



Decatur Township Aquatic Club

Meet/Event Schedule for Short Course 2018-19

Date	Meet/Location	SR	AG2	AG1
October 6-7	ACST Fall Classic @ Avon High School	X	O	O
Decatur Township Fall Break is October 15-21				
October 27-28	PIKE Fall Invite @ Pike High School	X	X	X
November 17-18	PCA Invitational @ Plainfield High School		X	X
Decatur Township Thanksgiving Break is November 19-25				
December 14-16	JAGS Winter Invite @ IUPUI Natatorium	W	X	O
Decatur Township Winter Break is December 21-January 6				
January 5-6	LST Winter Decathlon @ Lawrence North High School		X	X
January 25-27	WTSC Groundhog Invite @ North Central High School		X	O
February 24	PIKE Last Chance Invite @ Pike High School	X	X	X
End of Competition Season for Non-Championship Qualifiers				
March 1-3	IN Swimming Divisional Championships @ TBD => <i>Any athlete who qualifies will be expected to compete for the team!</i>	Qualification Times Required		
March 8-10	IN Swimming Age Group State Championships @ IUPUI Natatorium => <i>Any athlete who qualifies will be expected to compete for the team!</i>	Qualification Times Required		
March 15-17	IN Swimming Senior State Championships @ TBD => <i>Any athlete who qualifies will be expected to compete for the team!</i>	Qualification Times Required		
Final Practice for Short Course Season is Friday, March 15th				

X - Required Attendance to the Meet

O - Optional Attendance to Meet

W - IHSAA Waiver Required to Compete



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Entering Meets

- Every effort should be made to attend as many meet sessions as possible. We are publishing the schedule well in advance, so it will allow time for families to compare the schedule to other activities and/or family obligations. Requirements for athlete participation in Short Course Season meets are based on training group. The following requirements should be viewed as the minimum for each group.
 - AG 1 - 4 Sessions
 - AG 2 - 8 Sessions
 - Senior - 3 Sessions + One IHSAA Waiver Meet (*upon Approval from Coach Grace and IHSAA*)
 - For High School athletes, the IHSAA allows swimmers to compete in up to two club meets during the high school competition season. Club meets cannot replace High School competitions. Coach Grace will direct the waiver process for these athletes. The affected meets are the JAGS Winter Invite and WTSC Groundhog Invite (Boys ONLY).
- When the coaches complete the entry, they will place swimmer's into the appropriate sessions and events based on their age, attendance, level of experience, and meeting qualifying standards (as necessary).

If changes to availability occur after signing up online, you will need to contact Coach Grace as soon as possible. The coaching staff will complete and submit entries for meets approximately 4-6 weeks prior to the meet start date. Once the entry period closes for a meet, no changes will occur and families will be charged for the sessions and events signed up for!

Meet Entry Fees

Each swimmer/family is responsible for paying the entry fees and/or surcharges for all meets for which they enter. These fees are set by the meet hosts and vary depending on the level and type of competition and the number of events entered. The amount ranging anywhere between \$6 and \$50 per meet will be billed to your account after the entry has been completed. Swimmers/families that fall behind in payments may not be allowed to enter future meets.

Meet Entry Fees Billing Process

Coaches submit entries to meets approximately 4-6 weeks in advance and update times for the entries periodically before the meet. Once the entry is sent and accepted by the meet host, the club is obligated to pay the total due, regardless if the swimmer competes. Once a meet entry is sent, an email with entry fees will be sent to competing families and fees will need to be paid as soon as possible.