

Important Notes 2015

Entries are due on Wednesday, January 7, 2015 at 8 PM.

JV events- 100 IM, 50 Backstroke, 50 Breaststroke, and 50 Butterfly are Junior Varsity events. They are not scored. They are an opportunity for those who typically would not place in the longer events. This year qualifiers for finals will be checked. Any swimmer who qualified for last year's district meet and placed in the top 16 in an individual must be scratched from finals. Also a swimmer who qualifies for Classic finals in a varsity event will be ineligible to swim in a JV final.

Warm-ups for finals 5:30 PM and meet 6:30 PM

Reminders

Team Entry limits –

50 yard events	limit 24
100 Free and 100 IM	Limit 18
All other events	limit 6

1650

You may enter a 1650 time for those entered in the 1650.

Qualifying times are Girls 21:00.00 Boys 20:00.00

You can also enter a 500 free time as before.

Qualifying times are Girls 6:15.00 Boys 5:45.00

Please put an S after the 500 times in the 1650 entry to assure that those times will be seeded last. 500 times are seeded as slowest

400 IM

Put an S after 200 IM times entered in the 400 IM.

Maximum entry fee is \$360

There are no deck entries at the meet.

Admission Fees for a session of Prelims or Finals is \$6.

Finals – Only qualifiers will be allowed to enter finals free. All others will pay the \$6 admission charge. Qualifiers will enter through a formal check in process.

Entry fees are due the first day of the meet. If you do not have the check, you must have the invoice signed by the Athletic Director indicating that the check is in progress. Read Page 10 carefully.

Proof of time –

Proof of time is due Wednesday, January 9, 2015. Proof must be emailed to entry chair by that time or the swimmer may be scratched from the event.

Proof of time must be from meet results or SWIMS

Proof of time can be from a short course yard meet (High School, USA, YMCA) in the previous calendar year. (2014). Set your team manager to accept times from January 1, 2014.

Feel free to print times from SWIMS. That is a good way to prove times. You could even Pdf and email them to your site entry person.

SWIMS – Times from **Classic Finals** will be loaded into SWIMS if your swimmers USA-ID is loaded in the meet. Please work with club coaches to be sure that the ID is correct.

Diving --The diving packet will be posted separately- note these changes for diving

Each diving site will have 1 automatic qualifiers. (5 sites) 20 additional divers will be selected by total points. Coaches of qualifiers will be notified and the list will be posted on the web.

As time is limited, each coach will be asked to submit both the 6 dive sheet for prelims and the 11 dive sheet for finals when entering prelims. No 11 dive sheet submitted with prelim entry means no participation in finals. Dives can be changed at the site up to 30 minutes before the meet.

All diving entries will be done online. See Specific Diving Information

**THE THIRTY SECOND ANNUAL SOUTHWEST OHIO HIGH SCHOOL
SWIMMING AND DIVING CLASSIC
JANUARY 17, 18, 2015**

Dates Swimming Prelims – January 17 and 18 at Countryside YMCA, Dayton Raider Aquatic Center (DRAC), Miami University “A”, Miami University “B”, Milford, Mason High School, and Trotwood-Madison High School, and West Carrolton YMCA.

Times and Locations

Warm-up sessions will be set up at the pools with no session beginning before 6:30 AM

8:00 AM Preliminaries Begin

Swimming Finals – January 17 and 18 at Keating Natatorium

5:30 PM Warm-up

6:30 PM Finals

Diving Prelims – January 17 at Miami University “A”, Miami University “B”, Milford, Mason Community Center, and Trotwood-Madison High School

No diving warm-up will begin before 12:00 PM (noon)

Diving competition will begin 60 minutes after warm-ups begin

Diving finals – January 18, 2015 at University of Cincinnati

7:30 AM Warm-ups begin (Doors will open at 6:45 AM)

9:00 AM Finals begin

Entry Rules

Entry is limited to swimmers and divers competing for their high school.

1. An athlete may compete in four (4) events each day, no more than two (2) of which can be individual events.
2. Entry limits per team
 - a. 50 yard events – 24 entries per team
 - b. 100 yard free – 18 entries per team
 - c. 100 yard IM – 18 entries per team
 - d. All other events – 6 individuals per team
 - e. Diving is one event on Saturday even if they qualify for finals on Sunday
3. It is important that coaches understand entering both days of this meet will count as two of 16 allowable regular school season meets. Schools may enter more than one relay per event but only one relay can score team points. Only one relay team per event per school can swim at night.

