



## **Great Times Invitational Swim Meet**

**February 3-5, 2006**

Central Municipal Pool

205 Caruthers

Cape Girardeau, MO 63701

<http://www.gatorswimteam.org/>

### **USAS SANCTION #4930**

#### **Facility:**

Pool is 25 yards by 50 meters. It is equipped with a Colorado fully-automatic timing system with a horn start. Continuous warm-up/warm-down space is provided during the competition. Ten lanes (SCY) will be used for competition.

#### **Directions:**

From I-55/Exit 96/Rte K- Head East off the exit (This is also known as William Street). After approximately 1.5 miles, turn left at Kingshighway and go North. Turn right at the next stoplight (Independence). Go approximately two blocks and turn left on Clark Street. After turning on Clark Street, the pool bubble should be visible off to the right.

#### **Eligibility:**

All swimmers must be athlete members of USA Swimming. USA swimming memberships applied for will not be accepted. Swimmers age as of February 3, 2006 determines the swimmer's age group for the meet. No team entries will be split. Swimmers entered in the meet that do not hold current membership will be dropped from the meet and entry fees will NOT be refunded.

All teams from outside of the Ozark LSC who enter the meet must provide proof of the swimmer's USA Swimming membership either by providing an Abbreviated Team Membership Report from the LSC Registration Chair that is certified by the LSC OR copies of the swimmer's membership card. This information must be included with the team's meet entry. Failure to provide the required proof will result in the team not being entered in the meet. Any swimmer found not to have a current USA Swimming membership who swims in an Ozark sanctioned meet (and/or the team) is subject to a \$100.00 fine per event swam.

#### **Contacts:**

Meet Director:	Dan Rau (573) 334-4448 <a href="mailto:DavisandRau@charterinternet.com">DavisandRau@charterinternet.com</a>
Entry Director:	Andy Kendig (573) 379-0499 <a href="mailto:KendigJ@missouri.edu">KendigJ@missouri.edu</a>
Meet Referee:	Ann Welker (573) 243-8304 <a href="mailto:annwelker76@yahoo.com">annwelker76@yahoo.com</a>
Officials Coordinator:	Mike Scott (573) 335-0580 <a href="mailto:m_scott24@yahoo.com">m_scott24@yahoo.com</a>
Safety Marshall:	Amber Larson (573) 339-7853 <a href="mailto:larsonfamily1@charter.net">larsonfamily1@charter.net</a>
Tee Shirt Orders:	DeAanna Arevalo (573) 382-2580 <a href="mailto:sdarevalo@hotmail.com">sdarevalo@hotmail.com</a>

**Rules:**

Current USA Swimming rules shall govern the meet. Coaches must have current USA Swimming certification, Coaching Safety, First Aid and CPR. All swimmers who are not accompanied by a USA-Swimming registered coach should report to the Meet Referee or Meet Director for warm-up instructions prior to each warm-up session. The swimmer will then be assigned to a coach on deck for each session of the meet that he has entered. The Meet shall be held under the sanction of USA Swimming that all the technical and administrative rules of USA Swimming will apply.

No cell phones or video cameras are allowed in locker rooms, Side entrances which bypass the locker rooms are available on the East side of the bubble.

**Check-In:**

Swimmers must check in with the clerk-of-course for the day's events. Check-in sheets will be posted at the announcer's table prior to the start of the warm-up session. The **check-in deadline** is 30 minutes prior to the start of each session. Swimmers not checked off will be scratched from that session.

**Events:**

The 1000 and 1650 Freestyle events will be limited to the top 40 swimmers. Entries with no time for these events will be accepted on a first-come, first-serve basis until the maximum is reached.

These events will be deck seeded and swum fastest to slowest in alternating heats of women and men. Swimmers in these events must provide their own timers and counters. Proof of time may be required and must be provided by the coach if the swimmer's time is in question for the limited events. A *Team Manager* "Proof of Time" report will be considered adequate proof.

In events where a limited number of swimmers are allowed to swim, refunds may be requested and paid to the TEAM in one lump sum. The request **MUST** be made within one week of the meet's end. Notification of swimmers not making the cut in these events will be sent by e-mail no later than Wednesday February 2, 2005. Alternative events will be allowed if events are provided to the entry director no later than 30 minutes prior to the start of the first session of the meet and if open lanes are available for pre-seeded events.

Relay entry forms will be included in the coach's packet. These should be turned in prior to the scratch deadline (although prior to warm-ups would be greatly appreciated). Coaches are asked to provide the full first and last names on the relay forms.

