

Warm-Up Times	<u>Friday</u>	<u>Saturday & Sunday - AM</u>
	3:30 – 4:30 PM Mixed	7:00 – 8:00 AM Mixed
	4:40 PM Meet start	8:10 AM Meet start
	<u>Saturday & Sunday PM</u>	<u>Saturday & Sunday Finals</u>
	1:00 – 1:30 PM Mixed	4:30 – 5:30 PM Mixed
	1:40 PM Meet start	5:40 PM Meet start

Warm-up and start times are tentative and may be changed by the Meet Directors depending on the number of swimmers entered in the meet. Please visit the COSA website on or after Wednesday, July 1 for final warm-up times.

Warm-Up Procedures

Teams will be assigned lanes for warm-up and the supervising coaches in each lane will run their warm-up as they see fit. The Meet Director reserves the right to revise warm-up procedures to ensure the safety of the swimmers.

Ohio LSC Swimming Safety Guidelines and Warm-Up Procedures will be in effect at the meet. Swimmers must enter the water at the start end of the pool, feet-first, in a cautious manner, with one hand in contact with the pool edge, except in lanes that have been cleared and specifically declared one-way sprint lanes by unanimous agreement of the supervising coaches.

Deck-Seeded Events

All 1500-meter freestyle, 400-meter freestyle and 400-meter IM events will be deck seeded. Deck-seeded events will be limited to the fastest 40 times submitted WITH PROOF and shall be swum fastest to slowest, with conforming long-course meter times seeded ahead of non-conforming short-course yard times. The ten (10) top-seeded swimmers in the 1500-meter freestyle and 400-meter IM will swim during the finals session. Proof of time must be submitted for all deck-seeded events.

All swimmers competing in deck-seeded events are required to positively check-in at the head table located by the start end of the pool no later than ½ hour before the beginning of competition in the preliminary session in which the event will be swum. Swimmers who do not check-in by the deadline will be scratched from the event without refund.

Ohio Swimming rules regarding deck-seeded events will apply: Any swimmer who has checked in for a deck-seeded event must swim in the event unless he/she notifies the Clerk of Course of his/her wish to scratch before seeding for the event has begun. A swimmer who checks-in for a deck-seeded event, but fails to swim in the event or to scratch prior to seeding, will be barred from swimming his/her next individual event.

Entry Procedures

Entries will open on May 15, 2009 at 8:00 a.m. Entries will be taken in the order they are received until the meet is closed. Checks and supporting documentation must be received by the Entry Chair no later than 8:00 PM, Monday, June 29, 2009.

Entries produced using Hy-Tek Team Manager software and submitted by electronic mail are preferred. Fax or telephone entries will not be accepted. Entries must be accompanied by surface-mailed packet that includes 1) a check covering all entry fees and surcharges, 2) a printed listing of individual and relay entries, 3) proof of times for swimmers entered in deck-seeded events, 4) a completed Entry Summary Sheet (attached), 5) a completed and signed USA Swimming Membership Verification Form (attached), and 6) a diskette containing a Hy-Tek entry file or official hardcopy entry form (attached), unless the entry file is submitted by electronic mail and receipt is acknowledged by the Entry Chair.

For all events less than 400 meters in length, please submit best long-course meter time or, if the swimmer has not achieved a qualifying long-course meter time in the event, but has achieved a qualifying time in the equivalent short-course yard event, please submit a converted long-course meter time. Qualifying times must have been achieved after January 1, 2008.

For individual events 400 meters or longer, please submit best long-course meter time or, if the swimmer has not achieved a qualifying long-course meter time in the event, but has achieved a qualifying time in the equivalent short-course yard event, please submit the yard time. Converted times or times without accompanying proof will not be accepted for these events. Qualifying times must have been achieved after January 1, 2008.

Please pay by check or money order, payable to "COSA Peppe/Bruce Meet". No entry fees will be returned except to those swimmers who have failed to qualify for deck-seeded events or whose entries have been rejected by the Meet Director.

