



DC Water Wizards Emancipation Day Short Course Yards Freestyle Meet



Hosted by: DC Water Wizards Swim Team and District of Columbia Department of Parks and Recreation, Aquatics Division

Pending Sanction by Potomac Valley Masters Swimming for USMS, Inc. Sanction #TBA

Location:
Takoma Aquatic Center
300 Van Buren Street NW
Washington, DC 20012

Date: Saturday, April 12, 2025

Warm-up begins at 9:30 AM
Competition begins at 10:30 AM

- **Facility:** Takoma Aquatic Center is an indoor, 8 lane, 25 yard competition pool. The length of the competition course is in compliance and on file with USMS in accordance with articles 105.1.7 and 106.2.1. The meet will be run in Short Course Yards (SCY) using 8 lanes running wall to wall with warm-up/warm-down lanes available throughout the meet.

- **Timing System:** Primary - Colorado Fully Automatic, Secondary - Semi Automatic Button - Tertiary - Stop Watch. In the unlikely event that a malfunction occurs, the meet will continue on schedule with the use of hand-held stopwatch times. Times from this competition will be eligible for world record, USMS record, and Top 10 consideration.

- **Eligibility:** Open to any current 2025 USMS registered swimmers. Age on April 12, 2025 determines age group for USMS swimmers in the meet. Each swimmer will be allowed to swim up to four (4) individual events total and two (2) relay events.

- **Rules:** United States Masters Swimming rules will govern. Current PV LMSC meet procedures will be enforced and take precedence over any errors or omissions on this form. The meet referee will be in charge of the meet. Any questions regarding the conduct of the meet should be directed to that person.

- **Entry Fees:** \$30.00 per swimmer surcharge, payable through online entry.

- **Online registration closes Wednesday, April 9, at 11:59 PM. No deck entry of swimmers is allowed. Registration Link:**

https://www.clubassistant.com/club/meet_information.cfm?c=2655&smid=19308

- **Relays:** USMS Relays will consist of four swimmers all from the same club and will consist of four women, four men, or two women and two men. Swimmers may only compete in one relay per event (only women, men, or mixed for each event) and a maximum of 2 relays. There are no relay team entry fees. Relays will be deck entered at the meet.

- **Relay Entry Deadlines:** Relay cards are due by 10:00 AM.

- **Seeding:** The 1,000 Freestyle will be seeded fastest to slowest. All other events will be seeded slowest to fastest, by entered time, ages, and sexes.

- **Positive Check-in:** Positive check-in is required by 10:00 AM for the 1,000 Freestyle and by 11:00 AM for the 500 Freestyle.

Questions: Meet Director, Luis Salazar (310-433-6178); luis.salazar@dc.gov

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Event Lineup:

1. 400 Freestyle Relay (Women)
2. 400 Freestyle Relay (Mixed)
3. 400 Freestyle Relay (Men)
4. 1000 Freestyle (Mixed)
5. 50 Freestyle (Mixed)
6. 800 Freestyle Relay (Women)
7. 800 Freestyle Relay (Mixed)
8. 800 Freestyle Relay (Men)
9. 100 Freestyle (Mixed)
10. 500 Freestyle (Mixed)
11. 200 Freestyle Relay (Women)
12. 200 Freestyle Relay (Mixed)
13. 200 Freestyle Relay (Men)
14. 200 Freestyle (Mixed)