

# 2004 GEORGIA 14 & UNDER SHORT COURSE CHAMPIONSHIPS

## February 13-15, 2004

- Sanctions:** Georgia Swimming, Inc. Sanction #GA04-12  
Time Trials Sanction #GA04-13TT
- Meet Referee:** Pete Junkins: email: [pjunkins@bellsouth.net](mailto:pjunkins@bellsouth.net)
- Meet Director:** Kathleen Ansley: 912-897-0189
- Safety Marshal:** Floyd Roberson
- Entries:** Katy Pace Byrd: 912-233-3472; [entries@swimsst.com](mailto:entries@swimsst.com)
- Host Club:** Savannah Swim Team, PO Box 13491, Savannah, GA 31416, 912-927-SWIM
- Facility:** Chatham County Aquatic Center, 7240 Sallie Mood Drive, Savannah, GA 31406, 912-652-6793  
This is a 25 yard x 50 meter pool with non-turbulent lane lines. Two eight-lane 25-yard venues are available for competition. CCAC includes a separate 6-lane warm down pool, spectator seating for 980, generous deck space, locker rooms and Colorado timing system.
- Concessions:** Basic concessions will be provided. A hospitality area will be provided for all officials and coaches.
- Rules:** Current USA Swimming rules will govern the conduct of this meet unless herein noted otherwise. Positive check-in will be required for all deck-seeded events. Any swimmer who qualifies for finals on the last day of competition, does not scratch, and subsequently “no shows” will be fined \$50.00. This fine must be paid before the next championship meet or the swimmer will not be allowed to compete in the next championship meet (Georgia Scratch Rule, adopted 4/21/2002). **Swimmers will be responsible for swimming in their assigned heats and lanes.** The meet referee has discretion to determine the need to do dive-over starts.
- Eligibility:** Open to all swimmers registered with USA Swimming and Georgia Swimming, Inc. who have achieved the required “Q” time standard for each event entered during a period not to exceed one year prior to this meet (see order of events attached). Any 11-14 swimmer who has qualified for the 1650 free may enter the 1000 free.
- Entry Limit:** Swimmers aged 11-12 and 13-14 may compete in no more than three (3) individual events per day including time trial events. Swimmers aged 10 and under may compete in no more than four (4) individual events per day including time trial events. Swimmers exceeding the daily limit will be disqualified from the last event(s) of that day. Each team will be limited to two (2) scoring relay teams per event.
- Entry Format:** Submit entries in standard data format (SDIF) or Hy-tek. The order of events is available in Hy-tek format at [www.swimsst.com](http://www.swimsst.com). Entries must include each swimmer’s USA Swimming registration number, first and last name, age and seed time for each event entered. **Swimmers entered in the meet who are only competing as members of relay teams must be entered with all other participants for the purpose of verifying USA Swimming registration.** Their names and USA Swimming registration numbers should be submitted on the hard copy as relay-only swimmers. A printed copy of all entries, fees, and a completed and signed liability release form must accompany the disk. **Please waive signature for overnight deliveries.** E-mail entries may be made to [entries@swimsst.com](mailto:entries@swimsst.com) provided that entry disk, hard copy, fees, and liability release form are received by the entry deadline of **February 2, 2004**.
- Entry Fees:** Three dollars and fifty cents (\$3.50) per individual event.  
Five dollars and twenty-five cents (\$5.25) for relays.  
Five dollars and seventy-five cents (\$5.75) for time trials.  
Make checks payable to the Savannah Swim Team.  
Entries will not be accepted unless accompanied by fees.

