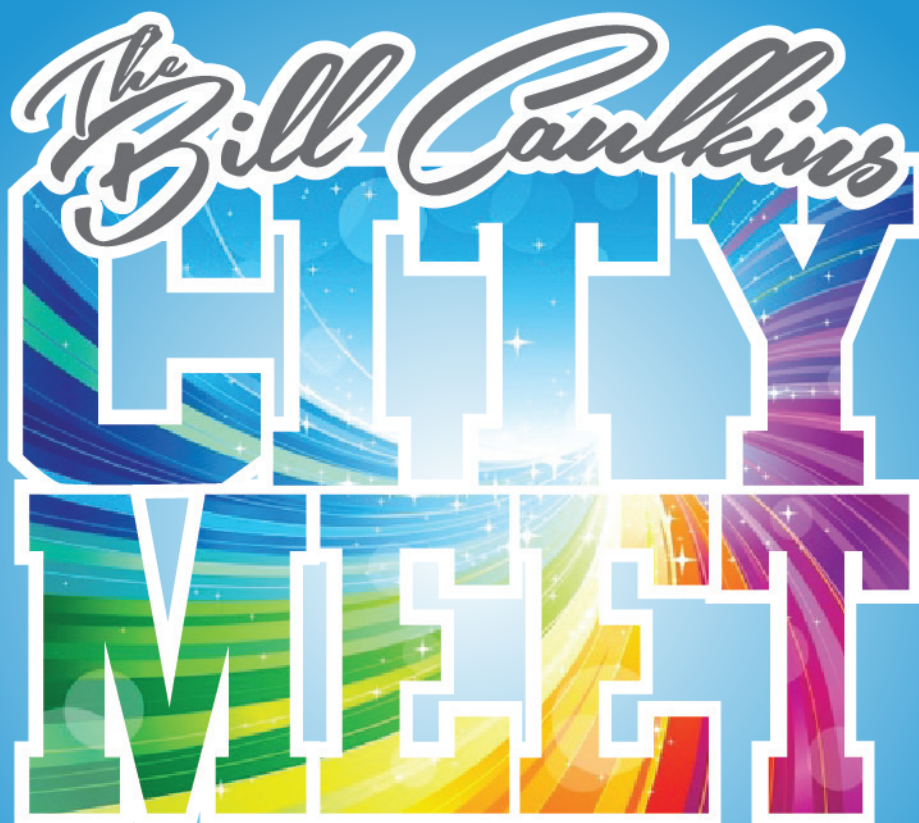


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CHATTANOOGA
AREA SWIM LEAGUE

HOSTED BY

The Chattanooga Area Swim League
McCalie/GPS Aquatics



DATE

Friday, July 7 and Saturday, July 8, 2023

HOSTS

The Chattanooga Area Swim League
McCallie / GPS Aquatics

LOCATION

Fort Oglethorpe Pool at Fort Stephenson Park
19 Van Cleve Street, Fort Oglethorpe, GA 30742

HOST DISCLAIMER

McCallie/GPS Aquatics reserves the right to change the format of this meet to as needed.

FACILITIES

- Outdoor, 8-lane, 25-yard pool with non-turbulent lane ropes
- Eight (8) lanes will be available for competition
- Spectator seating is available on pool deck
- Additional area for seating provided in fields adjacent to the pool

TIMING SYSTEM

Fully automatic timing system, with a single lane/place/time scoreboard. Manual backup.

MEET DIRECTOR

Roger Dahlke
rdahlke1@bellsouth.net
(423) 987-7520

MEET REFEREE

Dale Tillman

RULES

Current United States Swimming rules will govern the conduct of the meet, unless otherwise specified in the by-laws of CASL.

