



2021 Grand Junction Invite

June 24 - 27, 2021

Sanction: Held under the sanction of USA Swimming # 2021-085

In granting this sanction it is understood and agreed that USA Swimming shall be free from any liabilities or claims or damages arising by reason of injuries to anyone during the conduct of the event.

We have taken enhanced health and safety measures – for you, coaches, officials, and swimmers. You must follow all posted instructions while attending or participating in this meet. 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 people with underlying medical conditions are especially vulnerable. By attending or participating in this meet, you voluntarily assume all risks related to exposure to COVID-19.

Meet Referee: Debbie Schmidt, schmidtfive@gmail.com , 970-749-3565

Admin Referee: David Brown, david-a-brown@comcast.net , 281-665-0740

Meet Director: Alexis Mull, mull2230@yahoo.com, 970-640-9816

Safety Director: Bill Mull, billmull1947@gmail.com, 970-640-9916

Location: Colorado Mesa University, 1100 North Ave, Grand Junction CO 81501

Elevation: 4592

Facility: 10 lane, 50 meter indoor competition pool, limited warm-up and cool down area. Water depth is 7 ½ feet to 13 feet. The scoreboard is a Colorado Timing LED board. The competition course has been certified in accordance with 104.2.2c(4). The copy of such certification is on file with USA Swimming.

The pool deck is open to swimmers, credentialed coaches and credentialed officials.

The lawn area outside the Rec Center desk (southeast of the building), will be available for athletes to set up day camps. Pop up tents are welcome. However, due to underground utilities, stakes may not be used to secure the tents. All tents and personal items must be removed nightly due to lack of security and overnight sprinkling system operation.

Spectator seating will be available in the viewing balcony that will hold 600. Camping like chairs are not allowed in the viewing area due to limited space. As guests of Colorado Mesa University, all must adhere to the CMU policies and rules.

CMU Policy is recommending wearing mask indoors where multiple people from other areas of the State will be gathering indoors for events and conferences. Please come prepared to wear a mask and proper distancing as Mesa County Guidance could change before the start of the first session.

Only swimmers, coaches and officials with current credentials and volunteers will be allowed on the pool deck. Parents must drop off their swimmers at the doors to the pool deck and then proceed to the upstairs observation gallery. There will be a limited number of chairs provided for swimmer and coach use. Swimmers cannot bring in any of their own chairs, coolers or other "camping gear". No spectator viewing from the balcony rail.

Timing: Colorado Timing System with touch pads and 10-lane display board will be used for all events. Back-up timing will consist of one button and two stopwatches. Hy-Tek Meet Manager software will be used along with Colorado Timing System 6. Meet Mobile software will be used to post online results.

Eligibility: Open to all swimmers holding a 2021 USA Swimming Membership card. Any swimmer that appears on the CSI exceptions report without registration must come to the meet prepared to prove membership. No deck registration will be accepted.

Age as of Thursday, June 24, 2021, will govern entries.

At a sanctioned competitive event, USA Swimming athlete members must be under the supervision of a USA Swimming member coach during warm-up, competition, and cool down. Any swimmer without a coach must report to the Meet Director or Meet Referee to make arrangements for such supervision. Any swimmer entered in the meet, unaccompanied by a USA Swimming member coach must be certified by a USA Swimming coach as being proficient in performing a racing start or must start each race from within the water. It is the responsibility of the swimmer or the swimmer's legal guardian to ensure compliance with this requirement.

Per USA Swimming rule 302.4, Colorado Swimming Inc. will impose a fine of \$100 per swimmer who shows up on the post meet registration check charged to the team account. Teams will receive one Meet Recon email as a reminder to register the swimmers. As soon as the post meet registration check is run the team will be charged.