**Entry Fees/Info:**

\$3.00 per swimmer per individual event

\$6.00 per relay team per relay event

\$10.00 per swimmer (includes \$2.00 Ozark LSC surcharge)

Please make checks payable to: Gator Swim Team

**NO DECK ENTRIES WILL BE ACCEPTED** except as described above for swimmers cut from 1000 and 1650 freestyle events.

**Entry Process:**

The Gator Swim Team will only accept entries via e-mail in *Team Manager* entry file.

1. Download the TM/MM event file available at <http://www.ozarkswimming.org> in the meet calendar section.

2. Import this into *Team Manager*, and complete your team's entries.

3. Export an entry file and e-mail this file as an attachment to:

[KendigJ@missouri.edu](mailto:KendigJ@missouri.edu) Call (573) 379-0499 you have problems.

All teams entering the meet are responsible for sending an entry file that is compatible with *Meet Manager*.

4. Confirmation of receipt of entries will be by reply e-mail. If confirmation is not received within 3 days, please call. **Confirmation of receipt of entries does not mean that entries are accepted into the meet.**

**5. A check for fees and a signed Meet Summary/Release Form (attached to this invitation) must be received within 5 business days after the e-mail submission.** Upon receipt of checks and release forms, teams will be notified by e-mail of the entry acceptance. Teams not accepted will have entries and fee payments returned.

**Send Meet Summary/Release forms & entry checks to:**

Great Times Meet Entries  
2127 Kenneth Drive  
Cape Girardeau, MO 63701

**Entry Times:**

Enter times in short course yards only.

**Entry Limit:**

Swimmers are limited to 4 individual events per day, exclusive of relays. Participants in the 12 & under age group will be limited to 300 swimmers. No team entries will be split.

**Deadline:**

All entries must be received by **Wednesday, January 18, 2006**. Ozark entries will be accepted after December 26, 2005. Non-Ozark team entries will be accepted after Jan 2, 2006.

**Awards:**

8 & Under: Ribbons for places 1-24

9-14: Medals for "A" events, places 1-8  
Ribbons for "B" events, places 1-8  
Ribbons for "C" events, places 1-8

Open & Senior: Awards for places 1-8. Awards TBD

**Heat Sheets:**

Heat sheets will be available for sale. Results will be posted at the meet. Final results will be posted at <http://www.gatorswimteam.org>

**Hotel Info:**Cape Girardeau

Victorian Inn (573) 651-4486

Pear Tree Inn (573) 334-3000

Drury Lodge (573) 334-7151

Drury Suites (573) 339-9500

Hampton Inn (573) 651-3000

Holiday Inn Express (573) 334-4491

Jackson

Drury Inn & Suites (573) 243-9200

***Concessions and meet apparel will be available during the meet by the Gator Swim Team***

**Meet Tee Shirt:**

An official meet tee shirt will be offered for sale and must be ordered in advance. Tee shirt orders must be received by January 18, 2005. Shirts must be ordered by your team and accompanied by a **team check, separate from entries**. Personal orders and checks will not be accepted. If you have tee shirt questions, contact Deanna Arevalo (573) 382-2580 or [sdarevalo@hotmail.com](mailto:sdarevalo@hotmail.com). An extremely limited number of extra shirts may be available. Check the Gator Website (<http://www.gatorswimteam.org>) for a depiction of the tee shirt design.

**Send Tee Shirt Orders and Tee Shirt Checks to:**

Great Times Tee-Shirts  
2127 Kenneth Drive  
Cape Girardeau, MO 63701

**Websites:**

Official meet information is posted at: <http://www.ozarkswimming.org/>

Gator Website: <http://www.gatorswimteam.org>

## EVENT SCHEDULE

Friday Feb 3, 2006

Warm-up: 4:30 PM, Meet Starts at 5:30 PM

Women		Men
1	Open 400 IM	2
3	12& Under 500 Free	4
5	Open 1000 Free	6

Saturday, Feb 4, 2006

AM Session

Warm-up: 7:00 AM, Meet Starts at 8:00 AM

Women		Men
7	13 & over 200 Free Relay	8
9	13-14 200 IM	10
11	Senior 200 IM	12
13	13-14 100 Free	14
15	Senior 100 Free	16
17	13-14 100 Breast	18
19	Senior 100 Breast	20
21	13-14 200 Fly	22
23	Senior 200 Fly	24
25	13-14 100 Back	26
27	Senior 100 Back	28
29	13 & over 500 Free	30

