

Southwest Classic 2022 Diving Events Information

The following information pertains to the 2022 Southwest Classic Prelims and Finals Diving Events. **Please read this document in its entirety.** All information needed for coaches to enter their teams can be found in this document and/or posted on the following website:

www.swimmeet.com

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Diving Prelims and Finals Spectator Admission:

- The spectator admission fee for each session of Prelims or Finals is \$10. Cash only.
- Only qualifiers will be allowed to enter Finals free. All others will pay the \$10 spectator admission fee.

Diving Finals Live Stream and Live Results Information:

- **Live results** will be available on [CleanEntries](#).
 - Note: Sometimes having live results available can slow down the meet management computers. If that happens, the live results may need to be turned off for part of the event or the duration of the event.
- A **live stream** will be available via the [West Clermont Diving Facebook Page](#).

Diving Events:

- **Girls and Boys 1 Meter Varsity Prelims** - These divers must follow the traditional classic prelims format: must include 3 voluntary dives (must include a reverse, a twister, and a voluntary dive from another group) followed by 3 different optional dives from 3 different groups.
- **Girls and Boys 1 Meter JV Prelims** - These JV divers can do any 6 dives. They don't have to follow the varsity prelims format and will not be eligible for finals.
- **Girls and Boys 1 Meter Finals** - This is where you must submit an 11 dive list for any diver that would like to be eligible to dive in finals.

Diving Entries:

- The deadline for entries is **Friday 1/7/2022 at 12:00pm**.
- **The entry fee to participate in the 2022 Classic is \$7.00 per student-athlete.**
 - This covers both prelims and finals participation. Please communicate with your team's swimming coach to confirm your diver(s) have been added to the invoice. Payment process details are available in the Swimming Information Packet.
- All diving entries must be submitted via [CleanEntries](#).
 - As always, you must submit all prelims **and finals sheets** in advance of the deadline. You can enter a maximum of 6 girls and 6 boys per event per team.
 - You do not have to have any particular software or license to enter the meet.
- Please note that according to the meet rules, if a diver does not have an 11 dive sheet submitted and/or fails either the reverse or twisting voluntary during prelims, that diver is not eligible for finals.

- Note: If a diver will also be swimming at the SW Classic, the names in Hy Tek and CleanEntries must match exactly (i.e. Tom in both not Tom in one and Thomas in the other)
- If you have any questions or concerns regarding diving entries, you are welcome to contact Lisa Werwinski at werwinlm@miamioh.edu or 330-605-2810.

Diving Prelims Dive Changes:

- Any dive changes for prelims should be made via CleanEntries anytime before Friday 1/7/2022 at 12pm (the registration deadline). Otherwise, dive changes should be sent to Lisa Werwinski at werwinlm@miamioh.edu before Friday 1/14/2022 at 12pm.
- Dive changes can be made on deck up until 30 minutes prior to the scheduled start of the event.

Diving Prelims Site Assignments:

**Note: These site assignments are accurate for 2022. They are subject to change moving forward based on changes in numbers of divers and/or diving coaches.*

**Note: Should a diver also be swimming, accommodations will be made as needed.*

Mason	Miami	Milford	Trotwood
Anderson	Badin	CHCA	Alter
Country Day	Fairfield	Elder	Beavercreek
Loveland	Lakota East	Indian Hill	Bellbrook
Mason	Lakota West	Madeira	Centerville
Moeller	La Salle	Mariemont	Fairmont
Sycamore	MND	Mercy McAuley	Miamisburg
Turpin	Monroe	Milford	Oakwood
Wyoming	National Trail	Seton	Piqua
	Oak Hills	Summit Country	Springboro
	Roger Bacon	Walnut Hills	
	Ross	West Clermont	
	St Ursula		
	St Xavier		
	Talawanda		
	Taylor		
	Ursuline		

Diving Prelims Start Times:

**Note that these start times will be updated after the swimming timelines for each site are published. No start times will be earlier than what is currently listed below. However, they could be pushed later if swimming events run longer.*

	<u>Warm-Ups Start Time</u>	<u>Competition Start Time</u>
Mason	12:30pm	1:30pm
Miami	12:30pm	1:30pm
Milford	12:30pm	1:30pm
Trotwood	12:30pm	1:30pm

Diving Finals Eligibility and Qualifiers:

- Please note that according to the meet rules, if a diver does not have an 11 dive sheet submitted and/or fails either the reverse or twisting voluntary during prelims, that diver is not eligible for finals.
- Each diving site will have 1 automatic qualifier (for a total of 4 automatic qualifiers). 21 additional divers will be selected by total points. A total of 25 male and 25 female divers will qualify for finals.
 - **Lisa will send out the list of finals qualifiers (and 2 boys and 2 girls alternates) as soon as possible on Saturday 1/15.** It will also be posted on swimmeet.com.
 - It is recommended that you have your alternates show up on Sunday morning ready to dive. We can remember numerous years where the alternates actually got to dive. Alternates will be permitted to warm up.
 - In the event of a tie for the last diving finals qualifying position, both divers will be advanced to the diving finals. The number of alternates will then be reduced accordingly.