COVID STATEMENT

An inherent risk of exposure to COVID-19 exists in any public place where people are present. COVID-19 is an extremely contagious disease that can leave to severe illness and death. According to the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, senior citizens and individuals with underlying medical conditions are especially vulnerable. McCallie/GPS Aquatics (MCC) and the Chattanooga Area Swim League (CASL), cannot prevent you (or your children) from becoming exposed to, contracting, or spreading COVID-19 while participating in the City Meet. It is no possible to prevent against the presence of the disease. Therefore, if you choose to participate in City Meet, you may be exposing yourself to and/or increasing your risk of contracting or spreading COVID-19. By attending or participating in this competition, you voluntarily assume all risks associated with exposure to COVID-19 and forever release and hold harmless MCC, CASL, The City of Fort Oglethorpe and each other their officers, directors, agents, employees or other representatives from any liability or claims including for personal injuries, death, disease or property losses, or any other loss, including but not limited to claims of negligence and give up any claims you may have to seek damages, whether known or unknown, foreseen or unforeseen, in connection with exposure, infection, and/or spread of COVID-19 related to participation in this competition.



TIMERS

Each team must provide one (1) timer and two (2) stopwatches for every 30 swimmers entered in the meet, per session. Each team must provide a minimum of one (1) timer per session. Failure to do so may result in that team's swimmers being disqualified. The Timer Designation Form can be found on page 10.

ELIGIBILITY

This meet is CLOSED LEAGUE competition. All teams must be members in good standing of the Chattanooga Area Swim League (CASL.) Each swimmer must be registered with CASL. Age classifications are determined by swimmers age declared on June 1, 2023. An athlete may compete in CASL, including City Meet, through and including the summer following the athlete's high school graduation, provided he/she is no older than 19 years of age on December 31 of the graduation year.

In order to compete in City Meet as a swimmer, the participant must be a resident of the Chattanooga area, as defined in the Eligibility section of the CASL Rules and Regulations. To compete in City Meet, a swimmer must be registered with a CASL team, and must have swum in at least two (2) of the regular season dual meets in order to compete in the City Meet.

EVENTS

Order of Events is on page 8-9.

Events will be swum in preliminaries and finals, except for:

- 6 & under 25-yard Freestyle
- 6 & under 25-yard Backstroke
- 8 & under 100-yard IM
- 8 & under 50-yard Freestyle
- ALL 100-yard Freestyles

PRELIMINARIES AND FINALS

The top-8 finishers from the preliminaries will qualify for the Championship Finals. The 9-16 place finishers from the preliminaries will qualify for the Consolation Finals (B Final). The next two (2) places, who will be listed as "Alternates", will move into the Consolation heat (B Final) should there be any scratches. A swimmer who swims in the Consolation Finals can place no higher than 9th.

The Championship (A Final) heat will swim first, followed by the Consolation (B Final) heat.

RELAYS

The top-8 relay finishers from the preliminaries will compete in the Championship Final. Only two (2) relays per team may qualify for finals, in any age group/gender.

Swimmers in a preliminary relay that is disqualified are not permitted to swim that relay event during the Finals session. Once a relay is disqualified, all swimmers participating in the relay are disqualified from the event.

ENTRIES

A swimmer may enter five (5) individual events and three (3) relays. If more than one relay team is entered, relay teams should be designated A, B, C, etc.



ENTRY FEES

- \$5.00 CASL surcharge per participant
- \$10.00 facility surcharge per participant
- \$4.00 per individual event
- \$8.00 per relay event

One (1) check covering **all** entry fees should be made out to **McCallie GPS Aquatics**. No entries will be accepted without the entry fee and Timer Designation Form, found on **page 10**. Entries with fees should be mailed, emailed or delivered to the Meet Director.

Mail / E-mail to:

Roger Dahlke

8155 Lemonade Street

Chattanooga, TN 37421

rdahlke1@bellsouth.net

(423) 987-7520

ENTRY DEADLINE

Entries must be received by the Entry Chair on or before **12:00 p.m. on Tuesday, June 27**.

Payment must be postmarked by **12:00 p.m. on Friday, June 30**. Payments must be received before Thursday, July 6.

LATE ENTRIES

Late entries will be accepted only on a space available basis until 5:00 p.m. on Thursday, June 29. All entries accepted after original deadline will be subject to late fees. Late entry fees are \$8.00 per individual event and \$16.00 per relay event.

