

2021 MN NEP Tri Meet Tri Meet BAC, BLA, NAP

LSC Sanction Requirements: MN21W-01-123Y

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In applying for the sanctioned meet on February 21, 2021, the Host Team, Neptune Aquatics, agrees to comply with and to enforce health and safety mandates and guidelines of USA Swimming, Minnesota Swimming, the State of Minnesota and Scott County.

Statement of Local Protocols and Requirements

Guidelines and requirements can be found on the MNSI website <u>COVID-19 HUB</u>. The following guidelines and requirements are as of January 21, 2021, which is the date the sanction request was submitted to MNSI.

- Pool Deck maximum: 25% of capacity, not to exceed 150 people
- Other Area maximum: 25% of capacity, not to exceed 150 people

The Host Team will follow all current state, local, health and USA Swimming guidelines and/or requirements on the date(s) of the meet.

Plan for Spectators

Due to the current COVID-19 environment and limited pool deck space at the facility, the Host Team IS NOT allowing spectators at this time, however there are many volunteer roles that will be required. The host team will continuously monitor the evolving guidelines pertaining to group size as it relates to COVID-19 and guidelines from various local and state agencies.

Plan for Ingress and Egress

Volunteers, officials, swimmers, and coaches will use the Door # 12 to enter and the Door # 11 to exit the facility.

Locker Rooms

Locker rooms CAN NOT be used for changing during the meet. The Host Team is recommending that locker room use be minimized during the meet.

Planned Number of Individuals

Pool Deck (not to exceed 25% of pool deck area capacity which equals 98, maximum pool deck capacity is 98)

- Swimmers 70 per session
- Coaches 5
- Officials 9
- Volunteers 14
- Spectators 0

Other Area (Not Applicable)

The Host Team will adjust planned number individuals on the meet date(s) to meet all current guidelines and requirements.

Safe Sport Considerations

The Host Team will encourage parents to volunteer during the swim meet to reduce the number of people in the facility. The Host Team will provide areas for parents to ensure they have access to and/or opportunity to observe their swimmer.



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Held under the sanction of USA Swimming.

It is understood and agreed that USA Swimming shall be free and held harmless from any liabilities or claims for damages arising by reason of injuries, including exposure to or infected with COVID-19 which may result in illness, personal injury, permanent disability, and/or death, to anyone during the conduct of the event.

It is further understood and agreed that Minnesota Swimming shall be free and held harmless from any liabilities or claims for damages arising by reason of injuries, including exposure or and infected with COVID-19 which may result in illness, personal injury, permanent disability, and/or death, to anyone during the conduct of the event.

An inherent risk of exposure to COVID-19 exists in any public place where people are present. COVID-19 is an extremely contagious disease that can lead to severe illness and death. According to the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, senior citizens and individuals with underlying medical conditions are especially vulnerable.

USA Swimming, Inc., cannot prevent you (or your child(ren)) from becoming exposed to, contracting, or spreading COVID-19 while participating in the USA Swimming sanctioned events. It is not possible to prevent against the presence of the disease. Therefore, if you choose to participate in a USA Swimming sanctioned event, you may be exposing yourself to and/or increasing your risk of contracting or spreading COVID-19.

BY ATTENDING OR PARTICIPATING IN THIS COMPETITION, YOU VOLUNTARILY ASSUME ALL RISKS ASSOCIATED WITH EXPOSURE TO COVID-19 AND FOREVER RELEASE AND HOLD HARMLESS USA SWIMMING AND MINNESOTA SWIMMING, NEPTUNE AQUATICS AND EACH OF THEIR OFFICERS, DIRECTORS, AGENTS, EMPLOYEES OR OTHER REPRESENTATIVES FROM ANY LIABILITY OR CLAIMS INCLUDING FOR PERSONAL INJURIES, DEATH, DISEASE OR PROPERTY LOSSES, OR ANY OTHER LOSS, INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO CLAIMS OF NEGLIGENCE AND GIVE UP ANY CLAIMS YOU MAY HAVE TO SEEK DAMAGES, WHETHER KNOWN OR UNKNOWN, FORESEEN OR UNFORESEEN, IN CONNECTION THEREWITH.

You acknowledge the contagious nature of COVID-19 and voluntarily assume the risk that your family, including child(ren), may be exposed to or infected by COVID-19 while on site at the pool or facility and that such exposure or infection may result in the personal injury, illness, permanent disability, and death. You understand that the risk of becoming exposed to or infected by COVID-19 at the pool or facility may result from the actions, omissions, or negligence of myself and others, including, but not limited to, the NEPTUNE AQUATICS and other swim teams participating in the meet and pool management company's employees, volunteers, and program participants and their families.

NEPTUNE AQUATICS and participating teams will include the above information in meet announcements, heat sheets and posted around the pool facility. NEPTUNE AQUATICS reserves the right to cancel this meet at anytime.