



# North East Independent School District

## UIL Region VII-5A Championship Meet Information

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- Name:** •UIL 2010 Region VII Class 5-A Swimming and Diving Championships
- Dates:** •February 11, 12 and 13, 2010
- Venue:** •Josh Davis Natatorium  
•Blossom Athletic Center (North East Stadium)  
•Jones-Maltsberger Road at Starcrest / Bitters  
•San Antonio, TX 78217  
•210-491-6132
- Facility:** •Eight FINA-width (2.75-meters) lanes  
•0.75-meter buffers outside lanes one and eight  
•2.25-meter minimum depth  
•All automatic starting and timing  
•Full, real-time scoreboard with heat and event display  
•Heat and event board operates in the adjacent Walker warm-up / cool down pool (16 lanes)  
•Off-deck seating for 1500  
•Spectators are not permitted on deck.  
•Concessions and swim shop in the lobby
- Rules:** •The 2009 - 2010 National Federation Swimming, Diving, and Water Polo Rules will govern this meet  
•The USA Swimming Whistle Start Procedure will be in use at this meet
- Natatorium**
- Rules:** •All swimmers and divers are required to wear their approved uniforms and warm-ups  
•Hats, body or face painting, costumes, and /or props will not be allowed  
•Organized cheers by schools teams will be allowed on deck in front of the designated seating area specified for each school  
•All spirit groups and team mascots must stay in the spectator area and will not be allowed on deck  
•Athletes and / or teams that violate these rules will be subject to disciplinary action that may include disqualification from the competition
- National Time**
- Verification:** •This meet has been approved by USA Swimming for NTV purposes  
•In order for a time from a high school championship or season culminating meet to be entered into the USA Swimming (USA-S) National SWIMS Database, the athlete must be currently (2009) registered with USA-S – **AND** – the athlete's USA-S ID Number must be accurately entered into the Meet Manager Database  
•No further action by either the coach or the athlete is necessary  
•ALL swims involving the backstroke will be observed by USA Swimming Certified Officials and exceptions to the technical rules will be noted to the NTV Officer on deck
- Meet**
- Format:** •Championship with two heats, Championship and Consolation, advancing to finals  
•Fifteen minute break after 50-yard freestyle in both preliminaries and finals  
•Five minute break after the 100-yard breaststroke in both preliminaries and finals  
•Nominal 45 seconds between races in preliminaries  
•Nominal 90 seconds between the other finals events  
•In the finals session a "ready bench," located in the weight room, will be in operation  
•Qualifiers must report to the "ready bench" no later than one event prior to their scheduled swim
- Entry**
- Restrictions:** •Each swimmer may enter four events, no more than two of which may be individual events  
•No school may enter more than four swimmers in any single individual event  
•Each school is limited to one relay team per relay event

## Swim suit

### Restrictions:

- Only one suit is permitted during competition
- The suits must:
  - Be of one piece
  - Be constructed of woven / knit material
  - Be 100% permeable to air and water
  - Not aid buoyancy
  - Not have fastening system other than waist ties, casings, ribbing or elastic (no zippers)
  - Not extend beyond the shoulders or below the top of the kneecap and not cover the neck for women
  - Not extend above the waist or below the top of the kneecap for men
- Swimmers found in violation of these restrictions will be banned from further competition until the violation has been remedied

### Relays:

- Only the four (4) swimmers declared on the front of the relay card are permitted to report to the blocks and compete
- If the swimmers are to be correctly noted in the Final Results, the order of swimming must also be specified
- Relay cards for the preliminary\* 200-yard Medley Relay must be turned in to the Official Scorer not later than thirty (30) minutes prior to the scheduled starting time of the session.
- Relay cards for the preliminary\* 200-yard Free Relay must be turned in to the Official Scorer not later than the start of the men's 500-yard freestyle.
- Relay cards for the preliminary\* 400-yard Free Relay must be turned in to the Official Scorer not later than the start of the women's 100-yard breaststroke.
- Once relay cards have been turned in to the Official Scorer, no changes will be permitted and post-meet corrections cannot be made
- For the finals\* session, if there is no change in the order of swimmers or the makeup of a relay team, the Official Score will NOT require a new card be submitted
- For the finals\* session, if there is a change in either the order of the swimmers or the makeup of a relay team a NEW card must be prepared and submitted to the Official Scorer as noted above
- \*In the cases where there are eight (8) or fewer entries for any relay event, it will be contested as a timed final in the finals session only and NOT swum in preliminaries – the card submission restrictions noted above will, however, apply

## Entry

### Deadline:

- 6:00 PM, Tuesday, February 2, 2010 (No exceptions!)

### Late/Deck Entries?

No!

