

Name of Meet:	2020 Carolina Crown Senior Swim Challenge A North Carolina and South Carolina Shared Event
Date of Meet:	Saturday, April 25, 2020
Meet Sanction:	Held under the sanction of USA Swimming issued by SC Swimming: Sanction Number SC2094LCM
Host Club:	Hosted By South Carolina Swimming
Meet Director: Meet Referee: Meet Entries to: Safety Marshal:	NC - Jonathan Watson 01silversurfer@bellsouth.net (919) 395-9585 SC – Scott McMillan smcmillan@wyattseal.com (704) 614-3846 Kent Easty eastys@islc.net (843) 592-0598 Trish Martin pkmartin13@gmail.com (336) 327-4697 Katie Wright coachkatie_b@swimrays.com
Facility:	<p style="text-align: center;">CSD Community YMCA 5945 Charlotte Hwy, Clover, SC 29710</p> <p><i>CSD Community YMCA is an outdoor facility with an eight (8) lane 50 meter pool and adjacent six (6) lane and four (4) lane warm-up pool. The warm-up pools will be available for the duration of the meet. The Paddock built competition pool has eight (8) foot wide lanes. The pool also features an Automatic Surge Reduction guttering system with non-turbulent lane lines and starting blocks with wedges located at both ends of the 50 meter course. The facility also features an eight lane Colorado Timing Digital Scoreboard. The facility features six (6) locker rooms (Boys & Men, Girls & Women) along with separate restroom facilities for spectators inside the YMCA. All areas of the facility are handicap accessible. Overflow parking is available at the adjacent elementary school. The facility does not have bleachers, so parents and swimmers are encouraged to bring deck chairs and tents to shade the sun.</i></p> <p>The competition courses have not been certified in accordance with 104.2.2C(4).</p> <p>The water depth of the six (6) lane warm down course is seven (7) feet, zero (0) inches, measured from one (1) meter to five (5) meters, on the starting end of the course, and three (3) feet, six (6) inches, measured from one (1) meter to five (5) meters, at the turn end of the course. The water depth of the four (4) lane warm down course is five (5) feet measured from one (1) meter to five (5) meters at the start end of the course and three feet (3) six (6) inches measured from one (1) meter to five (5) meters at the turn end of the course.</p> <p><i>Inclement Weather:</i> In case of inclement weather, the meet will be moved to the Fort Mill Aquatic Center (971 Tom Hall St, Fort Mill, SC 29715). The pool is an 8 lane 50m indoor pool with Colorado Timing & scoreboard, wedge starting blocks, and competition lane-lines. A 6 lane, 25 yard warm-up/warm-down pool is located adjacent to the competition pool.</p> <p>**The decision to move to the Ft. Mill location will be made at least 72 hours prior to the start of the meet. The decision will be made based on weather forecasts and predicted meet time temperatures.**</p>

<p>Rules:</p>	<p>Meet to be conducted in accordance with the current USA Swimming and SC Swimming Rules and Regulations and information herein.</p> <p>Use of audio or visual recording devices, including a cell phone, is not permitted in changing areas, rest rooms or locker rooms.</p> <p>Deck changing is prohibited by USA Swimming and South Carolina Swimming. A first offense will result in the disqualification of the offending swimmer from the next scheduled event. The second offense for the same swimmer will result in disqualification from the remainder of the meet.</p> <p>Operation of a drone, or any other flying apparatus, is prohibited over the venue (pools, athlete/coach areas, spectator areas and open ceiling locker rooms) any time athletes, coaches, officials and/or spectators are present.</p> <p>The SCS Safety Program is in effect for this meet. Coaches are advised to closely supervise their swimmers at all times. Swimmers may be dropped off only in designated safe areas. Swimmers are not permitted in workout rooms, storage rooms, meeting rooms or control rooms. No glass containers or bottles are allowed inside the facility at any time. Anyone failing to comply with a safety request may forfeit his or her privilege to participate. We strongly recommend that each squad assign a coach to monitor warm-up sessions in addition to the Meet Marshal provided by SCS. The pool rules must be followed by all participants and spectators attending this event.</p> <p>All applicable adults participating in or associated with this meet, acknowledge that they are subject to the provisions of the USA Swimming Minor Athlete Abuse Prevention Policy (“MAAPP”), and that they understand that compliance with the MAAPP policy is a condition of participation in the conduct of this competition.</p>
<p>Athlete Eligibility:</p>	<p>Athletes will be selected with a goal of selecting up to 60 athletes on each of four squads (240 total athletes). The goal is for each squad to have up to 30 males and 30 females with the ultimate goal of having half of the attendees representing each LSC. The squads will be selected from athletes who have ranked in the top-75 athletes (short course) in each of the contested events during the qualifying period.</p> <p>Two lists will be distributed of selected athletes. The first list will be athletes who have an automatic spot guaranteed on one of the four squads. A second list of alternates will be for athletes (ranked up to 75th in an event) <u>who will likely qualify to swim and who should apply by the deadline.</u></p> <p>Any swimmer entered in the meet must be certified by a USA Swimming member coach as being proficient in performing a racing start or must start each race from within the water. When unaccompanied by a USA Swimming member coach, it is the responsibility of the swimmer or the swimmer’s legal guardian to ensure compliance with this requirement.</p>
<p>Entry Fees:</p>	<p>There is a charge per athlete of \$80 to attend this swim meet. Please make checks payable to “North Carolina Swimming”. Athletes should register on the North Carolina website (www.ncswim.org) and mail their check payable to <u>North Carolina Swimming for \$80 to be received no later than March 31, 2020</u> to:</p> <p><i>Carolina Crown Challenge</i> ATTN: Jonathan Watson, Meet Director 6766 Chauncey Drive Raleigh, NC 27615</p> <p><u>VERY IMPORTANT NOTE: Please be sure to include the name of the athlete for whom the check is written in the memo portion of your check!!</u></p>