NOTE: Disqualified relay swimmers in Prelims cannot compete on another relay in finals in the same event.

The fee structure is \$6.00 per athlete. Maximum fees per school is \$360.00

Entry Fees

The check for entry fees is mailed directly to
Bill Meredith
1080 Westchester Way
Cincinnati, Ohio 45244

Bring a check or a copy of the invoice *signed by the athletic director* to the meet. No check or invoice = no swim

Entry Fee Penalty

Entry Fees not received by February 1 will have a \$100 Penalty charged.

Videotape

Entering your school into the classic will be considered consent to videotape the meet for cablecast

**Entry
Deadline and
Procedures**

The entry chairperson of each pool must receive all entries by 8:00 PM Wednesday, January 7, 2015

All swimming entries and diving entries will be done electronically. The event file is posted on the website www.swimmeet.com. You will download the event file and enter your swimmers. E-mail the swimming entry to the chairperson for your pool. Please include the names of the divers along with your swimmers. See Diving for the online process.

Submit entries to

SWIMMING	SWIMMING	DIVING
Countryside YMCA Brad Isham 1699 Deerfield Lebanon, Ohio 45036 513-932-1424 brad.isham@ymcastaff.org Countryside divers will compete at Milford	Dayton Raiders Aquatic Center Anissa Kanzari 2624 Cross Country Road Beavercreek, OH 4431 937-307-6835 Kanzari.anissa@gmail.com DRAC divers will compete at Trotwood-Madison	All diving entries are online Questions?? Terri Shannon Miami University shannot1@miamioh.edu 513-529-8154
Mason High School Tom Lewis 6554 Harnesswood Court Mason, Ohio 45040 513-459-7744 masonswimmeets@yahoo.com	Miami "A" Claudia Multer 1075 Oakmont Avenue Hamilton, Ohio 45013 513-863-6298 claudiam@one.net	
Miami "B" Claudia Multer 1075 Oakmont Avenue Hamilton, Ohio 45013 513-863-6298 claudiam@one.net	Milford Kevin Metzger 6778 Chestnut Street Cincinnati, Ohio 45227 513-505-0744 Metzger_k@milfordschools.org	
Trotwood-Madison High School Patrick Cassidy 701 Hickory Lane Waynesville, Ohio 45068 513-897-3457 patrick.cassidy@mac.com	Washington Township Patrick Cassidy 701 Hickory Lane Waynesville, Ohio 45068 513-897-3457 patrick.cassidy@mac.com WTRC Divers will dive at Mason	
West Carrollton YMCA Anissa Kanzari 2624 Cross Country Road Beavercreek, OH 4431 937-307-6835 Kanzari.anissa@gmail.com West Carrollton Divers Trotwood		

If you have questions about submitting swimming entries, call Claudia Multer, 513-863-6298. After entries have been submitted, call the appropriate contact above if you have questions.

Rules Unless specified differently, the meet will be governed by the 2014-2015 National Federation of State High School Association - Swimming and Diving rulebook.

Coach/ All competitors must have a coach present at all sessions to compete.

Medical Forms By their participation in an OHSAA sanctioned event all competitors are assumed eligible under OHSAA rules.

All coaches are to be certified under current OHSAA guidelines.

Scoring Individual events:
20,17,16,15,14,13,12,11,9,7,6,5,4,3,2,1,

Relays: Double

Note: 50 Fly, 50 Breast, 50 Back, 100 IM will not be scored.

Pools

Countryside YMCA 1699 Deerfield Road Lebanon, Ohio – 8 lane pool	Dayton Raiders Aquatic Center 560 Grange Hall Rd Beavercreek, Ohio 45430 8 lane pool
Keating Natatorium - (finals) 8 lane pool 616 North Bend Rd Cincinnati, Ohio 45224 (St. Xavier HS campus)	Mason High School, 6100 Mason-Montgomery Road Mason, Ohio 45040 8 lane pool
Miami University Miami University Recreation Center Oxford, Ohio – 18 lane pool 2 9 lane courses	Milford High School 1 Eagles Way Milford, Ohio 45150 - 6 lane pool
Trotwood-Madison High School 4440 North Union Road Trotwood, Ohio 45426 8 lane pool	Washington Township Recreation Center 895 Miamisburg Centerville Road Dayton, Ohio 45459 8 Lane pool
West Carrollton YMCA 900 S Alex Road West Carrollton, Ohio 45449 6 lane pool	

Awards 1-3 Place finishers will receive medals. 4-16 place finishers will receive ribbons.
Trophies will be awarded to the first and second place girls and boys teams.

