



# 42nd Annual Cary City Invitational Swim Meet

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Saturday, July 12, 2025

Official Registration Packet

RSVP Deadline : Saturday, June 14th, 2025 at 6pm

Swimmer Registration Due: Wednesday, June 25, 2025 at 6pm

Corrections Due: Sunday, July 6, 2025 before midnight

This packet contains important information for:

TSA/Team Representatives

Coaches

Swim Team Families

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Thank you for participating in the Cary City Invitational Swim Meet. All 50 TSA Southern Division teams have been invited to participate. As one of the original participants, Cary Swim Club (CSC) is excited to host this day of swimming once again with expectations that every family will have a fun and a positive swimming experience. The Meet Directors are Julie Thomas and Stefan van Staveren. The contact email is [CaryCity@CarySwimClub.org](mailto:CaryCity@CarySwimClub.org). You can also keep up with event news via our Twitter account at [@CaryCityMeetCSC](https://twitter.com/CaryCityMeetCSC) and our [website](#).

## **MEET INFORMATION**

### **Schedule**

The tentative schedule for the meet follows. Please note that the schedule lists **approximate** start and end times and is subject to change based on final number of entries, weather, technical difficulties, etc.

	<i>Morning Session (10&amp;Unders)</i>	<i>Afternoon Session (11&amp;Ups)</i>
Warm-ups begin	7:00 am	1:00 pm
Opening announcements	8:00 am	2:00 pm
First event	8:15 am	2:15 pm
Conclusion of session	12:30 pm	7:30 pm

Awards will be presented at the conclusion of the afternoon session.

### **Facilities**

An overview of the facilities for CCM follows. Teams will receive a facilities map, parking map, traffic map, and Tent City map in their team packet distributed at the pre-meet meeting on Sunday, July 6th.

Tents: All teams must supply their own tents. If you need to rent one, we recommend Grand Rental Station. Please send your tent size (maximum 20' x 20') to [CaryCity@CarySwimClub.org](mailto:CaryCity@CarySwimClub.org) by Saturday, June 21st. You may set up your tent after 5pm on Friday, July 11 and must remove your tent by 5pm on Monday, July 14. Tent assignments will be made and included in the facilities map distributed at the pre-meet meeting. Please keep your tent area clean and bring any grounds issues to the meet chair or CSC staff. Please set up in your assigned area only. If you use a rental agency, you **must** have Monday pick-up. A charge of \$100.00 will be assessed if your tent is still up on Tuesday morning. Your team is responsible for keeping your tent area clean.

### Seating:

*Parents and swimmers* should bring their own chairs and/or blankets for seating in your tent area. No spectator chairs will be allowed on the pool deck. However, bleachers offering limited seating and viewing will be available on the pool deck.

*Coaches* can bring up to 3 poolside chairs per team (areas will be marked by CSC). Coaches' seating will be assigned on both sides of the pool; please look for your marked areas for chair set-up on Saturday morning.

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## **Parking**

Parking will be restricted to marked areas. We will have volunteers directing traffic, so approach the swimming area with caution. One parking pass will be given to each club's coaching staff to park in the CSC parking lot. Swimmers can be dropped off in front of CSC. We encourage car-pooling. Parking information will be handed out at the pre-meet meeting on Sunday, July 6th at 7:00 p.m. Town of Cary will enforce towing. Primary parking will be the Christ the King Church. Overflow parking will be Cary High School. **DO NOT PARK** at the Cary Towne Square shopping center where Dairy Queen and Ollie's are located.

## **Concessions**

Swimmers, families, spectators, and coaches will have a variety of food options at the meet. Most vendors will accept credit cards as well as cash. CSC will also provide concessions, cash and credit cards accepted.

Food vendors: Food and Beverages will be available from the Hitching Post (food truck), Bobasaur (Boba Tea food truck), Jessica's Philly Street Fare (food truck), V Pizza, Penn Station, and more.

Concessions: Our concession area will offer a variety of candy, snacks, ice cream, popcorn, and drinks.

Hospitality: Coaches and volunteer meet officials will have access to our hospitality area offering a variety of snacks, fruit, and drinks, and will also receive a ticket good for a meal provided by our Hospitality sponsors. The number of coaches' meal tickets will be determined by team size and distributed at the mandatory meeting.

T-Shirts and Heat Sheets: Cary City Meet T-shirts will be available for \$25. Credit Cards only will be accepted for these purchases. We are working on a Pre-Order option for T-shirts and will share that with you if it is available. Heat sheets will be available online for download or printing prior to the event. *Please note:* the online heat sheet will be available no earlier than the Thursday prior to the meet and is subject to change.

