



# Class 4A Region 1 District 1

## Planet Swim

Swimming: Thursday, Oct 24

### *How this works...*

1. **Transportation: Swimmers** will need to arrive at school and report to 1st period. **Since this is a District approved field trip for the team, all athletes must ride the bus to the competition.** A parental signature at the meet is required to sign out when the competition is over. Otherwise swimmers will return on a bus to Creekside.
2. **Warm-up:** Swim- 10:30 am. The timed final swim meet will start at 12.
3. **Team lunch & Snacks:** Keep to “nibbling” food- you don’t want to be filled up before you swim your next event. Read labels especially the SUGAR content of snacks. Creekside ordered lunchmeat sandwich sliders, popcorn chicken, packages snacks and some fruit catered by Publix for athletes. Volunteers to make pasta salad and pumpkin bread would be GREATLY appreciated!
4. **Do NOT Miss Your Event:** You must report to your lane prior to your heat being called. Heat sheet will be posted with events/ heat/lane assignments. A missed event will remove the swimmer from competing in remaining events, including Regionals.
5. **Swim your fastest!!!** Ok, so this is always a rule, but it REALLY counts now. The top 16 finishers in individual events are fighting (swimming) for the chance to move on to Regional
6. **REST!!!!** See practice schedule online
7. **Tech suit-** it is your choice if you want to wear a tech suit or your team suit for the meet (see #5) . **The only caps to be worn at the meet are Creekside High School Caps.** No watches allowed to be worn on the wrists.
8. **Done swimming???** Hopefully not, but if you did not qualify for the District team, we would LOVE for you to join us and cheer them on! It will be an excused absence from school that day and no cost to attend.
9. **THERE IS A \$8.00 ADMISSION CHARGE INTO THE MEET for parents.** You can avoid the fee by **volunteering to be a timer.** Please see the sign-up on the website so your name can be submitted to the pass list. We are responsible for at least 4 timers. Spectator gate will open as of 10:30 am. Admission fee is \$8.00 per spectator, and tickets must be purchased in advance at GoFan ([www.gofan.co](http://www.gofan.co)). Ticket sales are limited to 300 spectators. Each school will be allotted 40 tickets, and coaches will be provided a link for each school’s ticket allotment. Tickets not sold 24 hours before the meet will be open for general sale.

#### **4.12.2.2.4 Advancement of Teams and Individuals**

##### **(a) District to Regional.**

- (1) Swimming Events. Twenty-four (24) contestants shall advance from district meets to the correlating regional meets in each individual event in swimming competition as follows: the top two (2) finishers in each swimming event from each district meet as well as the next overall best times at large for a field of 24 from the remaining best times among top sixteen (16) finishers in the district meets comprising the region. In the event of a tie for the last at-large qualifying place to the regional meet, all of the competitors tied shall be allowed to advance to the regional meet.
- (2) Relay Events. Sixteen (16) teams shall advance from district meets to the correlating regional meets in each relay event in swimming competition as follows: the top finisher in each relay event from each district meet as well as the next overall best times at large for a field of 16 from the remaining best times among top eight finishers in the district meets comprising the region.
- (3) Diving Competition. Twenty-four (24) contestants may advance from district meets to the correlating regional meets in diving competition as follows: the first two (2) places in diving competition from each district meet, provided the diver has a minimum qualifying score of 280.0 points in district competition. Any remaining available spaces shall be filled on an at-large basis from all competing divers who placed in the top sixteen (16) in their respective district meets comprising the region and met the minimum qualifying score of 280.0 points for a field of 24. In the event of a tie for the last at-large qualifying place to the regional meet, all of the competitors tied shall be allowed to advance to the regional meet.
- (4) Qualifying times/scores for at-large entries into the regional meet will be posted on FHSAA.com after all districts in that region have reported their results.
- (5) Relay teams qualify from the district meet to the regional meet as a team, not as individuals.

##### **(b) Regional to Florida High School State Championship Series.**

- (1) Swimming Events. Twenty-four (24) contestants shall advance from regional meets to the Florida High School State Championship Series in each individual event in swimming competition as follows: the top two (2) finishers in each swimming event from each regional meet as well as the next overall best times at large for a field of 24 from the remaining best times among top sixteen (16) finishers in the four regional meets. In the event of a tie for the last at-large qualifying place to the Florida High School State Championship Series, all of the competitors tied shall be allowed to advance to the Florida High School State Championship Series.