



2019 TYR Last Chance and Holiday Classic
November 22 – 23, 2019
Academic Village Pool, Pembroke Pines, Florida

Sanctioned by: Held under the sanction of USA Swimming and Florida Gold Coast Swimming, Inc.
Sanction No: **FGI112219SOFL-B-32**

It is understood and agreed that USA Swimming, the facility and the host organizations shall be free from any liabilities or claims for damages arising by reason of injuries to anyone during the conduct of the event.

Hosted by: South Florida Aquatic Club and Comets Swim Team Booster Club

Location: **Academic Village Swimming Pool.** 17191 Sheridan Street, Pembroke Pines, FL.
Enter from 172nd and free parking is located at the West end of the swimming pool.

Directions: **Coming from the North:** Take I-595 West to I-75 South. Take the Sheridan Street WEST Exit 11B. Drive about 1 mile, and make a right at 172nd Ave. Academic Village is on the RIGHT hand side. **(2nd Entrance)**
Coming from the South: Take SR-826 South to I-75 North. Take the Sheridan Street WEST Exit 11B. Drive about 1 mile, and make a right at 172nd Ave. Academic Village is on the RIGHT hand side. **(2nd Entrance)**

Date & Time:

Date	Session		Warm-up	Meet Start
Friday Nov 22, 2019	1	Fri Prelims	3:30pm	5:00pm
Saturday Nov 23, 2019	2	Sat Prelims	7:00am	8:30am
Saturday Nov 23, 2019	3	Holiday Classic	TBA	TBA
Saturday Nov 23, 2019	4	Finals	3:30pm	5:00pm

The meet director reserves the right to change meet warm-up and / or start times in order to hold an efficient meet within USA Swimming/FGC guidelines and with Age Group Chair approval.

Pool/Timing: 25 Yard x 50 meter heated outdoor pool with 10 short-course racing lanes with separate warm-up and swim-down lanes available. Minimum water depth in accordance with Article 103.2.3 at the start end of pool varies from 6'7" to 8'6" depending upon lane assignment. Colorado Timing Systems® electronic timing system with touch pads will be used for this meet. The competition course has been certified in accordance with 104.2.2(C)(4). A copy of such certification is on file with USA Swimming.

Format: Events 400 yards and longer and all 8 & U events in session 3 will be timed finals. All other events are also timed finals events but will be conducted as modified preliminaries and finals as follows:

- Events in sessions 1 and 2 are prelims and events in session 4 are finals.
- Swimmers will not be automatically advanced from prelims to finals based on their prelims results. They must instead enter the finals events of their choice by the entry deadline in the same manner that they enter prelims events.
- Swimmers may not enter an event in finals without also entering the corresponding distance/stroke event in prelims. Any such entry will be scratched by meet management.
- Times achieved in prelims events will be used to seed the corresponding stroke/distance event in the finals session.
- Swimmers who are scratches, or no-shows, or are disqualified and therefore do not achieve a legal time in a prelims session event **will not** be seeded into the corresponding stroke/distance event in the finals session.
- Results in finals will be separated by the following age groups: 10&U, 11-12, 13-14, 15&O. Results in prelims will not be separated by age groups.

Breaks between events may be inserted at Meet Director and Meet Referee discretion.

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

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.

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.

Unauthorized sale, advertisement and promotion of products and/or services at the location of the competition as well as its vicinity are not allowed without the written request and written approval of the meet host and meet director. All requests must be submitted to the meet director no later than 10 days prior to the first day of the competition. Failing to comply with such order will result in removal from the facility and/or immediate vicinity.

Deck Changing: Deck changes are prohibited.

Camera Free Zone: The Florida Gold Coast Swimming **CAMERA FREE ZONE** policy is in effect at this meet. No person may use a camera or any other device capable of recording still or video images in the area behind the starting blocks, in the locker rooms, changing areas, showers or restrooms. Violators may be reported to law enforcement or other governmental authorities and/or may be barred from the facility during the sanctioned event.

Image Authorization: All participants agree to be filmed and photographed by the official photographer(s) and network(s) of USA Swimming under the conditions authorized by USA Swimming, and allow event organizers the right to use names, pictures, likenesses, and biographical information before, during or after the period of participation in USA Swimming competitions to promote such competitions.

Closed Deck: Spectators will only be permitted in designated areas of the pool deck unless they are currently registered and in good standing with USA Swimming as an athlete or as a non-athlete and are working the meet. The only exception is for timers and volunteers assisting with the conduct of the meet.

Coaches: You will be permitted inside the restricted areas of the deck provided you are wearing your coaching credentials, and do not interfere with those conducting the meet.