Admission Spectator admission will be
\$6 per preliminary session
\$6 per session for finals (Non qualifiers will be charged full price)
Heat sheets will be \$5 for both preliminary sessions.
Heat sheets are \$5 for finals sessions.

Check-in There will be a formal check in for all qualifiers at finals at Keating.

Order of Events
Saturday, January 17, 2014

Girls		Boys
101 @	One Meter Diving (Prelims)	102 @
103	400 yd. Medley Relay	104
105	200 yd. Freestyle	106
107 %	400 yd. Individual Medley	108 %
109	50 yd. Freestyle	110
111	100 yd. Butterfly	112
113	100 yd. Backstroke	114
115 % *	500 yd. Freestyle	116 % *
117 #	50 yd. Breaststroke JV	118 #
119	200 yd. Breaststroke	120
121	200 yd. Freestyle Relay	122

Sunday, January 18, 2014

Girls		Boys
101	One Meter Diving (Finals)	102
201	200 yd. Medley Relay	202
203 = *	1650 yd. Freestyle	204 = *
205	200 yd. Individual Medley	206
207 #	100 yd. Individual Medley JV	208 #
209	100 yd. Freestyle	210
211 #	50 yd. Butterfly JV	212 #
213	200 yd. Butterfly	214
215	100 yd. Breaststroke	216
217 #	50 yd. Backstroke JV	218 #
219	200 yd. Backstroke	220
221	400 yd. Freestyle Relay	222

@ Diving will be contested after the morning prelims

* (Prelims Only) Events 115, 116 will be swum after Event 122. Events 203 and 204 will be swum after Event 222.

The 400 IM will swim right after the 200 Free as numbered.

will be not be scored

% Time Finals - with fastest sixteen (16) swimmers competing at night.

= Time Finals - with fastest eight (8) swimmers competing at night.

The 500 and 1650 will be swum fastest to slowest alternating girls and boys heats.

**SWIMS – Times will be submitted to SWIMS from
finals only. The swimmers USAS ID MUST be included in
the entry file for automatic submission.**

Specific SWIMMING Information

Electronic Entries	Entries will be submitted electronically. You may use Hy-Tek team manager or Easy Team. The files can then be emailed to the respective meet entry chairperson.
Web Site	The meet information and the psych sheet will be posted on www.swimmeet.com .
Instructions for Hy-Tek Team Manager	<p>Go to web site www.swimmeet.com and download the event file for the Classic. Save the file on your hard drive. Import the event file. You now have a meet and you can do the entries right in Hy-Tek team manager. The team manager will use the times that you have entered during the season.</p> <p>The entry file can then be exported and emailed to the entry chairperson for your site. You should receive verification that entries were received from the entry chairperson within 24 hours. Please do not enter your divers in Hy-Tek unless they are also swimmers.</p>
Shaving	Coaches, please warn your swimmers that no team personnel/competitor shall perform any on-site shaving before, during or after the meet. Team personnel/competitors shall be disqualified from further participation for on-site shaving. Shaving on site is an ejection.
Miscellaneous Information	<p>The top sixteen (16) swimmers in the prelims will advance to the finals. The eight (8) fastest will swim in the championship heat and the next eight (8) fastest will swim in the consolation heat.</p> <p>Prelims will be at eight (8) locations. The results from each event at each location will be transmitted to a central site where the qualifiers for finals will be determined and then transmitted back for posting. They will also be posted on the web www.swimmeet.com as they become available.</p> <p>All qualifiers have thirty (30) minutes after the posting of each event's qualifier list to scratch finals without penalty.</p> <p>Penalty for a no show in finals without scratching – the swimmer/diver is disqualified from further competition that day.</p> <p>The 500 Free and the 400 IM will be timed finals with the fastest sixteen (16) swimming at finals</p> <p>The 1650 is a timed final event with the fastest eight (8) swimming at finals. The swimmers in the mile may enter a 1650 yard time or a 500 yard time. If using a 500 yard time please put an S after it as though it were short course meters</p> <p>Coaches, you must prove these times (400 IM or 200 IM for the 400 IM, 500 free, 1650 free or 500 free for the 1650 free) with meet results from high school, USA Swimming, or YMCA meets from the last calendar year. Failure to provide the proof of time shall result in the competitor being removed from that event. The 1650 will be swum fastest to slowest, alternating girls and boys. Times from 2014 High School Classic are okay.</p>

