

# 2025 WAVE, TAC, NSEA Tri Meet November 1-2, 2025

Triangle Aquatic Center 275 Convention Drive Cary, NC 27511

Held under the Sanction of USA Swimming, Inc., issued by North Carolina Swimming, Inc.

Sanction # NC25197

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#### **FACILITY**

The Triangle Aquatic Center (TAC) provides 3 indoor pools and supporting amenities including a Spectator Stadium and Atrium with capacity of up to 2000, full-service café, performance recovery center, hospitality gallery, classroom, and wireless internet. Select swim gear can be purchased from the front desk. The 50-meter competition pool with bulkhead offers a total of 8 50-meter competition lanes with a depth of 7 to 12 feet that can be configured for separate 8-lane and 10-lane, 25-yard competition courses. The host will ensure required course dimensions. Paddock Starting Blocks with Swim Innovation decks complete with Foot Wedge and optional non- mechanical backstroke ledges (at the meet referee's discretion) are available for all competition lanes. The competition lanes are a minimum of 7 feet wide. The 25-yard program pool allows for up to ten (10) warm-up/warm-down lanes at any time. There is a Swiss Timing Quantum timing system that will include automated touch pads, two (2) semi-automatic plungers and two (2) watches per lane along with an HD video scoreboard.

The separate warm water instruction pool is fully enclosed and remains open to the public during meet competitions. The facility may charge a fee for admission to spectators. Meet participant parking is available across from the swimmer drop-off loop and in the shopping mall lot adjacent to the pool. Illegally parked vehicles are liable to be ticketed or towed by the local Police Department and the owner's expense.

Lifeguards will be on duty to provide first aid.

Per USA Swimming and Safe Sport Rules...ONLY USA Swimming registered athletes, current USA Swimming registered officials and coaches may be on deck during warm-ups and/or competition.

#### **MEET FORMAT**

- 1) All events will be swum as timed finals.
- 2) All events will be swum combined girls and boys (mixed)
- 3) All events will be swum slowest to fastest with the exception of the 500 yard Free.
- 4) Swimmers in the 500 yard free must provide their own lap counters.
- 5) Meet management reserves the right to add breaks if necessary to provide adequate rest between events for swimmers.

Session	Day	Warm-up	Meet Start	Age Group
1	Saturday	2:00 PM	3:00 PM	All ages
2	Sunday	8:00 AM	9:00 AM	All ages

#### **DEADLINE AND MEETING SUMMARY:**

Day, Date	Time	For:
Wednesday, October 22	9:00 PM	Entry deadline
Saturday, November 1	2:15 PM	Official briefing
Saturday, November 1	2:15 PM	Check in 11 & over 400 IM
Saturday, November 1	2:50 PM If necessary	Coaches/General Meeting
Sunday, November 2	8:15 AM	Official briefing
Sunday, November 2	8:30 AM	Check in open 500 free

#### **RULES**

This meet will be conducted in accordance with the current USA Swimming Rules and Regulations, except where rules therein are optional, and exceptions are stated.

# TECHNICAL SUIT BAN for 12&Us

Per USA Swimming Rule 102.8.1F, 12 & Under athletes may not compete in Technical Suits at this meet.

A Technical Suit is one that has the following components:

- Any male or female suit with bonded or taped seams regardless of fabric or silhouette; or
- Any male or female suit with woven fabric extending to the knee or midthigh regardless of the seam type.

#### **MAAPP**

All adults participating in or associated with the meet acknowledge that they are subject to the provisions of the USA Swimming Minor Athlete Abuse Protection Policy ("MAAPP"), and that they understand that compliance with MAAPP is a condition of participation in the conduct of this competition.

## **SAFE SPORT**

The NCS Safety Program is in effect for this meet. Coaches are advised to closely supervise their swimmers at all times. Swimmers may be dropped off only in designated safe areas. Swimmers are not permitted in work out rooms, storage rooms, meeting rooms, or control rooms. No glass containers or bottles are allowed inside the facility at any time. Anyone failing to comply with a safety request may forfeit his or her privilege to participate. We strongly recommend

each team assign a marshal to monitor warm-up sessions and locker rooms in addition to host team marshal.