Eligibility: Open to all current 2019 USA swimming registered athletes representing a Florida Gold Coast Swimming registered club, or training with a Florida Gold Coast Swimming registered club and swimming unattached.

No swimmer will be permitted to compete unless the swimmer is a member of USA Swimming as provided in Article 302. Swimmers who are not registered with USA Swimming by 12:00pm Thursday November 21, 2019 will be scratched from all their events. Such swimmers who subsequently prove USA Swimming registration may be permitted to enter late in accordance with the late entry policy.

The Meet Host **WILL NOT** be accepting New or Renewing USA Swimming registrations at the meet.

Disability Athletes: Any athlete with a disability will be accommodated in accordance with Article 105. Please contact the pool office ahead of time to allow for preparations - (954) 538-3721 SoFloMeets@swim4SoFlo.com

Entry: All entries must be received by **11:59pm Sunday November 17, 2019**
PLEASE enter electronically. NO MAILED entries accepted.
For electronic entries (CL or SDIF format only!); email entries to:
SoFloMeets@swim4SoFlo.com Confirmation of electronic entries will be sent via email.

NOTE: Swimmers without registration numbers or birth dates will not be entered. * Entry Fees will be Double if not entered electronically.**

A swimmer may not be entered in any event in session 4 without also being entered in the corresponding distance/stroke event in session 1 or 2. Any such entry will be scratched by meet management.

Enter with yard times only. Coach estimate times are acceptable. Please avoid entering with NT if possible.

Entries will be capped at 400 athletes. Additionally, if timelines for sessions 1 or 2 reaches 4 hours or session 3 reaches 1 1/2 hours including the host team's entries, the meet will be considered full at that point and no further entries will be accepted.

Swimmers may not enter events in both sessions 3 (Holiday Classic) and 4 (finals) as doing so would violate USA Swimming rule 205.3.1(F). Any swimmer entering events in sessions 3 and 4 will be scratched from their event(s) in session 4 by the administrative referee.

Entry Fees: \$8.00 per individual event for prelims events in sessions 1 and 2.
Events in session 4 (finals) may be entered free of charge.

Events in session 3 (Holiday Classic) are free, but the athlete surcharge (below) applies.

Athlete Surcharge: \$10.00 per swimmer.

***Entry fees are made payable to "SOFLO Swimming" (note: one check per team) If meet fees are paid by credit card there will be a 2% surcharge**

Late Entries: If the meet is not full, late entries for events in session 1, 2 and 3 may be accepted at Meet Referee discretion after the entry deadline and prior to the scratch deadline for the event in question. Late entries must be accompanied by proof of USA Swimming registration. No entry will be accepted after the scratch deadline. No late entry for

session 4 will be accepted after the scratch deadline for the corresponding stroke/distance event in session 1 or 2. If possible, enter electronically (CL or SDIF format) prior by 12:00pm (noon) Thursday November 21, 2019.

Late entry fees will be twice the standard fee.

Deck Entries: **THE FGC DECK SEED POLICY WILL NOT BE IN EFFECT.** All entries must be received by the deadlines specified above.

Refunds: Once a team or individual entry has been received and processed, there will be no refunds in full or in part unless FG 1.17.v applies.

Entry Limit:	Session	Entry Limit
	Session 1 – Friday Prelims:	Three (3) events
	Session 2 – Saturday Prelims	Three (3) events
	Session 3 – Holiday Classic	Five (5) events
	Session 4 – Finals	Three (3) events
	All Saturday sessions (including Time Trials)	Six (6) events total

Over-entries will be scratched by the administrative referee at the scratch deadline for the over-entered event(s).

Seeding: Events less than 400 yards in sessions 1 and 2 will be circle-seeded. Events in session 4 will be seeded using times achieved in corresponding distance/stroke events in sessions 1 and 2 and will be super-seeded unless super-seeding results in an excessive number of empty lanes. The heat order will be fast to slow for all events.

Scratches: Scratches will be accepted until the deadlines listed below:

Session 1 events	5:30pm Thursday November 21
Session 2 events	5:30pm Friday November 22
Session 3 events	5:30pm Friday November 22
Session 4 events	Conclusion of session 2

Scoring: The 400 IM and 500 freestyle and all events in session 4 (finals) will be scored with Hytek Age Groups Points.

Teams entering five or more athletes will be scored by Hytek Club Quality (average score per athlete).