Entries: 10 & Under swimmers may swim 4 individual events per day plus 1 relay. All other swimmers may swim 3 individual events per day plus 1 relay. 11 & Over swimmers are limited to a total of 9 individual events for the meet. 10 & Under are limited to 10 individual events for the meet. There will be no exhibition swimming. Athletes may enter events with a "No Time" (NT) only for the 50-meter events. All other events must have a qualifying time in order to be seeded.

No Deck Entries will be accepted.

Only the top 54 girls and 54 boys listed on the psych sheet will swim the 800 free. Only the top 54 13 & Over girls, top 54 13 & Over boys, top 36 12 & Under girls and top 36 12 & Under boys listed on the psych sheet will swim the 400 free and the 400IM. Psych sheets will be sent out no later than Thursday, June 17, 2021. Coaches will have until June 20th at 6:00 PM to update entry files if wishing to choose other events due to swimmers not making the cut off for those events.

Each team may enter 2 relays per event. Relay declarations must be submitted to Admin Ref before leaving the AM prelim session. Sunday relay declarations must be submitted by completion of Saturday finals.

Thursday and Sunday events will be timed finals only.

Entry Dates: Entry deadline is Tuesday June 15, 2021 at 6:00 PM. Psych sheets will be sent out by June 17, 2021. All updated entry files must be submitted by June 20, 2021 at 6:00 P M.

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| Entry Fees: | Individual Events | \$5.00 |
| | Relay Events | \$10.00 |
| | Swimmer Surcharge | \$12.00 |

Colorado Western Slope League receives \$.15 per event and Colorado Swimming receives \$1.00 per event.

Entry Procedure: Email electronic entries to Jacob Mull at jacobmull@ymail.com If you do not receive an email confirmation, then your entries were not received.

Payment: Checks may be brought to the pool at the start of the meet or mailed to:

Ed Stehlin, Maverick Aquatics, 1100 North Ave., Grand Junction, CO 81501

Conduct: Current USA Swimming Rules, including the Minor Athlete Abuse Prevention Policy ("MAAPP"), will govern this meet.

Events will be swum in the long course configuration: 50 meters X 8 or 9 lanes.

All events are prelim/final except the following: 50 Breast, 200 Breast, 100 Back, 200 Back, 50 Fly, 200 Fly, 400 Free, 800 Free, 400 IM, and the 10 & Under events. These events are timed finals and will not be included in the evening finals' session. 800 Free will be swum fastest to slowest, alternating girls and boy's heats. All preliminary events will be swum fastest to slowest. All final events will be swum slowest to fastest. (B consolation heat first, then A final). The top 16 swimmers will advance to the finals swimming 8 in each heat. Prelims will be swum in 8 lanes with "Flyover Starts". One lane (lane 10) will be used for warm-up/cool down with 1 buffer lane between the competition pool and warmups. Distance events (400 Free, 400 IM, 800 Free) will be swum in 9 lanes. Finals events will be swum in 8 lanes.

In events where finals are offered, prelims for the 11&O athletes will be swum combined while finals will be swum by age group.

Qualifying Times: There are qualifying times for most events. USA Swimming determined "B" National Group Motivational Time Standards, 2021-2024, will be used. These Time Standards are provided by USA Swimming. All times will be verified to be accurate.

"Events 69 and 70, the girls and boys 800 free, will be bonus events. Athletes may enter with meet qualifying 800/1000 free times or with bonus qualifying times. The bonus qualifying times will be the USA Swimming determined "B" National Group Motivational Time Standards, 2021-2024, in the 400/500 free. Seeding of the 800 free events will be by meet qualifying times first, then followed by any bonus time entries. Only the top 27 girls and 18 boys listed on the psych sheet will swim the 800 free."

The meet will be seeded in accordance with USA Swimming Rules with non-conforming times last.

The meet will not be pre-seeded. Thursday prelim events will require scratches to be emailed to Jacob Mull, jacobmull@ymail.com by Wednesday, June 23, 2021 by 12:00 PM.

The meet referee will have the final authority on all procedures regarding the conduct of the meet. The referee may combine individual events by age, sex, and/or distance. Fly over starts may be used at the discretion of the meet referee.

