

The Black Gold Invitational
April 1-2, 2017
COM Aquatics, Midland TX



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**ENTRY FEES/
REGISTRATION:** Register at www.divemeets.com
\$30.00 per event due: Thursday, March 30th at 4pm
\$30 one time late fee (no late fee for synchronized events)
\$30.00 deck entry per event due 1.5 hours before event scheduled to starts

FACILITY: Four 1 meter springboards. Four 3 meter springboards. Full stack of platforms 1, 3, 5, 7.5 & 10 meters. The diving pool depth is 16/5 ft.

AWARDS: Top eight places medals.

**EVENTS/
AGE GROUPS:** **Individual Junior Events**
- 11&Under, 12-13, 14-15, 16-18 (1M & 3M Springboard and Platform)
Synchronized Events
- 13&Under Mixed (1M & 3M Springboard and Platform)
- 14&Up Mixed (3M Springboard and Platform)
Future Champions Individual Events
- 7&Under, 8-9, 10-11, 12&Up (1M & 3M Springboard and Platform)
Novice Synchronized Events
- Mixed (1M & 3M Springboard)

PRACTICE TIMES: **Thursday, March 30th:** Open Practice 4-7:30pm.
Friday, March 31st: Open Practice 10am-1:30pm & 4-7:30pm.
Saturday, April 1st: Pool opens at 7am; open warm-up 7-8:30am; first event only warm-up 8:30-9am; open practice for 1 hour after the last event.
Sunday, April 2nd: Pool opens at 7am; open warm-up 7-8:30am; first event only warm-up 8:30-9am.
Warm-up between events is 30 minutes.

- 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 connection.
- 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.

EVENT SCHEDULE – Saturday, April 1st

Pool opens at 7am. Open practice 7-8:30am

Event 1 warmup 8:30-9am

Event 1 start at 9am, estimated end 10am

Junior 11&Under Girls 3M

Junior 14-15 Girls 1M

Junior 11&Under Boys 3M

Junior 14-15 Boys 1M

Junior 12-13 Girls 3M

Junior 16-18 Girls 1M

Junior 12-13 Boys 3M

Junior 16-18 Boys 1M

Event 2 warmup estimated 10-10:30am

Event 2 estimated start at 10:30am, estimated end 12pm (FC - Future Champions)

FC Girls 7&Under 1M

FC Girls 10-11 PL

FC Boys 7&Under 1M

FC Boys 10-11 PL

FC Girls 8-9 1M

FC Girls 12&Up PL

FC Boys 8-9 1M

FC Boys 12&Up PL

Event 3 warmup estimated 12-12:30pm

Event 3 estimated start at 12:30pm, estimated end 1:30pm

Junior 13&Under Mixed Synchro 1M

Junior 11&Under Girls 1M

Junior 14-15 Girls PL (5M, 7.5M, 10M)

Junior 11&Under Boys 1M

Junior 14-15 Boys PL (5M, 7.5M, 10M)

Junior 12-13 Girls 1M

Junior 16-18 Girls PL (5M, 7.5M, 10M)

Junior 12-13 Boys 1M

Junior 16-18 Boys PL (5M, 7.5M, 10M)

Event 4 warmup estimated 1:30-2pm

Event 4 estimated start at 2pm, estimated end 3:30pm (FC - Future Champions)

FC Girls 7&Under 3M

FC Girls 10-11 1M

FC Boys 7&Under 3M

FC Boys 10-11 1M

FC Girls 8-9 3M

FC Girls 12&Up 1M

FC Boys 8-9 3M

FC Boys 12&Up 1M

Event 5 warmup estimated 3:30-4pm

Event 5 estimated start at 4pm, estimated end 5pm

Novice Mixed Synchro 1M

Junior 13&Under Mixed Synchro 3M

Junior 14&Up Mixed Synchro PL (5M, 7.5M, 10M)

Pool open for practice 1 hour after the last event on Saturday.

