



***ASAJ Synchronized Swimming Invitational Competition
and National Team Qualifier, 2017
Sanction #21709***

COMPETITION: This competition will promote the development of synchronized swimmers and select additional swimmers to the 2017 National SY team.

DATE OF COMPETITION: May 6th, 2017

VENUE: UWI Pool, UWI, Mona, Kingston 7

HOSTED BY: ASAJ

MEET MANAGER: To be decided

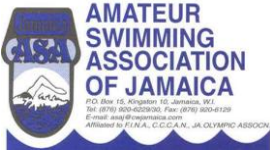
RULES: Unless otherwise specified, FINA and ASAJ Bylaws and Regulations in force at time of competition: <http://www.fina.org> and <http://www.asaj.com.jm>. Please note: swimmers from the Jamaican Federation must be registered with the ASAJ by **April 14th, 2017**. Also note:

- Athletes doing routines **must** compete in figures.
- Athletes may compete in figures only.
- All routines will be judged as free routines.
- Novice, Intermediate and Age Group competition will be held in the categories: 12 & under, 13-15 and 16-18 and 19&Over.
- An athlete may compete in an older age group for the duet and team competition as long as at least one of the swimmers is in the relevant age group. Such an athlete will do the figures for the age group of the routine she swims. Where an athlete(s) swims up in Duet and/or Team they may not also swim those events in their own age category. Where an athlete(s) swims up but also competes in their age category in other events, the athlete(s) must compete in the Figure event for both age categories.
- Age Group competitors may not swim in a younger age group.
- Intermediate swimmers may do the figures from a younger age group.
- Mixed age group team demonstrations are welcome (with scores, but result will not include the figures as all the swimmers are from different age groups).
- Any swimmer who is listed as an alternate for duet or team shall pay the relevant entry fee.
- Coaches are not allowed on deck while the competition is in progress. There will be a designated coaching area.
- The venues are open air pools so teams are welcome to bring their own tents for shade.

ELIGIBILITY: Novice, Intermediate and Age Group swimmers who are registered members of a FINA Federation or a school team.

Novice, Intermediate and Age Group Competition: Dates of birth: 12 & under (2005 or later); 13-15 (2002 – 2004); 16-18 (1999 – 2001); 19 & over (1998 and before).

DELEGATIONS: There is no limit to the number of athletes. However, a maximum of three (3) coaches and one (1) team leader is allowed per club.



JUDGES: Each participating club should send a minimum of one (1) qualified Judge at their own expense with the exception of Host Country who's Federation will provide judges.

PRACTICE / TRAINING JUDGES: Practice judging will be allowed.

EVENTS:

Novice, Intermediate and Age Group: free routine and figures competitions (solo, duet, team)

All events will be finals.

Novice, Intermediate and Age Group Figures: May be pre-selected prior to the competition by mutual agreement.

FIGURES (pre-selected):

Novice: Ballet Leg, Barracuda, Kipnus, Walk Over Front.

12& under and Intermediate B: Compulsory and Group 3 - Tower and Swordfish Straight Leg.

13-15: and Intermediate A: Compulsory and Group 3 – Albatross ½ Twist and Side Fishtail Split.

16-18 and 19 and over: Compulsory and Group 3 – Ibis Continuous Spin (720) and Jupiter.

MEET ENTRY FEES:

JA \$800.00 per competitor per figure and routine entry

TENTATIVE SCHEDULE: To be confirmed

TIME: 2:00 to 4:00 pm (volunteers arrive at 12:00, athletes arrive at 1:00 pm)

AWARDS: ASAJ ribbons for places 1 to 8

Points will be awarded as follows:

Place: Solo/Figures: 1st **9**, 2nd **7**, 3rd **6**, 4th **5**, 5th **4**, 6th **3**, 7th **2**, 8th **1**

Points will be doubled for duet and team routines.

TECHNICAL MEETING: The order of appearance will be drawn prior to the competition (date to be confirmed).

FINAL ENTRY DEADLINE: April 22, 2017

CANCELLATION POLICY: None

SOUND EQUIPMENT: Each delegation is asked to present at the team leaders meeting (2) Compact Disks per routine labelled with Competitor Name, Club, Age Category, Routine/Event. Each CD should have music for only one routine. Alternatively a thumb drive with the music clearly labelled as above for each routine may be presented. Audio files may be emailed to the meet manager.

NATIONAL TEAM SELECTION: Age Group swimmers will qualify for National Team by figures scores as follows:

National Team Criteria 2017

(Average of top 6 places at last CCCAN)

12 & Under: 53.8

13 – 15: 61.5

16 – 18: 62.5

National Dev. Squad Criteria (since 2014)

12 & U: 50

13 – 15: 55

16 – 18: 58

Seniors: 60

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AGE GROUP FIGURES LIST

Senior, Junior and Age Group 16-17-18			
#	Figure #	Figure Name	Degree of Difficulty
COMPULSORY:			
1	308	Barracuda Airborne Split	2.8
2	355 g	Porpoise Twist Spin	2.6
Group 3			
3	112f	Ibis Continuous Spin (720°)	2.8
4	325	Jupiter	2.8
Age Group 13-14-15			
Figure #	Figure Name	Degree of Difficulty	
COMPULSORY:			
1	423	Ariana	2.2
2	301e	Barracuda Spinning 360°	2.2
Group 3			
3	240a	Albatross 1/2 Twist	2.6
4	346	Side Fishtail Split	2.0
Age Group 12 & Under			
Figure #	Figure Name	Degree of Difficulty	
COMPULSORY:			
1	101	Ballet Leg Single	1.6
2	301	Barracuda	2.0
Group 3			
3	349	Tower	1.9
4	406	Swordfish Straight Leg	2.0