

GYD PRESENTS THE
COVID CONFERENCE OCTOBER BLASTOFF

October 11, 2020

Closed Invite - Single Session
25 Yards

Sanction/Approval: WI2020

In granting this sanction, it is understood and agreed that USA Swimming and Wisconsin Swimming, Inc. shall be free from any liabilities or claims for damages arising by reason of injuries to anyone during the conduct of the event.

Location: Lake Geneva YMCA, 203 Wells Street, Lake Geneva, WI

Facility: Six lanes, 25 yards flush deck, non-turbulence lane markers and backstroke flags, with 30" height starting blocks. Pool is 10 feet deep at starting blocks and 4 feet deep on the shallow end. The Competition course has not been certified in accordance with 104.2.2C(4).

Timing: Colorado System with backup watches. All events are timed final.

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Admin Official: Joseph Domitrz e-mail: josephdomitrz@sbcglobal.net

Official Rules: Official 2020 Short Course USA-S Rules shall prevail for this meet. Age as of October 11, 2020.

Warm-up: 8am (90 min) Competition starts 9:40am

Warm-up lanes will be assigned. Sit and Slide entries from the starting end of the pool during general warm-ups will be enforced for all sanctioned/approved competition.

Entry Chair/Meet Director

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Entry Limit: Swimmers may swim three (3) individual events per day. All events are MIXED. A separate warm-up will be given, if necessary, if the meet is longer than 4 hours.

Fees: \$30 per swimmer. Entry fees must accompany the official entry forms and are not refundable.

Entry Deadline: The entry chair must receive **e-mail entry files** and **paper entries** (no hy-tek software) ***no later than Sunday, October 4, 2020***. This meet is being run with Hy-Tek swim software. Deck entries will be accepted in open lanes only. Completed waiver and fees must be received before the meet starts, on Sunday, October 11, 2020.

Disabled Swimmers: If you have any disabled swimmers, please notify the Meet Director by e-mail or phone before the meet starts on October 11, 2020.

Video Use: Use of cell phones or any other device that has video recording capabilities is NOT PERMITTED in the locker room or bathroom areas.

Heat Sheets: Heat sheets will be emailed to teams.

Final Results: One copy of final results will be e-mailed to each team represented.

Conduct: Each team is responsible for the conduct of its' swimmers. Except where venue facilities require otherwise, changing into or out of swimsuits other than in locker rooms or other designated areas is not appropriate and is 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. Exceptions may be granted with prior written approval by the Program Operations Vice Chair.

USA SWIMMING REQUIRED DOCUMENTATION:

COVID -19 RISK ACKNOWLEDGEMENT:

In applying for this sanction(ed event), the Host, Lake Geneva Y Swim Team agrees to comply and to enforce all health and safety mandates and guidelines of USA Swimming, Wisconsin Swimming, Inc., the State of Wisconsin and the Washington Ozaukee County Health Department

We have taken enhanced health and safety measures – for you, the other participants, and meet staff. You must follow all instructions while visiting Lake Geneva YMCA. 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 guests with underlying medical conditions are especially vulnerable. By visiting Lake Geneva YMCA, you voluntarily assume all risks related to exposure to COVID-19.

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USA Swimming, Inc., cannot prevent you (or your child(ren)) from becoming exposed to, contracting, or spreading COVID-19 while participating in USA Swimming sanctioned events. It is not possible to prevent against the presence of the disease. Therefore, if you choose to participate in a USA Swimming sanctioned event, 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 USA Swimming and Wisconsin LSC 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 with exposure, infection, and/or spread of covid-19 related to participation in this competition.

ADDITIONAL DOCUMENTATION:

Pool Capacity: Facility is licensed at a capacity of 1320. Current county recommendations and municipal limit is 50% or 660. Our projected number of participants, coaches, officials, and workers on deck is under 100. There is ample deck space to maintain 6-foot distancing with a few exceptions noted below. Face masks are required when social distancing is not possible.

