

Turkey Shoot Novelty Swim Meet

Hosted by: Byron Tiger Sharks

November 21st – 23rd, 2008

Sanctioned by USA Swimming, Inc. and Illinois Swimming, Inc.

Sanction Number: ILS08-1109

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MEET SCHEDULE:

Friday November 21st

Session 1:

Warm Ups: 4:00pm

Meet begins: 5:00pm

Positive check in closes: 20 minutes after warm ups begin

**Saturday & Sunday
November 22nd & 23rd**

Sessions 2 & 4

Warm Ups: 7:00am

Meet begins 8:00am

Postive check in closes: 20 minutes after warm ups begin

Session 3 & 5

Warm ups: Not before 11:30am

Meet begins: 1 hour after warm ups begin

Positive check in closes: 20 minutes after warm ups begin

LOCATION: Byron High School Swimming Pool

696 N. Colfax

Byron, IL 61010

FACILITY: The pool is a six-lane, 25 yard pool, ranging in depth from 4 – 12 feet with starting blocks at the 4 foot end. The pool is equipped with non-turbulent Competitor lanes, backstroke flags, and a fully automatic Daktronics timing system with touch pads. Seating is available in the pool balcony.

RULES: All current USA Swimming and ISI Rules and Regulations apply. ISI and USA Swimming safety rules will be strictly enforced. FINA starting procedures and rules (whistle commands, no recall) will be followed.

ELIGIBILITY: Only USA Swimming registered swimmers are eligible. A swimmer's age as of *date of the first day of competition* will determine their age for the meet. Entries listed "registration applied for" will not be accepted. USA swimming registration forms may be obtained from Illinois Swimming, 3166 S. River Road, Suite 30, Des Plaines, IL 60018. Phone 874-824-1596 Fax 874-824-1726..

USA SWIMMING MEMBERSHIP: Insurance regulations require that all swimmers, judges, starters, and referees be a current member of USA Swimming. It is each club's responsibility to register their swimmers, coaches, and officials. Swimmers, coaches and officials who are not current members of USA Swimming may not participate in the meet or be on deck.

COACHES: All coaches must be currently registered with USA Swimming and must continuously display their current USA Coach Member registration card at all times while on deck.

ENTRIES: All entries will comply with current USA Swimming and ISI Rules and Regulations. Current registration number, age, first name, middle initial, and last name must appear on all entry blanks.
Individuals are limited to four (4) events per day, not including relays. Relay swimmers must be entered in at least one individual event.

ENTRY DEADLINE: Entries will not be accepted before 8:00am on October 20, 2008 or after 6:00pm November 11, 2008. No fax or hand delivered entries will be accepted. Computer entries may be made using Hy-Tek Team Manager. All entries must be accompanied by a hard copy print out of your entry data file. A signed Summary Fee/Release Form provided in this packet and payment in full must accompany all entries.

MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO: Byron Park District
PO Box 423
Byron, IL 61010

E-mail Entries to: Kurth4x2@yahoo.com

ENTRY FEES: \$3.00 per individual event
\$7.00 per relay
\$2.00 swimmer surcharge – Illinois Swimming

ENTRY LIMITATIONS: Deck entries will not be permitted. The host team reserves the right to swim additional heats if time allows.

ENTRY VERIFICATION: Meet host will accept no responsibility for transmission errors of faxed or e-mailed entries. It will remain up to the sender to verify receipt of entries.

EVENTS: In accordance with USA Swimming Rules; Articles 105 and 202.1.13, the Meet Referee has the authority to accommodate swimmers with disabilities. It is the responsibility of the coaches or swimmers to contact the Meet Referee, prior to competition, with specific requests.

POSITIVE CHECK-IN: Positive check-in will close ½ hour after warm-ups begin. Late entries will only be able to swim if there are open lanes in slower heats. A bullpen will be available for 8 & under swimmers.

SEEDING: Submit swimmer's best time to assure proper seeding. Swimmers will be seeded from slowest to fastest.

AWARDS: Individual event awards for 1st -12th (Rosettes 7th -12th; Medals 1st -6th).
Relay awards from 1st-3rd.

