2024 YSSC Short Course Senior State Meet MEET UPDATE

Coaches,

First, we would like to personally thank all our visiting teams for participating. We wanted to take a moment to update you on this weekend's swim meet.

- Meet web site: https://www.gomotionapp.com/team/scsyssc/page/palmetto-pro-timing/2024-short-course-senior-lsc-championship
- All prelims events will be run in 8 lanes. Thursday evening, distances events, and finals events will be run in 10 lanes.
- Please notify your team families that **parking is only available in the front parking lots** (opposite side from the pool) of the YMCA. We will be having parking attendants help, please follow the signs and directions.
- Parking for officials and coaches will be at the vet office next door on Saturday and Sunday only!
- There is NO running allowed on deck at any time.
- **SPECTATORS** will be allowed in the pool area. Y-Spartaquatics will make every attempt to live stream the competition on social media (https://www.facebook.com/gocukes).
- Locker room and restroom use must comply with all USA Swimming Safesport guidelines.
- <u>Seating</u> is limited to the **pool deck and outdoor areas only**. The pool deck will **not** be open before 6:30 AM for seating. An Athlete Village will be set up in the gym for swimmers ONLY.
- Please ask your team to help keep your team areas clean throughout the meet, every day.
- Any destruction or damage to the gym or YMCA facility will result in that swimmer and his/her team being scratched from the rest of the meet weekend. NO ATHLETES ALLOWED IN THE SAUNA!
- Athletes must enter the athlete village through the tunnel on the pool deck. No parents are allowed in the tunnel or athlete village.
- According to USA Swimming and SafeSport, no photographs or video may be taken from behind the blocks, including from the
 outside windows.
- Please no parents, coaches or swimmers in the fitness center, on the other side of the gym, or back hallway.
- It is the goal of meet management to keep the duration of the session as short as possible yet retain adequate recovery time for every swimmer.
 - a) If the meet referee makes changes to any heats from what is printed in the heat sheet, the coach of any affected swimmers will be notified in advance.
 - b) All events 400 yards and greater will be positive check-in.
- Positive check-in for each session closes promptly **30 minutes prior** to the start of the session. If you intend to scratch (i.e., not check-in) a swimmer, **please also confirm scratches** on the check-in sheet.
- Events shorter than 200 yards do not require check-in, but notification of any scratches will be appreciated.
- An <u>athlete whole-meet scratch form</u> will be available at Clerk of Course. If at any point during the meet you know one of your swimmers will no longer be swimming, please note this on the whole meet scratch form.
- All swimmers **must supply their own counter** for the 500, 1000, and 1650.
- All Preliminary / Finals events except the 400 IM and the 500 Free will have three heats of 10 returning for finals. The "C" for finals shall be a dedicated 16 & under heat. Heats will be contested in finals in the following order "C", consolation "B", and championship "A" heat. The 400 IM and the 500 Free will only have a consolation "B" final followed by a championship "A" final.

- Any swimmer not planning to swim at night in finals must scratch so those swimmers who would like to swim again may do so. The penalty for failure to show in a final or consolation final is being barred from the remainder of the meet.
- The penalty for missing a deck seeded event will result in being barred from the swimmer's next individual event.
- Time trials will be conducted at the discretion of the meet referee.
 - a) You must let the clerk-of-course know your intent to swim a time trial no later than 30 minutes before the end of each session. This will provide time to set up the time trials and not have a long waiting period after each session. The end of each session will be announced well in advance.
 - b) Time trials will be grouped by distance...i.e...multiple strokes and mixed genders may end up swimming in one heat of the same distance.
 - c) Only coaches can sign-up swimmers for time trials. Swimmers must provide their own timer.
 - d) If you have questions, please see the clerk-of-course.
- There will be breakfast, dinner, and snacks available for coaches and officials in a room off the YMCA main lobby. Once the meets starts, snacks and waters will be available at the Clerk of Course area.
- A concessions stand will be available for swimmers and spectators. The pool deck door by concessions can be used for outside spectators to purchase concessions items.
- Augusta Swim Supply will be in the lobby on Thursday evening, Friday, and Saturday only for all your swim meet needs.

	Early Warmup	Late Warmup	Specific Warmups	Session Start	Session End	Duration
Thursday Distance	N/A	4:30 PM	N/A	5:30 PM	8:00 PM	2.5 hours
Friday Prelims	7:30 AM	8:05 AM	8:40 AM	9:00 AM	12:30 PM	3.5 hours
Friday Finals	N/A	4:30 PM	N/A	5:30 PM	7:30 PM	2 hours
Saturday Prelims	7:30 AM	8:05 AM	8:40 AM	9:00 AM	11:45 AM	2.75 hours
Saturday Finals	N/A	4:15 PM	N/A	5:30 PM	7:30 PM	2 hours
Sunday Prelims	7:30 AM	8:05 AM	8:40 AM	9:00 AM	12:30 PM	3.5 hours
Sunday Finals	N/A	4:30 PM	N/A	5:30 PM	7:30 PM	2 hours

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Thanks again! Mike Jann

Image Release Disclaimer:

By attending or participating in this competition, you acknowledge that you may be videoed to provide for broadcast of the meet via television, live streaming, webcast, or similar technology. You voluntarily agree to allow the use of your name and pictures for this purpose.

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 meet.