Health Monitoring: It is expected that all swimmers, coaches, officials, and volunteers are COVID symptom free and without known contact with someone with COVID symptoms or diagnosis within the last 2 weeks. All persons admitted to the pool deck must check their temperature before coming to the meet. Anyone over 100.4 degree may not enter the facility.

Entry and Exit: Swimmers will enter the pool through the side door. Heats will be monitored by a deck marshal to ensure there is no crowding during entry and exit from the pool area.

Locker rooms: Locker rooms will not be available for changing and showering. Single use bathrooms are available for swimmers to use throughout the meet and will be cleaned as per the facilities safety plan.

Spectators: Spectators are not allowed inside the facility. Spectators are encouraged to practice social distancing and/or wear masks when social distancing is not possible. Spectators may use facility restrooms one at a time following facility's safety measures.

Warm-up: Teams will have assigned lanes with up to 90 minutes of warmup time, to all swimmers to be socially distanced. Social distancing will be enforced by marshals and coaches.

Deck set-up: Signage will be posted throughout the facility to help attendees maintain 6-foot spacing throughout the meet. Disposable face mask will be available upon entry and on the deck.

- **Clerk of Course Line:** A Clerk of Course volunteer will organize the heats, outside the pool area, so that a new heat will walk in when the previous has completed swimming.
- **Swimmer Rest Area:** Teams will be given a designated parking lot area, to sit with their teammates and be socially distanced. If there is inclement weather, teams will be given space with a gym, to also keep socially distanced.
- **Coaching Area:** Coaches may have chairs inside the pool area. They will station themselves in a position to speak with swimmers from 6-feet away or wear a face mask. Coaches should wear masks.

Volunteers and Officials: The following workers would be inside the facility. All Volunteers and officials should wear masks. Volunteers may bring their own chairs if the job is a seated job.

- **3-4 Deck Officials:** Stationed per the meet referee's instruction. Officials should wear a mask if their job allows.
- **1 Administrative Official:** Officials should wear a mask if their job allows.
- **1-2 Runners:** Delivering timer sheets and DQ slips to the AO and computer operator. Mask required.
- **6 back-up lane timers:** 1 timer per lane. Mask required. Timers will stand 6-feet behind the lane for the start of each race and move to pool side after swimmer starts. The timer will walk in with their own swimmer, time them, then walk out with them, staying socially distanced from the other competitors and parents
- **2 back-up/Head timers:** Positioned behind finishing end. Start watch on every race to provide back-up if needed. Mask required.
- **2 meet marshals:** Duties are to enforce social distancing during warm-up and throughout the meet and monitor entry to the facility. Mask required.
- **1 Announcer:** Stationed at table with view of pool and clerk of course area. Additional duty to help encourage and promote social distancing. Mask required.
- **1 Timing system Operator:** Stationed at table with view of finishing end. Marked 6-foot buffer. Mask required.
- **1 Computer Operator:** Stationed in pool lobby. Mask required.
- **6 counters for the 500 free:** Each swimmer will have a designated counter for the 500 free. Mask required.

COVID LEAGUE OCTOBER BLASTOFF

Sunday, October 11, 2020

25 Yards

1	Mixed	Senior	25	Free
2	Mixed	Senior	50	Free
3	Mixed	Senior	25	Fly
4	Mixed	Senior	50	Fly
5	Mixed	Senior	100	Fly
6	Mixed	Senior	100	Free
7	Mixed	Senior	100	IM
8	Mixed	Senior	200	IM
9	Mixed	Senior	25	Back
10	Mixed	Senior	50	Back
11	Mixed	Senior	100	Back
12	Mixed	Senior	200	Free
13	Mixed	Senior	25	Breast
14	Mixed	Senior	50	Breast
15	Mixed	Senior	100	Breast
16	Mixed	Senior	500	Free

**** Optional 5 minute breaks will be added at the discretion of the meet director.**