Please mail entries, checks, and supporting documentation to:

Chris Reynolds
Peppe/Bruce Entry Chair
266 Gurgun Lane
Westerville, OH 43081-1139
(614) 890-6034
creynolds011@columbus.rr.com

Deck Entries Deck entries will be accepted at the discretion of the Meet Directors, if space permits, on a first-come, first-served basis. No heats will be added to accommodate deck entries. Deck entries will close 20 minutes prior to the start of competition in the session in which the event will be swum. Deck entry fees are \$8.00 for an individual swim and \$10.00 for a relay entry. Deck entry fees must be paid in cash – no checks will be accepted. Swimmers must present proof of USA Swimming membership to deck-enter an event, unless already entered in the meet.

Coach Registration Ohio Swimming rules and regulations require that all coaches have their USA Swimming Coach Registration Card on their person while on deck. Coaches should be able to present their credentials at the request of meet personnel and coaches are asked to register at the table located in the front lobby of the facility before every session. A coach will not be permitted on deck without their USA Swimming Coach Registration Card, unless, at their expense, they can provide documentary proof of valid coaching credentials.

Finals/Timed Finals All Friday evening events will be timed finals. All 12 and under events on Saturday and Sunday will be timed finals. All relays will be timed finals. There will be a championship and consolation heat of all finals events on Saturday and Sunday. Each heat in finals will consist of eight swimmers. The Senior 400IM and 1500 freestyle will be timed finals, with the fastest ten swimmers competing in the finals sessions.

Awards The Peppe/Bruce Memorial Invitational Champion Plaque will be awarded to the team scoring the greatest number of points in the meet. In addition, the name of the winning team will be engraved on the Peppe/Bruce Memorial Invitational Champion Plaque on permanent display in the lobby of the Easter Seals Rehabilitation Center, Columbus, Ohio. The Peppe/Bruce Relay Award Plaque will be awarded to the team scoring the greatest number of points in relay events.

High Point Plaques will be awarded to the individuals scoring the greatest number of points in each age group (including senior). Custom medals will be awarded to the 1st-8th place finishers in age group individual events. Custom medals will be awarded for 1st-3rd place finishers and custom ribbons will be awarded for 4th-8th place finishers in age group relay events. No awards will be given for senior events. The money that would have been spent for senior individual event awards will be donated on behalf of the senior swimmers to the Easter Seals Rehabilitation Center of Columbus, Ohio.

Awards will be distributed to club representatives at the conclusion of each day's competition. Awards remaining at the end of the meet will not be forwarded by mail.

Scoring Individual Events: 20-17-16-15-14-13-12-11-9-7-6-5-4-3-2-1
Relay Events: 40-34-32-30-28-26-24-22-18-14-12-8-6-4-2

Facility The Mike Peppe Natatorium at the McCorkle Aquatic Pavilion was dedicated in October,

2005. The Pavilion contains a 50-meter x 25 meter 10-lane competition pool, with water depth of 7'6" to 10'0". There is balcony spectator seating for 1,560 people. There will be continuous warm-down available in the Ron O'Brien Diving Well.

Venue Rules No parent or spectator will be allowed on deck except to perform a service or function at the *request of meet officials*. *No alcohol or tobacco shall be* consumed within the venue. Please park only in designated spaces. There is parking in open-air lots near the Pavilion, as well as a parking garage adjacent to the facility

Final Results One printed copy of the final results will be mailed to any club with five or more swimmers that provides an address on the Entry Summary Sheet. Complete meet results and Hy-Tek back-up files will be posted on the UASC website within 4 hours of the conclusion of the meet.

Accommodations The following establishments are located near the campus of The Ohio State University.

Hilton Garden Inn	University Plaza Hotel.
3232 Olentangy River	3110 Olentangy River Rd
Rd Columbus, OH 43202 - (614)	Columbus, OH 43202
263-7200	(614) 267-7461

National Officials Certification The meet has applied for National Certification for officials, at the N2 and N3 level. Final determination of N3 approved levels will be dependent on availability of national observers. Application for observation will be on the COSA web site by May 1, 2009. The web site will be <http://www.cosaswim.org>.

