

INDIANA SWIMMING OPEN WATER SANCTION APPLICATION

INSTRUCTIONS:

1. Submit Meet Announcement to Indiana Swimming at the contact information below.

*IF you email the meet announcement, there is no need to send via snail mail (USPS)!
Please do NOT fax Meet Announcements or applications.*

A sanction number will NOT be issued until #3 below is received.

2. Submit safety plan.

3. Send this completed application with the \$10 application fee in order to receive sanction number.

No sanction number will be issued to club until this completed application and \$10 fee is received.

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Questions about process? 317.237.5780

USA SWIMMING RULES require the following for all Sanctioned meets:

1. All **MEET DIRECTORS**, referees, starters, marshals, Turn judges and safety referee, serving in an official capacity in a sanctioned event, must be members of USA Swimming. (202.3.2)
2. At a sanctioned competitive event, **USA Swimming athlete members must be under the supervision of a USA Swimming member coach during warm-up, competition, and warm-down.** The Meet Director or Meet Referee shall assist the athlete in making arrangements for such supervision. 202.3.2

Host club is aware there will be a \$50 fine assessed if entry information is published / distributed / posted on a website without an Indiana Swimming issued sanction number.

It is understood and agreed, upon granting of this Sanction Application, that the host club will submit **within 3 business days after the event the Meet Manager Backup file and 10 business days after the event** ALL required paperwork and fees to the designated officers as detailed on the Meet Director Requirements Page (www.inswimming.org/files/forms/meetdir.htm)

In making this sanction application and upon the granting of this sanction, it is the intent of this host club and its official representatives to fulfill each stated and implied requirement for the conduct of this athletic event as herein described and as required by the USA SWIMMING Code and Indiana Swimming, Inc. Rules, unless specifically modified in writing in the official sanction.

In granting sanction, it is understood and agreed that USA SWIMMING and Indiana Swimming shall be free from any liabilities or claims for damages arising by reason of injuries to anyone during the conduct of this event.

No Sanction shall be issued to any organization whose interest in sports is purely commercial.

Sanctions are issued to organizations under specific purposes and regulations, and cannot be altered without the expressed permission of Indiana Swimming.

Basic Information			
Name of Host Club:			
Name of Event:			
Event Location:		Event Date	
City	State	LSC	Zone
Length of Race(s):			
Age Groups Participating: (circle all that apply)		10&U	11&12
		15-18	Open

Key Personnel		
Meet Director(s):		
Cell Phone: ()	Home Phone: ()	E-mail:
Meet Referee:	E-mail:	
Independent Safety Monitor:	E-mail:	
<i>If using multiple waves or separate gender races</i>		
Additional Referees:		
Assistant Referees:		

Additional Personnel	
Name of medical personnel on site :	Qualifications:
Open water experience of medical personnel:	
Additional medical personnel: (qualifications)	
Will medical personnel be located on the course? Yes No	
Safety experience level of first responders on the course: (eg. ARC Lifeguards, USLA, YMCA, ect.)	
Name of closest medical facility:	
Type of medical facility: (eg. urgent care, hospital)	
Distance to closest medical facility:	Approximate transport time:

Race Day conditions	
Expected air temperature:	Expected water temperature:
Type of body of water: (circle one) Lake Ocean River Pond	
Other:	
Water type: (circle one) Salt water Fresh Water	Course: (circle one) Closed course Open course
<i>If open course, please indicate the entity used to control the traffic while swimmers are on the course.</i>	
Expected conditions for the athletes: (eg. marine life, tides, currents, underwater hazards)	