## Entry

### Procedures

- Entries are MUST be submitted by Hy-Tek Commlink File or disk
- Hard copy must accompany
- Please format disks before utilizing for entries
- Commlink Files may be submitted by e-mail (please see section just below) or hand delivered
- Each entry must include the swimmer's full name, swimmers school affiliation / grade, and a seedtime
- Entries received without a seedtime will be rejected
- Submit entries to: David L. Johnson, Josh Davis Natatorium, 12002 Jones-Maltsberger Road, San Antonio, TX 78216-2917

## E-Mail

### Entries:

- Entries in Commlink Format only, **MUST** be sent only to: djohns1@neisd.net
- The Commlink File must be renamed to clearly identify the entering team, the shorter the better
- Athletes included in improperly identified Commlink Files (Cfile0X.cl2 or zfile00X.zip) will not be entered into the meet and any entry fees will not be refunded
- Athletes WILL NOT be entered into Meet Manager until the Meet Entry Report (hard copy) is received as an attachment to the e-mail, via FAX (210-491-6133), or hand-delivered
- Athletes WILL NOT be permitted to compete in the meet until satisfactory fee payment arrangements have been made with the Meet Director or designee

## FAX

### Entries:

- Under no circumstances will entries be accepted via FAX
- Entry Reports WILL be accepted via FAX

**Entry**

- Fees:**
- \$12.00 per athlete
  - Checks payable to NEISD

**Scratch**

- Rules:**
- Championship format - Scratches are not permitted
  - Swimmers who fail to appear for any competition which they have entered or have qualified for, will be disqualified from further competition
  - Previous performances will not be nullified
  - Failures to compete by reason of illness or injury are excepted, as are alternates
  - An individual swimmer or relay team may withdraw from competition without penalty in any given event by declaring a false start
  - The Meet Referee will designate the time and place for such declarations.

**Alternates:**

- Swimmers who may qualify as alternates for final events and wish to compete should no shows occur, must be within an area previously designated by the Meet Referee and be immediately available
- Immediately is defined as being properly attired, on the block, and ready to swim within 30 seconds of being called

**Diving:**

- National Federation Rules will apply
- 11-dive format
- 1-meter board only
- Five (5) voluntary dives and six (6) optional dives must be performed
- All divers must be entered with their high school team via Hy-Tek Commlink
- Completed dive sheets must be sent to the Diving Referee by the Entry Deadline
- All corrections / revisions must be in the hands of the Diving Referee not later than one hour prior to the scheduled start of competition

**Meet****Management:****Meet Director:**

David L. Johnson  
 Josh Davis Natatorium  
 12002 Jones-Maltsberger Rd  
 San Antonio, TX 78216  
 (210)-491-6132  
 djohns1@neisd.net

**Swimming Referee:**

Frank Swigon  
 25203 Baneberry  
 San Antonio, TX 78258  
 (210)-497-1086  
 fswigon@yahoo.com

**Diving Referee:**

Donn Boyd  
 8400 North Loop 1604 West  
 San Antonio, TX 78249  
 (210)-397-7524  
 eboyd@satx.rr.com

**Scoring:**

Place ⇒	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
<b>Individual</b>	20	17	16	15	14	13	12	11	9	7	6	5	4	3	2	1
<b>Relay</b>	40	34	32	30	28	26	24	22	18	14	12	10	8	6	4	2

**Advancement:**

- The top finishing swimmers and relay teams from each event will automatically advance to the UIL State Class 5-A Championships to be held at the University of Texas Swim Center February 26 and 27, 2010

**Awards:**

- Medals for places one through three in each event
- Ribbons for places four through eight in each event
- Team awards for first place - men and women

**Daily****Swimming****Schedule:****•Preliminaries (Friday, 12th)**

- Warm-ups 12:30 PM
- Clear pool 1:45 PM
- Coaches' Meeting 1:46 PM
- Meet begins 2:00 PM

**•Finals (Saturday, 13th)**

- Warm-ups 12:30 PM
- Clear Pool 1:45 PM
- National Anthem 1:57 PM
- Meet begins 2:00 PM

**Swimming  
Officials  
Please Make**

- Special Note:**
- All deck officials must be currently (2009 - 2010) certified / registered with TISCA / NFHS and have worked at least one of the District Championship meets during the current season
  - The Meet Referee will make all deck assignments two or three days BEFORE the meet
  - Therefore, all officials who desire to be assigned to deck positions MUST notify the Meet Referee of their intentions and availability NOT LATER than 6:00 PM, Sunday, February 7th
  - Please specify the sessions for which you will be available and in which Class
  - Please submit your information to: [fswigon@yahoo.com](mailto:fswigon@yahoo.com)
  - You WILL NOT be assigned if your commitment and information are not submitted or not received by the date and time noted above
  - Uniforms for deck officials will be as follows:
    - Preliminaries** – white shirts/blouses over navy blue pants, skirts, or Bermuda length shorts (NO JEANS PLEASE)
    - Finals** – navy blue shirts/blouses over white pants or skirts (NO SHORTS OR JEANS, PLEASE), navy blue blazers with white shirt and mostly red tie are optional
  - Please report to the deck level classroom at 1:15 PM both days to receive assignments

- Diving:**
- Preliminaries and Finals (Thursday, February 11th)**
  - Warm-ups 1:00 PM
  - Meet begins 2:00 PM

- Time Trials:**
- AAAA will conduct USA Swimming Approved Time Trials at the Josh Davis Natatorium on Sunday, February 14th beginning at 10:00 A.M (warm-ups at 9:00 AM)
  - Please visit the USA Swimming Page of the AAAA Web Site for details.

## Order of the Events

Women's Event #	Distance (yards) and Stroke	Men's Event #
1	200 Medley Relay	2
3	200 Freestyle	4
5	200 Individual Medley	6
7	50 Freestyle	8
<b>Fifteen minute break</b>		
8	1-meter diving Thursday, 2:00 PM	9
11	100 Butterfly	12
13	100 Freestyle	14
15	500 Freestyle	16
17	200 Free Relay	18
19	100 Backstroke	20
21	100 Breaststroke	22
<b>Five minute break</b>		
23	400 Free Relay	24