



CSOSU 2023 Fall Invitational

Saturday, September 30th

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Location:	The Ohio State University McCorkle Aquatic Pavilion 1847 Neil Ave, Columbus, OH 43210
Timeline:	Deck Opens: 11:45 am Warmup Begins: 12:15 pm President's Meeting: 1:00 pm Meet Start: 1:15 pm Meet Ends: by 5:15 pm
Facility:	<p>The McCorkle Aquatic Pavilion is The Ohio State University's competitive aquatic facility and consists of two large bodies of water for competition and warm-up/cool-down -- the Mike Peppe Natatorium Competition Pool and the Ron O'Brien Diving Well. The Mike Peppe Natatorium Competition Pool is a 10 lane, 50-meter indoor pool that will be divided into one 10 lane 25 yard competition course for this meet and one 10 lane 25 yard warm-up/cool-down pool during competition.</p> <p>The competition course has been certified in accordance with 104.2.2C(4). The copy of such certification is on file with USMS Swimming. Due to moveable bulkheads, the course will be re-certified prior to and following each session.</p> <p>Water depth is greater than 7ft. from the starting blocks at both ends of the pool.</p>
Safety Chair:	Christian Ferrante ferrante.52@osu.edu 330-312-7003
Disclaimers:	
Covid-19	<p>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 lead 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.</p> <p>College Club Swimming, Inc., cannot prevent you from becoming exposed to, contracting, or spreading COVID-19 while participating in College Club Swimming sanctioned events. It is not possible to prevent the presence of the disease. Therefore, if you choose to participate in a College Club Swimming sanctioned event, you may be exposing yourself to and/or increasing your risk of contracting or spreading COVID-19.</p>

	<p>By attending or participating in this competition, you voluntarily assume all risks associated with exposure to COVID-19 and forever release and hold harmless US Masters Swimming and College Club Swimming and each of 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 herewith.</p>
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Organization Regulations/Waivers:

CCS Swimming Rules	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • U.S. Masters Swimming Rules will be followed for starts, strokes, and relays • The use of audio or visual recording devices, including a cell phone, is not permitted in changing areas, rest rooms or locker rooms. • Use of cameras, cell phones or any other recording device is not permitted immediately behind the starting blocks at either end of the racing course(s) during race starts, competition and warm-ups. Please refer to the Safe Sport section of the Ohio Swimming, Inc. policies and procedures for further information regarding the use of visual recording devices. • Deck changes are prohibited. • Operation of a drone, or any other flying apparatus, is prohibited over the venue (pools, athlete/coach areas, spectator areas and open ceiling locker rooms) any time athletes, coaches, officials and/or spectators are present. • Flash photography is not permitted at the start of any race. • Only swimsuits complying with FINA swimsuit specifications may be worn.
COVID-19 Information	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Avoid getting closer than six (6) feet to anyone coughing or sneezing. • Wash your hands frequently with soap and water for 20 seconds or use hand sanitizer that has 60-95% alcohol. • Avoid touching your eyes, nose, and mouth. • Cover your mouth with a tissue or your elbow if you cough or sneeze. Throw the tissue in the trash, then wash your hands. • Stay home if you are sick, and away from the pool and from fellow team members. • Face coverings are not required.

Waiver/Release	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • By entering this meet, you are granting permission for the names of any or all of your team's swimmers to be published on the internet in the form of Psych Sheets, Meet Results, or any other documents associated with the running of this meet. • All participants agree to be filmed and photographed by the host club approved photographer(s) and videographers and to allow the right to use names and pictures before, during, or after the meet such as in public psych sheets, heat sheets, and results or featured on the host club or CCS website or social media or in public broadcast of the event via television or webcast. Swimmers who do not wish their swimmers to participate in interviews or have individual pictures featured on any media should inform their team's president and the Meet Directors prior to the meet.
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Entering the Meet	
Eligibility:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Swimmers must be a member of their university's club team and in good standing with their university • It is highly recommended that each competing team and its athletes be registered with College Club Swimming • Any athlete who is currently on a varsity team or has competed in a varsity competition in the current academic year may only compete as an exhibition swimmer • Any swimmer who does not meet the NCAA amateurism eligibility standards may only compete as an exhibition swimmer
Disability Swimmers:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Club Swimming at Ohio State welcomes swimmers with a disability. • Entry Procedures: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1.) Enter the swimmers with a disability electronically in the event at the same distance with their equivalent non-conforming time to ensure seeding in the initial heats. 2.) Email the entry chair information regarding the disability class (P1, P2, or P3) and the distance that they will be swimming. • See the Ohio Swimming Policy Book for Grouping descriptions (P1, P2, P3).
Entry Limits	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Swimmers may swim a maximum of three individual events. • There is no limit to how many relays a swimmer can be on. • Teams are allowed up to three relays (A, B, C) per event.
Entry Fees	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • \$15 per swimmer

