

TAPPS Dual

October 16, 2025

Meet Information

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Meet Director: Kevin Gallivan kgallivan@hotmail.com

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Entries Chair: Cory Bolleter neatentries@gmail.com

Meet: ● TAPPS Dual

Date: • Thursday, October 16th, 2025

Entry Deadline: ● Monday, October 13th, 2025 by Noon.

Age up Date: ● The age of the swimmer will be his/her age on Thursday, October 16th, 2025

Venue: ● Josh Davis Natatorium

• Blossom Athletic Center (also known as North East Stadium)

Jones-Maltsberger Road at Starcrest/Bitters

• San Antonio, TX 78216

• 210-356-6925

Schedule Overview: ● 12:30 PM Doors open (pay prior to going into pool)

• 12:45 PM Coaches meeting (Josh Davis classroom)

• 1:00 PM Warm-up starts

• 1:00 PM Officials meeting (Davis classroom)

• 1:30 PM Competition Pool - Sprint lanes (2-7) open with 1 and 8 as push/pace

• 1:40 AM All timers report to Davis weight room

• 1:50 AM Clear pool

• 1:55 AM National Anthem

• 2:00 AM Competition begins

Meet Format: ● Timed final swimming competition

• Swimmers will be seeded by time and gender without regard to Division

• All events will be swum slowest to fastest

• No exhibition swimmers are allowed either in individual or relay events.

- Entry Restrictions: Each swimmer is allowed to enter a maximum of four (4) events; no more than two (2) may be individual events. Each team may enter a maximum of four (4) swimmers per event and three (3) relay team per event.
 - Each participating school/team may enter a maximum of ten (10) athletes in the 50 and 100-Yard Freestyle events and a maximum of four (4) athletes in all other individual events.

- Entry Procedures: Entries in Hy-Tek Team Manager must be emailed to: neatentries@gmail.com
 - Athlete's grade should be numeric (09, 10, 11, 12)
 - 1) rename the Hy-Tek Zip file to clearly identify the entering team.
 - 2) Please attach a pdf copy of your entry report and entry fee report with the entry file. Both are found under "reports" in Team Manager.
 - Hy-Tek Entry file will be posted to the AAAA-NE.com website. Go there to download. These will not be emailed to individual teams.
 - Times must be included with all entries. Any event entered with a NT, "No Time", will be scratched from the
 - Entries are due by at 12:00 Noon on Friday, October 10th no exceptions

Relays: • Eight individuals may be designated as part of the relay

- It will not count as an event unless that individual competes on the relay team.
- Only the four swimmers declared on the front of the relay card (or relay sheet) are permitted to report to the blocks and compete.
- Once relay cards have been turned in to the Official Scorer, no changes will be permitted, and post-meet corrections will not be permitted.
- Relay cards for the 200-yard medley relay must be turned in to the Admin no later than thirty (30) minutes prior to the start of the meet.
- Relay cards for the 200-yard Free Relay must be turned in to the Admin no later than the start of the men's 500-vard freestyle.
- Relay cards for the 400-yard Free Relay must be turned in to the Admin no later than the start of the men's 100-yard backstroke

Entry Fees: • \$10.00 per athlete

- Entry fees capped at \$200 for teams over 20 swimmers.
- Checks payable to: NEISD Aquatics. Checks will be collected when your team checks in on the morning of the

Qualifying Times: ● None.

Awards: ● No awards.

Scoring:

Place	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Relay	10	5	3	0	0	0	0	0
Individual	8	6	5	4	3	2	1	0

Rules: • The 2025-202 National Federation of High School Swimming Rules, with the exceptions noted in the current TAPPS Constitution, By-Laws and Contest Rules, will govern this meet.

