



**2020 Carey Hilliard's Invitational** **October 23-24, 2020**

<b>HOST</b>	Savannah Swim Team - (SST)
<b>SANCTION:</b>	Held under the sanction of USA Swimming, issued by Georgia Swimming Inc., Sanction #: <b>GA??</b>
<b>MAAPP:</b> Minor Athlete Abuse Protection Policy  Effective June 23, 2019	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● <i>A USA Swimming club that hosts a sanctioned USA Swimming swim meet indicates acknowledgement of USA Swimming's Minor Athlete Abuse Prevention Policy ("MAAPP").</i></li> <li>● <i>All USA Swimming members including athletes 18yrs and older and adults who are attending this swim meet and interact with minor athletes are expected to comply with the MAAPP policy.</i></li> <li>● <i>All chaperones, team managers, adult swimmers, meet directors, officials, and non-member parents and meet volunteers who are attending this swim meet are expected to understand and comply with MAAPP.</i></li> <li>● <i>As the host club, you are responsible for ensuring that these individuals know about and comply with MAAPP.</i></li> </ul>
<b>LIABILITY:</b>	In granting this sanction it is understood and agreed that USA Swimming, Inc., Georgia Swimming, Inc., and Savannah Swim Team., shall be free and held harmless from any liabilities or claims for damages arising by reason of injuries to anyone during the conduct of the event.
<b>MEET DIRECTOR:</b>	Joe Witt / <a href="mailto:wittjoe@gmail.com">wittjoe@gmail.com</a>
<b>MEET REFEREE:</b>	Keith Powell / <a href="mailto:kgp001@aol.com">kgp001@aol.com</a>
<b>STARTER:</b>	Heather Harmon, Brendan Sheehan
<b>STROKE AND TURN:</b>	Autumn Shonk, Daniela Jones, Bill Pilczuk
<b>ADMIN OFFICIAL:</b>	Michele Smith
<b>SAFETY DIRECTOR:</b>	Bill Pilczuk
<b>FACILITY:</b>	Camden Community Recreation Center, 1050 Wildcat Drive, Kingsland, GA 31548 This facilities competition pool is a 6 lanex 25-yard pool with, non-turbulent lane lines, depth varying between 5 and 9 feet, and conforms to USA Swimming rules and regulations for competition pools. The competition course has been certified in accordance with 104.2.2C(4). A copy of such certification is on file with USA Swimming and Georgia Swimming.

<b>SCHEDULE:</b>	Session 1: ALL Ages    Warm up: 4:00pm    Start: 5:00pm Session 2: 11&U        Warm up: 8:00am    Start: 9:00am Session 3: 13&O        Warm up: 2pm        Start: 3pm
<b>MEET FORMAT:</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● SCY</li> <li>● Time Final Format (TF)</li> <li>● ALL Events will be swam as MIXED Gender.</li> </ul>
<b>ENTRY FEES:</b>	Flat FEE: \$35.00 A \$2.00 Ga travel surcharge applies to all non-Georgia LSC registered swimmers. LATE ENTRIES: \$35.00 +\$10.00
<b>ELIGIBILITY:</b>	Open to all USA-registered swimmers and teams. SST will not allow unregistered swimmers, coaches, officials or teams to participate in this meet. No swimmer will be permitted to compete unless the swimmer is a member in as provided in Article 302.
<b>ENTRIES:</b>	Swimmers may swim a maximum of 5 individual events per day.
<b>CHECK-IN:</b>	Deck entries can be made with the clerk of course up to 30 minutes before the start of the session.
<b>ENTRY SUBMISSION:</b>	ENTRY DEADLINE: Saturday, Oct 17, 2020 at 8:00pm. Submit entries using Hy-Tek team manager. Entries must include the USA Swimming Club Code and each swimmer's USA Swimming number, first and last name, age, and seeding time for each event entered.