**Entry Deadline:** All entries must be received on or before 6:00 p.m. Monday, February 2, 2004 at the address below. However, swimmers achieving first qualifying times at meets scheduled on the weekend of February 6-8, 2004 may be entered in this meet until **midnight on Monday, February 9, 2004**. The later entries MUST be made by e-mail to [entries@swimsst.com](mailto:entries@swimsst.com) and followed by a hard copy of the additional entries plus fees, postmarked within 24 hours sent to the address listed below. These later e-mail entries must list swimmer's name, USA Swimming registration number, event name and number and seed time. Hy-tek files containing any other than the new entries only will **NOT** be accepted. **No updated entry times.** In pre-seeded events, these entries will be seeded only in available lanes on a first-come, first-served basis. If no lanes are available, entire events will not be re-seeded; rather, new heats will be created to accommodate these entries. If necessary, the slowest heats may be re-seeded to insure compliance with USA Swimming Rules 102.5.1D and 102.5.4A. Seedings for these entries into any pre-seeded events will appear in an addendum to the regular heat sheet. No updated times earned at these weekend meets will be accepted for swimmers who have previously achieved the necessary qualifying times. No phone or fax entries will be accepted.

**Mail entries to:** Katy Pace Byrd, SST  
135 E. 44th Street  
Savannah, GA 31405

**Late Entries:** Late entries will be permitted on a first come/first served basis only if open lanes are available and will be seeded with NT. No additional heats will be created for pre-seeded events. Late entries will be accepted at the meet up to the time clerk of course closes before each session (see schedule under "Check-In"). Late entry fees will be doubled for individual and relay events, that is, \$7.00 per individual event and \$10.50 per relay. Late entered swimmers must present proof of USAS registration to the clerk of course.

**Proof Of Times:** Swimmers who enter state championship meets must have achieved a time equal to or faster than the qualifying standard for each event entered. Final results will be reviewed by the age group chairman to determine swimmers' eligibility for this meet. If a swimmer fails to achieve the qualifying standard at the meet and cannot prove that he/she achieved the qualifying standard before the entry deadline (during a period not to exceed one year prior to this meet), then Georgia Swimming, Inc. will invoke a fine of \$50.00 against the team of said swimmer, or against the swimmer if unattached, for each non-qualifying time. Failure to pay in the manner prescribed by Georgia Swimming, Inc. will result in the barring of said team/individual from participating in the next (and all subsequent) state championship meets until such time as the fine is paid.

**Seeding:** All events will be pre-seeded with the exception of the 11-12 200 back, 200 breast, and 200 fly, the 500 free, 1000 free, 400 IM and all relays. These events will require a positive check-in according to the schedule outlined below under "Check-in."

**Format:**

- All 10 & under events will be conducted as timed finals.
- 11-12 age group events will be conducted as a mixture of timed finals and prelim finals. Some 11-12 events will be swum at night during finals (see order of events).
- 11-12 200 back, breast & fly: These events will be conducted as timed finals with the fastest seeded heat being contested in the finals session and the other heats in the prelim session. These will be deck seeded events.
- 11-12 100 IM, 50 breast, 50 fly & 50 back: These events will be conducted as timed final events with all heats being contested during the finals session.
- 11-12 50 free, 100 free, 200 free, 100 back, 100 breast, 100 fly & 200 IM: These events will be conducted as prelim/final events.
- All individual events in the 13-14 age group will be prelim/final events with the exception of the 400 IM, 500 and 1000 freestyle events as described below.

500 free: The 10 & under 500 free will be swum fastest to slowest, alternating girls and boys. All heats of the 11-12 events will be swum during prelims, fastest to slowest, in event order. The fastest deck seeded heat of the 13-14 events will swim during finals. All other heats will swim during prelims, fastest to slowest, in event order. All 500 free events will be deck-seeded after positive check-in.

400 IM: All heats of the 11-12 events will be swum during prelims, fastest to slowest, in event order. The fastest deck seeded heat of the 13-14 events will swim during finals. All other heats will swim during prelims, fastest to slowest, in event order. All 400 IM events will be deck-seeded after positive check-in.

1000 free: These events will be swum as 11-14, timed final events. All heats will be contested during the Sunday morning session. They will be swum fastest to slowest, alternating girls and boys if swum in the same course. These events will be scored 11-12 and 13-14. All 1000 free events will be deck-seeded after positive check-in.