Meet Format:	The Carolina Crown Meet will be a long course quad meet with all events being conducted as timed final events for 15-19 year old athletes. The athletes in attendance will be selected from the top 15-18 athletes who have represented a North Carolina Swimming or a South Carolina Swimming member club during the 2019-20 short course season. Each athlete selected will be assigned to represent one of four squads during the competition. Each squad will have a staff of three USA Swimming registered coaches. The Head Coach of each squad will select athletes from their squad to participate in up to three (3) individual events and two relays during the competition. The Head Coach will also be responsible for completing the entries for their squad.												
Time of Meet:	<p>The single day meet will be run on the following schedule:</p> <table data-bbox="552 451 1258 646"> <tr> <td>ATHLETE CHECK-IN</td> <td>10:00am</td> </tr> <tr> <td>ATHLETE HOSPITALITY</td> <td>10:45am-3:00pm</td> </tr> <tr> <td>OFFICIALS MEETING</td> <td>11:00am</td> </tr> <tr> <td>COACH MEETING</td> <td>11:45am</td> </tr> <tr> <td>WARM-UPS</td> <td>10:45-11:45am</td> </tr> <tr> <td>MEET BEGINS</td> <td>Noon</td> </tr> </table>	ATHLETE CHECK-IN	10:00am	ATHLETE HOSPITALITY	10:45am-3:00pm	OFFICIALS MEETING	11:00am	COACH MEETING	11:45am	WARM-UPS	10:45-11:45am	MEET BEGINS	Noon
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Entries:	<p>All athletes (regardless of whether they are automatic or alternate) should complete the online application form posted at www.ncswim.org and www.sc-swimming.org and mail a check for \$80 payable to "NC SWIMMING". The application must be completed and meet fees must be received by March 31, 2020. All swimmers selected will be notified via email and via postings on the LSC websites by April 6, 2020. Checks for swimmers who are not selected will be shredded. <i>Due to the quick turnaround of manufacturing apparel, there can be no refunds for athletes who fail to show on the day of the event.</i></p> <p>Athlete Selection will be posted on SC & NC web-sites on Monday April 6, 2020</p> <p>Squad Head Coaches will receive team lists on Wednesday April 8, 2020</p> <p>Coaches will submit squad entries no later than Saturday, April 18, 2020</p> <p>SC Swimming does not accept deck registrations, all swimmers entered must be registered at time of entry deadline.</p>												
Awards:	Athletes and coaches of the winning squad will receive a Carolina Crown commemorative towel. All athletes and coaches will receive special outfitting, color-coordinated with other members of their squad. The top-8 scoring individual event winners and the top-3 scoring relay teams will receive medals.												
Scoring:	<p>This meet will be scored as follows:</p> <p>Individual Events: 9-7-6-5-4-3-2-1.</p> <p>Relays: 18-14-12-10-8-6-4-2.</p>												
Timing:	Timing will be provided by Colorado Timing with a digital scoreboard, pads, and backup buttons.												
Coaches Eligibility:	All coaches on deck must be currently registered and certified with USA Swimming. Meet Management will require all coaches to show proof of such by prominently displaying their registration card or be prepared to show their Deck Pass virtual membership card upon request. There will be a general meeting for all coaches at 10:45am on Saturday, April 25, 2020. Any North Carolina coaches wishing to participate in this event are asked to contact Meet Director Jonathan Watson (North Carolina Swimming, 01silversurfer@bellsouth.net) prior to February 29, 2020. South Carolina coaches should contact Big Show (senior@sc-swimming.org) by March 9, 2020.												