<p><b>RULES:</b></p>	<p>Georgia Swimming Tech Suit Policy - <a href="http://www.gaswim.org">refer to www.gaswim.org</a></p> <p><b>Select: Meets/Events from the home page to review full policy</b></p> <p><b>Revised: Effective April 1, 2019:</b></p> <p>In all Georgia Swimming Sanctioned or Approved competitions, the use of Tech Suits as defined below will NOT be allowed by any 12&amp;Under athletes (whether competing in age-specific or "Open" events). 11-12 swimmers only will be allowed to wear Tech Suits at meets determined as Championship meets in the LSC such as Divisionals, State Championships, and Age Group Sectionals</p> <p><b>Current USA Technical Swimming Rules, including the Minor Athlete Abuse Prevention Policy ("MAAPP"), will govern this meet.</b></p> <p>Use of audio or visual recording devices, including a cell phone, is not permitted in changing areas, rest rooms or locker rooms.</p> <p>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.</p> <p><b>Deck changes are prohibited.</b> (Defined as changing, in whole or in part, into or out of a swimsuit when wearing just one suit in an area other than a permanent or temporary locker room, bathroom, changing room or other space designated for changing purposes). Swimmers participating in deck changing could be subject to removal from further competition in the meet.</p> <p>On deck registrations will not be permitted during this event.</p> <p>Operation of a drone, or any other flying apparatus, is prohibited over the venue (pools, athlete/coaches' 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, Program &amp; Events Committee Chair or designee.</p> <p>Photos and videos may be taken of swimmers during the meet by parents or a professional photographer retained by the host club. All participants agree to be filmed or photographed by photographers designated by the meet host and to allow the meet host the right to use names, pictures, likenesses, and biographical information before, during, or after the period of participation in Georgia Swimming competitions to promote swimming and meets hosted by the meet organizer. If you do not wish to have your child(ren) photographed, you may withdraw your consent by informing the Meet Director before the start of the first day of the meet.</p> <p>Swimmers will be responsible for swimming in their assigned heat and lane.</p> <p>Deck Pass is acceptable proof of USA Swimming membership.</p> <p>Swimmers entered in the meet, unaccompanied by a member coach must report to the Meet Referee or Meet Director, prior to the beginning of swimming activities to arrange for coach supervision of warm up, competition and warm down during the meet.</p>
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<b>COACHES:</b>	Coaches will be required to sign in and show their USA Swimming coaches registration card or <b>DECK PASS</b> for verification that all certifications are current. Coaches meeting as needed.
<b>OFFICIALS:</b>	SST welcomes visiting officials and apprentices and will appreciate help in officiating this competition. There will be an official's meeting (45 min) prior to the start of each session. The official's uniform will consist of a white polo collared shirt, navy blue shorts, skirts or slacks with white socks and shoes. All officials must present at check in, their current LSC Officials Certification Card; <b>OR</b> a recently completed Apprentice Form; <b>AND</b> proof of current USA Swimming Non-Athlete membership. Credentials may be required for deck access and hospitality.
<b>MEET COMMITTEE:</b>	The Meet Committee shall be established during the coaching meeting or prior to the competition and shall consist of the Meet Director, Meet Referee, Coaches and athlete members, as appropriate. As defined in the Official Glossary (2019 USA Swimming Rulebook)
<b>AWARDS:</b>	Ribbons for 10&U
<b>CONCESSIONS:</b>	NO Concessions.
<b>GEORGIA WARM-UP POLICY:</b>	The Georgia Swimming approved warm-up guidelines will be followed for this meet. Warm-up lane assignments will be posted at the pool. USA Swimming Certified Coaches must supervise in the vicinity of all warm-up activities. Refer <a href="http://www.gaofficials.org/documents">www.gaofficials.org/documents</a>
<b>GEORGIA SCRATCH RULE:</b>	Refer <a href="http://www.gaofficials.org/documents">www.gaofficials.org/documents</a>
<b>MISC. INFORMATION:</b>	Prior to the meet warm-up, any team wanting water time must rent lanes from the CCAC. Lane availability is limited, and arrangements must be made in advance. Contact the facility directly at (912) 652-6793.
<b>Covid Guidelines:</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• There will be no spectators allowed on the pool deck. Parents will be able to watch through a cyclone fence.</li> <li>• Athletes are strongly encouraged to wear masks between events.</li> <li>• Locker room and restroom use must comply with all Safesport guidelines.</li> <li>• All non-competing persons ie officials, coaches, timers, spectators, and meet administrators must comply with mandated social distancing and mass gathering rules.</li> <li>• Seating for swimmers will be assigned by team, and swimmers will have a specific seat that they will take throughout the session.</li> </ul>

## **COVID 19:**

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 Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, senior citizens and individuals with underlying medical conditions are especially vulnerable.

USA Swimming, Inc., cannot prevent you (or your child(ren)) from becoming exposed to, contracting, or spreading COVID-19 while participating in USA Swimming sanctioned events. It is not possible to prevent against the presence of the disease. Therefore, if you choose to participate in a USA Swimming sanctioned event, you may be exposing yourself to and/or increasing your risk of contracting or spreading COVID-19.

BY ATTENDING OR PARTICIPATING IN THIS COMPETITION, YOU VOLUNTARILY ASSUME ALL RISKS ASSOCIATED WITH EXPOSURE TO COVID-19 AND FOREVER RELEASE AND HOLD HARMLESS USA SWIMMING AND [THE LSC] 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 THIS COMPETITION.

**Friday, October 23, 2020**

*Session 1*

**Warm-Up** - 3:30pm

**Meet Start** - 4:30pm

<b>Event Number</b>	<b>Age Group</b>	<b>Event</b>
1	Open	100 Free
2	Open	200 Back
3	12&Under	100 IM
4	Open	50 Fly
5	Open	100 Breast
6	Open	50 Back
7	Open	200 IM
8	11&Over	500 Free*

\*Deck-Seeded Event. Swam Fastest to Slowest. TIMELINE may dictate the 500 be seeded with limited Heats.

Swimmers must provide Counter and Timer.

+ALL Events will be seeded as MIXED Gender.

**Saturday, October 24, 2020**

*Session 2*

**Warm-Up** - 8:00am

**Meet Start** - 9:00am

<b>Event Number</b>	<b>Age Group</b>	<b>Event</b>
9	13&Over	200 Free
10	13&Over	200 Fly
11	13&Over	50 Breast
12	13&Over	100 Back
13	13&Over	200 Breast
14	13&Over	100 Fly
15	13&Over	50 Free
16	13&Over	400 IM*

\*Deck-Seeded Event. Swam Fastest to Slowest. Swimmers must provide Counter and Timer.

+ALL Events will be seeded as MIXED Gender.

**Saturday, October 24, 2020**

*Session 3*

**Warm-Up - 2:00pm**

**Meet Start - 3:00pm**

<b>Event Number</b>	<b>Age Group</b>	<b>Event</b>
17	12&Under	50 Free
18	12&Under	100 Back
19	12&Under	200 Free
20	8&Under	25 Back
21	12&Under	100 Fly
22	8&Under	25 Free
23	12&Under	50 Breast
24	12&Under	200 IM

+ALL Events will be seeded as MIXED Gender.