

	<div>E'Town KY Dolphins</div> <div>2025 ETOWN DOLPHINS SPOOKTACULAR</div> <div>November 1, 2025</div> <div>Held under USA Swimming Sanction #: KYSC26-01</div>	
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 devices put Crutcher Ln, Elizabethtown, KY 42701. The pool and parking lot is along that street.	
Facility:	8 lane, 25 yards indoor pool with non - turbulent dividers Colorado Timing/Start system; 8-lane 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).	
Meet Director:	Kyle Fortune	Kylef00001@gmail.com
Meet Referee:	Becky Gilpatrick	Becky.jo.gil@gmail.com
Entry Chair:	Karen Baker	etowndolphinsmeetentries@gmail.com
Visiting Officials	Officials from other teams who would like to OFFICIATE or APPRENTICE are welcome and MUST make arrangements with Karen Baker Drkarenbaker38@gmail.com prior to the meet. All officials must show proof of current/valid USA Swimming Membership before they will be allowed to work on pool deck. Attire is WHITE top, KHAKI shorts, skirt or pants and WHITE shoes and socks.	
Medical Aide:	AED Device onsite	
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:	Timed finals age group meet open to all current/valid USA Swimming athletes and teams. Age groups of 8 & under (will be broken down to 6 & under and 7-8), 9-10, 11-12, 13 & Over (broken down to 13-14 and 15 & up).	
Regulations/Waivers		
USA Swimming Rules	<ul style="list-style-type: none">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.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.Deck changing is prohibited. Per USA Swimming Code of Conduct 304.3.7, persons violating this provision are subject to ejection from the facility.	



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- 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.

Regulations/Waivers

Safe Sport 360

- The USA Swimming Safe Sport program is USA Swimming's 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 720-531-0340 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 relay.
- All participants and competitors shall follow the US Center for SafeSport rules for bullying found on USA Swimming and Kentucky Swimming sites. A violation will be grounds for removal of member from the facility.

Waiver/Release

- By entering this meet, you are granting permission for the names of any or all your team's swimmers to be published in the form of Psych Sheets, Meet Results, or any other documents associated with the running of this meet.



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- 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 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.

Meet Entry & Operation Guidelines

Eligibility:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All contestants must be currently registered USA Swimming members. Registrations will not be accepted at 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. • Coaches must be current coach members of USA Swimming in Good Standing and must present credentials upon request. 			
Swimmers with a Disability	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • E'town Dolphins welcomes swimmers with a disability. • Entry Procedures: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Enter the USA-S swimmers with a disability electronically 2. With your entries, submit the SWAD Coaches and Meet Referee Communication Form (form is on page 7 of this document). • 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. • The final determination of seeding will be made by the Meet Referee after consultation with the swimmer and his/her coach 			
Start Times	DATE	SESSION	WARM-UP START TIME	COMPETITION START TIME
	Saturday (Morning)	1	8:00 AM	9:00 AM
	Saturday (Afternoon)	2	1:00 PM	2:00 PM
Entry Limits	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Swimmers may swim a maximum of 4 individual events. • The meet referee reserves the right to limit entries accepted to observe the 4-hour rule. The Meet Director also reserves the right to split sessions into additional sessions as entries dictate. 			
Entry Procedures	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • EARLY ENTRIES ACCEPTED no earlier than October 17, 2025. Deadline for receipt of entries is Friday, October 25, 2025, at 6:00pm. • Late entries will be accepted at the discretion of the meet director. All entrant's USA Swimming member IDs must be listed and accompany the entry for the team. • Entries must be submitted in SCY using an electronic meet entry software (Hy-Tek/Team Unify, etc.). Send entries via email to: etowndolphinsmeetentries@gmail.com. • Swimmer's age on November 1st, 2025, will determine their age for the meet. <p>Enter meet in short course yards times.</p>			