EVENT SCHEDULE – Sunday, April 2nd

Pool opens at 7am. Open practice 7-8:30am

Event 6 warmup 8:30-9am

Event 6 start at 9am, estimated end 10am

Junior 11&Under Girls 5M

Junior 14-15 Girls 3M

Junior 11&Under Boys 5M

Junior 14-15 Boys 3M

Junior 12-13 Girls PL (5M, 7.5M)

Junior 16-18 Girls 3M

Junior 12-13 Boys PL (5M, 7.5M)

Junior 16-18 Boys 3M

Event 7 warmup estimated 10-10:30am

Event 7 estimated start at 10:30am, estimated end 12pm (FC - Future Champions)

FC Girls 7&Under PL

FC Girls 10-11 3M

FC Boys 7&Under PL

FC Boys 10-11 3M

FC Girls 8-9 PL

FC Girls 12&Up 3M

FC Boys 8-9 PL

FC Boys 12&Up 3M

Event 8 warmup estimated 12-12:30pm

Event 8 estimated start at 12:30pm, estimated end 1:30pm

Novice Mixed Synchro 3M

Junior 13&Under Mixed Synchro 5M

Junior 14&Up Mixed Synchro 3M

End of meet estimated 2pm after the awards.

Midland airport MIF is 20 minutes from the pool.

Event Rules

Junior Individual 1M Springboard Events (Divers must dive in their age group)

11&Under Girls and Boys 1M (6 dives)

- Three (3) voluntary dives from different groups and cumulative degree of difficulty 5.0
- Three (3) optional dives from different group

12-13 Girls 1M (7 dives)

- Five (5) voluntary dives from different groups and cumulative degree of difficulty 9.0
- Two (2) optional dives from different group

12-13 Boys 1M (8 dives)

- Five (5) voluntary dives from different groups and cumulative degree of difficulty 9.0
- Three (3) optional dives from different group

14-15 Girls 1M (8 dives)

- Five (5) voluntary dives from different groups and cumulative degree of difficulty 9.0
- Three (3) optional dives from different group

14-15 Boys 1M (9 dives)

- Five (5) voluntary dives from different groups and cumulative degree of difficulty 9.0
- Four (4) optional dives from different group

16-18 Girls 1M (10 dives)

- Five (5) optional dives from different group
- Five (5) voluntary dives from different groups and cumulative degree of difficulty 9.0

16-18 Boys 1M (11 dives)

- Six (6) optional dives covering all 5 group
- Five (5) voluntary dives from different groups and cumulative degree of difficulty 9.0

Junior Individual 3M Springboard Events (Divers must dive in their age group)

11&Under Girls and Boys 3M (6 dives)

- Three (3) voluntary dives from different groups and cumulative degree of difficulty 5.4
- Three (3) optional dives from different group

12-13 Girls 3M (7 dives)

- Five (5) voluntary dives from different groups and cumulative degree of difficulty 9.5
- Two (2) optional dives from different group

12-13 Boys 3M (8 dives)

- Five (5) voluntary dives from different groups and cumulative degree of difficulty 9.5
- Three (3) optional dives from different group

14-15 Girls 3M (8 dives)

- Five (5) voluntary dives from different groups and cumulative degree of difficulty 9.5
- Three (3) optional dives from different group

14-15 Boys 3M (9 dives)

- Five (5) voluntary dives from different groups and cumulative degree of difficulty 9.5
- Four (4) optional dives from different group

16-18 Girls 3M (10 dives)

- Five (5) optional dives from different group
- Five (5) voluntary dives from different groups and cumulative degree of difficulty 9.5

16-18 Boys 3M (11 dives)

- Six (6) optional dives covering all 5 group
- Five (5) voluntary dives from different groups and cumulative degree of difficulty 9.5

Junior Individual Platform Events (Divers must dive in their age group)

11&Under Girls and Boys PL (5 dives on 5M Only)

- Three (3) voluntary dives from different groups and cumulative degree of difficulty 5.4
- Two (2) optional dives from different group

12-13 Girls PL (6 dives on 5M or 7.5M Only)

- Four (4) voluntary dives from different groups and cumulative degree of difficulty 7.6
- Two (2) optional dives from different group

12-13 Boys PL (7 dives on 5M or 7.5M Only)

- Four (4) voluntary dives from different groups and cumulative degree of difficulty 7.6
- Three (3) optional dives from different group

14-15 Girls PL (7 dives on 5M or 7.5M Only; at least 5 different groups must be executed)

- Four (4) voluntary dives from different groups and cumulative degree of difficulty 7.6
- Three (3) optional dives from different group

14-15 Boys PL (8 dives on 5M or 7.5M Only; at least 5 different groups must be executed)

- Four (4) voluntary dives from different groups and cumulative degree of difficulty 7.6
- Four (4) optional dives from different group

