

Middle School Swimming Championship

Presented by Smile Stars Pediatric Dentistry & Orthodontics

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Female Teams Meet: Warm up: 2:00 & 2:30pm. Meet begins, 3:00pm.

Male Teams Meet: Warm up: Tentative time, 5:15pm and meet begins at 5:45pm..

**Time for the boys meet will be confirmed the Wednesday prior to the meet based on meet timelines.*

Grade / Event divisions

- Individual Events will be swum as 5-6th grade or 7-8th grade for racing and overall ranking/scoring purposes.
- Relay Events will be swum as one classification (5-8th grade).

Rules and Meet Regulations

- 2024 USA Swimming technical rules and code of regulations apply.
- Use of audio or visual recording devices, including a cell phone, is not permitted in changing areas, rest rooms, or locker rooms.
- Swimmers who miss their heat/race will not be permitted to swim the event in a later heat, however there is no penalty applied for other events they are scheduled for the meet.
- Previously published MS Meet and Facility Guidelines will be followed for the Championship meet.

Deadline

- All meet entries are due by **Tuesday, November 5.**
- No late, deck entries or event changes will be accepted at the Championship Meet.

Eligibility:

- The meet is not open to any swimmer that has participated in a *Capital City Swim League High School* meet during the current season.
- Must be in good financial standing with the league and have all regular season meet fees for the 2024 season paid by November 8 (prior to the start of the meet).

Fees:

- \$10 per swimmer per team paid before events are contested. Payable to Crawfish Aquatics.

Scoring

- Individual Events will be swum as 5-6th grade or 7-8th grade for racing and overall ranking/scoring purposes.
- Relay Events will be swum as one classification (5-8th grade).
- A maximum of 3 swimmers from each team may score in each individual event and only 1 relay team may score in relay events (for both the divisional team rankings and the overall team rankings).
- Top 16 places will be scored individually with relays scoring double points.
20-17-16-15-14-13-12-11 and 9-7-6-5-4-3-2-1.
- If a team has a 4th swimmer in an event make the "top 8", that 4th swimmer will not score points and have an "x" by their name indicating no points were scored but will still be given an award according to their event rank.

Awards

- Awards for first through eighth place for individual and relay events.
- Team trophies will be awarded to first through third place overall female and male team.



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IMPORTANT! Entry Instructions:

Entry Times

NT will not be accepted. Please have a seed time for each individual event entry (swimmers are not required to have previously swum the event in a MS League meet in order to enter the event at the MS Championship meet).

Individual Entries

Each swimmer may compete in 4 events (maximum of 2 individual events). Athletes in 5th and 6th grade are only eligible to swim the 5-6th grade designated individual events. Athletes in 7th and 8th grade are only eligible to swim the 7-8th grade designated individual events.

Relay Entries

Each team may enter 1 relay per event for the Championship Meet. Relays may consist of swimmers from all grades (5th-8th).

Team Manager Entries - setting up events

When you create the events in TM, set the age group as "Open" for all events. Pay close attention to enter swimmers into the correct grade for each event, using the correct event number for each grade range.

**if you have entered their date of birth in Team Manager you may not be able to enter them in events unless the Events are created as "Open" for the age range.*

Timing Assignments

- Each team will provide timers in proportion to meet entries in a session.
- Timers will report 10 minutes prior to the start of each session.

Warm-up & Procedures

- Lane assignments to be announced prior to the start of warm-up.
- All warm-ups must be closely supervised by a swimming coach or team representative.

Event Schedule

Female		Male
1	200 Medley Relay	2
3	5-6th grade 50 Freestyle	4
5	7-8th grade 50 Freestyle	6
7	5-6th grade 100 IM	8
9	7-8th grade 100 IM	10
11	5-6th grade 50 Breaststroke	12
13	7-8th grade 50 Breaststroke	14
15	5-6th grade 50 Backstroke	16
17	7-8th grade 50 Backstroke	18
19	5-6th grade 100 Free	20
21	7-8th grade 100 Free	22
23	5-6th grade 50 Butterfly	24
25	7-8th grade 50 Butterfly	26
27	200 Free Relay	28



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