



2018 TYR Pro Swim Series
Indianapolis, IN
May 16-19, 2018 (Wed-Sat)
Indiana University Natatorium on the Campus of IUPUI

THIS MEET WILL BE CAPPED AT APPROXIMATELY 600 SWIMMERS (EXCEPT AS NOTED)

- Swimmers who are members of USA Swimming and have one or more qualifying standards in individual events may enter the meet through USA Swimming's OME system (usaswimming.org/ome) on a first-come basis until the entry cap is reached **beginning Tuesday, March 13, 2018 at 10:00 am Mountain Time.**
- The following athletes will be exempt from the entry cap and may enter any number of events **until the entry deadline.**
 - Any athlete ranked in the top 50 in the world in one or more individual events between 9/1/2016 and 8/31/2017 based on the FINA world rankings as of September 1, 2017 (Events are LCM, Olympic-distance only).
 - Any 2017-18 U.S. National Team Member
 - Any 2017-18 U.S. National Junior Team Member
 - Any U.S. athlete on the 18&U World 100 List
- Foreign swimmers who are not members of USA Swimming and who have one or more qualifying standards in individual events may enter the meet on a first-come basis until the entry cap is reached **beginning Wednesday, March 14, 2018 at 10:00am Mountain Time** (24 hours after U.S. entries open). Please refer to instructions on page 2.
- **The entry deadline is 11:59 pm Mountain Time on Tuesday, May 8, 2018 or as soon as the entry cap is reached.** The qualification period is 24 months prior to the entry deadline. Entries are not accepted until they have been officially submitted in the OME system.

HOST	Indiana Swimming in partnership with Greenfield Community Aquatic Team and Westfield Aquatics
SANCTION	This meet and any associated competitions and/or time trials are sanctioned by USA Swimming. If a USMS swimmer establishes a new Masters record, it is up to that swimmer to request all necessary information and signatures prior to the end of the session in which the performance occurred.
RULES	<p>Unless otherwise noted herein, this meet shall be conducted in accordance with current USA Swimming Rules and Regulations. A Meet Committee consisting of at least one official, one coach, and one athlete will be appointed by the Meet Referee to review conflicts arising from administrative matters. Please note that use of audio or visual recording devices, including a cell phone, is not permitted in changing areas, rest rooms or locker rooms. Changing into or out of swimsuits other than in locker rooms or other designated areas is also prohibited.</p> <p>Any U.S. swimmer entered in the meet must be certified by a USA Swimming member-coach as being proficient in performing a racing start. It is the responsibility of the swimmer or the swimmer's legal guardian to ensure compliance with this requirement. During warm-up sessions, athletes must enter the water feet-first, except in designated lanes and times. Violations may result in disqualification from next individual event or expulsion from the meet. More detailed warm-up procedures will be distributed at registration and during the Technical Meeting. It is understood and agreed that USA Swimming, the Meet Host, Facility Owner(s) and the LSC shall be free from any liabilities or claims for damages arising by reason of injuries to anyone during the conduct of the event.</p>
SCHEDULE	<p>Wednesday: Timed finals for the 1500 Freestyle events will begin at 6:00 pm.</p> <p>Prelims: 10:00 am Finals: 7:00 pm</p> <p>Practice will be available beginning at noon on Tuesday, May 15. Venue hours of operation on Tuesday & Wednesday are as follows: Tuesday Noon – 9:00 PM; Wednesday 9:00 AM until one hour after the completion of the 1500 Freestyle session. The venue will be open for practice starting at 7:00 AM on Thursday – Saturday.</p>
TECHNICAL MEETING	A technical meeting will be held at the pool at 5:00 pm Wednesday. Details and Information discussed at this meeting will be emailed to all coaches and posted on the USA website immediately following the meeting. Coaches are responsible for all information presented and/or included in this posted information.

