

Arkansas AAU Short Course Championship

April 22nd, 2017

- ? This event is licensed by the Amateur Athletic Union of the U.S., Inc
 - ? All participants must have a current AAU membership.
 - ? AAU membership may not be included as part of the entry fee to the event.
 - ? AAU youth athlete membership must be obtained before the competition begins, except where the event operator has a laptop available with an internet connect.
- Be prepared: Adult and Non-athlete memberships are no longer instant and cannot be applied for at an event
Due to background screenings, please allow up to 10 days for adult memberships to be processed
Participants are encouraged to visit the AAU website www.aausports.org to obtain their membership
Note: Any contacts listed within this flyer MUST have a current AAU membership.

Sponsored By: Bryant Parks and Recreation Department and BASS Swim Team

Location: Bryant Aquatic Center
6401 Boone Road
Bryant, AR. 72120

Facility : Eight lane, 25 yard indoor course with non-turbulent lane lines, Spectrum Cougar Side Step Starting Blocks. Eight lanes will be used for competition. Daktronics Electronic Timing System with touch pads and horn start. Full color LED Screen Daktronics Scoreboard. Separate Warm-up/warm-down area will be available in the therapy pool. The meet will be run with a closed deck. Only swimmers, certified coaches and meet personnel will be allowed on deck. Spectator seating will be available in the natatorium bleachers area. Swimmers leaving the pool area must wear a shirt, pants and shoes.

Eligibility : AAU registered athletes and AAU registered team. Entries will not be accepted without current registration numbers. All teams and athletes need to send proof of AAU registration with entries.

Meet Type: Age group timed finals championship meet.

Age: The age of each swimmer as of April 22nd , 2017 determines age group classification for the entire meet.

Rules: 2017 USA Swimming and Arkansas Swimming, Inc. Rules and Regulations will govern the meet.

Starting Times: Warm-ups will begin at 8:00 a.m., with the meet starting at 9:15 a.m.

Entries : We prefer all teams enter using Hy-Tek or Team Unify. Entry information should include swimmer's name, birth date, AAU registration numbers and a seed time. **METER TIMES MUST BE CONVERTED TO SHORT COURSE YARD TIMES.** All entries need to be sent to jnorman@cityofbryant.com . Verification will be sent as soon as your entries are received.

Deadline: All entries are due Wednesday April 12th at 5:00pm . A psych sheet will be sent no later Monday April 17th . We will accept changes until Tuesday April 18th at 8:00pm.

Entry Fees: \$35 per swimmer. Fee includes all events and facility charges.

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Bryant Parks and Recreation
6401 Boone Road
Bryant, AR 72022

Make checks payable to Bryant Parks and Recreation.

Team fees can be paid to clerk of course at the meet. Cash or Credit card will not be accepted .

- Entry Limit: All swimmers may swim a maximum of 4 (four) individual events and two (2) relays per day.
- Deck Entries: All deck entries must be received by the clerk of course at least 45 minutes before the published start of the meet. Deck entered swimmers must show proof of AAU membership to the host team's registration chairperson. New heats will be created to accommodate deck entries if necessary. The original heats will not be reseeded. Deck entries are \$5.00 per event for swimmers who already in the meet. Swimmers who are not already in the meet must pay \$30.00 meet fee and \$5.00 per event fees.
- Seeding: All events will be pre-seeded.
- Coaches: Only coaches registered with AAU Swimming will be allowed. There will be coaches meeting before the meet starts.
- Warm-Up: Each team will be assigned specific warm up times and lanes. General warm ups 20 minutes, One-way starts, 10 minutes. Any swimmer who does not enter the pool feet first during any portion of a warm-up/warm-down period which requires feet first entry shall receive a warning for the first offense rather than a disqualification. Disqualifications are automatic for subsequent violations. In the session in which the penalty is enforced, the swimmer cannot deck enter an event to replace the event from which they were removed. These warm-up rules also apply to the warm-up/warm-down area that will be available during each session. Swimmers may dive into the pool during a designated sprint warm-up. Swimmers without a coach at the meet must check in with the Meet Referee and will be assigned to a coach during the warm up portion of the meet.
- Awards: Medals will be awarded for 1st-3rd and ribbons will be awarded for 4th-8th place in each event. High Point Awards will be given for each age group. Trophies will be given for top 3 teams.
- Scoring: Individual events 9,7,6,5,4,3,2,1. Relays 18,14,12,10,8,6,4,2.
- Age Divisions: 8 & Under, 9-10, 11-12, 13-14, 15-18. Relays will be 12 & Under and 18 & Under age divisions.
- Heat Sheets: Heat sheets will be available for purchase at the concession stand.
- Final Results: Final results will be emailed to all participated teams.
- Additional Rules: Use of audio or video recording devices, including cell phone type devices with such capability is prohibited in all dressing rooms, locker rooms, bathrooms or any other location where swimmers may be dressing. Any person found possessing such devices in these areas will immediately be removed from the meet with all fees forfeited. Smoking and use of other tobacco products are prohibited on the deck, in the bleachers, locker rooms, and throughout the Bryant Aquatic Center. Swimmers must use the locker rooms to change. On deck changing is not allowed. Swimmers and parents may wear sandals, flip flops or similar footwear on deck. Glass bottles and other glass containers should not be brought on the pool deck. Swimmers must dry off before leaving the pool/locker room area. This meet has a closed deck. Only swimmers, coaches and parent volunteers will be allowed in certain areas of the pool.
- Concessions: Concession stand will be open during the meet.

Directions :

From Little Rock: Take exit 123 toward AR-183/Bryant/Bauxite, Merge onto I-30 Frontage Rd, Take the ramp to I-30 E, Merge onto N Reynolds Rd (going South), Turn Right onto Boone Rd (Destination will be on the left)

From Malvern: Take exit 121 toward Alcoa Rd, Merge onto I-30 Frontage Rd, Turn right onto Woodland Park Rd, Take the 2nd right onto Boone Rd (Destination will be on the left)

Event Number Girls	Event Order	Event Number Boys
1	12 & Under 200 Medley Relay	2
3	18 & Under 200 Medley Relay	4
5	8 & Under 25 Freestyle	6
7	9-12 50 Freestyle	8
9	13-18 100 Freestyle	10
11	8 & Under 25 Backstroke	12
13	9-12 50 Backstroke	14
15	13-18 100 Backstroke	16
17	8 & Under 25 Breaststroke	18
19	9-12 50 Breaststroke	20
21	13-18 100 Breaststroke	22
23	8 & Under 25 Butterfly	24
25	9-12 50 Butterfly	26
27	13-18 100 Butterfly	28
29	8 & Under 50 Freestyle	30
31	9-12 100 Freestyle	32
33	13-18 50 Freestyle	34
35	10 & Under 100 IM	36
37	11-18 200 IM	38
39	12 & Under 200 Free Relay	40
41	18 & Under 200 Free Relay	42

All events will be scored by age divisions.
10 minute breaks will be added as needed.