ADMISSATIONS: \$3.00/person

HEAT/PSYCH SHEETS: \$6.00 for all sessions

CONCESSIONS: Food and beverages will be available for sale. There is absolutely no smoking allowed on school grounds or in the buildings.

MEET RESULTS: One copy of printed meet results in required form will be sent to each team. Individual copies may be ordered at the time of the meet at a cost of \$10.00

CONTROLLED MEET WARM-UP and SAFETY GUIDELINES

To be posted at all ISI Sanction/Approved competitions

A. WARM-UP PROCEDURES

1. General Warm-up (first 30-45 minutes)

- a. **NO DIVING** allowed from the blocks or edge of pool. Swimmers must enter the pool feet first, while maintaining contact with the deck with the body and a hand from the start end of the pool.
- b. No sprinting or pace work allowed during this general warm-up session.
- c. Entry into pool from starting end of pool only, unless noted otherwise by the meet director and meet referee.

2. Specific Warm-up (last 30-45 minutes)

- a. **Push/Pace Lanes** - Push off one or two lengths from starting end. Circle swim only.
NO DIVING.
- b. **Diving Lanes** - Sprint lanes for diving from blocks or for backstroke starts in specified lanes at designated times. (One length only)
- c. **General Warm-up Lanes - NO DIVING.** Circle swim only.
- d. At approximately half way through diving and push/pace, additional lanes may be opened at the request of the coach.

B.

POOL	LANE USE		
	PUSH/PACE	DIVING	GENERAL WARM-UP
6 LANE	1 & 6	2 & 5	3 & 4
8 LANE	1 & 8	2 & 7	3, 4, 5, 6
10 LANE	1 & 10	2 & 9	3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8

SAFETY GUIDELINES

1. Coaches Responsibilities

- a. Coaches shall instruct their swimmers regarding safety guidelines and warm-up procedures as they apply to conduct at meets and practices.
- b. Coaches shall actively supervise their swimmers throughout the warm-up session at meets and all practices.

2. Host Team Responsibilities

- a. Marshaling
 - 1) A minimum of two (2) marshals, who report to and receive instructions from the Meet Referee, shall be on the deck during the warm-up session.
 - 2) Marshals shall be current members of USA Swimming.
 - 3) Marshals shall have the authority to remove from the deck, for the remainder of the warm-up session, any swimmer or coach who is in violation of safety or warm-up procedures.
- b. The host team shall provide signs for each lane at both ends of the pool, which indicate the designated use during warm-up.
- c. Warm-up times and lane assignments shall be published in the meet information and posted at several locations around the pool area. The following statement shall appear in the information: "Illinois Swimming, Inc. Safety Guidelines and Warm-up Procedures will be in affect at this meet."
- d. An announcer shall be on duty for the entire Warm-up session to announce lane and/or time changes and to assist with the conduct of the Warm-up.
- e. Hazards in locker rooms, on the deck area or in areas used by coaches, swimmers, spectators, or officials shall be removed or clearly marked.

3. Miscellaneous:

- a. Backstrokes shall ensure that they are not starting at the same time as a swimmer on the blocks.
- b. Swimmers shall not jump or dive into the pool to stop another swimmer on a recalled start.
- c. Swimmers are required to exit the pool upon completion of their warm-up to allow other swimmers adequate warm-up time. The pool is not for visiting or playing during the warm-up session.
- d. Warm-up procedures shall be enforced for any breaks scheduled during the competition.
- e. The Referee may restrict use of bands, hand paddles, or fins during warm-up. The Referee shall have control over mitigation actions necessary to relieve situations deemed as dangerous or impairing the safety of other swimmers.

NOTE: Host clubs may, with the consent of the Meet Director and Meet Referee, modify the warm-up time schedule or recommended lane assignments depending on pool configuration, number of swimmers or other consideration, so long as safety considerations are not compromised. Any such changes shall be announced, and/or posted prominently in the pool area.

