

2021 Spring Fling at the IU Natatorium

Sunday, April 18th, 2021

COVID-19 Safety Policy

To maintain the health and safety of our swimmers, officials, volunteers, coaches, and facility staff during the COVID-19 pandemic, we be enforcing the following COVID-19 Health and Safety Policy. Failure to comply with this policy will result in disqualification from the meet and you may be asked to leave the facility.

- Swimmers in the morning session are not to arrive before 7:45 am for Session 1, and 11:45 am for Session 2. A facility cleaning will take place before and between sessions.
- **Check-in is mandatory** for all swimmers, volunteers, officials, and staff attending the meet. You must check in before entering the water for warm-up. Check-in will be located near the timing platform/announcer's stand on the west side of the pool. Maintain at least six feet or more while waiting in line to check-in.
- All swimmers, volunteers, and officials need to complete and submit a [USMS COVID-19 Attendee Screening Form](#) and a Facility COVID-19 Liability Release Form at check-in. No one will be permitted to enter the facility without meeting the screening criteria as indicated.
- Sanitizer will be available on deck to use as needed. Please sanitize your hands often.
- Only **three swimmers per lane** are permitted for warm up/cool down. Swimmers must **maintain 5 yards apart** during warmup/cool down.
- No more than four swimmers will be competing in a heat. Lanes 1,2, 7, and 8 will be used for warm up/cool down during competition. Lanes 3,4,5, and 6 will be used for competition.
- Swimmers must wear masks at all times unless behind the block preparing for their race or in the water swimming. It is suggested that swimmers bring a Ziploc bag to place mask in behind the block while competing. Extra Ziploc bags and masks will be available at the check-in table.
- All timers, officials, swimmers, and volunteers must maintain at least six feet distance at all times and wear masks while in the facility and on campus.
- Swimmers may use the locker-rooms on the east side of the pool for changing/showering/toilet usage. Masks must be worn in the locker-room except while showering. Lockers may not be used for storing belongings. Swimmers must place belongings at least six feet apart on the bleachers on deck.
- Swimmers must sit on the benches at least six feet apart.
- No spectators are permitted.
- No cheering or congregating in groups on deck at any time.
- No cheering or congregating in the pool during warmup/cool down.
- Swimmers must exit the pool after his/her race as quickly as possible and maintain at least six feet distance from timers and the next competitor preparing for his/her heat.