



2025 Irish Aquatics May Invitational

Presented by Arena

May 16 - 18, 2025

Sanction #IN25254



HOST

Irish Aquatics Swim Club
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www.irishswimming.org

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FACILITY

Elkhart Heath and Aquatics
200 E Jackson Blvd, Elkhart, IN 46516

The competition course has been certified in accordance with 104.2.2C(4). The copy of such certification is on file with USA Swimming. Where a moveable bulkhead is used, course measurement of the lane in which a record is set (American, US Open, or National Age Group) must be confirmed at the conclusion of the session during which the time was achieved.

Competition Pool: Indoor, ten-lane, 70-meter pool with a depth ranging from 4'-13' (race course is 8'2"-13' deep). Competitor lane lines with Myrtha track starting blocks, Colorado electronic timing equipment and scoreboard.

ADMISSION

- No admission charge for spectators
- Psych sheets and heat sheets will be provided free of charge via meet mobile and at www.irishswimming.org.

PARKING

Parking is available in the lot to the east of the Aquatics and Commons entrance, as well as on the street and in the surrounding municipal lots within walking distance of the facility.

ELIGIBILITY

Swimmers must be registered with USA Swimming prior to the competition. Age as of May 16, 2025 shall determine the swimmer's age for the entire meet. Indiana Swimming does not process on-site registrations.

SEATING/ATHLETE AREAS

There will be bleachers on the pool deck for swimmers.

The spectator gallery has seating for 1200 people spanning the length of the pool.

DECK ACCESS/CREDENTIALS

Coaches and Officials MUST display their current USA Swimming coach credential or Deck Pass to gain deck access. As a secondary measure, upon checking in each day, coaches, officials and meet workers will be given a wristband to be worn for that day's sessions. The meet referee reserves the right to ask for coach credential display and/or deny deck access if a coach does not comply or card is no longer valid/current.

RULES

- Current USA Swimming and Indiana Swimming rules, including the Minor Athlete Abuse Protection Policy 2.0 (MAAPP 2.0), will govern this meet.
- At a sanctioned competitive event, USA Swimming athlete members must be under the supervision of a USA Swimming member coach during warm-up, competition, and warm-down. The Meet Director or Meet Referee may assist in making arrangements for such supervision, but it is the swimmer's responsibility to make such arrangements prior to the start of the meet.
- 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. 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.
- In swimming competitions, the competitor must wear only one swimsuit in one or two pieces except as provided in USA Swimming Rule 205.10.1. All swimsuits shall be made from textile materials. For men, the suit shall not extend above the navel or below the knees, and for women, shall not cover the neck, extend past the shoulder, nor extend below the knee.
- Deck changes are prohibited.
- Use of audio or visual recording devices, including cell phones, is not permitted in changing areas, restrooms, or locker rooms.
- 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.

ENTRY LIMITS

Swimmers may swim up to 5 individual events per day. Swimmers may compete in 4 events in their age group's session and compete in the evening distance session as well.

ACCEPTANCE/LIMITED EVENTS

In the event the meet is over-entered, Irish Aquatics reserves the right to determine which teams' entries to accept. Team entries will not be split. Teams will be notified of their acceptance within 48 hours of the entry deadline.

Safe Sport 360

The Minor Athlete Abuse Prevention Policy prohibits Adult Participants (as defined in the MAAPP 2.0) from having one-on-one interactions with minor athletes which are not within an observable and interruptible distance from another adult. Adult Participants are required to abide by this policy in full during this meet.

Pursuant to USA Swimming Rules and Regulations and federal law, it is every member's responsibility to immediately (i.e., within 24 hours) report any incident of child abuse, including physical or sexual abuse, to law enforcement and the U.S. Center for SafeSport. Reporting must occur when an individual has firsthand knowledge of misconduct or where specific and credible information has been received from a victim or knowledgeable third party. A report to the U.S. Center for SafeSport may be made via telephone at 833-US-SAFE (833-587-7233) or online at www.uscenterforsafesport.org/report-a-concern. Various state laws may also require reporting to law enforcement or to a designated child protection agency.