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Entry Fees	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• \$5.25 per individual event.• \$17.50 Facility Fee per swimmer. Includes KY LSC surcharge \$2.50 per swimmer.• No refunds or scratches.• Checks should be made payable to: E'town Dolphins <p>Mail Entries: E'Town KY Dolphins, Attn: Entry Chair, PO Box 2542, Elizabethtown, KY 42702</p> <p>Meet fees, a hard copy of entries and the signed release form for emailed entries must be received no later than four days after receipt of your email.</p> <p>Entry fees must accompany all mailed entries. If you are using an overnight delivery service, please <u>DO NOT</u> require a signature.</p>
Warm-up and Safety Guidelines	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Warm-up will start at 8:00AM. If the number of entries warrant, there will be two (2) 30-minute warm-ups scheduled and will start at 6:50 (teams lanes/times will be sent on Wednesday, October 29rd).• All USA Swimming and Kentucky Swimming warm-up guidelines will be followed. Each team will be assigned a warm-up lane(s). Some lanes might have more than one team assigned.• The coaches will control their own lanes for warm-up. Meet starts at 9:00am.• Warm-ups will be monitored jointly by the Meet Director and Meet Referee (or their special designee).• Except during supervised racing starts, swimmers must enter the pool feet first in a cautious manner from the start end of the pool. <p>No spectators allowed on deck.</p>
Coaches Meeting	There will be a coaches' meeting 15 minutes prior to the start of the meet. There will be an officials meeting 45 minutes prior to the start of each session.
Awards	Hot Heat winners awarded throughout the meet.
Admission/Heat Sheets	Gate admission if FREE. Heat Sheets will not be available at the meet and will be free on Meet Mobile.
Timers/Counters	FOR LONG DISTANCE EVENTS – LIST INSTRUCTIONS.
Hospitality	DESCRIPTION



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Warmup 8:00 am		Meet Starts 9:00 am
Girls	Event	Boys
1	9-12 50 Back	2
3	8 & U 25 Back	4
5	13 & Over 500 Free	6
7	9-12 100 Free	8
9	8 & U 50 Free	10
11	13 & Over 200 Back	12
13	9-12 50 Breast	14
15	8 & U 25 Breast	16
17	13 & Over 200 Fly	18
19	9-12 100 Fly	20
21	8 & U 50 Fly	22
23	13 & Over 400 IM	24
25	9-12 200 IM	26
27	8 & U 100 IM	28

Event Order: Saturday (Session 2)

Warmup 1:00 pm		Meet Starts 2:00 pm
Girls	Event	Boys
29	9-12 100 Breast	30
31	8 & U 50 Breast	32
33	13 & Over 200 IM	34
35	9-12 50 Fly	36
37	8 & U 25 Fly	38
39	13 & Over 200 Free	40
41	9-12 100 Back	42
43	8 & U 50 Back	44
45	13 & Over 200 Breast	46



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47	9-12 50 Free	48
49	8 & U 25 Free	50
51	11 & Over 1000 Free*	52

Summary of Fees/Release Form

Team Name			
Club Name			
Coach			
Coach Phone			
Coach Email			
Team Address			
Item	Total #	Cost per	Total
Individual Entries		\$5.25 per event	
Facility Fee & KYLSC Swimmer Surcharge		\$17.50 per swimmer	
Total Fees Due			

Make Checks Payable to: **E'Town KY Dolphins**

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

Meet fees, a hard copy of entries and the signed release form for emailed entries must be received no later than four days after receipt of your email.

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Waiver, Acknowledgement and Liability Release:

I / we hereby, for myself / ourselves, my / our heirs, administrators, assignees, and swimmers waive and release from any and all liabilities and claims against USA Swimming, Inc., Kentucky Swimming, Inc., the T.K. Stone Middle School and staff, and E'town Dolphins for injuries and / or expenses incurred by me / us at the meet and / or while traveling to and from the meet.



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I verify that every swimmer entered into the meet is a current registered Athlete Member of USA Swimming and that every coach representing our team at the meet will be a current Coach Member of USA Swimming in good standing.

Signature (Coach or Club Representative)

Club Title (Coach etc.)

No entrant will be permitted to
compete unless the entrant is a

Name of Club

Date

member as provided in Article 302.

SWIMMERS WITH A DISABILITY COACH AND MEET REFEREE COMMUNICATION

TEAM _____ CLUB CODE _____

COACH'S NAME _____

COACH'S EMAIL _____

PHONE _____

Swimmer	Age Group	Event	Session	Necessary Accommodation

Examples of Necessary Accommodations (but not limited to)

- Towel on block to start.



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- Assistance at the block before the start • Takes longer to get to the block or exit pool.
- Wall lane placement
- Personal Assistant for mobility or communications
- Examples of Modifications per Art. 105 in accordance with 105.1.2.
- Sitting position on block 105.5.1.E(1).
- Starter's arm signals 105.3.1
- Personal Assistant for mobility, tapper (B/VI) or communication, etc. 105.1.3.C and elsewhere. • Legs due to immobility are unable to perform Breaststroke Kick 105.5.2.

Please state all requested accommodation. While you are familiar with your athlete, we are not. Things that are obvious to you are not to officials who have never met your athlete.