Diving Finals Dive Changes:

- If possible, please send them to Lisa Werwinski at werwinlm@miamioh.edu by Saturday 1/15 at 8:00pm at the latest.
 - Please touch base with your athletes after prelims if you think they might qualify for finals to solidify their dive list for the next day in advance! This will help make the competition run more smoothly for everyone involved.
- Dive changes can be made on deck up until 30 minutes prior to the scheduled start of the event.

Diving Finals Administrative Notes:

- Please enter the West Clermont Healthplex (4101 Bach Buxton Road, Batavia, OH 45103) through the Healthplex main entrance or the entrance right next to the main entrance that is marked swim meet entrance. Feel free to reference the [West Clermont HS Pool Entry Map](#).
- All 50 divers that have qualified for finals will be competing all 11 dives. There will be no cuts.
- Warm-up flights will be randomly assigned. Two groups will be created and teams that have the same coach will all be put in the same group. www.random.org will be used to determine which group will be assigned to Flight #1 and which group will be assigned to Flight #2. *Special requests for warm-up flights will not be honored.* Each team will receive their assigned warm-up flight via email on Saturday 1/15 along with the list of diving final qualifiers.
- Diving after a Signal

- During rounds 1-8, divers will be instructed to wait for the referee to give a green go sign on a clipboard before executing their dive.
- During rounds 9-11, divers will be instructed to wait for the referee to give a whistle before executing their dive.
- A minimum of 15 minute warm-ups for all competitors will be offered after rounds 5 and 8.
- Please let our staff handle any water or medical emergencies.
- As coaches, please ensure that your divers understand meet protocols, relax, be comfortable, not feel rushed, and do not hesitate to ask for a dive to be repeated if they are unsure.
- Hospitality will be provided for all coaches and officials.

Diving Finals Timeline:

- 7:30am: Doors Open
- 8:00am - 8:50am: Flight #1 Warm-Ups (Approximately 25 Divers)
- 8:50am - 9:40am: Flight #2 Warm-Ups (Approximately 25 Divers)
- 9:40am - 9:50am: Divers and Coaches Meeting
- 9:50am - 9:57am: Athlete & Official Introductions and National Anthem
- 10:00am: Meet Starts
- 10:00am - 11:10am: First 5 Rounds (50 Divers Split Board Format)
- 11:10am - 11:30am: Break #1 (Boards are open)
- 11:30am - 12:15pm: Middle 3 Rounds (50 Divers Split Board Format)
- 12:15pm - 12:45pm: Break #2 (Boards are open)
- 12:45pm - 2:10pm: Final 3 Rounds (50 Divers No Split Boards)
- 2:10pm - 2:30pm: Awards
- **Important Note #1: The Male and Female winners of the 2022 SW Classic Diving Finals need to report to Keating Natatorium on Sunday 1/16 at 6:30pm during swim finals that evening to receive a plaque and do an interview.**
- **Important Note #2: The coaches of the male and female winners will be asked to present awards to the male and female divers, respectively immediately after the conclusion of the competition.**

Split Board Format at Diving Finals:

- The split board format will be used for the first 8 dives only. A new randomized diver order will be created for rounds 9-11 after the conclusion of round 8. After round 8, divers in the event can use either of the two boards.
- Board assignments will be done randomly in a systematic way to ensure that the number of divers on each board for each warm-up flight is as close to even as possible and therefore cannot be changed in order to accommodate diver or coach preferences.
 - The Navy Board is the board closest to the windows, while the Gray board is the board closest to the stands.
- Feel free to check out the [Split Board Format Information](#) and [Split Board Format Educational Video](#) and share this information with your athletes in advance.

Inclement Weather Policy:

- Because the locations for the Classic Prelims are widely separated geographically, and each site has its own operating procedures, meet management cannot make a weather related decision that covers all locations. Our best option is to communicate as quickly as possible what the conditions are at each site.

Each participating school also has weather related policies that they institute outside of what each site decides.

- Based on the above, weather related decisions will first be up to each school. The decision for a site to open will be up to that site. That decision could include an adjustment of the start time.
- Should a site need to close, meet management will do its best to accommodate teams at another location.
- Our intention is to run The Classic and meet management will communicate any changes in a timely fashion so each school can make decisions as necessary.