



SAILFISH SUMMER SPLASH
Hosted by SAILFISH AQUATICS
JULY 29-31, 2022
Mecklenburg County Aquatic Center
800 E. MLK Blvd.
Charlotte, NC 28202

Held under the Sanction of USA Swimming, Inc., issued by North Carolina Swimming, Inc.
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**CONDITION OF
SANCTION**

As a condition of this sanction, Sailfish agrees to comply and to enforce all COVID 19 health and safety mandates and guidelines (including face coverings, social distancing, and facility capacity restrictions of USA Swimming, North Carolina Swimming, the State of North Carolina, local jurisdictions, and the Sailfish COVID-19 Meet Plan detailed below. Meets conducted in violation of these requirements and safety plans are subject to having the sanction revoked.

**ASSUMPTION OF RISK
DISCLAIMER**

Sailfish has taken enhanced health and safety measures for athletes, coaches, officials, spectators, and others participating in this meet. You must follow all safety instructions in the following meet sanction. 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. Senior citizens and those with underlying medical conditions are especially vulnerable. By attending this meet, you assume all risks related to exposure to COVID-19.

COVID-19 RELEASE

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 [THE 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 THEREWITH.

**NCS FACE COVERING
STATEMENT and
FACILITY REGULATIONS**

NCS recommends the proper use of face coverings at all NCS activities and expects all participants, coaches, officials, volunteers, and spectators to comply with all club and facility specific COVID-19 safety requirements and guidelines from USA Swimming, North Carolina Swimming, the State of North Carolina, and local jurisdictions. Compliance with the guidelines in place at the time of the meet will be maintained throughout the duration of the meet.

A determination regarding spectators in the facility will be made prior to the start of the meet and will be based on number of athletes entered and any facility restrictions imposed at the time of the meet. Spectators, if permitted, may be limited and/or may be denied entry or re-entry if maximum facility capacity is reached. All spectators must remain in the designated seating areas along the Lane 8 side of the pool at all times. Only athletes, coaches, officials, and pre-authorized volunteers will be allowed on deck (including the bleachers at the start/turn ends or the Lane 1 side of the pool). Parents needing access to their athlete during the meet in a closed-deck environment can contact their children directly via cellphone and arrange to meet in the main lobby. Should parents be unable to contact their child directly, they should ask the front desk to see the Meet Marshal. In case of an emergency, please contact the Meet Director.

FACILITY

The competition pool is a 50-meter pool with 2 bulkheads. Minimum depth is 6 feet at the scoreboard end and 13 feet at the diving board end. The pool is equipped with eight, 9-foot-wide lanes with non-turbulent lane lines and Paragon starting blocks which will be used for competition in accordance with USA Swimming diving depth guidelines. Colorado 6000 electronic/automatic timing system with a scoreboard will be utilized with touchpads and two (2) timers per lane each operating a watch and button. Hy-Tek Meet Manager software will be used. The warm pool will be available for continuous warm up and warm down. The competition course has been certified in accordance with 104.2.2C(4). The copy of such certification is on file with USA Swimming. Parking is available in several lots across the street from the facility. Spectator parking is not allowed in the main lot. Smoking is not permitted inside the building. Absolutely no glass bottles will be allowed on the pool deck. Only meet volunteers, USA Swimming registered athletes and current USA Swimming registered officials and coaches may be on deck.

MEET FORMAT

This is a timed final, pre-seeded meet for 12 & Under events. 13 & Over events will be Prelims/Finals with a B final followed by an A Final unless otherwise indicated. All Friday events will be timed finals. Breaks may be scheduled or adjusted at the discretion of the Meet Referee based on entries and timeline considerations. Further, the Meet Referee has the authority to add or combine sessions, adjust start times, change session, events or make any other changes necessary to improve competition or comply with current safety guidelines/restrictions.