FORMAT	This meet will be conducted in LCM. All individual events except the 800/1500 freestyles will be conducted on a Preliminaries and Finals basis. At the Meet Referee's discretion, preliminary sessions may be conducted in flights, with the fastest seven heats of events 200m or less, and the fastest five heats of 400m events in the "A" flight, and all remaining heats in the "B" flight. "A" flights will be concluded each morning prior to beginning the "B" flights. The "A" flights will be swum slowest to fastest. The "B" flight as well as the 400m races will be swum fastest to slowest. The top 32 swimmers from preliminaries will advance to finals. Eight swimmers will qualify for an A, B, C, and D heat in the Finals. In the Finals, the B heat will swim first, followed by the A heat. After all the A and B Finals heats are completed, the C Final heat will be swum, followed by the D Final heat.				
DISTANCE EVENTS	The 800 and 1500 freestyle events will swim as Timed Finals. <i>Positive check-in is required prior to the scratch deadlines in order to compete in the distance events.</i> The 800 freestyle events will swim fastest to slowest, alternating women and men, with the fastest 8 seeded athletes in each gender swimming in the Finals session. The 1500 freestyle events will swim Wednesday evening, fastest to slowest, alternating women and men, beginning at 6:00pm. Entries for the 800 and 1500 freestyle may be capped with the six fastest-seeded heats for each gender.				
ENTRIES	Any swimmer who has one or more qualifying standards in individual events may enter up to two bonus events. Each swimmer may participate in a maximum of seven individual events, with no more than three individual events per day including time trials. There will be no refunds once entries are accepted.				
ENTRY FEES	<table border="0"> <tr> <td>Individual Events</td> <td>\$15.00 per event</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Coach Credential</td> <td>\$20.00 per coach</td> </tr> </table>	Individual Events	\$15.00 per event	Coach Credential	\$20.00 per coach
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SEEDING	Except for distance freestyle, events shall be seeded in order of LCM, SCY, LCM Bonus, SCY Bonus. Seeding for distance freestyle events will be LCM, SCY, Alternate Distance LCM, Alternate Distance SCY, LCM Bonus, SCY Bonus, Alternate Distance Bonus LCM, Alternate Distance Bonus SCY.				
RELAYS	There will be no relays at this competition.				
SCORING & PRIZE MONEY	<p>The TYR Pro Swim Series scoring system provides swimmers prize money and points based on first (five points), second (three points) and third (one point) place performances at each meet. Prize money will be distributed as follows:</p> <p>All individual Olympic events: \$1,000- 1st place \$600- 2nd place \$200- 3rd place</p> <p>All prize money is distributed by USA Swimming, NOT the host. Additionally, an end-of-series prize will be awarded to the top scoring male and female for the overall Series.</p>				
SCRATCHES	Scratches and positive check-in for Day 1 events are due to the Administrative Referee at the beginning of the technical meeting and may be submitted by email to Bob.Matlack@activenetwork.com . All subsequent day's events scratches are due 30 minutes after the start of the previous evening's finals. There is no penalty for failing to compete in a preliminary or timed final heat, except an individual event in which a swimmer has not scratched prior to the appropriate deadline will be counted toward that swimmer's three-event/day and seven-event/meet limit. A swimmer qualifying for an A, B, C, or D Final who fails to compete shall be barred from the remainder of the meet, unless excused by the Meet Referee.				
TIME TRIALS	Time Trials may be conducted at the discretion of the Meet Referee. Entry fees for time trials will be the same as the meet entry fees. Time trials count toward a swimmer's individual event total for each day, but not the meet total. Athletes may need to provide their own lane timer and lap counter for time trial events.				
FOREIGN ENTRIES	<p>Foreign swimmers who are members of USA Swimming may enter through the OME system. Foreign individuals/teams who are not members of USA Swimming, but are members of their respective FINA federation may also enter using the OME system, but need to send the following information to Jaime Lewis at jlewis@usaswimming.org or 719-866-4578.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Team name ➤ Entry contact information <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • First name • Last name • Work phone • Email address ➤ List of qualified athletes with birthdates <p>Once this information is received by USA Swimming, access information and instructions on how to use the OME system will be sent. Entries for foreign swimmers who are not USA Swimming members will open 24 hours after U.S. entries open. Converted times will not be acceptable for entry.</p>				

**COACH
CREDENTIALS**

Credentials for coaches, managers and chaperones shall be issued to those persons listed on the submitted team entry through OME, according to the following formula and regardless of gender. Managers and trainers must be included in this formula and on the entry form to receive a deck pass. Athletes entered in the meet will receive a deck pass as part of their entry fee. All others will be required to purchase individual tickets. For clubs that wish to bring one certified massage therapist with their teams, a \$80 surcharge will apply if the massage therapist exceeds the deck pass formula below. These funds shall become the property of the meet host. All massage therapists, managers, and trainers must be non-athlete members of USA Swimming.