All athletes aged 18 and older must complete Athlete Protection Training in order to be a USA Swimming registered member in good standing. Any athlete who turns 18 on or before May 18, 2025, who has not completed Athlete Protection Training by the first day of competition, will be prohibited from participating in the competition until such time as all membership requirements are completed. Times achieved by an athlete who turns age 18 on or after May 18, 2025, who competes in this USA Swimming sanctioned event without completing this membership requirement, will NOT count for qualification or recognition. This includes participation as a member of a relay.

MEDICAL SUPERVISION

Lifeguards will be on duty and will be the first responders to any incident requiring medical attention.

ENTRY FEES

- \$5.00 per individual entry
- \$10.00 per individual deck entry
- \$20.00 per swimmer surcharge

ENTRY PROCEDURE

Entries will be accepted starting at 8:00 AM April 21 and will be accepted until 10:00 PM on April 28. If the meet is not filled by the entry deadline, additional entries will be accepted on a first come, first served basis. Accepted teams may update their

entries until Wednesday, May 7. If the meet is full, only time updates will be accepted.

All times must be submitted in Long Course Meters (LCM).

DECK ENTRIES

- If the meet is not full, deck entries will be accepted for all events.
- If the meet is full, deck entries may be accepted on a first come, first served basis, and only to fill open lanes in existing heats. Swimmers will be entered at NT and will fill the lanes in the open heats.
- In either case, the deck entry table will open when the doors open and will close 30 minutes before the start of the session.

CHECK IN

There will be a positive check in for all sessions of this meet. Sign in sheets will be given to coaches at the beginning of each session and due to the control room 15 minutes after the start of warm up.

FORMAT

The meet will be deck seeded and timed final. Fly over starts may be used at the discretion of the Meet Referee. All sessions involving 12 & Under swimmers will follow the four-hour rule. There will be a clerk of course for the 10 & Under events. The diving board end of the facility will be the start end for all events except the 50s.

AWARDS & SCORING

Ribbons will be awarded for individual events places 1st-16th for the 8 & Under, 9-10 and 11-12 age groups only. There will be no team scoring for this meet.

OFFICIALS & TIMERS

Irish Aquatics appreciates help with timing and officiating from visiting clubs. Please submit the names of your officials that will be in attendance and include their level and which sessions they can work with your team entry email.

CONCESSIONS

The facility concession stand will be open during the meet. This is not operated by Irish Aquatics and Irish Aquatics does not have control over the selection or pricing.

VENDORS

ADI Apparel will be selling meet apparel on site.

Meet Schedule

Friday 5/16		
Doors Open: 4:00 PM		
Warm-up: 4:20-5:20 PM		
Meet start: 5:30 PM		

1	Open 200 IM*	2
3	10 & Under 200 Free***	4
5	11 & Over 1500 Free**#	6

Saturday 5/17 AM		
Doors Open: 7:00 AM		
Warm-up: 7:30-8:15 AM		
Meet start: 8:25 AM		

7	11-12 200 Free	8
9	10 & Under 50 Breast***	10
11	11-12 50 Breast	12
13	11-12 200 Breast****	14
15	10 & Under 100 Back***	16
17	11-12 100 Back	18
19	10 & Under 50 Free***	20
21	11-12 50 Free	22
23	10 & Under 100 Fly***	24
25	11-12 100 Fly	26

Saturday 5/17 PM		
<i>Final times will be updated after May 7.</i>		
Deck access: 12:30 PM		
Warm-up: 12:45-1:30 PM		
Meet start: 1:40 PM		

27	13 & Over 200 Back	28
29	13 & Over 100 Fly	30
31	13 & Over 200 Breast	32
33	13 & Over 50 Free	34

Saturday 5/17 Distance		
<i>The session will begin immediately following the PM session. Estimated start times will be posted after May 7.</i>		

35	Open 400 Free*#	36
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Sunday 5/18		
Doors Open: 7:00 AM		
Warm-up: 7:30-8:15 AM		
Meet start: 8:25 AM		

