2021

SWIMMING & DIVING
State Qualifiers’ Handbook
Congratulations on your team’s advancement to the Swimming & Diving State Meet. This handbook has been prepared to serve as a guide to administrators and coaches and provide information about the State Meet. You will find this material valuable upon your arrival as you prepare for the meet.

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MEET INFORMATION

State Qualifiers/Scratches: Regional final times will be used for seeding heats for the State Meet. All state qualifiers will be named on the UIL Website.

- Scratch Form
- Girls Relay Confirmation Form – Please declare your girl relay members along with alternates.
- Boys Relay Confirmation Form – Please declare your boy relay members along with alternates.
- Dive Film Pass – Each school, with a qualified diver, will be allowed one videographer for the sake of filming All-American.

NEW FOR 2021: All teams who qualify a relay, regardless of the number of relays qualified, will only be allowed a maximum of 2 alternates.

NEW FOR 2021: Masks and social distancing will be required when in Walker Pool and Josh Davis Natatorium at all times unless a swimmer or diver is in the water competing or warming up. The COVID protocols that have been in place all year, will continue to be in place, COVID-19 Protocols link.

NEW FOR 2021: For all relay events, every other lane will be utilized in order to maintain social distancing requirements. The consolation heats and the finals heats will be seeded with the first four fastest times swimming in the first heat and the next four fastest times swimming in the second heat. There will be a march out of the finals heats after the two consolation heats are complete.

If you have swimmers or divers that have to be scratched from the State Meet due to COVID-19, please contact our Swimming & Diving Director, Brandy Belk at 512-635-6634. Refunds for tickets will not be made unless we have the swimmer, diver or school that has had to be pulled out of the meet for COVID-19 reasons.

Divers: The rules in the National Federation Swimming and Diving Rules and Records Book shall be followed regarding dive list format for entries.

The top TWO male and top TWO female divers, regardless of degree of difficulty, will advance from each regional competition to the State Meet.

Please make sure the qualifying divers’ names & schools are included in the HY-TEK file sent Saturday night after the Regional meet. Divers are not entered into the meet if not included in that file.

The diving competition will be facilitated at the state meet utilizing eDive software. Dive sheets must be submitted online at www.cleaneentries.com. For any questions, please email kldavis4905@gmail.com or call 806-787-6225. (Please leave a message if not answered)

DEADLINES FOR SUBMISSION OF DIVE SHEETS:

Girls 5A & 6A – 12:00 PM CST - Monday, February 15, 2021
Boys 5A & 6A – 12:00 PM CST - Monday, February 22, 2021

Packet Pick-up: Schools may pick up packets on Thursday, February 25th (Boys) and Sunday, February 28th (Girls) between 4:00 and 6:00pm at the ticket window outside the Josh Davis Natatorium. Packets are also available starting at 7:45am on Friday and Saturday at the ticket window outside the Josh Davis Natatorium.

School Parking: School bus parking will be along the driveway between Comalander Field (see map) and Josh Davis Natatorium. School suburbs and other vehicles will park in the football / tennis parking (see map).

State Venue Location: Josh Davis Natatorium & Bill Walker Pool (12002 Jones Maltsberger Rd., San Antonio, TX 78216)

Ticket Sales: Online tickets will be available starting February 8th at 10:00am. https://www.uiltexas.org/swimming-diving/state/swimming-diving-state-meet-spectator-information. Tickets will not be available for purchase onsite. Doors will open an hour prior to each session on Friday, February 19th (9:00 am - prelims; 2:05 pm - diving 4:00 pm - finals) and will open an hour before each session on Saturday, February 20th (9:00 am - prelims; 1:05 pm - diving 4:00 pm - finals).

- All-Meet - No all-meet tickets or passes will be available this year.
- Session (Tickets good for single)
  o Adult $15.00
  o Students $15.00
REFUNDS - Refunds for tickets will only be made for families of athletes or schools who have to be scratched from the 2021 State Meet due to COVID-19 reasons. There are no exceptions to this refund policy. Fees will not be refunded, only the ticket price ($15) will be refunded.

