checks payable to: E'Town KY Dolphins

**No entrant will permitted to compete unless the entrant is a member as provided in Article 302
HELD UNDER THE SANCTION OF USA SWIMMING**