All relays will be conducted as timed final events and will be deck-seeded after positive check-in. (See Order of Events for the session in which each relay will be contested.)

**Finals Format:** There will be a consolation final heat and a championship final heat for each prelim/final event in the 11-12 and 13-14 age groups. The championship final heat will precede the consolation final heat. The fastest heat in each of the 13-14 400 IM and 500 free will be contested during finals. All heats of the 11-12 100 IM, 50 fly, 50 breast and 50 back will be contested in the finals sessions. The fastest seeded heat of the 11-12 200 back, 200 breast and 200 fly will be contested during the finals session.

**Courses:** During the **preliminary sessions**, all events of the 11-12 and 13-14 age groups will be contested in a single course with the option of swimming the 500 Free, 400 IM and 1000 Free in 2 courses, girls in one pool and boys in the other, if the opportunity exists. All 10 & Under events will be swum in a single course. The preliminary sessions will be contested on the same starting schedule. All **finals** events will be swum in one course.

**Schedule:**

<b>Friday morning:</b>	<b>warm-up 7:30 am</b>	<b>start 9:00 am</b>
<b>Friday evening:</b>	<b>warm-up 5:00 pm</b>	<b>start 6:00 pm</b>
<b>Saturday morning:</b>	<b>warm-up 7:30 am</b>	<b>start 9:00 am</b>
<b>Saturday evening:</b>	<b>warm-up 5:00 pm</b>	<b>start 6:00 pm</b>
<b>Sunday morning:</b>	<b>warm-up 7:30 am</b>	<b>start 9:00 am</b>
<b>Sunday evening:</b>	<b>warm-up 4:30 pm</b>	<b>start 5:30 pm</b>

**Check-In:** In order to be seeded into the deck-seeded events, swimmers and relay teams must check in with the clerk of course. Check in for relays contested during the finals session must be done by the end of that day's preliminary session. Clerk of course will close for event check-in and late entries at the following times:

<b>Friday morning:</b>	<b>8:15 am</b>	<b>Friday afternoon:</b>	<b>5:15 pm</b>
<b>Saturday morning:</b>	<b>8:15 am</b>	<b>Saturday afternoon:</b>	<b>5:15 pm</b>
<b>Sunday morning:</b>	<b>8:15 am</b>	<b>Sunday afternoon:</b>	<b>5:00 pm</b>

**Scoring:** Individual Events: 20-17-16-15-14-13-12-11- 9- 7- 6 -5- 4- 3- 2- 1  
Relay Events: 40-34-32-30-28-26-24-22-18-14-12-10-8-6-4-2  
Individual events and relays will be scored out to 16 places. Swimmers who do not achieve the meet qualifying time in an event cannot score points in that event.

**Awards:** For this meet, teams will be assigned to one of three divisions based upon the number of registered swimmers on each team as of January 2, 2004. The divisions will be:

I – 201+ swimmers  
II – 81-200 swimmers  
III –1-80 swimmers

The highest scoring women's, men's and combined teams in each division will receive awards. These awards will be announced following the conclusion of the last finals session of the meet.

Medals will be awarded to first through third place in all individual events and ribbons 4th through 8th. Medals will be awarded to first through 3rd places in all relay events.

### **Outstanding**

**Swimmer Awards:** A special award will be presented to the "Outstanding Girl" and "Outstanding Boy" in each age group (14 and under) to be determined in the following manner:

The swimmer will be awarded 20 points for a time equal to or better than the 1st place time listed in the National Top 16 Age Group times for his/her age group. Fifteen points will be awarded for a time equal to or better than the 2nd place time; 14 points for 3rd place; etc., on down to 1 point for the 16th place time. The best time achieved during the course of competition for each individual event will be scored.

The boy and girl in each age group scoring the greatest number of points will receive an "Outstanding Swimmer" award. In the event that no points are scored in a given age/gender category, that award will not be given.