Meet Schedules

Meet Schedule*	Warm Up	Competition
Friday, Timed Final	3:00 PM	4:00 PM
Saturday, Prelims	7:00 AM	8:45 AM
Saturday , 12& U Timed Final	Noon	1:00 PM
Saturday, Finals	4:30 PM	5:30 PM
Sunday, Prelims	7:00 AM	8:45 AM
Sunday, 12&U Timed Finals	Noon	1:00 PM
Sunday, Finals	4:30 PM	5:30 PM

**Meet mgt reserves the right to make changes to events, sessions or meet schedule as needed.*

DEADLINE AND MEETING SUMMARY:

Meetings/Deadlines	Day	Time
Entry Deadline	7/19/2022	10:06 PM
General Meeting	Friday	2:45 PM
Positive Check In, 400 IM, 400 Free,	Friday	3:30 PM
Relay Cards	Friday	3:30 PM
Relay Cards 12&Under	Saturday	NA
Relay Cards 13/O - Finals	Saturday	5:00 PM
Relay Cards 12&Under	Sunday	12:30 PM
Relay Cards 13/O - Finals	Sunday	5:00 PM

SAFETY	The NCS Safety Program is in effect for this meet. Coaches are advised to closely supervise their swimmers. NO running or horseplay will be tolerated
RACING STARTS	Any swimmer entered in the meet, unaccompanied by an USA Swimming member coach, must be certified by an USA Swimming member coach as being proficient in performing a racing start or must start each race from within the water. It is the responsibility of the swimmer or the swimmer's legal guardian to ensure compliance with this requirement.
RULES	<p>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. A modified Scratch rule will be utilized for this meet.</p> <p>Use of audio or visual recording devices, including a cell phone, is not permitted in changing areas, rest rooms or locker rooms.</p> <p>Deck changes are prohibited.</p> <p>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.</p>
Technical Suit Ban for 12 & Unders	<p>Per USA Swimming Rule 102.8.1F, 12 & Under athletes may not compete in Technical Suits at this meet.</p> <p>A Technical Suit is one that has the following components:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 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 mid-thigh regardless of the seam type
MAAPP	All applicable 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 the MAAPP policy is a condition of participation in the conduct of this competition.
ELIGIBILITY	All swimmers must be registered with USA Swimming, Inc. Swimmers must be registered prior to entry deadline. Entries listed as "Registration Applied For" will not be accepted. There will be no on deck registration available at this meet. Include any minimum/maximum time standards for qualification to enter the event, team affiliations, etc.
SWIMMERS WITH DISABILITIES	Sailfish Aquatics 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 Sailfish Aquatics' ability to accommodate all requests.
ENTRIES	<p>Please email entries using Hy-Tek Team Manager format files. List all swimmer's ages as of July 29, 2022. Sailfish Aquatics reserves the right to limit entries for each team.</p> <p>All relay only swimmers including alternates must be listed and pay the NCS Travel Fund surcharge.</p>
ENTRY LIMITATIONS	12&under swimmers are limited to a maximum of 4 individual events per day and 10 individual events throughout the meet. 13&over swimmers are limited to a maximum of 3 individual events per day and 8 individual events for throughout the meet. Required provable entry times for the 10&under events: 200 Free - Girls 4:00.00, Boys 3:45.00 200 IM - Girls 4:00.00, Boys 4:00.00.

Open 400 Free, Open 400 IM. - 12 & unders must have BB time and NT entries are not accepted.

**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 (July 19, 2022 at 10:06 PM). Late entries may be accepted at the discretion of the Meet Referee. Double entry fees will be applied to all late entries.

ENTRY FEES

Make checks payable to: SAILFISH AQUATICS; All fees are non-refundable	
Individual Event Timed Final	\$9.00 per event
Individual Event Prelims/Final	\$10.00 per event
Relays	\$12.00 per relay
NCS Travel Fund	\$3.00 per swimmer, including relay only swimmers
Facility Surcharge	\$25.00
Late Entry Fee	Double the normal entry fee

SEEDING

The conforming time standard for this meet is long course meters. Swimmers will be seeded and swim from slowest to fastest unless otherwise indicated. All non-conforming times will be seeded last in rank order. There will be no course conversion for this meet. The 400 IM and 400 Free will be deck seeded slowest to fastest. No Time (NT) will not be accepted for entries in these events, entries may be limited to stay within the allotted time. For "NT" athletes only, please enter with an estimated/approximate time.