Use of audio or visual recording devices, including a cell phone, is not permitted in changing areas, rest rooms, locker rooms, or behind the starting blocks. Flash photography of any kind is prohibited at the start of a race.

Deck changes are prohibited.

Chair for approval.

Any swimmer entered in the meet must be certified by a USA Swimming member-coach as being proficient in performing a racing start or must start each race from within the water without the use of a backstroke ledge. When unaccompanied by a member-coach, it is the responsibility of the swimmer or the swimmer's legal guardian to ensure compliance with this requirement. It is also the responsibility of the swimmer or the swimmer's guardian to request assignment from the Meet Director to a USA Swimming member coach attending the meet if a coach from the swimmer's team is unable to attend.

Unless approved in writing in advance of the competition by the Program and Events Committee Chair or designee, operation of a drone, or any other flying apparatus, is prohibited over the venue (pools, spectator areas, and open ceiling locker rooms) any time athletes, coaches, officials, and/or spectators are present.

Only swimmers, properly certified officials and coaches, and meet volunteers will be allowed on deck. No spectators will be allowed on deck at any time.

#### **ELIGIBILITY**

All swimmers must be registered with USA Swimming, Inc. and all Adult Athletes must hold current APT certification to compete. Swimmers must be registered prior to entry deadline. Swimmers from the following teams are eligible for this meet; WAVE-NC, TAC-NC and NSEA-NC There will be no on deck registration.

# MEMBERS WITH DISABILITIES OR MEDICAL CONDITIONS

WAVE Swimming welcomes all swimmers with disabilities as described in the USA Swimming Rules and Regulations, Article 105, to participate in our meets. Coaches entering swimmers with disabilities that require any accommodations are required to provide advance notice in writing to the Meet Director by the entry deadline accompanying their meet entry file, including the need for any personal assistants required and/or registered service animals. Failure to provide advance notice may limit Wave Swimming's ability to accommodate all requests.

#### **ENTRIES**

Please email entries using Hy-Tek Team Manager or compatible program. Entries must include the following: 1) a Hy-Tek Meet Manager compatible entry file 2) team entry report and 3) summary of fees/release form (see last page). Please note that the Meet Director will strictly enforce the following entry rules: 1. All swimmers must be properly registered before the entry deadline. The list of swimmers competing in the meet will be forwarded to the NCS Registration

2. Please list all coaches that will be in attendance. The NCS Registration chair will provide meet management with a list of current coach certifications. Coaches who are not current in all required certifications will not be allowed on deck.

## ENTRY LIMITATIONS

All swimmers are limited to five (5) individual events per day, ten (10) for the meet.

**ENTRY** 

**VERIFICATION** 

An email will be sent to the person submitting the entry confirming receipt of the

entry within 48 hours of receipt.

**ENTRY DEADLINES** 

The Meet Entry Coordinator must receive entries by the date and time listed in

the Deadline and Meeting Summary Late entries may be accepted at the

discretion of the Meet Referee. There will be no on deck entries.

#### **ENTRY FEES**

Make checks payable to: WAVE Swimming; All fees are non-refundable		
Individual Event	\$10.00 per event	
NCS Travel Fund	\$3.00 per swimmer	
Facility Surcharge	\$10.00 per swimmer	
Late Entry Fee	\$15.00 per event	

**SEEDING** 

The conforming time standard for this meet is short course yards. Swimmers will be seeded and swim from slowest to fastest unless otherwise indicated. All non-conforming times will be seeded last in rank order

**CHECK-IN** 

A positive check-in, at the admin table, will be required for the following events:

- 11& over 400 IM
- Open 500 free

Check in for event will be as stated in the Deadline and Meeting Summary Swimmers that fail to check in will be scratched from the event and not seeded. In the positive check-in events, a swimmer who has checked in, been seeded, and fails to complete in said event, shall be barred from his/her next individual event.

**SCRATCHES** 

There will be no penalty for scratching pre-seeded events at the block.

**SCORING** 

The meet will not be scored.

**AWARDS** 

There will be no awards.

**RESULTS** 

Will be posted in the lobby and available via Meet Mobile. Each team will receive an email with a results file within 24 hours of the completion of the meet.