- Coaches:** Coaches will be required to sign in and show their USA Swimming coaches registration card for verification that all certifications are current. All teams must submit with their entries a list of the coaches who will attend this meet. **ANY COACH NOT HAVING A CURRENT (2004) CERTIFICATION WILL BE BARRED FROM THE POOL DECK. No exceptions will be made.** ALL coaches planning to be on the pool deck MUST have a valid coach's card from Claude Rhen with an expiration date of Feb 15<sup>th</sup>, 2004 or later. Copies of the certification, faxes, and letters stating CPR / First Aid / STFSC are up to date will not be considered. **COACHES WILL BE REQUIRED TO DISPLAY THEIR USA SWIMMING BADGE WHILE ON THE POOL DECK OR IN HOSPITALITY.**
- Coaches Meeting:** A mandatory coaches' meeting will be held Friday, February 13, 2004 at 7:15 a.m. At least one coach from each team is required to attend any coaches' meeting. Subsequent meetings will be arranged if needed.
- Warm-Up:** Georgia Swimming, Inc. approved warm-up guidelines will be followed for this meet. Warm-ups will be posted at the pool and all teams will be required to furnish one USAS-certified coach to monitor warm-up.
- Officials:** The Savannah Swim Team welcomes visiting officials and will appreciate help in officiating this competition. Any certified official or apprentice registered with USA Swimming wishing to officiate or apprentice at any session **must sign in prior to the required officials meeting** which is held one hour before the start of each session. As a reminder, starter apprenticeships are not allowed at the state championship meets. All officials must present at check-in current (2004) USA Swimming registration cards and current LSC certification cards. Officials must display their credentials while officiating or in hospitality. Officials must have current certification in order to be on the pool deck in any official capacity. Anyone who has completed the CD portion of stroke and turn training and wishes to finish training at this meet should contact the meet referee.
- Scratch Rule:** The Georgia Scratch Rule adopted 04/21/02 will be in effect (available at [www.gaswim.org](http://www.gaswim.org)).
- Liability Release:** Georgia Swimming, Inc., USA Swimming, Inc., Savannah Swim Team Parents Club, Inc., The Champion Corporation, and the Chatham County Aquatic Center shall be free from any liabilities or claims for damages arising by reason of injury to anyone during the conduct of the meet.
- Time Trials:** Time trials will be offered to any swimmer with a legitimate chance at achieving Sectional or National Championship qualifying times. Time trial events count against the swimmer's entry limit total per day at the meet. Swimmers must sign up for time trial events with the clerk of course by 11 am of the day on which they will be contested. Events may be combined. Cost per trial is \$5.75.
- Time trials shall be swum in the order listed under the meet program as follows:
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|------------|--------------|------------|
| Friday = A | Saturday = B | Sunday = C |
| A-B-C      | B-C-A        | C-A-B      |
- Other Information:** Hotel information and directions are available at [www.swimsst.com](http://www.swimsst.com).

**Order of Events**  
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Friday Morning, February 13, 2004 – Warm-up 7:30 am, Start 9:00 am

GIRLS						BOYS
5	2:22.09	13-14	200	IM	2:17.89	6
7	2:33.49	11-12	200	IM	2:37.29	8
9	26.89	13-14	50	FREE	25.49	10
11	28.09	11-12	50	FREE	28.39	12
13	2:24.89	13-14	200	BACK	2:22.59	14
15	2:35.59	11-12	200	BACK*	2:36.99	16
17	1:06.29	13-14	100	FLY	1:04.19	18
19	1:12.99	11-12	100	FLY	1:16.99	20
21	5:34.99	13-14	500	FREE*	5:22.69	22
23	6:01.09	11-12	500	FREE**	6:01.09	24

\*Deck seeded; positive check-in by 8:15 am; fastest heat swims during finals.

\*\*Deck seeded; positive check-in by 8:15 am; all heats swim during prelims.