Saturday, Feb 4, 2006

PM Session

Warm-up: 12:03 PM, Meet Starts at 1:30 PM

Women		Men
31	8 & under 100 Free Relay	32
33	10 & Under 200 Free Relay	34
35	11-12 200 Free Relay	36
37	10 & under 200 IM	38
39	11-12 200 IM	40
41	8 & under 50 Free	42
43	10 & under 100 Free	44
45	11-12 100 Free	46
47	8 & under 25 Breast	48
49	10 & Under 50 Breast	50
51	11-12 50 Breast	52
53	8 & under 25 Back	54
55	10 & under 50 Back	56
57	11-12 50 Back	58
59	10 & under 100 Fly	60
61	11-12 100 Fly	62

**Sunday, Feb 5, 2006**

**AM Session**

Warm-up: 7:00 AM, Meet Starts at 8:00 AM

Women		Men
63	13 & over 200 Medley Relay	64
65	13-14 200 Free	66
67	Senior 200 Free	68
69	13-14 100 Fly	70
71	Senior 100 Fly	72
73	13-14 200 Breast	74
75	Senior 200 Breast	76
77	13-14 200 Back	78
79	Senior 200 Back	80
81	13-14 50 Free	82
83	Senior 50 Free	84
85	13 & over 1650 Free	86

**Sunday, Feb 5, 2006**

**PM Session**

Warm-up: 12:03 PM, Meet Starts at 1:30 PM

Women		Men
87	8 & under 100 Medley Relay	88
89	10 & under 200 Medley Relay	90
91	11-12 200 Medley Relay	92
93	8 & under 25 Free	94
95	10 & under 50 Free	96
97	11-12 50 Free	98
99	8 & under 25 Fly	100
101	10 & under 50 Fly	102
103	11-12 50 Fly	104
105	10 & under 100 Breast	106
107	11-12 100 Breast	108
109	10 & under 100 Back	110
111	11-12 100 Back	112
113	8 & under 100 IM	114
115	10 & under 100 IM	116
117	11-12 100 IM	118
119	10 & under 200 Free	120
121	11-12 200 Free	122



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**Entry Summary and Release Form**

This form is part of your entry and must be signed and returned for your entry to be accepted. Entry opens Monday, December 26 for Ozark teams and Monday Jan 2 for non-Ozark teams and must be received no later than Wednesday, January 18, 2005

Club: \_\_\_\_\_ Code: \_\_\_\_\_ LSC: \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

Head Coach: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Entry Contact: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

**Entry Summary:**

Number of Swimmers entered: \_\_\_\_\_ x \$10.00 = \_\_\_\_\_

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

Number of relay entries: \_\_\_\_\_ x \$6.00 = \_\_\_\_\_

Total amount entered: = \_\_\_\_\_

**MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO GATOR SWIM TEAM AND MAIL TO:  
2127 Kenneth Drive  
Cape Girardeau, MO 63701**

**Do not send entries, disks, or paper backup with this form.  
The Gator Swim Team accepts only e-mail entries for this meet.**

**RELEASE**

The Gator Swim Team, City of Cape Girardeau, Cape Girardeau School District, USA Swimming, and Ozark Swimming shall be held harmless for any and all liabilities or claims for damages arising by reasons of injuries due to anyone during the conduct of the meet.

I certify that all individuals in the submitted entry files are registered athlete members of USA Swimming, and are eligible to participate in this event. I further certify that proper registration applications and fees have been submitted for entrants prior to completing this form and prior to the entry deadline.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Title: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Great Times T-Shirt Order Form

TEAM \_\_\_\_\_

We are offering the shirt in 2 different colors.  
Cost is \$10.00 per shirt.

<u>BLACK</u>	<u>Quantity</u>	<u>Total</u>
Youth Medium	_____	_____
Youth Large	_____	_____
Adult Small	_____	_____
Adult Medium	_____	_____
Adult Large	_____	_____
Adult XLarge	_____	_____
<b>TOTAL BLACK</b>		_____

<u>PURPLE</u>	<u>Quantity</u>	<u>Total</u>
Youth Medium	_____	_____
Youth Large	_____	_____
Adult Small	_____	_____
Adult Medium	_____	_____
Adult Large	_____	_____
Adult XLarge	_____	_____
<b>TOTAL PURPLE</b>		_____

Shirts must be ordered by the team, individual orders will not be accepted, excluding those unattached swimmers, and **MUST** be accompanied by a team check. (Do not include the tee shirt order with team meet entry) If you have tee shirt questions, contact Deanna Arevalo at (573) 382-2580 or [sdarevalo@hotmail.com](mailto:sdarevalo@hotmail.com). Feel free to check the Gator Website at <http://www.gatorswimteam.org> for the tee shirt design.