Awards: Individual high point for each gender in the following age groups:
10&U, 11-12, 13-14, 15&O

12 and under: ribbons 1st - 10th

- Meet Director:** Luis Soler – Facilities Andrea Golding – Volunteers
- Officials:** All certified officials are welcome to work. Check in at the Starter's tent 60 minutes before the start of the session.
- Head Referee:** Alvaro Vasquez
- Admin Referee:** Allan Golding
- Meet Committee:** A meet committee may be created by the Meet Referee to handle issues pertaining to non-rule situations at the meet such as severe weather and equipment issues.
- Admission:** Admission - \$5.00 per session.
Heat Sheets will be available free of charge online at www.soflomeets.info/holidayclassic and on Meet Mobile. Printed Heat sheets will be available for coaches in the swim office.
- Information:** Call the SOFLO Swim Office at (954) 538-3721.

Order of Events

Session I – Friday November 22, 2019

Girls Odd Numbers - Boys Even Numbers

Session 1 – 5:00pm Start		EVENTS
1-2	Open	200 Free
3-4	Open	200 Fly
5-6	Open	50 Free
7-8	Open	200 Back
9-10	Open	100 Breast
11-12	Open	400 IM

Session II – Saturday November 23, 2019

Girls Odd Numbers - Boys Even Numbers

Session 2 – 8:30am Start		EVENTS
13-14	Open	200 IM
15-16	Open	100 Free
17-18	Open	100 Fly
19-20	Open	200 Breast
21-22	Open	100 Back
23-24	Open	500 Free

Session III – Saturday November 23, 2019
Girls Odd Numbers - Boys Even Numbers

Session 2 – TBA Start		EVENTS
25-26	8 & U	25 Free
27-28	8 & U	25 Fly
29-30	8 & U	25 Back
31-32	8 & U	25 Breast
33-34	8 & U	50 Free
35	8 & U	Mixed Free Relay

Session IV – Saturday November 23, 2019
Girls Odd Numbers - Boys Even Numbers

Session 4 – 5:00pm Start		EVENTS
101-102	Open (Multiage)	200 Free
103-104	Open (Multiage)	200 Fly
105-106	Open (Multiage)	50 Free
107-108	Open (Multiage)	200 Back
109-110	Open (Multiage)	100 Breast
113-114	Open (Multiage)	200 IM
115-116	Open (Multiage)	100 Free
117-118	Open (Multiage)	100 Fly
119-120	Open (Multiage)	200 Breast
121-122	Open (Multiage)	100 Back

TYR Last Chance Time Trials

Sanctioned by:	USA Swimming and Florida Gold Coast Swimming Sanction Number
Sponsored by:	South Florida Aquatic Club & Comets Swim Team Booster Club
Location:	Academic Village Swimming Pool
Dates and Time:	November 23, 2019 – Immediately following the conclusion of session 2 and before session 3, time permitting.
Pool / Timing:	25 Yard x 50 meter heated outdoor pool with 10 short-course racing lanes with separate warm-up and swim-down lanes available. Minimum water depth in accordance with Article 103.2.3 at the start end of pool varies from 6'7" to 8'6 depending upon lane assignment. Colorado Timing Systems® electronic timing system with touch pads will be used for this meet. The competition course has been certified in accordance with 104.2.2(C)(4). A copy of such certification is on file with USA Swimming.
Eligibility:	Open to all USA Swimming registered athletes.
Entries:	Entries will open at 5:30pm Friday November 22. Entries will close at 10:00am Saturday November 23 or when the time trial session length reaches one hour, whichever is first. Proof of USA Swimming registration will be required for swimmers not entered in the TYR Last Chance and Holiday Classic Meet.
Entry Limit:	Two (2) events. Swimmers are also limited to no more than six (6) events including Saturday events they participated in at the TYR Last Chance and Holiday Classic Meet.
Entry Fees:	\$15.00 per individual event; \$35.00 athlete surcharge for all swimmers not entered in the TYR Last Chance and Holiday Classic Meet.
Referee:	Alvaro Vasquez

Order of Events

	Saturday November 23, 2019	
	1st Pass	2nd Pass
50 Butterfly	201	251
50 Backstroke	202	252
50 Breaststroke	203	253
50 Freestyle	204	254
100 Butterfly	205	255
100 Backstroke	206	256
100 Breaststroke	207	257
100 Freestyle	208	258
200 Butterfly	209	259
200 Backstroke	210	260
200 Breaststroke	211	261
200 Freestyle	212	262
200 Individual Medley	213	263
500 Freestyle	214	264
400 Individual Medley	215	265
1650 Freestyle	-	266

All time trial events are mixed gender. Events will be run through twice with the exception of the 1650 freestyle. Consolidating heats may result in events being swum in an order different than listed above.