

Attention Coaches and Parents,

PARKING:

Penn State University Police have asked us to let everyone know that they will not allow drop off of swimmers on the road outside the pool over the weekend. It would be chaotic and not safe to have people stopping along the road. It creates a hazard when people stop and other cars try to go around them. University employees are also trying to make their way through campus as well as swimmer parents. Everyone is asked to park in the East Parking Deck adjacent to the pool. The driveway to the pool will be closed for drop offs. There is too much pedestrian traffic to allow for cars. We really want to continue to host meets there in the future, so please abide by the request of the university police. If there are any teams planning on bringing their team by bus please let me know asap, so I can contact the university and find out where they would like a bus drop off to occur. Please use the East Parking Deck for parking. It is located just north of the pool on Bigler Road. There is a daily fee charged, and if you keep your receipt, you will have in/out privileges throughout the day once you pay the fee. On Sat and Sun, if you wish to park in other lots near the BJC or stadium, there may be free parking. Please read all signs before parking your vehicle to be sure permits are not required(it is a longer walk to the pool from these lots – the East Parking garage is adjacent to the pool and very convenient).

**** Due to the size of the meet we have had to implement a few changes. ****

Here is the updated information on all warm up/start times for the meet:

SESSION	WARM UP START TIME	MEET START TIME
Session 1, Friday 6/27, 1500's	3:30pm	4:30pm
Session 2, Sat 6/28, AM	6:30am	8:00am
Session 3, Sat 6/28, 400 Free	12:30pm in the indoor pool	No earlier than 1:00PM, at least 10 minutes after session 2 ends.
Session 4, Sat 6/28, PM	3:30pm, in the indoor pool*, move to outdoor pool at end of session 3 for starts.	4:15pm or 10 mins after session 3 ends.
Session 5, Sun 6/29, AM	6:30am	8:00am
Session 6, Sun 6/29, 400 IM	Warm ups in the Indoor pool starting at 12:30	10 minutes after end of event 68 in the am session as stated in meet invite.
Session 7, Sun 6/29, Mini	2:00pm in the Indoor pool.	10 minutes after the 400 IM session ends but not before 2:45.
Session 8, Sun 6/29, PM	3:30pm in the indoor pool*, move to outdoor pool at end of mini session.	10 minutes after the mini session ends but not before 4:15.

During the entire weekend, the indoor race pool will be available to swimmers, for all warm up and cool down during the meet sessions.

*PLEASE NOTE, DUE TO SESSIONS RUNNING LONG, THE PM WARM UP SESSIONS WILL BEGIN INDOORS. ONCE THE OUTDOOR POOL IS AVAILABLE AT THE CONCLUSION OF SESSIONS 3, 6 AND 7, WARM UPS WILL MOVE OUTDOORS FOR STARTS.

Positive check-in for distance events:

Please initial by your name on the check-in sheet if you are swimming. If you are scratching, please draw a line through swimmer's name. Positive check-in sheets will be located near the scorer's table. Please note deadline for each positive check-in event below.

Friday, Session 1	1500 freestyle** – Events 1/2	Positive check-in closes at 3:45pm.
Saturday, Session 3	400 freestyle** - Events 23/24	Positive check-in closes at 12:35pm
Sunday, Session 6	400 IM ** – Events 67/68	Positive check-in closes at 12:35pm

****PLEASE NOTE, SWIMMERS MUST PROVIDE THEIR OWN TIMERS AND COUNTERS FOR THE 1500 FREESTYLE EVENTS AND SWIMMERS MUST PROVIDE THEIR OWN TIMERS FOR THE 400 FREESTYLE AND 400 IM.**

Tents:

Teams may bring tents to the meet. Please be sure you note any markings on the ground to note underground utilities when you put up a tent. Tents may be left up for the weekend. We just ask that when you leave each evening, you lower the tents.

No pets are allowed within the fenced area of the pool.

Admissions:

To help the admission process we have decided to implement this policy instead of charging \$5 per session you will have two options:

*each session:

Session 1	\$2.00 admission fee	Session 5	\$5.00 admission fee
Session 2	\$5.00 admission fee	Session 6	\$2.00 admission fee
Session 3	\$2.00 admission fee	Session 7	\$2.00 admission fee
Session 4	\$5.00 admission fee	Session 8	\$5.00 admission fee

Children 12 & under – no admission fee charged

Raffle:

We will be holding a raffle on Saturday. We will be raffling off a 32 inch LCD flat screen TV with a Sound Bar. Perfect size for dorm rooms, kid's rooms, or rec rooms. Tickets will be \$5 for 1 or \$10 for 3. Tickets will be on sale at the admissions table. The drawing will be between 5:30pm and 6:00pm (session 4). The winner does not need to be present to win and can pick up their prize on Sunday. We will also be holding 50/50 drawings during each of the main sessions.

Psych Sheets are attached.

The timeline is attached. The three distance sessions (1,3 & 6) are not an accurate timeline since they are positive check-in and have not been seeded yet.

We are looking forward to a great weekend!

Justine and Margaret