

**TYR TSA 2023 Voorhees-Maxfield
Long Course Invitational
April 21-23, 2023**

MEET HOST: Topeka Swim Association

MEET TYPE: Mixed Age Group and Open Timed Finals Meet; 8 & Under, 9-10, 11-12, and 13 & Over age groups. All age groups and genders in a session will be swum together as a 12 and Under or 13 and Over event, as appropriate, where indicated in the Order of Events, but separated for awards.

SANCTION: Held under the sanction of Missouri Valley Swimming, Inc. on behalf of USA Swimming, Inc. Sanction number MV-23-45

LOCATION: Capitol Federal Natatorium, 530 Tuffy Kellogg Drive, Topeka, KS, 66606

COURSE: The competition pool is 50 meters x 25 yards with moveable bulkhead, 8 feet wide lanes, KDI Paragon Long Reach Competitor starting blocks, Keifer non-turbulent lane lines and Colorado Timing system, with graphics scoreboard. A four-lane 25-yard warm-up pool is available. Water depth is 13 feet at the east end of the course and 5 feet at the west end of the course. The competition course has been certified in accordance with 104.2.2C(4). A copy of this certification is on file with USA Swimming.

OFFICIALS:

Meet Director:	Kim Hoobler		
Entries Chair:	Kim Hoobler	785-207-5440	entries@swimtsa.com
Meet Referee:	Richard Allen	406-208-2869	rallen@wattsandassociates.com
Admin Official:	Shawn Geil	785-249-5051	

RULES: Current USA Swimming Rules, including the Minor Athlete Abuse Prevention Policy 2.0 (“MAAPP 2.0”), and Missouri Valley Swimming Rules will govern the meet. Missouri Valley Swimming Safety Guidelines and Warm-Up Procedures will be in effect. All adult participants participating in or associated with this meet, acknowledge that they are subject to the provisions of the USA Swimming Minor Athlete Abuse Prevention Policy 2.0 (“MAAPP 2.0”), and that they understand that compliance with the MAAPP 2.0 policy is a condition of participation in the conduct of this competition.

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 without the use of the backstroke ledge. When unaccompanied by a member-coach, it is the responsibility of the swimmer or the swimmer’s legal guardian to ensure compliance with this requirement. Flyover starts may be used to ensure that meet sessions are completed in a timely manner. The “no recall” start procedure rule will be in effect. Coaches must be 2023 USA Swimming Coach Members and be able to provide evidence, acceptable to the Meet Referee, they have all current requirements for their coach membership.

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. Medical supervision for this event

will include an EMT and/or a nurse practitioner, access to an AED device, and a lifeguard in the back warm up pool.

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.

Use of audio or visual recording devices, including a cell phone, is not permitted in changing areas, rest rooms, or locker rooms.

Deck changes are prohibited.

ELIGIBILITY: Swimmers must be registered USA Swimming Athletes for 2023. Registration and validity of all athletes will be verified by the MVS Registration Chair prior to the meet. Those not registered or found to be invalid will not be allowed to swim in the meet. Swimmer's age on the first day of the meet determines age for the entire meet.

STARTING TIMES	<u>Age Groups</u>	<u>Warm-ups</u>	<u>Meet Start</u>
Friday 1500	13&Overs	1:30pm	2:30pm
Friday PM	All Age Groups	4:30-5:20pm	5:30pm
Saturday AM	12&Unders	7:00-7:50am	8:00am
Saturday PM	13&Overs	No earlier than 12:00pm	No earlier than 1:00pm
Sunday AM	12&Unders	7:00-7:50am	8:00am
Sunday PM	13&Overs	No earlier than 12:00pm	No earlier than 1:00pm

WARM-UPS:

Warm-up sessions may be split, at the discretion of the Meet Referee. Teams will be notified of warm up schedule by Wednesday, April 19th. A warm-up schedule will be posted at the pool.

During general warm-ups, the following MVS safety rules will apply:

1. All lanes general warm-up only;
2. Circle swimming only;
3. Swimmers may not dive into the pool during general warm-up. Swimmers must enter the pool by stepping feet first, or sitting and sliding in, in a safe and cautious manner. Entering in any other manner may result in the disqualification from one or more of the swimmer's events for the session at the discretion of the Meet Referee. Swimmers may dive during a designated sprint warm-up.
4. At any time during general warm-ups, the coach of a team in control of any lane may convert the team's lane to a sprint lane by:
 - a. Removing all swimmers in that lane from the water.
 - b. Informing coaches in adjacent lanes.
 - c. Informing the safety marshal.
 - d. Following all guidelines for sprint lanes.