CHECK-IN

Positive check in will be required for the 400 IM and 400 Free. See meet meeting and deadline section for deadlines for positive check in. Swimmers failing to check in will not be guaranteed a lane assignment. Swimmers failing to compete in an event they are positively checked in to may be penalized their next individual event.

SCRATCHES

A modified scratch rule will be used. Swimmers in announced A or B finals, must either scratch or declare their intent to scratch within 30 minutes of announcement. If a swimmer declares intent and does not return to scratch, they will be seeded in the final event. A swimmer who then fails to compete in said final, shall be barred from his/her next individual event. The Meet Referee may waive this penalty at their discretion. Swimmers are requested to scratch their events regardless of place if they are not returning for Finals.

SCORING

No scoring.

AWARDS

Individual Events will receive awards for places 1-8 (per age category).

RESULTS

As WIFI access allows, Live results will be posted on Sailfish Aquatics' website and will be available on Meet Mobile. At the conclusion of the meet results will be sent to each team via email attachment.

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. Sailfish Aquatics 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 provided with a meeting schedule prior to the meet, or 30 minutes prior to each session.

**HOSPITALITY/
CONCESSIONS**

There will be a hospitality area open to all coaches and officials. Refreshments may 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. Sailfish Aquatics, Mecklenburg County 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

Friday, Warm-up 3:00pm Meet Start 4:00pm		
Girls	Event	Boys
1	12&U 200 Mixed Free Relay	
3	Open 400 Free	4
5	12&U 200 free	6
7	Open 400 IM	8
9	12&U 200 IM	10

Saturday, Warm-up 7:00 am, Meet Start 8:45 am Prelims, 13&O Combined		
Girls	Event	Boys
11	13&O 200 Free	12
13	13&O 100 Fly	14
15	13&O 200 Back	16
17	13&O 50 Free	18
19	13&O 100 Breast	20
21	13-14 200 Mixed Free Relay (During Finals Only)	
	15&O 200 Mixed Free Relay (During Finals Only)	22

Saturday Warmup Noon, Meet Start 1:00 pm 12&U Timed Finals		
Girls	Event	Boys
23	10&U 50 Fly	24
25	11-12 50 Fly	26
27	10&U 100 Back	28
29	11-12 100 Back	30
31	10&U 50 Free	32
33	11-12 50 Free	34
35	10&U 100 Breast	36
37	11-12 100 Breast	38

Saturday, Warm-up 4:30 pm, Meet Start 5:30 pm Finals 13-14 and 15&over		
Girls	Event	Boys
11	200 Free	12
13	100 Fly	14
15	200 Back	16
17	50 Free	18
19	100 Breast	20
21	13-14 Mixed 200 Free Relay	
	15&O Mixed 200 Free Relay	22

Sunday Warm-up 7:00 am, Meet Start 8:45 am Prelims, 13& Over Combined		
Girls	Event	Boys
41	13&O 200 Fly	42
43	13&O 100 Free	44
45	13&O 200 Breast	46
47	13&O 100 Back	48
49	13&O 200 IM	50
51	13-14 200 Mixed Medley Relay (During finals only)	
	15&O 200 Mixed Medley Relay (During finals only)	54

Sunday Warmup Noon, Meet Start 1:00 pm 12&U Timed Finals		
Girls	Event	Boys
55	12&U Mixed 200 Medley Relay	
57	10&U 100 Fly	58
59	11-12 100 Fly	61
61	10 & U 100 Free	63
63	11-12 5100 Free	65
65	10&U 50 Breast	66
67	11-12 50 Breast	68
69	10&U 50 Back	70
71	11-12 50 Back	72

Sunday, Warm-up 4:30 pm, Meet Start 5:30 pm Finals 13-14 and 15&over		
Girls	Event	Boys
41	200 Fly	42
43	100 Free	44
45	200 Breast	46
47	100 Back	48
49	200 IM	50
51	13-14 200 Mixed Medley Relay (During finals only)	
	15&O 200 Mixed Medley Relay (During finals only)	54