Hospitality	<p>There will be hospitality on-site offered to coaches, volunteers and officials who are aiding in the operation of the meet. In addition, refreshments will be on sale during the event as well. Outside food and coolers are permitted by the facility, but glass bottles and containers are not permitted.</p> <p>Athlete Hospitality will be available for swimmers competing in the meet. This area will provide food, snacks, and drinks appropriate for in-competition meals. Swimmers will have access to this area throughout the registration, warm-up, and competition period.</p>
Officials	<p>We are in need of officials for this meet. If you are interested in volunteering as an official please register at the below link or contact Kent Easty (eastys@islc.net).</p>
Volunteers	<p>The Crown Challenge will need numerous volunteers to provide a quality competition for our swimmers. We will need timers, marshals, and various support to run a quality meet. If you are available to volunteer please contact our volunteer coordinator, Jen Wolford (jenwolford29@yahoo.com)</p>
Swimmers w/ Disabilities	<p>SC Swimming welcomes all swimmers with disabilities as described in the USA Swimming Rules and Regulations, Article 105, to participate in our meets. Coaches entering swimmers with disabilities that require any accommodations are required to provide advance notice in writing to the Meet Director by the entry deadline accompanying their meet entry file, including the need for any personal assistance required and/or registered service animals. Failure to provide advance notice may limit SCS' ability to accommodate all requests.</p>
<u>Releases</u>	<p>By submitting an application, all swimmers acknowledge that they are registered with USA Swimming. All coaches and swimmers acknowledge that they are familiar with the Safe Sport rules of USA Swimming, Inc. and South Carolina Swimming, Inc. regarding warm-up procedures and meet safety guidelines, and that coaches shall be responsible for their swimmers' compliance with those rules during this meet. North Carolina Swimming, Inc., South Carolina Swimming, Inc. and USA Swimming, Inc., Clover/Lake Wylie YMCA, their agents, employees, volunteers, and coaches shall be held free and harmless from any and all liabilities or claims for damages arising by reason of illness or injury to anyone during the conduct of this meet. By entering this meet, athletes and coaches are granting permission for their names and photographs to be published on the internet in the form of Psych Sheets, Meet Results, or any other documents associated with the running or promotion of this event.</p> <p>All participants agree to be filmed and photographed by the host approved photographer(s) and videographers and to allow the right to use names and pictures before, during, or after the meet such as in public psych sheets, heat sheets, and results or featured on the host's website or social media or in public broadcast of the event via television or webcast. Parents and guardians of minor swimmers who do not wish their swimmers to participate in interviews or have individual pictures featured on any media should inform their team's Head Coach and the Meet Director prior to the meet.</p>
Other Information	<p>Digital heat sheets will be provided at no cost to swimmers/families. The heat sheet will be posted on the South Carolina Swimming web-site, www.sc-swimming.org and will be emailed to those attending the meet. Heat sheets will be available at no charge on Meet Mobile. Hard copies will be provided to the coaches on deck.</p>

ORDER OF EVENTS
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Warm-Ups: 10:45am

Meet Starts: 12:00pm

Women's Event Number	Events	Men's Event Number
1	Open 200m Medley Relay	2
3	Senior 200m Freestyle	4
5	Senior 100m Breaststroke	6
7	Senior 200m Butterfly	8
9	Senior 100m Backstroke	10
11	Senior 200m Individual Medley	12
13	Senior 400m Freestyle*	14
<i>Halftime Break – 5 minutes</i>		
15	Senior 50m Freestyle	16
17	Senior 200m Breaststroke	18
19	Senior 100m Butterfly	20
21	Senior 200m Backstroke	22
23	Senior 100m Freestyle	24
<i>5-minute Break</i>		
25	Open 200m Freestyle Relay	26

End of Meet

- Meet management reserves the right to eliminate or limit the heats of the 400m Freestyle to stay within the required timeline. Meet management reserves the right to eliminate breaks depending on the timeline.*

Meet Entry Summary Sheet

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Total Number of Swimmers_____	x \$80.00 Carolina Classic Swimmer Fee	= \$ _____
Total Number of Swimmers_____	x \$0.00 SCLSC Travel/Program Fee	= \$ _____
Total Number of Swimmers_____	x \$0.00 SCLSC Sports Development Fee	= \$ _____
Total Number of out-of LSC_____	x \$0.00 SCLSC Travel/Program Fee	= \$ _____
Total Number of Swimmers_____	x \$0 Facility Fee	= \$ _____
Total # Individual Events:_____	x \$0	= \$ _____
Total Fees:		= \$ _____

Team: _____ Team Code: _____

Number of coaches at meet: _____

Head Coach: _____

Send e-mail results to: _____

Send Paper copy in lieu of e-mail to: _____

It is understood and agreed that USA Swimming shall be free from any liabilities or claims for damages arising by reason of injuries to anyone during the conduct of the event. It is further understood that SC Swimming, NC Swimming, and host facility, shall be free from any liabilities or claims for damages arising by reason of injuries to anyone during the conduct of the event.

Mail check for the above amount, and signed copy of this form to:

Carolina Crown Challenge
ATTN: Jonathan Watson, Meet Director
6766 Chauncey Drive
Raleigh, NC 27615