All coaches and uniformed officials must present and be able to prove membership through Deck Pass. Current certification is mandatory. All coaches are required to sign in at the Admin Table prior to coaching on deck. Officials are required to sign in at the official's meeting.

Use of audio or visual recording devices, including a cell phone, is not permitted in changing areas, rest rooms, or locker rooms.

Except where venue facilities require otherwise, changing into or out of swimsuits other than in locker rooms or other designated areas is not appropriate and is prohibited.

Deck Changing is prohibited.

On deck photography is not allowed from behind the starting blocks.

Operation of a drone, or any other flying apparatus, is prohibited over the venue (pools, athlete/coach 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 and Event Committee coordinator (His or Her Designee).

Colorado Swimming, Inc. does not support, recommend, endorse or take responsibility for the sale or marketing of any dietary supplements. It is the swimmers responsibility to know the contents of any food or drink he/she ingests. For more specific information on supplements please refer to the drug information on the USA Swimming website at www.usaswimming.org.

There will be no time trials offered.

Warm-Ups: Colorado Swimming, Inc. warm-up rules will be in effect. No diving or racing starts will be permitted from the blocks or sides of the pool with the exception of session 3 warm up when sprint lanes are opened by the meet referee. Swimmers must enter the water using a three-point entry at all other times. Warm-ups will be under the control of the Meet Marshals.

For Thursday timed finals, there will be three warm up sessions; 02:15 PM – 02:55 PM, 02:55 PM – 03:35 PM, 03:35 PM – 03:55 PM. For Sunday Timed Finals and Prelims there will be three warm-up sessions; 7:00 AM – 7:40 AM, 7:40 AM – 8:20 AM, 8:20 AM – 8:40 AM. For warmup session 3 lanes 3 – 7 are for 10 & under swimmers who do not need the full team 40 minute warmup. This will be an open warmup for 10 & under without assigned lanes. Lanes 1 and 10 will be push pace – all swimmers. Lanes 2, 8, 9 will be used for one-way starts – all swimmers. For warmup sessions 1 and 2, times and lanes will be assigned and sent out to teams by June 23, 2021. Warm-up times and lane assignments will be posted at www.maverickaquatics.com. A complete schedule of lanes and times for all warm-up procedures must be adhered to by all participants. The meet referee may condense the format to make the most expeditious use of time. Colorado Swimming warm-up rules will be used for finals warm-up session.

Schedule: Thursday Timed Finals Session: Warm-ups: 02:15 PM, Start 04:00 PM

Friday and Saturday Prelims Sessions: Warm-ups: 7:00 AM, Start 8:45 AM

Friday and Saturday Final Sessions: Warm-ups: 4:00 PM, Start 5:00 PM

Sunday Timed Finals Session: Warm-ups: 7:00 AM, Start 8:45 AM

Positive Check-in for the 800 Free – will be required before the scratch box closes Saturday at 5:30pm. Alternates will be notified of any available lanes.

Changes in the schedules are at the discretion of the Meet Director and Meet Referee.

The scratch box will be at the Admin table during the meet. Scratch procedures will be enforced as per 207.11.6 of the USA Swimming Rules and Regulations. All scratches for the first day must be emailed by noon, Wednesday, June 23, 2021 to Jacob Mull, jacobmull@gmail.com. The scratch box will close one half (1/2) hour after the posted start of the Thursday session for Friday's prelims and one half hour (1/2) hour after the posted start of finals on Friday, and Saturday for the next day's preliminary events

Swimmers qualifying to swim finals must declare their intent to scratch with the Admin Ref within 30 minutes following the announcement. As top qualifiers scratch, other swimmers become eligible for finals. If a swimmer does NOT want to swim in finals, they should scratch their names on the list with the Admin Ref no matter how far down the list their name appears. The athletes swimming in finals will be posted as soon as possible after the 30-minute scratch period. A swimmer not reporting to a finals event, in which the results were posted for his/her swim, will be barred from the remainder of the meet. A swimmer not reporting to a prelims event will be barred from the remainder of the session and must positively check in with the Admin Ref for future days.