ENTRIES:

1. Entries should be submitted in Hy-tek format by e-mail. All entries must include each swimmer's 2023 USA Swimming registration number. The number of swimmers for this meet will be limited

POSITIVE CHECK-IN:

The 13&Over 1500 Free requires positive check-in by the start of the session warm-ups, Friday, April 21.
The 10-12 400 Free requires positive check-in by the start of the session warm-ups, Friday, April 21.
The 13&Over 400 IM requires positive check-in by the end of the session warm-ups, Saturday, April 22.
The 13&Over 400 Free requires positive check-in by the end of the session warm-ups, Sunday, April 23.

A swimmer who fails to provide a positive check-in for their event may be scratched from the event at the discretion of the Meet Referee.

SCRATCHES: Scratch deadlines will be announced prior to the meet.

AWARDS: Ribbons will be awarded for 1st through 8th place in each age group. 12&Under events will be swum together and separated for awards into 10&Under and 11-12 by gender. 13&Over events will be swum together and separated for awards into 13-14 and 15&Over groups by gender.

HEAT SHEETS: Meet program files will be sent to the participating coaches for dissemination to their membership by April 21, 2023. Programs will not be available at the venue. The meet will be available on Meet Mobile.

FINAL RESULTS: A copy of the results will be sent to all teams. Final results will be posted on the Missouri Valley website and may include the swimmer’s name, age, times.

TIMERS & JUDGES: Topeka Swim Association welcomes any visiting officials who would like to officiate. Any interested person should contact the Meet Referee. Any visitors wishing to assist as timers during the various sessions of the meet should contact the Meet Director. All Officials must be 2023 registered members of USA Swimming and shall be currently certified.

CONCESSIONS: Concessions will not be available during the meet.

SPORTSWEAR: Elsmore Swim Shop will be set up during the meet selling swimwear/sportswear and aquatic accessories.

DIRECTIONS: From I-70 take the MacVicar Exit. Go south on MacVicar to 6th Ave. and turn right (west). Take 6th Ave. about ¼ mile and turn right on Center Dr. The pool is on the corner of 6th and Center Drive.

Order of Events

<u>Session 1:</u>	<u>Friday</u>	<u>Warm-up: 1:30pm</u>	<u>Meet Start: 2:30pm</u>
	<u>Girls</u>	<u>Event</u>	<u>Boys</u>
	1	13 & Over Mixed 1500 Free	1

Swimmers must provide their own timers and counter for the 1500 Free

<u>Session 2:</u>	<u>Friday</u>	<u>Warm-up: 4:30pm</u>	<u>Meet Start: 5:30pm</u>
	<u>Girls</u>	<u>Event</u>	<u>Boys</u>
	3	13 & Over Mixed 200 IM	3
	5	10-12 Mixed 400 Free	5
	7	13 & Over Mixed 50 Free	7

<u>Session 3:</u>	<u>Saturday</u>	<u>Warm-up: 7:00am;</u>	<u>Meet Start: 8:00am</u>
	<u>Girls</u>	<u>Event</u>	<u>Boys</u>
	9	12 & Under Mixed 100 Free	9
	11	12 & Under Mixed 50 Breast	11
	13	12 & Under Mixed 100 Fly	13
	15	12 & Under Mixed 50 Back	15
	17	12 & Under Mixed 200 IM	17

<u>Session 4:</u>	<u>Saturday</u>	<u>Warm-up: not before 12:00pm;</u>	<u>Meet Start: not before 1:00pm</u>
	<u>Girls</u>	<u>Event</u>	<u>Boys</u>
	19	13 & Over Mixed 200 Free	19
	21	13 & Over Mixed 100 Back	21
	23	13 & Over Mixed 200 Fly	23
	25	13 & Over Mixed 100 Breast	25
		10 Min. Break	
	27	13 & Over Mixed 400 IM	27

Swimmers must provide their own timers for the 400 IM

<u>Session 4</u>	<u>Sunday Warm-up: 7:00am;</u>	<u>Meet Start: 8:00am</u>	
	<u>Girls</u>	<u>Event</u>	<u>Boys</u>
	29	12 & Under Mixed 50 Free	29
	31	12 & Under Mixed 100 Breast	31
	33	12 & Under Mixed 50 Fly	33
	35	12 & Under Mixed 100 Back	35
	37	12 & Under Mixed 200 Free	37

<u>Session 6</u>	<u>Sunday Warm-up: not before 12:00pm;</u>	<u>Meet Start: not before 1:00pm</u>	
	<u>Girls</u>	<u>Event</u>	<u>Boys</u>
	39	13 & Over Mixed 100 Free	39
	41	13 & Over Mixed 200 Breast	41
	43	13 & Over Mixed 100 Fly	43
	45	13 & Over Mixed 200 Back	45
		10 Min. Break	
	47	13 & Over Mixed 400 Free	47

Swimmers must provide their own timers for the 400 Free