

ISSA HIGH SCHOOL SWIM MEET

JANUARY 21, 2022

ASAJ SANCTION #: 32202

Facilities:

National Aquatic Center: 8 Lane Competition Pool (with 25m Warm Up Pool)
Colorado Electronic Timing System (CTS6): pads with back-up buttons

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. According to the World Health Organization (WHO), senior citizens and individuals with underlying medical conditions are especially vulnerable.

ISSA, ASAJ and Independence Parks Limited (As operators of the facility) cannot prevent you (or your child(ren)) from becoming exposed to, contracting, or spreading COVID-19 while participating in the ISSA High School Swim Meet. It is not possible to prevent against the presence of the disease. Therefore, if you choose to participate in our timed trials, you may be exposing yourself to and/or increasing your risk of contracting or spreading COVID-19.

BY ATTENDING OR PARTICIPATING IN THIS MEET, YOU VOLUNTARILY ASSUME ALL RISKS ASSOCIATED WITH EXPOSURE TO COVID-19 AND FOREVER RELEASE AND HOLD HARMLESS ISSA 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 WITH EXPOSURE, INFECTION, AND/OR SPREAD OF COVID-19 RELATED TO PARTICIPATION IN THESE SWIM SERIES.

We have taken enhanced health and safety measures – for you, our coaches, swimmers, officials, and volunteers. All participants must follow all the ASAJ posted instructions while attending this event. By participating in this event, you voluntarily assume all risks related to exposure to COVID-19.

- VENUE:** National Aquatic Centre, Independence Park, Kingston 6 - (50M pool)
- DATES & TIMES:** Friday, January 21, 2022 8:30 A.M. (Session 1) and 1:30 P.M. (Session 2)
The Pool will be opened one and a half (1 ½) hours before starting time.
- OPENING CEREMONY:** Friday, January 21, 2022 8:15 AM (Ceremony will be restricted to 4 team members on deck)
- ELIGIBILITY:** All High Schools registered with ISSA are invited to attend. All swimmers **MUST** be fully vaccinated to be eligible to participate.
Ages for the Meet shall be as of midnight August 31, 2021.

ENTRY LIMITS: **A maximum of 8 swimmers per age group** will be allowed for a team total of 32 swimmers per gender. Maximum swimmers per tent must not exceed 32 swimmers. Number of events per swimmer - Five (5), excluding relays. Number of individual entries per school - Three (3) swimmers per event (excluding 50m freestyle) **See note below**
Number of entries per school for relays - Two (2) Team per relay event.

- ◆ **Entry limit in Open events is three (3) per school.**
- ◆ **All events will be swum as timed finals.**
- ◆ **Entry limit for 50m Freestyle - Five (5) swimmers per school**

ENTRY FEES: There is no entry fee for schools registered with the Inter-Secondary Schools Sports Association (ISSA.)

RULES: Except as indicated in this Summons, FINA rules and ASAJ By-laws in force at time of competition will apply. Refer to additional Rules and Regulations in this Summons.

PROGRAMME: All events will be swum as timed finals. Programmes will be sent electronically to help prevent the spread of COVID-19.

EVENT ENTRY

DEADLINE: **11:59 p.m on Friday, January 14, 2022. ENTRIES WILL ONLY BE ACCEPTED VIA HYTEK SOFTWARE. MANUAL ENTRIES WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED.**

Hy-tek entries must be emailed to aquaticsja@gmail.com. The entry list (sorted by swimmer) from Hy-tek Team Manager **MUST** accompany the entries, duly signed by the Principal of the School, and stamped. Entries must be emailed to aquaticsja@gmail.com from the participating schools. However, a list of all participants (per school) must be submitted using the school's email address confirming that the participants are eligible to represent the school. For further information kindly contact ASAJ at 920-6229/30.

ISSA Schools

1. All swimmers from ISSA Schools **MUST** be registered on the ISSA platform at www.issasports.com/registration
2. General ISSA Registration Submission document **MUST** be signed by the Principal at the end of the registration process.
3. Submit the ISSA Registration Submission document to the ISSA Offices on or before the stated deadline.
4. Print the Submission Status document from the system and submit to the ASAJ. **This is in addition to the entries sent to the ASAJ in electronic form using Hy-tek software and e-mailed to: aquaticsja@gmail.com.**

TECHNICAL MEETING: *There will be no technical meeting. All entries **MUST** be sent via Hy-Tek Software. Entries as submitted will be returned for verification. Any corrections of changes must be forwarded by email.*

SAFETY FIRST: Life Guards will be on duty. Swimmers and Team Officials who do not comply with the Life Guards' instructions or COVID protocols will be excluded from further participation in the Competition and must leave the pool compound.

NOTE

1. **ENTRY TIMES MAYBE STATED IN THE ENTRY FOR EACH EVENT ENTERED**
2. **RELAY ENTRIES MAYBE INDICATED ON THE ENTRY FORM WITH ENTRY TIME**
3. **DATE OF BIRTH OF EACH COMPETITOR MUST BE ENTERED CORRECTLY IN HY-TEK.**

ADDITIONAL RULES AND REGULATIONS

General

1. Arm Bands will be provided for Officials and Coaches. ID cards will be provided to all ISSA registered swimmers.
2. Each swimmer is required to present their ISSA I.D. card at the entrance gate for the Meet. Abuse of these entry regulations will result in confiscation of the ID card and the appropriate disciplinary action taken against the offender and the respective school.
3. **Schools are required to provide one (1) volunteer each to act as timekeepers and perform other functions essential to the smooth running of the competition.** Armbands will be issued to those schools who submit the names of their volunteers with the entries. Volunteers **MUST** report to the Meet Director at least **sixty (60) minutes** before the start of the session.