PYSCH SHEET

The Pysch Sheet will be emailed to coaches and posted by **12:00 p.m. on Wednesday, June 28**.

Posting will be on the CASL website: **casl.swimtopia.com** and McCallie/GPS website: **www.mccgpsaquatics.com**

Corrections must be submitted to the Meet Director no later than **5:00 p.m. on Thursday, June 29**.

HEAT SHEETS

Heat sheets will be posted **online only**. There will be **no** heat sheet sales at the meet. Posting will be on both the CASL and McCallie/GPS Aquatics websites. Coaches, officials, and meet personnel will receive printed heat sheets.

CORRECTIONS

We will do everything we can to make corrections to the psych sheet prior to posting heat sheets. Please note that it is the responsibility of each team to look over the Pysch Sheet once it is posted, and note any mistakes. Corrections will be made only if the mistake is due to an error on the part of the Entry Chairperson.

NO PSYCH SHEET CORRECTIONS WILL BE MADE AFTER 5:00 P.M. on THURSDAY, June 29.

SEEDING

All swimmers must have times entered for any individual event they intend to swim at City Meet. In cases where a swimmer has not or cannot swim a given event in competition prior to their entry in City meet, team representatives will enter a time for the swimmer based on a practice effort, or in good-faith estimate. No entries will be accepted with NT (no times.) The final three (3) heats in the prelim/finals events will be circle seeded.



SCRATCHES

In the preliminary sessions, a swimmer who places in the top-16 in a prelim/final event and does NOT plan to swim in the evening session should scratch with the Administrative Official within 30 minutes of the announcement of the event's top-16. Failure to notify the Administrative Official of a scratch will result in a \$25 fine.

NOTE

If there is an open lane at the time of the long whistle calling the swimmers to the blocks, then an available alternative will be placed in the open lane at the discretion of the Meet Referee.

Once the decision is made to place the alternate in the open lane, it is declared final and no further changes will be made.

PENALTY FINES

Any swimmer who does no scratch and fails to report to the blocks for an A or B final event will cause their team to be fined \$25.00 per instance. All team fines must be paid by the August CASL Board Meeting with the check made payable to the Chattanooga Area Swim League.

FINALS CLERK OF COURSE

In the evening finals session, ALL swimmers in EVERY age group (including alternates) should report to the Clerk of Course area when the event is called so they can be lined-up.

SCORING

The top-16 places in individual events and the top-8 places in relay events will score points.

Place	1 st	2 nd	3 rd	4 th	5 th	6 th	7 th	8 th	9 th	10 th	11 th	12 th	13 th	14 th	15 th	16 th
Individual	20	17	16	15	14	13	12	11	9	7	6	5	4	3	2	1
Relay	32	28	24	20	16	12	8	4								

The winning team of the City Meet shall be that team which:

- A. Scores the most points at the competition of all scheduled competitive events of the meet or
- B. Scores the most points at the conclusion of the last complete event of the meet called by the Meet Referee

TEAM AWARDS

- Top Scoring Team
- Top Scoring Team from the Red Division
- Top Scoring team from the White Division

INDIVIDUAL AND RELAY EVENT AWARDS

- Individual 1st - 3rd receive medals
- Individual 4th - 16th receive ribbons
- Relay 1st - 3rd receive medals
- Relay 4th - 8th receive ribbons

INDIVIDUAL TOP SCORERS

Awards will be given to the High Point and Runner-Up scorers in each age group for boys and girls.

COACHES RELAY

The Coaches Relay will be contested after the last event of the 10 & under preliminary session on Saturday. Teams must declare their intent to compete before the beginning of the 10 & under preliminary session.



AWARDS CEREMONIES

Individual High Point, Runner-Up and Team winners from the City Meet and the dual meet season will be recognized after finals on Saturday event. The annual Jennifer Fugate Award will be presented after the Saturday finals warm-up session, prior to the start of the finals events.

SENIOR RECOGNITION

High school senior swimmers will be recognized after the warm-up session on Friday evening, prior to the start of the finals events. All Pool Representatives are responsible for completing the Senior Recognition Form, found on **page 11**, and emailing them to the Meet Director no later than 6:00 pm. on Tuesday, June 20.