Declared false starts should be delivered to the Admin Referee before the session begins or Deck Referee after the session begins.

Scoring: The Grand Junction Invite will score through 16 places. Individual scoring will be in accordance with 102.25 (8/9 lane). For events where finals are swum, only the finals will score. Timed final events will score the top 16 places by age group

Awards: No Awards will be provided

Programs: Souvenir programs will be available for purchase at the meet for \$10.00. The program includes a punch card for heat sheets for each session. Individual heat sheets will cost \$2.00.

Coaches Meeting: There will be a coaches meeting held 30 minutes before the first session warm up. No other coaches meeting will take place unless a situation arises that would require one.

Hospitality: Refreshments and Snacks will be offered to Officials and Coaches

Concessions: No Concessions will be provided

Officials: Teams are asked to provide officials. Please contact the meet referee to advise of your availability.

A mandatory Official's meeting will be held one hour prior to the start of each session each day of the meet.

Official's uniforms for Prelims will be white polo shirt over Black shorts, long pants or skirts/skorts. Official's uniforms for Finals will be white polo shirt over Black long pants or skirts/skorts. No short pants at finals. Black socks and black deck friendly shoes for all sessions.

Timers Needed!

Swimmers must provide a timer and a counter for the 800 Free.

Participating teams will be required to provide timers. Notification of lane assignments for timing will be sent to each club and posted on the Maverick Aquatics website. These assignments will be posted at the pool as well.

| Thursday Timed Finals: Session 1 | | | | | | |
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| Thursday, June 24, 2021 | | Warm-Up: 2:15 PM | | Start: 4:00 PM | | |
| Girl's Event # | Age Group | QT | Event | QT | Age Group | Boy's Event # |
| 1 | 11-12 | | 50 Breast | | 11-12 | 2 |
| 3 | 10 & U | | 50 Breast | | 10 & U | 4 |
| 5 | 11 & O | *** | 100 Back | *** | 11 & O | 6 |
| 7 | 10 & U | *** | 100 Back | *** | 10 & U | 8 |
| 9 | 13 & O | *** | 200 Fly | *** | 13 & O | 10 |
| 11 | 12 & U | *** | 200 Fly | *** | 12 & U | 12 |
| 13 | 13 & O | *** | 400 Free | *** | 13 & O | 14 |
| 15 | 12 & U | *** | 400 Free | *** | 12 & U | 16 |

| Friday Prelim: Session 2 | | | | | | |
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| Friday, June 25, 2021 | | Warm-Up: 7:00 AM | | Start: 8:45 AM | | |
| Girl's Event # | Age Group | QT | Event | QT | Age Group | Boy's Event # |
| 17 | 11 & O | | 50 Free | | 11 & O | 18 |
| 19 | 10 & U | | 50 Free (TFP) | | 10 & U | 20 |
| 21 | 11 & O | *** | 100 Fly | *** | 11 & O | 22 |
| 23 | 10 & U | *** | 100 Fly (TFP) | *** | 10 & U | 24 |
| 25 | 11 & O | *** | 200 Free | *** | 11 & O | 26 |
| 27 | 10 & U | *** | 200 Free (TFP) | *** | 10 & U | 28 |
| 29 | 13 & O | *** | 400 IM | *** | 13 & O | 30 |
| 31 | 12 & U | *** | 400 IM (TFP) | *** | 12 & U | 32 |

