

January 14, 2008

**Dear Swim Team Coach:**

**Prelim-Finals**

Please review the meet schedule carefully. This is a prelim-final meet with a different format than in previous years. Be sure to explain the new format to you team members.

**Entry Information**

Enclosed is the entry packet for the Illini District Championship meet to be held Saturday and Sunday, March 1-2, 2008. In this packet you will find:

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| ✓ Meet information               | ✓ Hotels and directions               |
| ✓ Order of events                | ✓ Map to Normal Community High School |
| ✓ Entry summary and release form | ✓ District guideline times            |

**Event File for Team Manager**

Sent to team coaches/contacts by email, and posted on the meet web site is a TM event file. Save this file to your desktop, then open Team Manager, and import meet events. The meet will be automatically set up and ready for you to enter your swimmers.

**Meet Web Site**

Meet info such as team entries, warmup and timer assignments, directions, map, and results, will be posted to the 2008 Illini District Championship meet web page, on the WAVES web site [www.bnywaves.org](http://www.bnywaves.org)

**Meet Location**

The meet is being held at Normal Community High School (NCHS). Be sure your families know the directions and see a map. NCHS is located on the northeast corner of Bloomington-Normal. This is the same site as the 2007 District Championship meet.

**Entries**

Please submit your entry **by Tuesday, February 19th, 2007.**

Preferred method for entry is a Hy-Tek CL2 file (prepared on Team Manager), submitted by email.

- Email entries to [charles.yourd@verizon.net](mailto:charles.yourd@verizon.net)
- Pay entry fees in full, within 72 hours of your email entry.
- Send a team check with the signed summary and waiver form to:  
Charles Yourd, Bloomington-Normal YMCA, 602 S Main St, Bloomington, IL 61701.

**Entry Confirmation**

You will receive by email, an entry report of your team's entries. Please review, and notify me of any corrections to be made.

**Meet Officials**

Please include with your team entry a list of your YMCA swim meet officials who will work this meet.

If you have any questions please feel free to contact me by email or phone.

Best regards,  
**Charles Yourd, Entry Chair**

Email: [charles.yourd@verizon.net](mailto:charles.yourd@verizon.net)

Tel: 1-309- 828-2975 home phone (best time is weekdays between 9:00am-2:00pm)

# 2008 Illini District YMCA Swimming Championships

## March 1-2

### Normal Community High School

**Host:** WAVES Bloomington-Normal YMCA

**Meet Directors**  
Cheryl Frey  
Charles Yourd

**Entry Chair**  
Charles Yourd  
Email: [charles.yourd@verizon.net](mailto:charles.yourd@verizon.net)

**Meet Referee**  
Boys – Tim Snelson  
Girls – Keith Volker  
Assistant Referee – Craig Albers

**Location:** Normal Community High School  
3900 E Raab Road, Normal, IL 61761

**Format:** Prelim-final for all events except the 500 freestyle.  
Boy's prelims are Saturday morning. Girl's prelims are Saturday afternoon.  
Sunday, all events are in one session.  
Finals in each event is one "A" heat, (top 8 qualifiers from prelims).  
All heats of 500 freestyle swim with finals on Sunday.

#### **Schedule:**

##### Sat., March 1 – AM – Boys

6:45am Coaches and District Committee meeting  
7:20-8:50am team warm-ups in assigned lanes  
7:30am officials meeting  
8:50am pool closed, timers on deck  
9:00am meet starts

##### Sat., March 1 – PM – Girls

Times are "not before"  
12:20-1:50pm team warm-ups in assigned lanes  
1:00pm officials meeting  
1:50pm pool closed, timers on deck  
2:00pm meet starts

##### Sun., March 2 - Finals

10:20-11:50am team warm-ups in assigned lanes  
10:30am officials meeting  
11:50am pool closed, timers on deck  
12:00noon meet starts

Time trials will be offered following the finals session only.

**Entries:** \$3.00 per individual event, \$8.00 per relay  
Entries due to Charles Yourd by **Tuesday, February 19, 2008.**  
Entries are to be made in a Hy-Tek CL2 file from Team Manager, submitted by email.

Payment and release form must be sent within 72 hours of email entry, not later than Friday, Feb 22, 2008.

**Entry Limits:** A swimmer may participate in up to four (4) events, with no more than three (3) individual events. For example, 3 individual events and one relay, or two individual events and two relays.