16-18 Girls PL (9 dives on 5M, 7.5M, or 10M)

- Five (5) optional dives from different group
- Four (4) voluntary dives from different groups and cumulative degree of difficulty 7.6

16-18 Boys PL (10 dives on 5M, 7.5M, or 10M; all 6 dive groups must be executed)

- Six (6) optional dives from different group
- Four (4) voluntary dives from different groups and cumulative degree of difficulty 7.6

Elite Synchronized Events

(Divers must dive in their age group, up to three (3) partners allowed, no DD limit on optionals)

13&Under Mixed Synchro 1M (6 dives from 4 different groups)

- Four (4) voluntary dives from different groups; each voluntary with a degree of difficulty of 2.0
- Two (2) optional dives from different group

13&Under Mixed Synchro 3M (6 dives from 4 different groups)

- Four (4) voluntary dives from different groups; each voluntary with a degree of difficulty of 2.0
- Two (2) optional dives from different group

13&Under 5M Platform (5 dives on 5M ONLY from 4 different groups)

- Three (3) voluntary dives from different groups; each voluntary with a degree of difficulty of 2.0
- Two (2) optional dives from different group

14&Up Mixed Synchro 3M (6 dives from 5 different groups)

- Three (3) voluntary dives from different groups; each voluntary with a degree of difficulty of 2.0
- Three (3) optional dives from different group

14&Up Mixed Synchro Platform (6 dives on 5M, 7M or 10M from 5 different groups)

- Three (3) voluntary dives from different groups; each voluntary with a degree of difficulty of 2.0
- Three (3) optional dives from different group

Novice Synchronized 1M and 3M

3 Basic Skills: 100D, 200D, 001D; 1.0 D.D.

2 Optional Dives from different groups; true D.D. (002D allowed with 1.0 D.D.)

Future Champions (FC) Rules

Divers must compete in their age group in the Future Champions events.

Age groups Girls and Boys

- 7&Under
- 8-9
- 10-11
- 12&Up

Event Rules

1M and 3M Springboard

5 Dives from the **Future Champions Bank of Dives**

- may repeat dives in different position
- any approach is allowed (standing, bouncing, one or multiple step hurdle)

Platform (1M, 3M, 5M, 7.5M and 10M)

5 Dives from the **Future Champions Bank of Dives**

- may repeat dives from different platform height
- may repeat dives in different position from the same platform height
- any approach is allowed (standing, one or multiple step approach)
- 1M platform is the same degree of difficulty as 1M springboard
- 3M platform is the same degree of difficulty as 3M springboard

Future Champions Bank of Dives

100 A,B,C – 1.0 degree of difficulty

200 A,B,C – 1.0 degree of difficulty

001 A,B,C – 1.2 degree of difficulty

002 A,B,C – 1.3 degree of difficulty

Any dives with true degree of difficulty from [FINA Table of Degrees of Difficulty](#)

Hotels

Insignia Hospitality invites all COM Aquatics participants to stay with us. We have three fantastic hotels in the Midland area. **These rates are available Thursday through Sunday.**

HOLIDAY INN EXPRESS LOOP 250

Address: 5309 W. Loop 250 N.
Midland, TX 79707

Phone: (432) 520-3600

- Complimentary Hot Breakfast
- Free Wi-Fi
- 24 hour Fitness Center
- 24 hour Business Center

Rates:

Traditional room with One King bed:

\$89 plus 14% tax

Traditional room with Two Queen beds:

\$99 plus 14% tax



Rates:

Suite with One King bed and sofa sleeper:

\$89 plus 14% tax

Suite with Two Queen beds and sofa sleeper:

\$99 plus 14% tax

- Complimentary Hot Breakfast
- Free Wi-Fi
- 24 hour Fitness Center
- 24 hour Business Center

Address: 5716 Deauville Blvd,
Midland, TX 79706

Phone: (432) 695-6870

SPRINGHILL SUITES

HOLIDAY INN EXPRESS I-20

Address: 900 Crump St, Midland,
TX 79701

Phone: (432) 695-9020

- Complimentary Hot Breakfast
- Free Wi-Fi
- 24 hour Fitness Center
- 24 hour Business Center

Rates:

Traditional room with One King bed:

\$89 plus 14% tax

Traditional room with Two Queen beds:

\$99 plus 14% tax

