

Turkey Shoot Novelty Swim Meet
Hosted by: Byron Tiger Sharks
November 19th and 20th 2011

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

Sanction Number: ILS11-1110

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MEET SCHEDULE:

**Saturday & Sunday AM
Sessions 1 & 3**

Warm Ups: 7:00am
Meet begins 8:00am
Positive check in closes: 20 minutes after warm ups begin

**Saturday & Sunday PM
Sessions 2 & 4**

Warm ups: Not before 11:00am
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, 1400 E. Touhy Ave. Suite 245, 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 17, 2011 or after 6:00pm November 11, 2011. 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 20 minutes 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 -10th (Ribbons 5th -10th; Medals 1st -4th)

High point trophies for top 3 high point scorers in each age group
Relay awards from 1st-3rd place.

ADMISSIONS: \$3.00/person

HEAT/PSYCH SHEETS: \$2.00 for individual 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 15-30 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.
- C. "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."

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. Backstrokers 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

Saturday Morning – Session 1

Girls	EVENT	Boys
1	10 & U 100 Free	2
3	11 & 12 100 Free	4
5	10 & U 50 Fly	6
7	11 & 12 50 Fly	8
9	10 & U 50 Back	10
11	11 & 12 100 Back	12
13	10 & U 50 Breast	14
15	11 & 12 50 Breast	16
17	10 & U 100 IM	18
19	11 & 12 100 IM	20
21	10 & U 200 Medley Relay	22
23	11 & 12 200 Medley Relay	24

Saturday Afternoon – Session 2

Girls	EVENT	Boys
25	Open 200 IM	26
27	8 & U 100 IM	28
29	Open 100 Back	30
31	8 & U 25 Back	32
33	Open 100 Fly	34
35	8 & U 25 Fly	36
37	Open 50 Free	38
39	8 & U 25 Free	40

41	Open 200 Breast	42
43	8 & under 100 Medley Relay	44
45	Open 200 Medley Relay	46

Sunday Morning – Session 3

Girls	EVENT	Boys
47	10 & U 200 Free	48
49	11 & 12 200 Free	50
51	10 & U 100 Back	52
53	11 & 12 50 Back	54
55	10 & U 100 Fly	56
57	11&12 100 Fly	58
59	10 & U 50 Free	60
61	11 & 12 50 Free	60
63	10 & U 100 Breast	64
65	11 & 12 100 Breast	66
67	10 & U 200 Free Relay	68
69	11 & 12 200 Free Relay	70

Sunday Afternoon – Session 4

Girls	EVENT	Boys
71	Open 200 Free	72
73	8 & U 100 Free	74
75	Open 100 Breast	76
77	8 & U 25 Breast	78
79	Open 200 Fly	80
81	8 & U 50 Fly	82
83	Open 100 Free	84
85	8 & U 50 Free	86
87	Open 200 Back	88
89	8 & U 100 Free Relay	90
91	Open 200 Free Relay	92

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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 _____			@ \$2.00 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 as current athlete members of USA Swimming.

Signature _____ Date _____

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