**Awards:** Top 8 swimmers receive awards on deck at blocks after next heat.  
Awards 9-16 are to be taken home by coaches. Awards will not be mailed.

## **General Meet Information**

- Scoring Limit:** There shall be a limit of four (4) entries per association that can score or receive awards in an individual event.
- Timers:** Teams will be responsible for providing timers for a minimum of one shift (three timers per lane). Lane assignments and shifts will be based upon team size, and will be sent to coaches by email prior to the meet and posted on the meet web site.
- Officials:** Officials from all teams are needed for the success of your District Championships. **Please list on the entry summary form, the name and email address of all officials on your team who will work the meet.**
- Rules:** This meet will be conducted according to USA Swimming technical rules, National YMCA rules governing swimming competition, Illinois/Missouri Area YMCA Competitive Swimming Rules, and Illini District YMCA Rules. All events other than 500 freestyle will be prelim-final.
- Facility:** The pool is 25 yards in length, has 8 lanes, steel starting blocks at the deep-end only, and non-turbulent lane ropes.
- The team area will be located in the gymnasium directly east of the pool.
  - The bullpen will be located in the northwest corner of the gym, by the pool entrance.
  - Entry from the parking lot is through the doors on the southwest corner of the building.
  - There is plenty of parking directly outside the building.
  - There is a spectator balcony
- Timing:** A Colorado electronic timing system with a beep start and touch-pads will be used, with buttons and watches as backup.
- Warm-ups:** A schedule with lane assignments will be emailed to coaches and posted to the meet web page by Friday, February 22.
- Awards:** Championship medals will be awarded to 1<sup>st</sup> – 16<sup>th</sup> place finishers for individual events, and to 1<sup>st</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> place relay teams. Separately for boys and girls, trophies will be awarded for 1<sup>st</sup>-3<sup>rd</sup> place teams in each age division, and for the overall top 3 teams. Trophies will also be awarded to the top 3 combined teams. Spirit Award: one team will be selected to receive the Spirit Award with judging based upon swimmer behavior, parent support, team decorations, posters, and creativity.
- Heat Sheets:** Will be sold for each day's events. Coaches will be provided with a copy.
- Admission:** \$2.00 for adults, \$1.00 ages 6-18, 5-under free.
- Conduct:** Swimmers should be supervised at all times. No dangerous horseplay will be tolerated. Please respect the other people sitting around you. Anyone bringing any kind of electric/electronic device should use headphones at all times, so as not to disturb the people around you.
- No flash photography allowed in the pool area except during the presentation of awards.
- Parent and swimmers shall show honesty, respect and good sportsmanship.
- Governance:** The Illini District Championships shall be under the general supervision of the Area Committee and direct supervision of the District Committee. Administration is by the meet host.
- Time Trials:** \$10.00 each event, payable with deck entry at timing desk. Offered following Sunday finals.

2008 Illini District YMCA Swimming Championships

**Order of Events**

**Prelims Sessions**

<b>Boys Sat, AM</b>	<b>Age Group</b>	<b>Event</b>	<b>Girls Sat, PM</b>
1	11-12	200 freestyle	46
2	13-14	200 freestyle	47
3	15-21	200 freestyle	48
4	8-under	100 medley relay	49
5	9-10	200 medley relay	50
6	11-12	200 medley relay	51
7	13-14	200 medley relay	52
8	15-21	200 medley relay	53
9	8-under	100 IM	54
10	9-10	100 IM	55
11	11-12	200 IM	56
12	13-14	200 IM	57
13	15-21	200 IM	58
<b>10 minute break - pool open</b>			
14	8-under	25 freestyle	59
15	9-10	50 freestyle	60
16	11-12	50 freestyle	61
17	13-14	50 freestyle	62
18	15-21	50 freestyle	63
19	8-under	25 butterfly	64
20	9-10	50 butterfly	65
21	11-12	50 butterfly	66
22	13-14	100 butterfly	67
23	15-21	100 butterfly	68
24	8-under	50 freestyle	69
25	9-10	100 freestyle	70
26	11-12	100 freestyle	71
27	13-14	100 freestyle	72
28	15-21	100 freestyle	73
<b>10 minute break - pool open</b>			
29	(13-14	500 freestyle w finals)	74
30	(15-21	500 freestyle w finals)	75
31	8-under	25 backstroke	76
32	9-10	50 backstroke	77
33	11-12	50 backstroke	78
34	13-14	100 backstroke	79
35	15-21	100 backstroke	80
36	8-under	25 breaststroke	81
37	9-10	50 breaststroke	82
38	11-12	50 breaststroke	83
39	13-14	100 breaststroke	84
40	15-21	100 breaststroke	85
41	8-under	100 freestyle relay	86
42	9-10	200 freestyle relay	87
43	11-12	200 freestyle relay	88
44	13-14	200 freestyle relay	89
45	15-21	200 freestyle relay	90

