OHIO CAPITAL CONFERENCE OHIO DIVISION SWIMMING CHAMPIONSHIP

THE NEW ALBANY HIGH SCHOOL JANUARY 25, 2025

Meet Director: David Wharton Work/home: 614-774-8544

Participating Teams: Gahanna, Grove City, New Albany, Pickerington North,

Westerville Central, Central Crossing.

Time Schedule: 7:00-8:40 am Warm up- Assigned or Open- based on #'s

8:40 am- 8:55 am One way sprints. 8:55 am POOL CLOSED. 9:00 am MEET Starts.

8:00 am COACHES MEETING

(15 minute break after the 50 Free event)

Entry Information: All entries must be submitted electronically **by 12:00 PM on**

Monday, January 20, 2025. Entries must be e-mailed to:

birnbrhm@gmail.com.

The entry process for the 2025 OCC Tournament requires electronic entries. The computer software of choice is the Hy-Tek Team Manager Program. An events file for TM will be provided to you for your entries format.

The Meet Event File is available for you to load to Team Manager and complete entries. Then export the file and email to Hayden Birnbrich at birnbrhm@gmail.com by noon on Monday January 20, 2025.

All competitors must be listed in the events the competitor will be swimming and diving.

Relay swimmers do not have to be entered, unless they are competing in relays only. Relay times should be entered for seeding purposes. There is only 1 relay entry per school per relay event.

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competitor/relay does not have an entry time, they shall be entered with a "no time" (NT).

All competitors must be entered with their <u>full name and grade</u> <u>level(in letters, not numbers).</u>

Additions/deletions shall only be allowed in accordance to the rule approved by the Athletic Directors, which will allow for substitutions for a swimmer that is scratched from the meet.

Meet Information:

All participants must be eligible under the rules of the OHSAA.

Coaches are responsible for reading and understanding the 2024-2025 NFHS Swimming & Diving Rules for championship swimming.

This meet packet shall be for **swimming competition only.** Please contact your AD for the information needed to enter Diving and for the meet packet for the diving competition which will be held January 18th.

Each school shall be permitted four (4) entries in each individual event and one (1) entry in each relay event.

An individual may be entered in no more than two (2) individual events. At the coaches meeting only scratches and substitutions shall be made.

An individual shall be permitted to participate in a maximum of four (4) events, no more than two (2) of which shall be individual events.

In relay events, eight (8) individuals may be listed as entrants; any four (4) may compete. Certification in the relay shall not count as an entry <u>unless</u> the individual actually competes in the relay event. Relay cards with swimmer's names must be submitted directly after the coaches meeting.

All events will alternate; girl's events will be odd numbered events and boy's events will be even numbered events.

The meet shall be a timed final championship meet.

Championship scoring for twelve (12) places shall be followed.

The official coach/representative must be with their team/swimmers at all times. During the coaches meeting a coach/rep shall remain with the team. If it is determined that the coach/representative is not in attendance at any time, the team and all swimmers will be disqualified from further competition.

Non-competing team members, cheerleaders, significant others, etc. must purchase admission tickets (\$10.00). All Ticket sales are online at: https://naeagles.com

Individuals that are not competing may not sit in the competitor's area(s).

WE MAY REQUEST TEAMS PROVIDE TIMERS FOR PORTIONS OF THE MEET. THE TEAMS ARE WELCOME TO HAVE 2 DIFFERENT SHIFTS WITH PEOPLE COVERING THE TEAM'S COMMITMENT. THOSE TIMERS WILL NOT HAVE TO PAY FOR ADMISSION.

Passes for contestants that are "scratched" from the meet must be returned to the meet director.

No air horns or noise making devices will be permitted in the natatorium. Only school banners may be used. No signs shall be posted without the meet director's permission. The use of video taping equipment must adhere to the OHSAA policy.

Coaches and competing team members shall use the designated seating areas and are responsible for cleaning their area upon leaving. Coaches and competing team members are asked to not sit in the pool bleachers that are reserved for the paid spectators.

Only officially certified high school coaches/reps, swimmers, officials, and newspaper photographers are permitted on the pool deck during the warm-up and meet competition.

All swimmers, including relay swimmers, must stay behind the timers before and after they swim.

Locks for lockers must be supplied by each individual using lockers and shall not remain on the locker when not in use. Neither the New Albany High School nor the meet management will be responsible for personal valuables.

Each school shall administer its own discipline and litter problems. Any individual(s) found guilty of vandalism, theft, or conduct unbecoming to an athlete will be barred from further competition.

Should you have any questions or need additional information regarding the meet format or entry procedures please contact me at your earliest convenience. Good luck with your upcoming meets. See you on January 25th.

Sincerely,

Dave Wharton, Meet Director **e-mail <u>dwharton@naparks.org</u>** 614 774-8544(cell)