JENNIFER FUGATE AWARD

The Jennifer Fugate Award nominees will be recognized after the warm-up session on Saturday evening, prior to the start of the finals events.

COACHES MEETING

A meeting for all coaches will be held on Thursday, July 6, at 5:00 pm. at the Fort Oglethorpe Pool. Relay cards will be given at this meeting.

REST AREA

Spectator seating is available on the pool deck. Tents may be set up outside of the pool area in a team's designated area. You are encouraged to provide your own shade. The space allotted for each team will be determined by the number of swimmers each team has entered in the meet. Teams will be allowed access to the crash area after 4:00 p.m. on Thursday, July 6 to stage any tents or supplies for the Friday and Saturday event. Areas are pre-assigned and will not be lost if claims aren't made on Thursday.

PARKING

Parking is available at the pool, fields behind the pool, as well as the church across the street.

CONDUCT

- No glass containers are allowed
- No smoking at park and no alcoholic beverages are allowed
- All swimmers are expected to conduct themselves as ladies and gentlemen
- No horseplay will be tolerated
- No running, rushing, towel snapping, food throwing, or general messiness will be allowed
- Deck changing is prohibited
- Cameras and cellphones are prohibited in the locker rooms and behind the blocks

Violating these rules may result in expulsion from the meet.

CONCESSIONS

Food and refreshments will be available. There will also be a hospitality area for coaches and officials only.

COMMENTS

Please help us make this a great meet by directing your comments to the Meet Director at rdahlke1@bellsouth.net



Meet Schedule

TUESDAY, JUNE 27

12 pm Entries Due

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 28

12 pm Psych Sheet emailed to coaches

12 pm Psych Sheet posted online

THURSDAY, JUNE 29

5 pm Psych Sheet correction deadline

5 pm Late Entry Deadline

THURSDAY, JULY 6

4 pm Team Crash Area move-in

5 pm Coaches Meeting

** City Meet info packets will be distributed. each team must have a representative present.

FRIDAY, JULY 7

7:15 am Staged warm-up begins for 10 & under session

8:15 am Coaches Meeting, *only needed for last minute updates*

8:30 am Morning session competition begins

11:40 am Staged warm-up begins for 11 & older session

12:55 pm Afternoon session competition begins

5 pm Staged warm-up begins for Finals session

6 pm Senior Recognition

6:15 pm Finals session competition begins

SATURDAY, JULY 8

7:15 am Staged warm-up begins for 10 & under session

8:15 am Coaches Meeting, *only needed for last minute updates*

8:30 am Morning session competition begins

11:15 am Coaches Relay

11:30 am Staged warm-up begins for 11 & older session

12:45 pm Afternoon session competition begins

4:15 pm Staged warm-up begins for Finals session

5:15 pm Jennifer Fugate Award

5:30 pm Finals session competition begins



Order of Events

FRIDAY, JULY 7 | MORNING

Girls/Mixed	Event	Boys
1	Mixed 8 & Under (2 girls & 2 boys) 100yd FR Relay	
2	Mixed 9-10 (2 girls & 2 boys) 200yd FR Relay	
3	8 & Under 100yd Individual Medley (timed final)	4
5	9-10 100 yd Individual Medley	6
7	8 & Under 25yd Breaststroke	8
9	9-10 50yd Breaststroke	10
11	8 & Under 50yd Freestyle (timed final)	12
13	9-10 100yd Freestyle (timed final)	14
15	8 & Under 100yd Medley Relay	16
17	9-10 200yd Medley Relay	18

FRIDAY, JULY 7 | AFTERNOON

Girls/Mixed	Event	Boys
19	Mixed 11-12 (2 girls & 2 boys) 200yd FR Relay	
20	Mixed 13-14 (2 girls & 2 boys) 200yd FR Relay	
21	Mixed 15 & Over (2 girls & 2 boys) 200yd FR Relay	
22	11-12 50yd Breaststroke	23
24	13-14 50yd Breaststroke	25
26	15 & O 50yd Breaststroke	27
28	11-12 100yd Freestyle (timed final)	29
30	13-14 100yd Freestyle (timed final)	31
32	15 & O 100yd Freestyle (timed final)	33
34	11-12 100yd Individual Medley	35
36	13-14 100yd Individual Medley	37
38	15 & O 100yd Individual Medley	39
40	11-12 200yd Medley Relay	41
42	13-14 200yd Medley Relay	43
44	15 & O 200yd Medley Relay	45