| Friday Finals: Session 3 | | | | | | |
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| Friday, June 25, 2021 | | Warm-Up: 4:00 PM | | Start: 5:00 PM | | |
| Girl's Event # | Age Group | QT | Event | QT | Age Group | Boy's Event # |
| 33 | 12 & Under | | 200 Free Relay | | 12 & Under | 34 |
| 35 | Open | | 200 Free Relay | | Open | 36 |
| 17 | 15 & O | | 50 Free | | 15 & O | 18 |
| | 13-14 | | 50 Free | | 13-14 | |
| | 11-12 | | 50 Free | | 11-12 | |
| 21 | 15 & O | | 100 Fly | | 15 & O | 22 |
| | 13-14 | | 100 Fly | | 13-14 | |
| | 11-12 | | 100 Fly | | 11-12 | |
| 25 | 15 & O | | 200 Free | | 15 & O | 26 |
| | 13-14 | | 200 Free | | 13-14 | |
| | 11-12 | | 200 Free | | 11-12 | |
| 29 | 15 & O | | 400 IM | | 15 & O | 30 |
| | 13-14 | | 400 IM | | 13-14 | |

| Saturday Prelim: Session 4 | | | | | | |
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| Saturday, June 26, 2021 | | Warm-Up: 7:00 AM | | Start: 8:45 AM | | |
| Girl's Event # | Age Group | QT | Event | QT | Age Group | Boy's Event # |
| 37 | 11-12 | | 50 Back | | 11-12 | 38 |
| 39 | 10 & U | | 50 Back (TFP) | | 10 & U | 40 |
| 41 | 11 & O | *** | 100 Breast | *** | 11 & O | 42 |
| 43 | 10 & U | *** | 100 Breast (TFP) | *** | 10 & U | 44 |
| 45 | 13 & O | *** | 200 Back | *** | 13 & O | 46 |
| 47 | 12 & U | *** | 200 Back (TFP) | *** | 12 & U | 48 |
| 49 | 11 & O | *** | 100 Free | *** | 11 & O | 50 |
| 51 | 10 & U | *** | 100 Free (TFP) | *** | 10 & U | 52 |

| Saturday Finals: Session 5 | | | | | | |
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| Saturday, June 26, 2021 | | Warm-Up: 4:00 PM | | Start: 5:00 PM | | |
| Girl's Event # | Age Group | QT | Event | QT | Age Group | Boy's Event # |
| 53 | 12 & Under | | 400 Free Relay | | 12 & Under | 54 |
| 55 | Open | | 400 Free Relay | | Open | 56 |
| 37 | 11-12 | | 50 Back | | 11-12 | 38 |
| 41 | 15 & O | | 100 Breast | | 15 & O | 42 |
| | 13-14 | | 100 Breast | | 13-14 | |
| | 11-12 | | 100 Breast | | 11-12 | |
| 45 | 15 & O | | 200 Back | | 15 & O | 46 |
| | 13-14 | | 200 Back | | 13-14 | |
| 49 | 15 & O | | 100 Free | | 15 & O | 50 |
| | 13-14 | | 100 Free | | 13-14 | |
| | 11-12 | | 100 Free | | 11-12 | |

| Sunday Timed Finals: Session 6 | | | | | | |
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| Sunday, June 27, 2021 | | Warm-Up: 7:00 AM | | Start: 8:45 AM | | |
| Girl's Event # | Age Group | QT | Event | QT | Age Group | Boy's Event # |
| 57 | 12 & Under | | 200 Medley Relay | | 12 & Under | 58 |
| 59 | Open | | 200 Medley Relay | | Open | 60 |
| 61 | 11 & 12 | | 50 Fly | | 11 & 12 | 62 |
| 63 | 10 & U | | 50 Fly | | 10 & U | 64 |
| 65 | 11 & O | *** | 200 Breast | *** | 11 & O | 66 |
| 67 | Open | *** | 200 IM | *** | Open | 68 |
| 69 | Open | *** | 800 Free | *** | Open | 70 |

***See 2021-2024 National Age Group Motivational Time Standards at:

<https://www.usaswimming.org/docs/default-source/timesdocuments/records/age-groups-2024-agmts.pdf>

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.

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