## Entry Summary & Release Form

Association Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Team Code: \_\_\_\_\_ (for heat sheet)

Team Entry Contact: \_\_\_\_\_ Position with Team: \_\_\_\_\_

Entry Contact Email \_\_\_\_\_

Entry Contact Phone (cell) \_\_\_\_\_ (H) \_\_\_\_\_ (W) \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

**Names of coaches in attendance:** \_\_\_\_\_,  
 \_\_\_\_\_,  
 \_\_\_\_\_

<b>List all YMCA swim officials from your team who will work this meet, include email address</b>			
Saturday, March 1 – Prelims		Sunday, March 2 - Finals	
Name	Email address	Name	Email address
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
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### Entry Summary

Number of individual entries \_\_\_\_\_ x \$3.00 = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Number of relay entries \_\_\_\_\_ x \$8.00 = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Total Due = \$ \_\_\_\_\_ **Make checks payable to: WAVES BNY**

**Mail to:** Charles Yourd, Bloomington-Normal YMCA, 602 S. Main St., Bloomington, IL 61701

### Release below must be signed or entry will not be accepted.

In consideration of this entry and its acceptance, I, intending to be legally bound on behalf of myself, my club, and participants in the meet from my club, hereby consign, waive and release any and all rights and claims for damages which may occur against the Bloomington-Normal YMCA, WAVES Bloomington-Normal YMCA Swim Team and its parent organization, Normal Community High School, Public School Unit 5, or their representatives, employees, or successors for any and all losses, expenses, damages, demands and claims arising out of or in connection with any injury, including death, or alleged injury or loss or damage or alleged damage to property sustained or alleged to have been sustained in connection with or to have arisen before, during or after the meet, by me or any contestant, or representative in said meet of my Club. I attest that all athletes included in this entry and participating in the event are duly registered as current members of their YMCA.

**Signature** (Coach, Club Representative, or Parent): \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**Entries close Tuesday, February 19, 2008**

**Meet Hotel:** Country Inn and Suites, 309-662-3100

**Hotels:** Baymont Inn, 309-662-2800  
Best Inns Suite Hotels, 309-827-5333  
Best Western University Inn, 309-454-4070  
Chateau of Bloomington, 309-662-2020  
Comfort Inn, 309-842-6000  
Comfort Suites, 309-452-8588  
Courtyard by Marriott, 309-862-1166  
Eastland Suites, 309-662-0000  
Econo Lodge, 309-829-3100  
Fairfield Inn by Marriott, 309-454-6600  
Holiday Inn Express & Suites, 309-862-1600  
Quality Inn, 309-829-7602  
Radisson Hotel, 309-664-6446  
Ramada Hotel, 309-662-5311  
Signature Inn, 309-454-4044  
Super 8, 309-454-05858  
Wingate Inn, 309-820-9990

**Directions to Normal Community High School:**

From **I-55 on north side of Normal**, exit onto **Veterans Pkwy**, go south

From **1-55 on southwest side of Blm**, exit onto **Veterans Pkwy**, go north

From **1-74 on south side of Blm**, exit onto **Main Street**, go N to **Veterans Pkwy**, go NE

- Turn **east** at **Fort Jesse Rd** - go **1.5 mi**
- Turn **left** at **Airport Rd** - go **1.0 mi**
- Turn **right** at **E Raab Rd/E 1700 Rd N**

Eastland Church is large building on corner of E Raab and Airport Rd,

**Normal Community High School** is ¼ mile to east of intersection of E Raab and Airport Rd.

**ILLINOIS AREA YMCA SWIMMING CHAMPIONSHIPS  
ORDER OF EVENTS AND 2007-2008 QUALIFYING TIMES  
District Guideline times are shown in tenth of seconds only**

There are no district guideline times for relay events, nor for 13&14 or 15-21 individual events

