

AMSA Championship Meet

July 14, 2018

- Location:** University of Akron Oliver R. Ocasek Natatorium
402 Carroll Street, Akron, Ohio 44325-6301
- Facility Access:**
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| 7:15 AM | Doors open |
| 8:00 AM | Pool opens for warm-up |
| 9:00 AM | Meet begins |
- Swimmer Entry Fees:** Swimmer entry fees are covered in the “AMSA League fee” this season. If you still owe a portion of your league fee payment please bring a check to the meet. Contact Becky Turnbull for more info on the league fee.
- Conduct:** This meet will be governed by the OHSAA Rules and by the AMSA Rule Guidelines which were most recently revised on April 12, 2018.
- Swimmer Entry:** Each team may enter any number of swimmers per individual event, but only the top 4 from each team in each event will be eligible to score or receive awards, other swimmers over 4 on a team will be considered exhibition once the results are in.
In addition to a scoring A relay, we will be swimming an exhibition B relay in each relay event. Please be sure to designate your B relays as exhibition.
To be eligible, swimmers must have competed in at least three (3) AMSA dual meets representing their home club.
All swimmers must remain in their age-group in this meet. A swimmer may be moved up one age group to complete a relay only if the roster does not have sufficient swimmers to make a legal relay otherwise. A coach over the age of 18 may swim in a 15 & over scoring relay only if there are not enough swimmers to make a legal relay.
- Entry Deadlines:** Entries are due to Keith Turnbull at lesmorte@gmail.com
By 10:00 PM on Saturday July 7, 2018
Keith will post an entry template file on AMSALeague.com. Please use this template.
- All scratches are due to Keith Turnbull lesmorte@gmail.com by Tuesday July 11th at 10:00 pm.
No refunds for scratches will be given after this time.
This will be scratches only, no substitutions or changes will be accepted at this time.
- Volunteers:** Small teams (WW & SLCC) will provide two timers, large teams (Mw, HPE, Heat, TM & FST) will provide 3 timers each.
- Lists of Volunteers & timers (each team has particular responsibilities) are due to Becky Turnbull at lesmorte@gmail.com by Tuesday, July 10, 2018. Remember in addition to each team’s responsibilities, teams may designate 2-4 age-group coordinators that will take their swimmers to clerk of course.
- Parking:** University of Akron lots surround the facility and are open for parking without permits.
- Spectators & Swimmers:** Swimmers will be housed on deck. Spectators will be located in the 2nd floor bleachers. Only swimmers, coaches, and designated meet workers are permitted on deck. Parents may escort their children on to the deck but must leave before warm-ups begin. Camping in the hallways is considered a fire hazard and is not permitted.
- Warm-up Schedule:** From 8:00 AM until 8:50 AM, the deep end and the shallow end will be opened for warm up. In the deep end, each team will be assigned one lane, alphabetically beginning in lane 1 with

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Fairlawn. Lane 8 will be a designated sprint (start) lane throughout the warm-up session. All deep end lanes will be open for sprint starts from 8:40-8:50 am. Each team will be expected to utilize proper safety procedures within their own lanes.

In the shallow end, all lanes will be available on a first come first serve basis. Circular swimming should be observed at all times. Coaches should provide supervision at all times.

Warm-up Info and Lane Assignments will be posted in the pool area.

- Pre-Meet Meetings:** There will be a short coaches meeting at 7:45. Each team needs to have at least 1 coach present. There will be a short timers meeting at 8:45. All timers should plan to attend this meeting.
- Team Seating:** Team seating will be assigned by the Meet Director and will be based on the number of swimmers entered in the meet.
- Clerk of Course:** All 10 & under swimmers must report to clerk of course prior to their events. Swimmers should have their last name clearly written in sharpie on the left shoulder to assist the clerk of course staff in identifying the swimmers more efficiently. Team age group coordinators will be responsible for making sure swimmers get to the clerk of course area. 11 & over swimmer will report behind the blocks for their events.
- Scoring & Awards:** Individual Events will be scored from 1st to 16th place in the following order:
20/18/16/14/12/11/10/9/8/7/6/5/4/3/2/1
Relay Events will be scored from 1st to 7th place in the following order:
40/36/32/28/24/22/20
Medals will be awarded for 1st-3rd place, and ribbons awarded to 4th-16th. Only the first 4 finishers from any one team in any individual event are eligible to score or receive awards. All other finishers in an event for a team will be considered exhibition and be ineligible to score or receive awards. Only A relays may score or receive awards. All B relays are considered exhibition and will not score or receive awards.
All awards must be picked up by a team representative at the conclusion of the meet.
- Volunteer Check-In:** All volunteers must check in at the volunteer table located on the first floor. All volunteers and coaches will be given a wrist band that will grant them access to the deck, hospitality room, and spectator stands. Volunteers are reminded that they should only be on deck if they are actively doing a job. Volunteers who have completed their jobs are welcome to enjoy the meet from the 2nd floor spectator area
- Spectator Facility Entry:** Adult admission \$5.
Seniors age 65 & older \$3
Children under the age of 12 will be admitted without charge.
- Heat Sheets:** A small number of heat sheets will be available for purchase at the Admission Entry Desk for \$4. The meet will also be available on Meet Mobile.
- Concessions:** The University of Akron will be selling concessions on the second floor at the end of the hallway of the Natatorium. Selection may be limited. You may bring in outside food. No glass containers or coolers. Neither the meet workers nor the University of Akron staff control the hours of operation or the selection available in the concession stand. AMSA does not profit from concession stand sales.

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T-Shirt Sales:

First come, first served t-shirts in a variety of sizes will be sold at the desk near the admission's table. Proceeds go to our AMSA league to help defray the cost of the meet.

Basket Raffle:

AMSA will be holding a basket raffle to benefit the League and it's swimmers. Tickets will be sold 1 for \$1, 6 for \$5, 14 for \$10, & 30 for \$20. Baskets winners will be drawn during the break.

Hospitality:

Hospitality will be provided for all designated meet workers, officials, and coaches. Swimmers should not enter the hospitality room nor should parents take food to their swimmers from the hospitality room. **Please help us feed only those who are working the meet.**

Break:

There will be a 15-minute break following Event #42, Boys 15 18 IM. The Sportsmanship Award will be handed out and the basket raffle tickets will be drawn during the break.

Sportsmanship Award:

Polling will be conducted via a Survey Monkey vote starting July, 9th and ending on July 12th. Each team will be given two votes, email addresses for those voters need to be given to Becky Turnbull by July 8th. Results will be announced during the break.

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