## **Registration**

Fees are \$6.00 per individual event and \$15.00 per relay event. Swimmers ages 6 & under may register for no more than two individual events (freestyle and backstroke); please note that all 6 & unders swim **25 yards**. Swimmers ages 7 & up may register for no more than three individual events (freestyle, backstroke, breaststroke, butterfly). Each club is limited to no more than three relay teams per relay event. **Entries are due Wednesday, June 25 at 6:00 pm.** Entry corrections will be accepted until midnight, July 6. CSC does allow for late entries up to and including the day of the meet, with fees doubled for late entries – cash payment only. Entry fees are non-refundable. Further details and instructions on submitting entries will follow at a later date.

## **Volunteers**

Each team will be required to provide volunteers; specific volunteer assignments will be made after team registrations are received and will include a variety of positions including timers, runners, kid pushers, and stroke and turn judges. The number of volunteer positions will be determined based on the number of swimmers. Volunteer roles will be sent out no later than June 29th. Teams **MUST** fill all volunteer positions for swimmers to participate.

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## Points and Awards

Points: Points will be awarded as follows:

<u>Finish</u>	<u>Individual Event</u>	<u>Relay Event</u>
1 <sup>st</sup> place	20 points	40 points
2 <sup>nd</sup> place	17 points	34 points
3 <sup>rd</sup> place	16 points	32 points
4 <sup>th</sup> place	15 points	30 points
5 <sup>th</sup> place	14 points	28 points
6 <sup>th</sup> place	13 points	26 points
7 <sup>th</sup> place	12 points	24 points
8 <sup>th</sup> place	11 points	22 points
9 <sup>th</sup> place	9 points	18 points
10 <sup>th</sup> place	7 points	14 points
11 <sup>th</sup> place	6 points	12 points
12 <sup>th</sup> place	5 points	10 points
13 <sup>th</sup> place	4 points	8 points
14 <sup>th</sup> place	3 points	6 points
15 <sup>th</sup> place	2 points	4 points
16 <sup>th</sup> place	1 point	2 points

Only ONE relay team per club in each event may be awarded points and the corresponding medals/ribbons.

Awards: Ribbons and medals will be awarded to individual swimmers and teams as follows. Awards not presented at the event will be available for pick-up at CSC beginning Sunday, July 13th at 12pm.

Medals: 1<sup>st</sup> through 8<sup>th</sup> place in individual events,  
1<sup>st</sup> through 3<sup>rd</sup> place in relay events.

Ribbons: 9<sup>th</sup> through 16<sup>th</sup> place in individual events,  
4<sup>th</sup> through 16<sup>th</sup> place in relay events.

Heat Winner Ribbons: Heat winners in all 10&Under events.

Participation Ribbons: Ages 10 and under

Trophies: Top 3 overall point scorers in each boys and girls age group; top five teams; spirit award.

## Other

Club Rules: No glass, weapons, alcohol, pets, vaping or smoking are allowed on CSC property for this event. CSC assumes no responsibility for lost, stolen, or damaged items.

TSA Rules: TSA rules apply for this event, unless otherwise noted.

Rain Date: Rain date is Sunday, July 13, 2025.

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### MEET REMINDERS AND DEADLINES

- Saturday, June 14th                      6pm                      Participation deadline.  
*No entries due, only confirmation that your team will participate.*
- Saturday, June 21st                      6pm                      Tent size due
- Wednesday, June 25                      6pm                      Meet entries due
- Sunday, June 29th                      6pm                      Volunteer assignments sent out
- Sunday, July 6                      7pm                      **Mandatory** pre-meet meeting at CSC  
(808 Tanglewood Drive, Cary). A team representative or coach from each club **must** attend.
- Sunday, July 6                      by midnight                      **Entry corrections due**
- Friday, July 11                      5pm                      Tent Set-Up
- Saturday, July 12                      7am                      42nd annual Cary City Meet

**THANK YOU** for your participation and assistance in making this year's Cary City Meet a success. Many of our local swimmers view this meet as the premier meet of the summer. We look forward to great weather (hopefully), good sportsmanship and a day of superb swimming. We are dedicated to providing a safe environment for swimmers and spectators alike. If you have any questions, please contact the Meet Directors, Julie Thomas and Stefan van Staveren - at [CaryCity@CarySwimClub.org](mailto:CaryCity@CarySwimClub.org).