Friday Evening, February 13, 2004 – Warm-up 5:00 pm, Start 6:00 pm

GIRLS						BOYS
1	8:30.99	13-14	800	FREE RELAY*	8:10.99	2
3	37.09	11-12	50	BREAST	38.29	4
5	FINALS	13-14	200	IM	FINALS	6
7	FINALS	11-12	200	IM	FINALS	8
9	FINALS	13-14	50	FREE	FINALS	10
11	FINALS	11-12	50	FREE	FINALS	12
13	FINALS	13-14	200	BACK	FINALS	14
15	Top Heat	11-12	200	BACK	Top Heat	16
17	FINALS	13-14	100	FLY	FINALS	18
19	FINALS	11-12	100	FLY	FINALS	20
21	Top Heat	13-14	500	FREE	Top Heat	22

\*Deck seeded; positive check-in by the end of prelims; all heats swim during finals.

Saturday Morning A, February 14, 2004 – Warm-up 7:30 am, Start 9:00 am

GIRLS						BOYS
31	2:06.99	13-14	200	FREE	2:01.59	32
33	2:14.19	11-12	200	FREE	2:15.99	34
35	1:16.39	13-14	100	BREAST	1:14.79	36
37	1:20.39	11-12	100	BREAST	1:25.99	38
39	1:07.29	13-14	100	BACK	1:05.39	40
41	1:11.09	11-12	100	BACK	1:13.99	42
43	5:00.19	13-14	400	IM*	4:54.99	44
45	5:30.99	11-12	400	IM**	5:36.69	46
49	1:48.99	13-14	200	FREE RELAY**	1:43.99	50
51	1:52.99	11-12	200	FREE RELAY**	1:53.99	52

\*Deck seeded; positive check-in by 8:15 am; fastest heat swims with finals.

\*\*Deck seeded; positive check-in by 8:15 am; all heats swim during prelims.

Saturday Morning B, February 14, 2004 – Warm-up 7:30 am, Start 9:00 am

GIRLS						BOYS
53	2:59.99	10 & U	200	IM	2:59.99	54
55	1:11.09	10 & U	100	FREE	1:12.49	56
57	43.39	10 & U	50	BREAST	43.69	58
59	1:30.09	10 & U	100	FLY	1:32.79	30
61	37.59	10 & U	50	BACK	37.99	62
63	6:59.99	10 & U	500	FREE*	6:59.99	64
65	2:08.99	10 & U	200	FREE RELAY*	2:08.99	66

\*Deck seeded; positive check-in by 8:15 am.

Saturday Evening, February 14, 2004 – Warm-up 5:00 pm, Start 6:00 pm

GIRLS						BOYS
25	4:47.99	11-12	400	MEDLEY RELAY*	4:59.99	26
27	4:31.99	13-14	400	MEDLEY RELAY*	4:20.99	28
29	31.49	11-12	50	FLY	32.39	30
31	FINALS	13-14	200	FREE	FINALS	32
33	FINALS	11-12	200	FREE	FINALS	34
35	FINALS	13-14	100	BREAST	FINALS	36
37	FINALS	11-12	100	BREAST	FINALS	38
39	FINALS	13-14	100	BACK	FINALS	40
41	FINALS	11-12	100	BACK	FINALS	42
43	Top Heat	13-14	400	IM	Top Heat	44
47	1:10.29	11-12	100	IM	1:12.59	48

\*Deck seeded; positive check-in by the end of prelims; all heats swim during finals.