Cut-Off times 500 free Boys: 6:00.00 Girls: 7:00.00 Put an S after the time
***All entries for 1650 free Boys 20:00.00 Girls 21:00.00
these events must Or 500 free for 1650 Free Boys 5:45.00 Girls 6:15.00 Put an S after the time
show proof of 1650 free times will be seeded as the fastest times.
time at prelims or 400 IM Boys: 6:00.00 Girls: 7:00.00
the swimmer will 200 IM time for the 400 IM 2:20.00 Boys 2:30.00 Girls Put an S after the time
be scratched. ** 400 IM times will be seeded as the fast times allowing those with legitimate 400 IM times
to be seeded in the evening events.
Please put an S after the 200 IM time in the 400 IM and after the 500 free times in the 1650

EVERY TIME ENTERED IN EVENTS WITH A QUALIFYING TIME MUST BE PROVED BY WEDNESDAY,
JANUARY 14, 2014.

EMAIL PROOF TO YOUR ENTRY CHAIR.

IF PROOF IS NOT PROVIDED YOUR SWIMMER MAY BE SCRATCHED.

A printout from SWIMS is ok for proof of time.

Swimming There will be a warm-up procedure. Please follow it.

General Guidelines All alternates for the finals must report to the referee when their event is called.
A thirty (30) minute scratch rule will be in effect for finals. Swimmers failing to compete
in an event without scratching will be disqualified from further competition. Penalty for a
no show in finals without scratching – the swimmer/diver is disqualified from further
competition that day.

Distance Events Please adhere to the cut-off times for the 400 IM (or 200 IM for the 400 IM), 500 free and
1650 free (or 500 free for the 1650). EVERYONE MUST PROVE TIMES IN THESE LONGER
EVENTS.

Relays All relays will be prelims and finals.

Timers Timing assignments will be posted before the meet.

Bring your own watches.

Notify your meet manager if there are problems

ENTRY FEE INFORMATION

****All payments must have the name of the HIGH SCHOOL on the check or P.O. I do not know the districts of all the schools. ****

Due to the number of schools that are consistently late with their fees (70%) the following requirements will be imposed for your swimmers to be allowed to swim the first day of the meet. We realize that some school districts are slow to send out the money, so there are a number of ways to have the fees paid in time.

By January 13th, you must have sent a check or P.O. to my address-,
Bill Meredith
1080 Westchester Way
Cincinnati, Ohio 45244

OR

1. Present a copy of the invoice (signed by the A.D. or principal)
2. Present a copy of the P.O.
3. Write a check by the coach that I will hold (and return) after payment is received or it will be cashed on February 1st

We are sorry to impose these restrictions, but the same schools have to be tracked down year after year and it is too time consuming to continue doing this.

If you have questions, you can contact me at:

Bill Meredith
513-833-1198- cell phone
513-965-8439- home phone
will_meredith@msn.com

A copy of the invoice is attached.

2015 SOUTHWEST OHIO HIGH SCHOOL

SWIMMING AND DIVING CLASSIC INVOICE

High School: _____

Attention: Athletic Director: _____

Phone Number: _____

Fax Number: _____

Fees for the Southwest Ohio Swim Classic

January 17 and 18, 2015

Fee - \$6.00 per swimmer/diver
Maximum \$360 per school

NUMBER of swimmers x \$6: _____

NUMBER of divers x \$6: _____

Fee - \$_____.

Make checks payable to: SWOSOA (Southwest Ohio Swim Officials Assoc.)
Mail check to:
Bill Meredith
1080 Westchester Way
Cincinnati, Ohio 45244

Fees are due by the first day of the meet

Any entry fee check not received by February 6th will also be billed \$100 as late fee penalty.

Signature of Athletic Director _____
Signature of Athletic Director indicates that the check has been requested.