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Order of Events

Friday Afternoon – Session 1

Girls	EVENT	Boys
1	Senior 400 IM	2
3	10 & U 200 IM	4
5	11 & 12 200 IM	6
7	10 & U 200 Free	8
9	11 & 12 500 Free	10
11	Senior 500 Free	12

Saturday Morning – Session 2

Girls	EVENT	Boys
13	10 & U 100 Free	14
15	11 & 12 100 Free	16
17	10 & U 50 Fly	18
19	11 & 12 50 Fly	20
21	10 & U 50 Back	22
23	11 & 12 100 Back	24
25	10 & U 50 Breast	26
27	11 & 12 50 Breast	28
29	10 & U 100 IM	30
31	11 & 12 100 IM	32
33	10 & U 200 Medley Relay	34
35	11 & 12 200 Medley Relay	36

Saturday Afternoon – Session 3

Girls	EVENT	Boys
37	13 & 14 200 IM	38
39	Senior 200 IM	40
41	8 & U 100 IM	42
43	13 & 14 100 Back	44
45	Senior 100 Back	46
47	8 & U 25 Fly	48
49	13 & 14 100 Fly	50
51	Senior 100 Fly	52
53	8 & U 50 Free	54
55	13 & 14 50 Free	56
57	Senior 50 Free	58
59	8 & U 100 Medley Relay	60
61	13 & 14 200 Breast	62
63	Senior 200 Breast	64
65	Senior 200 Medley Relay	66

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Sunday Morning – Session 4

Girls	EVENT	Boys
67	11 & 12 200 Free	68
69	10 & U 100 Back	70
71	11 & 12 50 Back	72
73	10 & U 100 Fly	74
75	11 & 12 50 Free	76
77	10 & U 50 Free	78
79	11 & 12 100 Breast	80
81	10 & U 100 Breast	82
83	11 & 12 100 Fly	84
85	10 & U 200 Free Relay	86
87	11 & 12 200 Free Relay	88

Sunday Afternoon – Session 5

Girls	EVENT	Boys
89	13 & 14 200 Free	90
91	Senior 200 Free	92
93	8 & U 25 Breast	94
95	13 & 14 100 Breast	96
97	Senior 100 Breast	98
99	8 & U 25 Free	100
101	13 & 14 200 Fly	102
103	Senior 200 Fly	104
105	8 & U 25 Back	106
107	13 & 14 100 Free	108
109	Senior 100 Free	110
111	8 & U 100 Free Relay	112
113	13 & 14 200 Back	114
115	Senior 200 Back	116
117	Senior 200 Free Relay	118

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Summary of Fees:

8 & Under	Girls	Number of Entries _____ @ \$3.00 each = \$ _____
	Boys	Number of Entries _____ @ \$3.00 each = \$ _____
9 & 10	Girls	Number of Entries _____ @ \$3.00 each = \$ _____
	Boys	Number of Entries _____ @ \$3.00 each = \$ _____
11 & 12	Girls	Number of Entries _____ @ \$3.00 each = \$ _____
	Boys	Number of Entries _____ @ \$3.00 each = \$ _____
13 & 14	Girls	Number of Entries _____ @ \$3.00 each = \$ _____
	Boys	Number of Entries _____ @ \$3.00 each = \$ _____
Senior	Girls	Number of Entries _____ @ \$3.00 each = \$ _____
	Boys	Number of Entries _____ @ \$3.00 each = \$ _____
Total Number of Relays Entered in the Meet _____		@ \$7.00 each = \$ _____
Total Number of Swimmers Attending Meet _____		@ \$1.00 each = \$ _____
		Grand Total = \$ _____

Please make all checks payable to: **Byron Park District**

Name of Club _____ Club Initials _____

Names of coaches attending Meet _____

Mailing Address: Name _____
 Address _____
 City, State, Zip _____
 Home Phone _____ Work Phone _____
 e-mail address _____

In consideration of acceptance of this entry I, intending to be legally bound; hereby co-sign, waive and release all rights and claims for damages which may accrue against U. S. Swimming, Inc.; Illinois Swimming Inc.; Byron Tiger Sharks, Byron Park District, Byron School District #226, their representatives, employees or successors for any and all injuries suffered by me or any contestant or representative in said meet as a representative of my club.

I attest that all athletes included in this entry and participating in this sanctioned/ approved event are duly registered ascurrent athlete members of USA Swimming.

Signature _____ Date _____

* This signed release must accompany the entry, or the entry will not be accepted.