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Entry Procedures	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Deadline for receipt of entries is Saturday, September 23rd at 11:59pm • Entries must be submitted in SCY using Hy-Tek • CCS Member ID's must be entered in Hy-Tek for times to count for Nationals. • <i>Send entries via email to entry chair, Ruchi Kudalkar (kudalkar.1@osu.edu)</i> • Entry payments will be accepted as either invoice, check, cash, or card. • Checks should be made payable to: Club Swimming at Ohio State. • "No Time" (NT) entries will not be accepted. Please estimate times for each event if the athlete has no time. • Entries will be pre-determinedly capped for each team. If a team believes that the cap set for them is inadequate for how many they plan to bring, please email meet directors.
Warm-up and Safety Guidelines	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The meet host will provide a complete schedule of warm-up procedures to include lane assignments and times, which must be adhered to by all participants. This information will be distributed in advance of the meet. • Warm-ups will be monitored by the Meet Coordinators. • Except during supervised racing starts, swimmers must enter the pool feet first in a cautious manner with one hand in contact with the pool deck. • Ohio LSC Swimming Safety Guidelines and Warm-Up Procedures will be in effect for this meet. • No spectators allowed on deck.
Competition Guidelines	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • This meet will be a timed finals meet. • This meet will be contested in SCY. • This meet will be pre-seeded. Deck entries will not be accepted at the meet.
Awards	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • There will not be awards at this meet. • Results will not be posted during the meet, but you can see the results live through the Meet Mobile app.

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The top 16 finishers in individual and relay events will be scored as follows: 20-17-16-15-14-13-12-11-9-7-6-5-4-3-2-1 (relays doubled).
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General Information	
Parking	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • We recommend parking in either Neil Avenue or Tuttle Park Garages. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▫ Neil Avenue Garage: 1801 Neil Ave, Columbus, OH 43210 ▫ Tuttle Park Garage: 2050 Tuttle Park Pl, Columbus, OH 43210
Lodging	<p>We recommend the following hotels within the University District area:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Blackwell Inn and Conference Center (on campus) 2110 Tuttle Park Pl, Columbus, OH 43210 (614) 247-4000 • Springhill Suites by Marriott Columbus OSU (1.2 miles; 5 min drive) 1421 Olentangy River Rd, Columbus, OH 43212 (614) 297-9912 • Aloft Columbus University District (1.3 miles; 5 min drive) 1295 Olentangy River Rd, Columbus, OH 43212 (614) 294-7500 • Hyatt House Columbus OSU/Short North (1.4 miles, 6 min drive) 633 West 5th Ave, Columbus, OH 43201 (614) 298-1299 • Fairfield Inn & Suites by Marriott Columbus OSU (2.4 miles; 7 min drive) 3031 Olentangy River Rd, Columbus, OH 43202 (614) 267-1111 • Holiday Inn Express & Suites Columbus OSU-Medical Center 3045 Olentangy River Rd, Columbus, OH 43202 (2.5 miles; 7 min drive) (614) 447-1212 • Hampton Inn & Suites Columbus/University Area 3160 Olentangy River Rd, Columbus, OH 43202 (2.6 miles; 7 min drive) (614) 268-8700
Concessions	<p>Food is available at Courtside Café and Juice2 at the RPAC entrance, the building across from McCorkle Aquatic Pavilion. Hours for those dining locations and all other on campus locations can be found at dining.osu.edu</p>
Heat sheets	<p>Psych sheets will be sent out to visiting teams on or before Thursday, September 28th. One copy of the heat sheet will be given to each club during check-in. Heat sheets will be available for purchase at the admissions table.</p>

Order of Events

Women	Event	Men	Women	Event	Men
1	200 Medley Relay	2	19	500 Freestyle	20
3	200 Freestyle	4	21	25 Backstroke	22
5	200 IM	6	23	25 Butterfly	24
7	50 Freestyle	8	25	100 Freestyle	26
9	100 Backstroke	10	27	100 IM	28
11	50 Breaststroke	12	29	100 Breaststroke	30
13	100 Butterfly	14	31	50 Backstroke	32
15	25 Freestyle	16	33	50 Butterfly	34
17	25 Breaststroke	18	35	200 Freestyle Relay	36