Sunday Morning A, February 15, 2004 – Warm-up 7:30 am, Start 9:00 am

GIRLS						BOYS
71	2:45.89	11-12	200	FLY*	2:45.99	72
73	2:33.09	13-14	200	FLY	2:29.99	74
75	1:02.19	11-12	100	FREE	1:02.09	76
77	58.29	13-14	100	FREE	55.09	78
79	2:58.39	11-12	200	BREAST*	3:00.99	80
81	2:45.99	13-14	200	BREAST	2:42.99	82
85	2:09.99	11-12	200	MEDLEY RELAY**	2:12.99	86
87	2:05.99	13-14	200	MEDLEY RELAY**	2:01.99	88
89	12:20.99	11-12	1000	FREE** <sup>a</sup>	12:39.99	90
	11:33.69	13-14	1000	FREE** <sup>a</sup>	11:15.99	

\*Deck seeded; positive check-in by 8:15 am; fastest heat swims with finals.

\*\*Deck seeded; positive check-in by 8:15 am; all heats swim during prelims.

<sup>a</sup>These events are run as 11-14 events but scored out as 11-12 and 13-14. They are listed separately for the purpose of displaying the qualifying standard.

Sunday Morning B, February 15, 2004 – Warm-up 7:30 am, Start 9:00 am

GIRLS						BOYS
91	2:41.09	10 & U	200	FREE	2:38.69	92
93	1:22.39	10 & U	100	IM	1:20.99	94
95	37.99	10 & U	50	FLY	37.89	96
97	1:22.99	10 & U	100	BACK	1:24.99	98
99	31.99	10 & U	50	FREE	31.79	100
101	1:33.99	10 & U	100	BREAST	1:35.99	102
103	2:32.99	10 & U	200	MEDLEY RELAY*	2:33.99	104

\*Deck seeded; positive check-in by 8:15 am.

Sunday Evening, February 15, 2004 – Warm-up 4:30 pm, Start 5:30 pm

GIRLS						BOYS
67	4:09.99	11-12	400	FREE RELAY*	4:09.99	68
69	3:54.99	13-14	400	FREE RELAY*	3:42.99	70
71	Top Heat	11-12	200	FLY	Top Heat	72
73	FINALS	13-14	200	FLY	FINALS	74
75	FINALS	11-12	100	FREE	FINALS	76
77	FINALS	13-14	100	FREE	FINALS	78
79	Top Heat	11-12	200	BREAST	Top Heat	80
81	FINALS	13-14	200	BREAST	FINALS	82
83	33.09	11-12	50	BACK	34.19	84

\*Deck seeded; positive check-in by the end of prelims; all heats swim during finals.

# GEORGIA 14 & UNDER SHORT COURSE CHAMPIONSHIPS

February 13-15, 2004

Team Name \_\_\_\_\_ Team abbreviation \_\_\_\_\_

Team Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Head Coach \_\_\_\_\_

Work \_\_\_\_\_ Home \_\_\_\_\_ e-mail \_\_\_\_\_

For entry problems call or e-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Total individual events \_\_\_\_\_ X \$3.50 = \_\_\_\_\_

Total relay events \_\_\_\_\_ X \$5.25 = \_\_\_\_\_

Total fees submitted \_\_\_\_\_

The following coaches will attend \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Submit one check payable to **Savannah Swim Team**. Entries must be received on or before 6:00 p.m. February 2, 2004 (with the exception noted in the meet information). Mail entries to:

**Katy Pace Byrd, SST  
135 East 44<sup>th</sup> Street  
Savannah, GA 31405  
912-233-2472**

## WAIVER, ACKNOWLEDGMENT AND LIABILITY RELEASE

I, the undersigned coach or team representative, certify that all swimmers on the enclosed entry and all coaches listed above are registered with USA Swimming.

I acknowledge that I am familiar with the safety rules of USA Swimming and Georgia Swimming, Inc. regarding warm-up procedures and that I shall be responsible for the compliance of my swimmers with those rules during this meet.

United States Swimming, Inc., Georgia Swimming, Inc., Savannah Swim Team Parents Club, Inc., The Champion Corporation, the Chatham County Aquatic Center, and their agents, employees, and coaches shall be free from any liability or claim for damages arising by reason of illness or injury to anyone during the conduct of this meet.

Signature/Title \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_