

**2024 June Age Group Championship Meet**  
Hosted by Canyons Aquatic Club – Santa Clarita Aquatic Center  
June 13-16, 2024

1. A COACHES MEETING WILL BE HELD EVERY MORNING AT 8:15 am
2. Coaches are responsible for all scratches. It is preferred that coaches scratch the day before, during finals. Scratches close each day 45 MINUTES before the start of prelims and 45 MINUTES before the start of timed finals. You may communicate scratches on the entry list provided by emailing Erica at [ericajohnson.swim@gmail.com](mailto:ericajohnson.swim@gmail.com) or text (805)504-5093. Please send in scratches as you receive them.
3. Entry lists are available for all days. Go to admin to receive your team folder. There will be a different color folder for each day. You can get them all at once or one at a time.
4. If swimmers are over-entered they will need to scratch down to a maximum of 3 events per day or 6 events total for the meet. A list of over-entered swimmers will be provided to each team in their team folder.
5. Controlled warm up will be available at 7 a.m. each morning. The competition pool will close at 8:20 each morning. Team warm-up times/lanes will be provided. Prelims will have two 40 minute warm-up sessions. Time Finals will have two 30 minute warm-up sessions.
6. Prelim and Timed Final events will be swum fastest to slowest.
7. There is no penalty for no-show in Prelims or Timed Finals. However, a swimmer that misses his/her Prelim or Timed Finals swim will not be placed in an open lane.
8. No deck entries will be accepted.
9. There will be NO delay for swimmers not at the blocks at the long whistle.
10. The USA Swimming National Finals' scratch rule will be used at this meet. *Athletes that do not want to swim an event in finals must scratch OR declare an intent to scratch within 30 minutes of the announcement of preliminary event results.* Athletes finishing in the top 16 who fail to scratch and fail to compete in finals will be removed from the meet. If it is the athlete's final event or the last day of the meet, there is a \$50 fine for failure to swim finals. **PLEASE ENCOURAGE ALL SWIMMERS TO SCRATCH IF THEY KNOW THEY WILL NOT BE RETURNING FOR FINALS REGARDLESS OF PLACEMENT...ESPECIALLY ON SUNDAY.**
11. Finals are scheduled to start one hour after the end of the timed finals.
12. Timed Finals are scheduled to start no less than 45 minutes after the end of each preliminary session.

13. Timing assignments for Finals will be based on the number of swimmers per team in Finals. This will be communicated by email once events are closed and finals is seeded. They will also be printed in the coaches' program for Finals.
14. Coaches' programs for Prelims and Timed Finals will be printed time permitting. PLEASE NOTE: The faster scratches are turned in, the faster the meet can be seeded and coaches' programs can be printed. The starting time of the meet and printing necessary paperwork for the session will take precedence over printing coaches' programs.
15. Relays must be pre-entered and pre-paid. Relays must be checked in by the end of prelims each day. The 800 free relay will be offered at the conclusion of the Friday morning prelims session. The 400 free relay will be offered at the conclusion of the Sunday morning prelims session.
  - a. The option of offering AM relays on Friday & Saturday will be discussed at the coaches meeting on Thursday
  - b. RELAY CARD DEADLINES: AM relay cards are due by 9AM (make sure to indicate AM in large letters on the card), TIMED FINAL relay cards are due 30 minutes after the start of the session, PM relay cards are due by 1:00 PM
  - c. Relay Changes – mark changes or scratches on relay cards. If you have already turned in your relay cards, please complete a relay change form and turn into admin.
16. Distance Events
  - a. The 400 Free and the 400 IM in prelims will alternate girls and boys, fastest to slowest.
  - b. The 1500 Free will close to competitors at 9 a.m. Thursday. Swimmers will have the option to choose AM or PM, fastest 8 that choose PM will be swimming in finals.
  - c. The 800 Free will close to competitors 30 minutes after the start of Finals on SATURDAY. Swimmers will have the option to choose AM or PM, fastest 8 that choose PM will be swimming in finals.
17. Tech suits ARE NOT permitted for 12-Under swimmers at this meet.

**THURSDAY 6/13/2024**

Start of Prelims 8:30 am  
 End of Prelims 11:16 am  
 Start of 1500 Free -  
 Not before 11:25 am

Start of Finals 3:00 pm  
 800 Free Relay approx. 1.5 hrs  
 after start of Finals

**FRIDAY 6/14/2024**

Start of Prelims 8:30 am  
 End of Prelims 11:10 am  
 Start of Timed Finals 12:00 pm

End of Timed Finals 2:49 pm  
 Start of Finals 4:00 pm  
 400 Medley Relay approx. 1.25 hrs  
 after start of Finals

**SATURDAY 6/15/2024**

Start of Prelims 8:30 am  
 End of Prelims 10:50 am  
 Start of Timed Finals 11:45 am

End of Timed Finals 2:22 pm  
 Start of Finals 4:00 pm  
 200 Medley Relay Approx 1.25 hrs  
 200 Free Relay Approx 2.25 hrs  
 after start of Finals

**SUNDAY 6/16/2024**

Start of Prelims 8:30 am  
 End of Prelims 9:43 am  
 Start of 800 Free -  
 Not before 10:20 am  
 Start of Timed Finals 1:00 pm  
*(Dependent on 400 Free Relays)*  
 End of Timed Finals 2:55 pm  
 Start of Finals 4:00 pm  
 400 Free Relay Approx 1 hr  
 after start of Finals