Order of Events

SATURDAY, JULY 8 | MORNING

Girls/Mixed	Event	Boys
46	8 & Under 25yd Butterfly	47
48	9-10 50yd Butterfly	49
50	6 & Under 25yd Freestyle (timed final)	51
52	7-8 25yd Freestyle	53
54	9-10 50yd Freestyle	55
56	6 & Under 25yd Backstroke (timed final)	57
58	7-8 25yd Backstroke	59
60	9-10 50yd Backstroke	61
62	8 & Under 100yd FR Relay	63
64	9-10 200yd FR Relay	65

SATURDAY, JULY 8 | AFTERNOON

Girls/Mixed	Event	Boys
66	11-12 50yd Butterfly	67
68	13-14 50yd Butterfly	69
70	15 & O 50yd Butterfly	71
72	11-12 50yd Freestyle	73
74	13-14 50yd Freestyle	75
76	15 & O 50yd Freestyle	77
78	11-12 50yd Backstroke	79
80	13-14 50yd Backstroke	81
82	15 & O 50yd Backstroke	83
84	11-12 200yd FR Relay	85
86	13-14 200yd FR Relay	87
88	15 & O 200yd FR Relay	89



Timer Form

This entire page must be completed and returned with your entry form.

CASL TEAM

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| <input type="radio"/> Big Ridge Raiders | <input type="radio"/> Country Club Wavemakers | <input type="radio"/> Mosby Park Waterdogs | <input type="radio"/> Signal Mountain Green Giants |
| <input type="radio"/> Calhoun Blue Barracudas | <input type="radio"/> Cumberland Currents | <input type="radio"/> Ooltewah Tidalwaves | <input type="radio"/> Stuart Heights Sharks |
| <input type="radio"/> Catoosa Great White Sharks | <input type="radio"/> Dalton Dolphins | <input type="radio"/> Red Bank Gators | |
| <input type="radio"/> Cleveland Aqua Tigers | <input type="radio"/> Fairyland Flash | <input type="radio"/> Ridgeside Dolphins | |

I hereby relinquish all claims I might have in case of injury or loss of valuables at the swim meet July 7 and 8, 2023. I also agree not to hold responsible McCallie GPS Aquatics, Chattanooga Area Swim League, Meet Officials, or Meet Sponsors for any injury, damage or loss of valuables. I have read and explained the above statement to the members of my team and their parents and/or guardians.

Signature of Coach/Pool Representative

Date

TIMERS

Each team is to provide one (1) timer for every 30 swimmers entered into the meet and two (2) stopwatches for each session. The team timers should report to the head timer near the starting blocks at least 15 minutes prior to the time scheduled for the beginning of the each session of competition. Failure of a team to provide timers and watches in a session may result in that team's swimmers being disqualified from that session. Please list below the names of timers helping at each session.

Friday AM Session

Friday PM Session

Friday FINALS Session

Saturday AM Session

Saturday PM Session

Saturday FINALS Session

TEAM PARENT CONTACT

Please list the contact information for the team parent responsible for timer scheduling

Name _____ Phone Number _____

E-mail Address _____



Senior Recognition Form

SWIMMER

NAME _____

TEAM

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| <input type="radio"/> Big Ridge Raiders | <input type="radio"/> Country Club Wavemakers | <input type="radio"/> Mosby Park Waterdogs | <input type="radio"/> Signal Mountain Green Giants |
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Years in CASL _____

High School _____

COLLEGE

College _____

Major _____

Plans to swim in college ☐ Yes ☐ No

If not college, future plans _____

CASL MEMORIES / EVENT

Most memorable CASL moment or event: _____