Event	Age Group	Event	Area Boys	District Differential	District Guideline	Area Girls	District Differential	District Guideline
1	11 & 12	200 yd. Freestyle	2:21.59	:17.01	2:38.60	2:19.89	:15.91	2:35.80
2	13 & 14	200 yd. Freestyle	2:07.19			2:11.39		
3	15 - 21	200 yd. Freestyle	1:55.89			2:07.49		
4	8 & under	100 yd. Medley Relay	1:35.89			1:29.39		
5	9 & 10	200 yd. Medley Relay	2:46.79			2:35.79		
6	11 & 12	200 yd. Medley Relay	2:25.69			2:16.99		
7	13 & 14	200 yd. Medley Relay	2:13.79			2:13.09		
8	15 - 21	200 yd. Medley Relay	1:57.89			2:11.19		
9	8 & under	100 yd. Indiv Medley	1:42.19			1:36.99		
10	9 & 10	100 yd. Indiv Medley	1:24.29	:13.01	1:37.30	1:20.69	:11.81	1:32.50
11	11 & 12	200 yd. Indiv Medley	2:43.39	:57.01	3:39.50	2:37.59	:52.51	3:30.10
12	13 & 14	200 yd. Indiv Medley	2:25.99			2:30.29		
13	15 - 21	200 yd. Indiv Medley	2:13.49			2:25.99		
14	8 & under	25 yd. Freestyle	:16.69	:02.31	:19.00	:16.69	:02.41	:19.10
15	9 & 10	50 yd. Freestyle	:32.29	:03.01	:35.30	:31.59	:02.91	:34.50
16	11 & 12	50 yd. Freestyle	:28.79	:02.71	:31.50	:28.59	:02.21	:30.80
17	13 & 14	50 yd. Freestyle	:25.79			:27.29		
18	15 - 21	50 yd. Freestyle	:23.49			:26.59		
19	8 & under	25 yd. Butterfly	:19.89	:05.41	:25.30	:18.69	:04.71	:23.40
20	9 & 10	50 yd. Butterfly	:37.49	:08.21	:45.70	:36.09	:07.71	:43.80
21	11 & 12	50 yd. Butterfly	:32.59	:05.01	:37.60	:31.69	:04.31	:36.00
22	13 & 14	100 yd. Butterfly	1:06.29			1:09.89		
23	15 - 21	100 yd. Butterfly	:58.99			1:05.69		
24	8 & under	50 yd. Freestyle	:37.79	:06.71	:44.50	:37.59	:06.71	:44.30
25	9 & 10	100 yd. Freestyle	1:12.99	:11.61	1:24.60	1:10.79	:10.91	1:21.70
26	11 & 12	100 yd. Freestyle	1:04.49	:10.11	1:14.60	1:03.39	:09.61	1:13.00
27	13 & 14	100 yd. Freestyle	:57.39			1:00.39		
28	15 - 21	100 yd. Freestyle	:51.49			:58.49		
29	13 & 14	500 yd. Freestyle	5:53.79			5:56.19		
30	15 - 21	500 yd. Freestyle	5:23.19			5:45.69		
31	8 & under	25 yd. Backstroke	:20.79	:04.01	:24.80	:20.49	:03.81	:24.30
32	9 & 10	50 yd. Backstroke	:38.19	:04.81	:43.00	:37.29	:03.71	:41.00
33	11 & 12	50 yd. Backstroke	:34.29	:05.51	:39.80	:33.49	:04.81	:38.30
34	13 & 14	100 yd. Backstroke	1:06.69			1:09.69		
35	15 - 21	100 yd. Backstroke	1:00.69			1:06.69		
36	8 & under	25 yd. Breaststroke	:23.49	:03.31	:26.80	:22.69	:03.31	:26.00
37	9 & 10	50 yd. Breaststroke	:43.69	:06.11	:49.80	:42.09	:04.11	:46.20
38	11 & 12	50 yd. Breaststroke	:38.29	:05.41	:43.70	:37.19	:04.81	:42.00
39	13 & 14	100 yd. Breaststroke	1:15.19			1:17.59		
40	15 - 21	100 yd. Breaststroke	1:07.89			1:16.69		
41	8 & under	100 yd. Freestyle Relay	1:22.09			1:18.19		
42	9 & 10	200 yd. Freestyle Relay	2:27.59			2:20.19		
43	11 & 12	200 yd. Freestyle Relay	2:11.39			2:01.29		
44	13 & 14	200 yd. Freestyle Relay	1:57.69			1:57.49		
45	15 - 21	200 yd. Freestyle Relay	1:49.19			1:54.69		

