

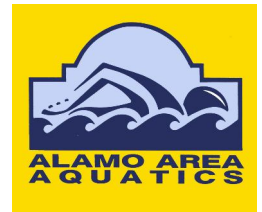


North East Independent School District

TAPPS Meet Information

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- Meet Name:**
- 2010 TAPPS South Regional Swimming and Diving Championships
- Meet Date(s):**
- Friday (Diving) and Saturday (Swimming), January 22 and 23, 2010
- Meet Venue:**
- Josh Davis Natatorium
 - Blossom Athletic Center (North East Stadium)
 - Jones-Maltsberger Road at Starcrest / Bitters
 - San Antonio, TX 78216
 - 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 Colorado automatic starting and timing
 - Full scoreboard with heat and event display
 - A second heat and event board operates in the adjacent 16-lane Bill Walker warm-up / cool down pool
 - Off-deck seating for 1500
 - Concessions and swim shop in the lobby
 - Spectators are not permitted on deck under any circumstances.
- Rules:**
- The 2009-2010 National Federation Swimming, Diving, and Water polo Rules, with the exceptions noted in the current TAPPS Constitution, By-Laws, and Contest Rules; will govern this meet
 - The USA Swimming Whistle Start Procedure will be in use at this meet
- Cell phone Restrictions:**
- The presence and / or use of cell phones, and any other equipment capable of producing photographic or video images, in locker rooms is strictly and specifically prohibited at all times.
 - There are no exceptions to this prohibition.
 - Violators are subject to disqualification from the meet and disbarment from the facility.
- Swim suit Restrictions:**
- The wearing of only one suit is permitted during competition
 - The suits must:
 - 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
- Meet Format:**
- Timed finals
 - Swimmers will be seeded by gender and time, swum slowest to fastest, and scored by Division
 - Ten minute breaks after the men's 50-yard freestyle and 200 freestyle relays
 - Nominal 45 seconds between races

- 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.
- Relays:**
- Eight (8) individuals **may** be designated on the relay entry, but it will not count as an event unless that individual actually competes on the relay team.
 - 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 200-yard Medley Relay must be turned in to the Official Scorer not later than the beginning of the coaches' meeting.
 - Relay cards for the 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 400-yard Free Relay must be turned in to the Official Scorer not later than the start of the men's 100-yard backstroke.
 - Once relay cards have been turned in to the Official Scorer, no changes will be permitted and post-meet corrections cannot be made.
- Entry Deadline:**
- 5:00 PM, Saturday, January 16, 2010 (No exceptions!)
- Late/Deck Entries?**
- No!
- Entry Procedures**
- Entries are preferably to 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)
 - Each entry must include the swimmer's full name, swimmers school affiliation / grade, and a seedtime
 - USA Swimming affiliated swimmers must have their name and ID Number entered exactly as they appear on their USA Swimming ID Card
 - Entries received without a seed time will be rejected and any entry fees will not be refunded
 - Schools without Hy-Tek Software may enter via TAPPS for \$5.00 per swimmer
- 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.
- FAX Entries:**
- Under no circumstances will entries be accepted via FAX
 - Entry Reports WILL be accepted via FAX (210-491-6133).
- Entry fees:**
- \$18.00 per athlete
 - Checks payable to **TAPPS**.
- Scratch Rules:**
- Scratches are not permitted
 - Swimmers who fail to appear for any competition for which their entry has been accepted will be disqualified from further competition in this meet
 - Previous performances will not be nullified
 - Failures to compete by reason of illness or injury are excepted
 - 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.

- Diving:**
- National Federation Rules will apply
 - Six (6) dive format
 - One-meter board only
 - Each diver shall perform six (6) dives, one (1) voluntary and five (5) optional
 - The voluntary dive will be from the forward group
 - Diving counts as an individual event
 - All divers must be entered with their school's 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
 - Diving coaches' meeting Friday, February 5, 2010 at 4:00 PM in the deck level classroom
 - TAPPS diving coaches may be asked to judge the diving competition

Administration:

Meet Director:	Swimming Referee:	Diving Referee:
David L. Johnson	Frank Swigon	Craig Nolder
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- TAPPS general information contact is: bruce.rollins@duchesne.org

Scoring:

Place ⇒	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Individual	9	7	6	5	4	3	2	1
Relay	18	14	12	10	8	6	4	2

- Awards:**
- Individual: Ribbons places one through six
 - Team: Places one through three

Swimming Schedule:

- The William Walker Pool will be available for warm-ups from 6:00 to 8:00 PM, Friday, January 22nd

Swimming Coaches' Meeting:

- Friday, January 22nd at 5:00 PM in the deck level classroom of the Davis Natatorium

Swimming Schedule(Saturday, Jan 23 Only) Diving Schedule (Friday, Jan 22 Only)

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| •Warm-ups | 7:30 AM | •Coaches' Meeting | 4:00 PM |
| •Clear pool | 8:40 AM | •Warm-ups | 4:30 PM |
| •National Anthem | 8:57 AM | •Meet begins | 6:00 PM |
| •Meet begins | 9:00 AM | | |

Timers:

- Each team will be required to provide two backup timers
- Timers please report to the weight room, northwest corner on deck not later than 8:20 AM

Swimming Officials Please Make

Special Note:

- All deck officials must be currently (2009 - 2010) certified / registered with TISCA / NFHS
- 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, January 18th
- Please submit your information to: fswigon@yahoo.com
- You WILL NOT be assigned if your commitment and information are not submitted or not received by the deadline
- Uniforms for deck officials will be white shirts/blouses over navy blue pants, skirts, or Bermuda length shorts (NO JEANS PLEASE)
- Please report to the deck level classroom at 8:30 AM to receive assignments – please be prompt



Order of the Swimming 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
Ten minute break		
9	1-meter diving Friday, January 22nd 6:00 PM	10
11	100 Butterfly	12
13	100 Freestyle	14
15	500 Freestyle	16
17	200 Free Relay	18
Ten minute break		
19	100 Backstroke	20
21	100 Breaststroke	22
23	400 Free Relay	24