37	10 & Under 50 Back***	38
39	11-12 50 Back	40
41	11-12 200 Back****	42
43	10 & Under 100 Free***	44
45	11-12 100 Free	46
47	10 & Under 100 Breast***	48
49	11-12 100 Breast	50
51	10 & Under 50 Fly***	52
53	11-12 50 Fly	54
55	11-12 200 Fly***	56

Sunday 5/18 PM		
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Deck access: 12:30 PM		
Warm-up: 12:45-1:30 PM		
Meet start: 1:40 PM		

57	13 & Over 200 Free	58
59	13 & Over 100 Breast	60
61	13 & Over 200 Fly	62
63	13 & Over 100 Back	64
65	13 & Over 100 Free	66

Saturday 5/18 Distance		
<i>The session will begin immediately following the PM session. Estimated start times will be posted after May 7.</i>		

67	Open 400 IM*#	68
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*The Open 200 IM, 400 IM and 400 Free will be ranked in 8 & Under, 9-10, 11-12 and 13 & Over for results purposes.

**The 11 & Over 1500 Free will be ranked in 11-12 and 13 & Over for results purposes.

***All 10 & Under events will be ranked as 8 & Under and 9-10 for results purposes.

****The 11-12 200 strokes are being offered immediately following the 50 of the same stroke. We will not pause the meet for swimmers to compete in both the 50 and 200 of the same stroke.

#The Open 400 IM, 400 Free, and 1500 Free events will be swum fastest to slowest. The 1500 Free will alternate one heat of girls and one heat of boys and the 400 Free and IM will swim the 2 fastest heats of girls followed by the two fastest heats of boys, then alternating heats of girls and boys for the remaining heats.

SUMMARY OF EVENTS

Payments should be made payable to IRISH AQUATICS and are due by the first day of competition for the team. Please include this form with all payments. Payments can be mailed ahead of time to the entry chair at the following address:

Irish Aquatics
PO Box 1445
Granger, IN 46530

NAME OF CLUB: _____ CODE: _____

NUMBER OF SWIMMERS ENTERED: _____ X \$20.00 = _____

NUMBER OF INDIVIDUAL ENTRIES: _____ X \$5.00 = _____

TOTAL AMOUNT ENCLOSED: _____

CLUB OFFICIAL SUBMITTING ENTRY

COACH'S NAMES

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

CITY: _____

STATE/ZIP: _____

Release and Hold Harmless Agreement

In consideration of being permitted to participate in the swim meet, Club, and its swimmers, coaches, parents, members and volunteers hereby release and forever discharge Irish Aquatics Swim Club, USA Swimming, Indiana Swimming, Beacon Health and Fitness, the respective owners, trustees, directors, officers, agents, employees, members, successors, and assigns of each of them, and all other persons or entities in any way connected with sponsoring or holding this swim meet, of and from any and all liabilities, claims, demands, actions, causes of action, losses, damages or expenses, of whatever kind or character, arising out of or in connection with said swim meet and the facilities and personnel for it. Further, Club and its swimmers, coaches, parents, members and volunteers shall indemnify and hold harmless Irish Aquatics Swim Club, USA Swimming, Indiana Swimming, Beacon Health and Fitness, the respective owners, trustees, directors, officers, agents, employees, members, successors, and assigns of each of them, and all other persons or entities in any way connected with sponsoring or holding this swim meet, of and from any and all liabilities, claims, demands, actions, causes of action, losses, damages or expenses, of whatever kind or character, arising out of or in connection with any injury to any person, including death, or injury or damage to any property.

The undersigned represents that he/she is authorized by the Club and its swimmers, coaches, parents, members and volunteers to execute this release and hold harmless agreement on behalf of each of them, binding Club, and its swimmers, coaches, parents, members, and volunteers to the terms hereof.

EXECUTED THIS ____ DAY OF _____, 20____

SIGNATURE _____

PRINTED NAME _____

POSITION _____ CLUB _____