**COACHES** 

All coaches on deck must be registered and certified with USA Swimming. Meet Management will require all coaches to show proof of such by prominently displaying their registration card or be prepared to show their Deck Pass virtual membership card upon request. There will be a coach/general meeting at the date and time listed in the Deadline and Meeting Summary. Other meetings may be held at the meet referee's discretion. Meet Management requests that at least one coach representative from each team attend all coaches' meetings.

OFFICIALS/ TIMERS/ VOLUNTEERS There will be a need for officials. WAVE Swimming welcomes and encourages anyone willing to volunteer to contact the Meet Referee by email prior to the meet or sign in once you arrive at the meet. All officials on deck must be

registered and certified with USA Swimming and will be required to show proof of such to the meet referee by displaying their registration card or be prepared to show their Deck Pass virtual membership card upon request. A certification card showing the official's level of certification must also be presented. Any official's assistance will be greatly appreciated and will help to ensure a great meet for the swimmers. Official briefings will be held in the hospitality area at the date and time listed in the Deadline and Meeting Summary.

# HOSPITALITY/ CONCESSIONS

There will be a hospitality area open to all coaches and officials. Refreshments will be available at the concession stand.

#### **WARM-UP**

In accordance with USA Swimming guidelines, there will be a published warm-up procedure for all swimmers and coaches attending the meet. The Marshall will ensure all teams, coaches, and swimmers follow all warm-up procedures. Meet Management reserves the right to change warm-up times according to the number of entries. During the competition, there will be lanes available for continuous warm-up/down. There is to be no diving or horseplay in this area.

## WAIVER/ RELEASE

As a team entered in this meet, upon entry you are verifying that all of the swimmers and coaches listed on the enclosed entry are registered with USA Swimming. You acknowledge that you are familiar with the Safety Rules of USA Swimming, Inc. and North Carolina Swimming, Inc. regarding warm-up procedures and meet safety guidelines, and that you shall be responsible for the compliance of your swimmers with those rules during this meet. WAVE Swimming, Triangle Aquatic Center, North Carolina Swimming, Inc., and USA Swimming, Inc., their agents, employees, and coaches shall be held free and harmless from any and all liabilities or claims for damages arising by reason of illness or injury to anyone during the conduct of this meet. You acknowledge that 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.

## IMAGE RELEASE

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 NCS website or social media or in public broadcast of the event via television or webcast. Parents and guardians of minor swimmers who do not wish their swimmers to participate in interviews or have individual pictures featured on any media should inform their team's head coach and the Meet Director prior to the meet.

# **ORDER OF EVENTS**

Saturday, November 1, 2025 Warm-up: 2:00 PM; Meet Start: 3:00 PM

Mixed	Event
1	11 & over 400 IM
2	Open 100 IM
3	Open 100 Backstroke
4	Open 200 Freestyle
5	Open 100 Fly
6	11 & over 200 Breaststroke
7	Open 50 Breast
8	Open 50 Freestyle

Sunday, November 2, 2025 Warm-up: 8:00 AM; Meet Start: 9:00 AM

Mixed	Event	
9	Open 200 IM	
10	Open 100 Freestyle	
11	11 & over 200 Butterfly	
12	Open 50 Butterfly	
13	Open 100 Breaststroke	
14	11 & over 200 Backstroke	
15	Open 50 Backstroke	
16	Open 500 Freestyle	

# WAVE Dual Meet Splash Summary of Fees/Release Form

Complete and email or mail this form along with entry fees to (checks payable WAVE Swimming):

WAVE Swimming ATTN: John Roy PO BOX 18012 Raleigh, NC 27619

Email to: coachjohn@bellsouth.net

Team Name									
Club Code									
Coach									
Coach Phone									
Coach Email									
Team Address									
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Item		Total Number	Cost per	Total					
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Swimmers (Travel	Fund &		\$13.00 per						
Facility Surcharge	)		swimmer						
Total Fees Due									
Waiver, Acknowled	dgement a	nd Liability Relea	l <u>se:</u>						
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the enclosed entry	are registe	ered with USA Sw	imming. I acknowledge	e that I am familiar with the Safety					
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meet safety guideli	nes, and th	nat I shall be resp	onsible for the complia	ance of my swimmers with those					
rules during this me	eet. WAVE	Swimming, Triar	ngle Aquatic Center, No	orth Carolina Swimming, Inc., and					
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