- 1-3 swimmers in individual events: 1 deck pass.
- 4-6 swimmers in individual events; 2 deck passes.
- 7-9 swimmers in individual events; 3 deck passes.
- 10-20 swimmers in individual events; 4 deck passes.
- 21-30 swimmers in individual events; 5 deck passes.
- 31-40 swimmers in individual events; 6 deck passes.
- 41-50 swimmers in individual events; 7 deck passes.
- 51 or more swimmers in individual events; 9 deck passes.
- Unattached swimmers with a team shall be included in above schedule even if listed on separate entry blank.
- Unattached swimmers not with a team: 1 deck pass.

OFFICIALS' INFO

An officials' meeting will be held one hour prior to each session at the pool. This meet has been designated as a National Qualifying Meet to all officials who wish to and are eligible to be evaluated for advancement or re-certification. Request for evaluation should be made to the meet referee.

HOTELS

The event online hotel reservation system can be found here: <https://aws.passkey.com/e/49456811>

EVENT PERSONNEL

Referee:	Jacki Allender	jacki.allender@gmail.com	541-990-5144
Admin Referee	Bob Rustin	Brustin55@gmail.com	804-387-8736
Meet Directors:	Arlene McDonald	indyarlene@gmail.com	317-442-2166
	Mark Logan	mlogan@gcsc.k12.in.us	317-250-5969
	Andrea Todd	President@swimwestfield.org	317-363-1341

**BROADCAST
STATEMENT**

Any photographs, videotape or other audio and/or visual recordings of the event created by a spectator may be used solely for such spectator's personal non-commercial use, and may not be broadcast, published or disseminated, or used for any commercial purposes, without the prior written consent of USA Swimming.

**IMAGE
AUTHORIZATION**

All participants agree to be filmed and photographed by the official photographer(s) and network(s) of USA Swimming under the conditions authored by USA Swimming, and allow event organizers the right to use names, pictures, likenesses, and biographical information before, during or after the period of participation in USA Swimming competitions to promote such competitions. All participants agree not to use or authorize use of pictures in the uniforms and equipment provided by USA Swimming for the purpose of trade, without the consent of USA Swimming. All participants agree not to use medals or photos, or portraits or films with the medals, which are received for performances in this competition, for the purpose of trade. Furthermore, participants agree to return these uniforms and equipment, bearing USA Swimming logos and marks, if and when requested.

**SWIMMERS WITH
DISABILITIES**

Coaches entering swimmers with disabilities that require any accommodations are required to provide advance notice in writing to the meet director by the entry deadline accompanying their meet entry file, including the need for any personal assistants required and/or registered service animals. Failure to provide advance notice may limit the host's ability to accommodate all requests.

SAFETY

Marshals will be in place during warm-up periods and USA Swimming safety rules will be in effect. A warm-up schedule will be posted in the venue. It is the responsibility of the swimmer or of the swimmer's legal guardian to ensure compliance USA Swimming safety procedures.

LIABILITY

USA Swimming, the LSC, the facility, and the host organization shall accept no responsibility for liability or injuries sustained by any individual, athlete, coach, official, meet volunteer, or spectator while traveling to and from or while participating in this event. Damage to the facility, when proved, will cause the offending participant, if unattached, or the offending swimmer's club, if attached, to be held accountable for repairs. All participants and guests must adhere to the facility rules and coaches must supervise their swimmers at all times. Glass containers are not permitted in the facility. Children must be supervised at all times.

DOPING CONTROL

This competition is subject to Doping Control under USADA and FINA rules. All athletes competing in the meet are eligible to be tested. All athletes should check the status of all medications they consume at the US Anti-Doping Agency's (USADA) Drug Reference website (www.globaldro.com). Documentation may be required to be submitted well in advance of the meet. All World Records and Junior World Records must be tested.