Deck Access:
Participating Athletes - All swimmers and divers must have a tattoo to be admitted into the pool deck area. Each school will be provided one tattoo per participant. PLEASE NOTE: schools with one qualifier will be provided one complimentary tattoo, good for the area your team is set up, in the event that a non-participating athlete is travelling with your participant.

***Lap Counters - If you have a single state qualifier who is participating in the 500 Freestyle, we will provide your school with one additional tattoo.

Swim & Dive Coaches - One wristband will be provided in each school packet. Additional wristbands may be requested at packet pick-up with the following parameters:

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<th>ADDITIONAL WRISTBANDS</th>
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** Diving coaches will receive an additional wristband, if more than one student-athlete qualifies from your school.

Due to strict COVID-19 capacity restrictions, there will be no additional passes outside the above-mentioned parameters for coaches and/or administration for the 2021 UIL State Swimming & Diving Meet.

Athletic Trainers - Will not be granted access to the pool deck. EMT and athletic training staff will be provided on site.

Videographer (Diving) - Schools are allowed to appoint one individual (per school) to videotape the diving for the purpose of All-American Diving qualifications. The individual who is listed as the videographer will be required to show a photo ID in order to obtain credentials to the diving well. Videographer credentials can be picked up Thursday during packet pick-up or Friday upon arrival to the Davis Natatorium. Dive Film Pass

Coaches’ Area: During swimming competition, the area behind the white chains is reserved for school coaches only. We ask that this area is designated for coaches with participants in the event taking place. Team members will be prohibited in this area.

Team Seating: A team seating assignment diagram will be available in the school packet. Coaches are responsible to see that only school coaches and participants are in their assigned area.

Locker Rooms: Participants will be allowed to go into locker rooms to change into suits. No personal belongings are allowed to be left in the locker room. Shaving onsite will be grounds for disqualification.

Officials: Meet referees will be selected by the UIL Staff. The meet referees will assist UIL Staff with the selection of the State Meet officials.

Meet Committee: A meet committee shall be appointed by the UIL for the State Meet.

Rules: National Federation Rules will be followed. Decisions of the referee are final. Protests in writing must be submitted to the Meet Director.

Scoring: 16 places will be scored in all individual, relay, and diving events. Points shall be scored by the following: Individuals, 20-17-16-15-14-13-12-11 for final; 9-7-6-5-4-3-2-1 for consolation; Relays, scored double.

Results: Live results will be available on the UIL Website (http://www.uiltexas.org/swimming-diving/state/swimming-diving-state-meet-qualifiers-results).

Final Heat Sheets will be provided to coaches prior to the final’s sessions each day.

Awards:
• All participants finishing 1st, 2nd, and 3rd must report according to the awards schedule to the awards area.
• Championship, runner-up, and third team place trophies will be presented after the last event.
Programs: For the 2020-21 school year, all programs will be digital. There will be a link on the UIL website that will make downloading and/or printing the program available to anyone for free. Heat and lane assignments will be included in the State Meet program. Final heat sheets will be provided to coaches before the final’s sessions begin each day but will not be available to the public.

Photos: 1st Photo Texas, the UIL sanctioned photographer, will be taking photos at the awards stand. You can visit the 1st Photo Texas’ website to order photos (www.1stphototexas.com).

Food and Beverage: One cooler per team is permitted with food and drinks. Glassware is strictly prohibited. Concessions will be available.

**BROADCAST INFORMATION**

**NFHS Network to Webcast UIL Swimming & Diving**

NFHS Network will provide a live webcast of the 2021 UIL Swimming & Diving State Championship Meets from the Bill Walker Pool and Josh Davis Natatorium on the North East ISD campus.

Fans, family and alumni unable to attend the UIL Swimming & Diving State Meet can watch live online with a subscription on nfhsnetwork.com/associations/uil.