- All coaches are responsible for knowing the NFHS rules for the 2025-2026 swim season.
- Swim suits must completely cover the buttocks, as stated in the NFHS rules.
- Deck changing is prohibited
- Two-piece swim wear is prohibited at all times
- No writing or marking on body is allowed
- Parents and other spectators are not permitted on deck at any time for any reason even after the meet has ended. We encourage parents to take pictures from the spectator seating area or outside. Flash photography of any sort is expressly forbidden during competition.
- Times noted on the scoreboard and on MeetMobile are never official and must not ever be regarded as such.
- Coaches are not allowed to bring chairs on deck.
- All swimmers are required to wear their approved uniforms and warm-ups
- TAPPS does not allow ANY photography or videography on deck beginning with warmups through the end of the meet.
- Hats, body or face painting, costumes, and/or props will not be allowed.

Medical Supervision: ● During the meet lifeguards will be present to provide any necessary medical supervision and treatment for athlete participating in the meet.

Swimmer • There may be one or more photographers and/or videographers on deck at this meet. In the event such personnel at Photographs and present, parents or guardians of swimmers under the age of 18 who do not wish to have photos or videos of their athlete **Videos:** made are required to contact the Meet Director prior to the beginning of warm-ups.

> Photographers and videographers are strongly encouraged to stay out of the area immediately behind the starting block but if present are specifically prohibited from making shots during the start phase of any race.

Clear Bag Policy: ● See the NEISD Clear Bag Policy graphic below.

Cell Phone ● The presence and/or use of cell phones, and/or any other equipment capable of producing audio recordings, photograph or video images in locker rooms, rest rooms, changing areas, or anywhere behind the starting blocks is strictly prohibited all times.

- Violators are subject to disqualification from the meet, disbarment from the facility, and arrest.
- Officials: All officials must be properly registered for the Season and have passed the current NFHS exam.
 - Officials not currently registered are not covered by NFHS Insurance and will not be assigned.
 - The Meet Referee will make all deck assignments prior to the start of the meet.
 - All officials who desire to be assigned to deck positions MUST notify the Meet Referee of their intentions and availabilit
 NOT LATER than 6:00 PM, October 12th.
 - Please visit AquaCrews.com for assignments, or contact Rick Russell (rd.russ@yahoo.com)
 - Uniform will be white over khaki.

Timers: ● Please get in touch with Kevin Gallivan for Lane Timer Assignments

- Each team with 4 or more members are required to provide two backup lane timers at a minimum.
- Parking & Access: Spectators must enter the facility by the Davis Natatorium front doors.
 - Buses are required to park in the BAC Soccer Parking Lot behind the Davis Natatorium
 - Buses may move around the facility in order to reload their athletes from the North End of the Walker Pool

ORDER OF EVENTS

WOMEN'S EVENT #	DISTANCE (YARDS) AND STROKE	MEN'S EVENT #					
1	200 Medley Relay	2					
Five Minute Break							
3	200 Freestyle	4					
5	200 Individual Medley	6					
7	50 Freestyle	8					
15 Minute Break							
11	100 Butterfly	12					
13	100 Freestyle	14					
15	500 Freestyle	16					
Five Minute Break							
17	200 Free Relay	18					
19	100 Backstroke	20					
21	100 Breaststroke	22					
Five Minute Break							
23	400 Free Relay	24					

The Restrictions Below DO NOT apply to Athletes, Coaches, Administrators, Officials or Staff. Spectators may not bring outside food or drink items into the facility.



Prohibited Bags

PROHIBITED ITEMS INCLUDE, BUT ARE NOT LIMITED TO:

- All purses, bags or containers larger than a small clutch bag
- Backpacks
- Binocular case Binoculars may be worn around the neck
- Briefcases
- Camera bags
- Cinch bags
- Computer bags
- Coolers
- Fanny packs
- Luggage of any kind



Approved Bags



SMALL CLUTCH PURSE

Approximately the size of your hand, but absolutely no larger than 5.5" x 8.5" (see our small guide sheet) with or without a handle or strap. Can be carried separately or within an approved plastic bag shown above.



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- Exceptions will be made for: Bags for medically necessary items
 - News media equipment (for credentialed media)
 - Official team and other field photographers
 - Booster clubs selling items
 - Diaper bags

All bags are subject to inspection prior to entry regardless of sizé or type.

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