**ABOUT THE
VENUE**

The IU Natatorium is located on the campus of IUPUI in downtown Indianapolis at 901 West New York Street, Indianapolis, IN 46202, and was completed in 1982 at a cost of \$21.5 million. The IU Natatorium has three pools (competition pool, instructional pool, and diving well) which combined hold over 2.1 million gallons of water. The main competition pool has been proclaimed one of the fastest pools in the world, with 136 American and 18 World records having been broken here. Athletes from around the world have competed at the IU Natatorium, which is also open daily for lap swimming, instructional programs, and camps. The diving well boasts eight diving boards and five platforms. The US Olympic Team Trials-Swimming were held here in 1984, 1992, 1996 and

2000. The names of all the team members who have qualified for an Olympic Team here are inscribed on the south wall of the Natatorium. A \$20M renovation was recently completed at the Nat.

LOCKERS

There are four athlete locker rooms on the deck level of the Natatorium, one of each gender in both the east and west deck areas. Swimmers must provide their own locks; Indiana Swimming is not responsible for lost or stolen items. There are four dry restrooms, two on each side of the diving well, for the exclusive use of coaches, officials, and volunteers. Additional restrooms are located on the upper concourse of the facility.

MEDICAL ASSISTANCE

Lifeguards will be on duty at all times during warm-up and competition and are trained to handle water emergencies and first aid on the deck. Hendricks Regional Health will provide athletic trainers who will be available in the East Control Room during all venue hours of operation. Physician on-call services will also be available.

CONCESSIONS

University concessions are available on the upper concourse of the Natatorium during competition sessions.

PARKING

Ample parking will be available in the attached Natatorium Sports Garage at \$7 per entry, credit or debit card only. Teams can pre-purchase four-day parking permits through OME at a cost of \$35 each. These permits are valid in the Natatorium Sports Garage and allow unlimited in-and-out privileges from Wednesday – Saturday. Pre-purchased team permits will be distributed at registration. Parking arrangements and prices are subject to change based on University policy.

TICKETS

Tickets will go on sale 90 minutes before the start of each session on the main concourse of the Natatorium; tickets will also be on sale from 1:00 PM – 7:00 PM on Wednesday, May 16th. Seating galleries will be open for spectator seating at 4:30 PM on Wednesday; at 8:30 AM for Prelims; and at 5:30 PM for Finals. All seating is general admission and available on a first-come basis.

All-Session Pass: \$60.00*
Prelims: \$10.00 adults* / 6-12 yrs \$5.00
Finals: \$15.00 adults* / 6-12 yrs \$5.00

Children under 6 are free.

*Include heat sheets

A \$2 handling fee will be added to the cost of each ticket price listed above.

All-Session passes purchased online from January 1, 2018, through May 1, 2018, will be available at a special rate of \$50. Online sales of single-session tickets will open on April 15.

Additional Heat Sheets: \$5.00



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Long Course

WOMEN			EVENT ORDER AND QUALIFYING STANDARDS	MEN		
SCY	LCM	EVENT #		EVENT #	LCM	SCY
Wednesday, May 16						
17:14.39	17:40.19	1	1650y/1500m Freestyle	2	16:38.99	16:05.49
Thursday, May 17						
57.89	1:05.19	3	100 Butterfly	4	58.39	51.59
5:03.49	4:28.79	5	400 Freestyle*	6	4:09.99	4:37.09
2:23.09	2:43.79	7	200 Breaststroke	8	2:29.09	2:08.59
52.19	59.59	9	100 Freestyle	10	53.79	46.69
Friday, May 18						
4:30.69	5:07.29	11	400 Individual Medley*	12	4:42.39	4:07.59
24.39	27.49	13	50 Free	14	24.89	21.49
2:05.79	2:24.79	15	200 Back	16	2:11.89	1:53.59
1:52.99	2:08.19	17	200 Free	18	1:58.09	1:42.09
Saturday, May 19						
2:06.19	2:21.89	19	200 Butterfly	20	2:10.19	1:53.69
1:06.29	1:16.19	21	100 Breaststroke	22	1:08.69	58.89
58.49	1:07.29	23	100 Backstroke	24	1:00.79	52.49
2:08.29	2:26.39	25	200 Individual Medley	26	2:12.79	1:55.09
10:20.49	9:13.79	27	1000y/800m Freestyle**	28	8:40.69	9:34.29

*The fastest five seeded heats of the 400 Freestyle and 400 IM events will swim in event order, and all remaining heats will swim at the conclusion of that morning's preliminary session.

**The 800 freestyle events will have the fastest 8 seeded athletes swim in the Finals session.