NB: TEAM ARM BANDS WILL NOT BE GIVEN TO THE SCHOOLS UNTIL THE NAMES OF THEIR VOLUNTEERS HAVE BEEN SUBMITTED TO THE ASAJ OFFICE

DECK ENTRIES

Deck Entries will not be allowed.

MARSHALLING

1. There will be no Marshalling Area for the Meet. The next heat must be behind the time keeper while the current heat is in progress. Only one heat will be allowed to wait behind the time keeper. A second heat waiting will do so one either side of lanes #1 (1-4) and #8 (5-8) while observing physical distance in their mask and a plastic bag (preferably a Zip Loc bag that is properly labeled) in hand to place mask during race.
2. The coaches are responsible to get their swimmers to the starting blocks. It is the responsibility of the swimmer to swim in the correct lane and heat assigned. If a swimmer swims in the incorrect lane or heat then the team may automatically be disqualified.
3. Once the swimmers are under the Starter's orders and he/she has taken control of the race (after second whistle) no swimmer may then enter the race. If this occurs the swimmer will be disqualified and not be allowed to swim in the particular event.

ENTRIES AND RESULTS

1. Competitors will only be allowed to swim in their respective Age Group. If competitors swim outside of their Age Group then the offending competitor will be disqualified from the competition.
2. Substitutions will not be allowed in either the Individual or Relay events. Only the named swimmer entered in the respective event will be allowed to compete. The swimmer found in violation of this will be disqualified and if it is done in a relay, the relay team will be disqualified from the remainder of the competition.
3. All swimmers entered must be registered with their respective schools on the ISSA platform.
4. As per ISSA rules, swimmers who transfer between Government High Schools between grades 7-11 are ineligible to compete for a new school for one (1) year.
5. All scratches and name spelling corrections and checking of the original entry are to be done via email response after receiving the entries as submitted by Hy-Tek.
6. Relay cards are in duplicate. The original must be handed in to the Recorder thirty (30) minutes before the start of the first event of the particular session. The copy must be handed to the Head Lane Time-keeper at the beginning of the event. Any change must be made at least four (4) events prior to the scheduled event number, after that on presentation of a medical certificate only. The swimmers must be named in order of swimming in accordance with FINA rules.

7. No late entries will be accepted unless in very extreme circumstances at the discretion of the ISSA and the Meet Coordinator.
8. The Meet Director/Referee reserves the right to change start time, drop events, move events, and add breaks in order to hold an efficient Meet within the guidelines of GOJ/ISSA/ASAJ and FINA.

AWARDS AND POINTS

1. Points for each event will be awarded as follows: 9, 7, 6, 5, 4, 3, 2, 1 for places first to eighth respectively for individual events. For relays the points will be: 18, 14, 12, 10, 8, 6, 4, 2 for places 1st to 8th respectively.
2. High School - Medals will be awarded for places first to third for each event.
3. **A High Point Trophy will be awarded to the top individual point scorer in each Age Group female and male.**
4. Trophies will be awarded as follows:
 - ❖ There will be **no** trophy for a combined/overall winning school in the High Schools section;
 - ❖ **There will be a trophy awarded to the top female and male school.**



ORDER OF EVENTS FOR THE 2021 ISSA SWIM MEET
For High Schools Only
JANUARY 21, 2022

MORNING SESSION				AFTERNOON SESSION			
Event #	Event	F/M	Age Group	Event #	Event	F/M	Age Group
1-2	100M Breaststroke	F/M	Open	29-30	200M Ind, Medley	F/M	Open
3-4	200M Freestyle	F/M	Open	31-32	100M Freestyle	F/M	12 & under
5-6	50M Backstroke	F/M	12 & under	33-34	100M Freestyle	F/M	13-14
7-8	50M Backstroke	F/M	13-14	35-36	100M Freestyle	F/M	15-16
9-10	50M Backstroke	F/M	15-16	37-38	100M Freestyle	F/M	17 & over
11-12	50M Backstroke	F/M	17 & over	39-40	50M Breaststroke	F/M	12 & under
13-14	50M Freestyle	F/M	12 & under	41-42	50M Breaststroke	F/M	13-14
15-16	50M Freestyle	F/M	13-14	43-44	50M Breaststroke	F/M	15-16
17-18	50M Freestyle	F/M	15-16	45-46	50M Breaststroke	F/M	17 & over
19-20	50M Freestyle	F/M	17 & over	47-48	50M Butterfly	F/M	12 & under
21-22	4 x 50M Free Relay	F/M	12 & under	49-50	50M Butterfly	F/M	13-14
23-24	4 x 50M Free Relay	F/M	13-14	51-52	50M Butterfly	F/M	15-16
25-26	4 x 50M Free Relay	F/M	15-16	53-54	50M Butterfly	F/M	17 & over
27-28	4 x 50M Free Relay	F/M	17 & over	55-56	4 x 50M Med. Relay	F/M	12 & under
				57-58	4 x 50M Med. Relay	F/M	13-14
				59-60	4 x 50M Med. Relay	F/M	15-16
				61-62	4 x 50M Med. Relay	F/M	17 & over

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