2023-2024 Open Water National Junior Team



Selection Summary

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*Team will be announced by September 15, 2023

<u>General Criteria</u>

To be eligible for the 2023-2024 USA Swimming Open Water National Junior Team, an athlete must meet the following criteria.

- Athletes must be registered USA Swimming members in good standing at the time of the qualifying competition and at the time of selection.
- Athletes must be 18 & under as of September 1, 2023.
- Athletes must be eligible to represent the United States in international competition at the time of the qualifying competition and at the time of selection.
- Athletes who compete in a 2023 USA Swimming Open Water Operation Gold Event are ineligible for selection.
- Athletes cannot be on the Open Water National Junior Team and the Open Water National Team in the same year.
- Athletes 18 years old and over must satisfactorily pass a USA Swimming criminal background screen within five days of being named to the 2023-2024 Open Water National Junior Team.

Performance Criteria

- The top three eligible males and the top three eligible females from the USA Swimming 10K National Championships (to be held in Sarasota, FL on April 21, 2023) will qualify for the 2023 USA Swimming Open Water National Junior Team.
- The best placing eligible male and the best placing eligible female finishers from the 2023 USA Swimming 7.5K Junior National Championship (to be held in Sarasota, FL on April 23, 2023) will qualify for the 2023 USA Swimming Open Water National Junior Team. If the athlete has already qualified based on their performance in the USA Swimming 10K National Championship, then the next best finishing swimmer in the 7.5K Junior National Championship will be named to the 2023 USA Swimming Open Water National Junior Team, if they are eligible.