ORDER OF EVENTS

Friday, July 03

Women		Men
#	Event	#
1	10&U 200 Free*	2
3	Senior 400 Free*	4
5	13-14 400 Free*	6
7	11-12 400 Free*	8
9	Senior 800 Free Relay*	10

Saturday, July 04- AM Prelim Session

Women		Men
#	Event	#
13	Senior 100 Free	14
15	13-14 100 Free	16
17	Senior 200 Back	18
19	13-14 200 IM	20
21	Senior 200 Breast	22
23	13-14 50 Free	24
25	Senior 50 Free	26
27	13-14 100 Fly	28
29	Senior 100 Fly	30
31	13-14 400 Free Relay*	32
33	Senior 400 Free Relay*	34
11	Women's Senior 1500 Free**	----
----	Men's Senior 400 IM**	12

Sunday, July 05- AM Prelim Session

Women		Men
#	Event	#
53	Senior 200 IM	54
55	Senior 100 Breast	56
57	13-14 100 Breast	58
59	Senior 200 Free	60
61	13-14 200 Free	62
63	Senior 100 Back	64
65	13-14 100 Back	66
67	Senior 200 Fly	68
69	13-14 400 Medley Relay*	70
71	Senior 400 Medley Relay*	72
51	Women's Senior 400 IM**	----
----	Men's Senior 1500 Free**	52

Saturday, July 04 - PM Prelim Session

Women		Men
#	Event	#
35	11-12 100 Free*	36
37	10&U 200 IM*	38
39	11-12 200 IM*	40
41	10&U 50 Free*	42
43	11-12 100 Fly*	44
45	10&U 50 Fly*	46
47	11-12 400 Free Relay*	48
49	10&U 400 Free Relay*	50

Sunday, July 05 - PM Prelim Session

Women		Men
#	Event	#
73	11-12 100 Breast*	74
75	10&U 50 Breast*	76
77	11-12 50 Free*	78
79	10&U 100 Free*	80
81	11-12 200 Free*	82
83	10&U 50 Back*	84
85	11-12 100 Back*	86
87	10&U 400 Medley Relay*	88
89	11-12 400 Medley Relay*	90

* Timed final event.

** Timed final event. Entries limited to fastest 40 swimmers; fastest 10 swim with finals.

Entry Summary Sheet

PLEASE RETURN THIS FORM WITH YOUR ENTRIES

Date: _____

Club Name: _____ Club Code: _____

Team Contact: _____

Daytime Phone: _____

Evening Phone: _____

email Address: _____

Address for
Final Results: _____

Coaches Attending
Meet _____

Number of swimmers entered: Boys _____ + Girls _____ = Total _____

_____ Swimmers @ \$2.00 per swimmer = \$ _____

_____ Individual Events @ \$5.00 per event = \$ _____

_____ Relay Events @ \$7.00 per event = \$ _____

Total Amount Remitted = \$ _____

Please enclose check, payable to "COSA Peppe/Bruce Meet", and mail with entries to

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USA Swimming Membership Verification Form

PLEASE RETURN THIS FORM WITH YOUR ENTRIES

Meet: Mike Peppe / John Bruce Memorial Invitational
Location: McCorkle Aquatic Pavilion – The Ohio State University
Dates: Friday, July 3 - Sunday, July 5, 2009
Sanction: USA Swimming, Inc. Sanction # ____ OH

The undersigned team representative certifies by his or her signature that all athletes participating for or entered by the team in this sanctioned swim meet are currently member athletes of USA Swimming, Inc. The undersigned further certifies that any person appearing on deck in this meet in the capacity of coach is currently a coach member of USA Swimming, Inc.

Team: _____

Printed Name: _____

Signature: _____

Date: _____

Email: _____

MEET: _____
 DATE: _____
 CLUB: _____
 COACH: _____
 PHONE: _____

EVENT#
 Qualifying time:
 200 Free Relay
 A. _____
 B. _____
 C. _____

EVENT#
 Qualifying time:
 400 Free Relay
 A. _____
 B. _____
 C. _____

EVENT#
 Qualifying Time:
 800 Free Relay
 A. _____
 B. _____
 C. _____

EVENT#
 Qualifying time:
 200 Med. Relay
 A. _____
 B. _____
 C. _____

EVENT#
 Qualifying time:
 400 Med, Relay
 A. _____
 B. _____
 C. _____

			Friday					Saturday					Sunday								
Circle:	Boys	Girls	Event																		
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ENTER MEET IN: YARD TIMES METER TIMES

NUMBER OF INDIVIDUAL EVENTS: _____ NUMBER OF RELAY EVENTS: _____