Subscribers can also watch on the go by downloading the NFHS Network app for iPhone and Android Devices.
### SWIMMING & DIVING STATE MEET SCHEDULE

#### BOYS: Thursday, February 25 | GIRLS: Sunday, February 28

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#### BOYS: Friday, February 26 | GIRLS: Monday, March 1

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#### BOYS: Saturday, February 27 | GIRLS: Tuesday, March 2

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(6A – Friday/ 5A – Saturday)

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Friday/Saturday – Diving
NOTE: Diving competition will begin at 2:05. For ticketing and doors opening purposes, we have posted it will start at 2:00 pm.
Diving Awards will happen in Davis Natatorium at the conclusion of the diving competition

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Friday/Saturday – 5:00 pm – Finals
(6A – Friday/ 5A – Saturday)

Top eight Preliminary times will swim in finals heat; next eight will swim in consolation heat
(Consolation Heats followed by Championship Heats; Championship heats will march out; Top 3 report to Awards Area)

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2021 SWIM WARM-UP PROCEDURES

Facilities: Bill Walker Pool         Josh Davis Natatorium
26 x 25 SCY Lanes             10 x 25 SCM Lanes

- Competition Course: Bill Walker South Pool
- Both facilities will be available for warm-up purposes before the competition begins
- 16 x 25 SCY Lanes in the Walker Pool will be available for warm-up/warm-down throughout the competition.
  10 x 25 SCM Lanes in the Davis Natatorium will be available for warm-up/warm-down throughout the competition
- No more than 5-6 athletes may be in a single lane at one time during warm-up/warm-down
- No relay exchanges will be allowed

Preliminaries Warm-up: 8:15 am – 9:00 am  Both facilities (36 lanes)
Friday & Saturday 9:00 am – 9:45 am  Continuous Warm-up Walker Pool (16 lanes)
& Davis Natatorium (10 lanes)
9:00 am – 9:45 am  Competition Course
Lanes 0 Push-Pace (No Dive)
Lanes 1-2       One Way Dive Sprints
Lanes 3-5       General Warm-up
Lanes 6-7       One Way Dive Sprints
Lanes 8-9       Push-Pace (No Dive)
9:45 am         Clear Competition Course

Announcements
9:50 am
9:55 am National Anthem
10:00 am Competition begins

Finals Warm-up: 3:15 pm – 4:00 pm  Both facilities (36 lanes)
Friday & Saturday 4:00 pm – 4:45 pm  Continuous Warm-up in Walker Pool (16 lanes)
& Davis Natatorium (10 lanes)
4:00 pm – 4:45 pm  Competition Course
Lanes 0 Push-Pace (No Dive)
Lanes 1-2       One Way Dive Sprints
Lanes 3-5       General Warm-up
Lanes 6-7       One Way Dive Sprints
Lanes 8-9       Push-Pace (No Dive)
4:45 pm         Clear Competition Course
4:50 pm        Introduction of Officials
4:55 pm        National Anthem
5:00 pm        Competition begins
NEW FOR 2021 – There will be plenty of parking at North East ISD’s Aquatics centers. Buses will park along the drive between Comalander Field and Davis Natatorium. School vans/suburbans will park in the football/tennis parking lot. Spectator parking will be in front of Davis Natatorium and Walker Pool as well as overflow parking near the tennis courts.

No soccer game parking:
Parking when a soccer game is going on:
Walker Pool Seating for Teams

North Pool
WARM UP/COOL DOWN

WARM UP/COOL DOWN

SOUTH POOL
COMPETITION

BILL WALKER POOL

KEY
- 2ST: Two Short Tier
- 2T: Two Tier
- 3ST: Three Short Tier
- 3T: Three Tier
- 4ST: Four Short Tier
- 4T: Four Tier
- A: Announcer
Davis Natatorium Seating for Teams

JOSH DAVIS NATATORIUM
Spectator Diagram – Walker & Davis

Legend:
- First Aid Station
- Spectator Entrance
- Spectator Exit

Second Floor Spectator Seating Area
- Spectators will enter at the lower level entrance and immediately be directed to the second floor to spectator seating.