

**2023 Ontario Junior International (OJI)
– Technical Meeting –**

INTRODUCTION & WELCOME

Local Organizing Committee :

Meet Chairperson: Nicole Parent

Meet Manager : Nicole Parent

Competition Coordinator: Daryle Martin

Swim Ontario Chief Technical Officer: Dean Boles



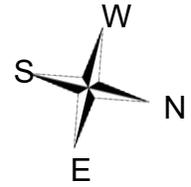
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ACCREDITATION

- Accreditation will be required to gain access to the pool deck
- Access to the pool will be through the locker rooms and past the main checkpoints
- ALL athletes, coaching staff & support staff, officials, and volunteers must have accreditation (access card and barcode access)
- Individuals without accreditation will not be permitted pool access or access to the deck

TPASC Facility LAYOUTS – Level 1



1 ADMINISTRATIVE DESK

2 TECHNICAL MEETING,
OFFICIALS MEETING ROOM &
READY ROOM / CALL ROOM

3 COACHES & OFFICIALS
HOSPITALITY ROOM

5 COMMISSION

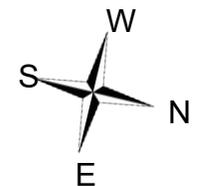
6 ANNOUNCER

7 REFEREES & STARTERS



TPASC Facility LAYOUTS – Level 2 - Main Level

- 1 NORTH ENTRANCE & PARKING
- 2 EAST DROP-OFF LOOP & PARKING
- 3 ACCREDITATION & TEAM REGISTRATION
- 4 SOUTH ENTRANCE & NO PARKING
- 5 LOWER LEVEL ACCESS



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SESSION Timelines

Preliminaries (Prelims. in 10 lanes) :

Thursday Warm-up: **12:00 – 12:50 / Start Time 13:00**

Fri/Sat/Sun Warm-up: 0730 -0850

Session Start Time: 09:00

Timelines for Finals will be attached to heat sheets and available daily at the Administrative Desk.

Finals (in 10 lanes) :

Thursday Warm-up: 17:00 – 17:50 / Start Time 18:00

Fri/Sat/Sun Warm-up: 16:30 - 17:20 / Start Time 17:30

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SESSION Finish Times

Competition		Pool Access	Warm-up	Start	Finish
DAY 1	Afternoon Prelims	11:30 AM	12:00 PM	1:00 PM	3:30 PM
	Thursday, December 14 Finals	4:30 PM	5:00 PM	6:00 PM	7:35 PM
DAY 2	Prelims	7:00 AM	7:30 AM	9:00 AM	1:00 PM
	Friday, December 15 Finals	4:00 PM	4:30 PM	5:30 PM	8:00 PM
DAY 3	Prelims	7:00 AM	7:30 AM	9:00 AM	12:30 PM
	Saturday, December 16 Finals	4:00 PM	4:30 PM	5:30 PM	8:15 PM
DAY 4	Prelims	7:00 AM	7:30 AM	9:00 AM	12:30 PM
	Sunday, December 17 Finals	4:00 PM	4:30 PM	5:30 PM	7:45 PM

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Seeding

- The 800 and 1500 meter freestyle events will be swum, fastest to slowest, alternating women & men heats during prelims with the fastest heat swimming in finals on the day the event is scheduled.
- The Thursday mixed relays will be swum in finals only slowest to fastest.
- The Fri / Sat / Sun relays will swim slowest to fastest in prelims with fastest heat in finals.
- Prelims will be run in 10 lane heats
 - with the fastest three heats circle seeded for events 200M and less
 - and fastest two heats circle seeded for 400M events

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Preliminaries and Finals - Heat Sheets (Start Lists):

- Available daily at the Admin Desk – Prelims. & Finals
- Start lists are available on the Splash Me App.
- Start lists also available on the Swim Ontario website - <https://www.swimontario.com/athletes/competitions/oji>



Results:

- Posted after each event at the Admin Desk
- Results are available on Splash Me by searching for "Ontario Junior International 2023" and on the WEB (live results) on <http://www.swimontario.com/liveresults/>

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Warm-ups

- Sprint and Pace lanes will be opened at
- **Thursday: 12:55 and 17:25** for 25 mins
- **Fri / Sat / Sun 8:15 and 16:55** for 35 and 25 mins respectively.
 - PARA only lane 0 until the sprint period begins
 - Pace lanes: 1 & 9
 - Sprint lanes: 0 & 8
 - Circle swimming lanes: 2 to 7
 - Backstroke Ledge: 0 & 8 - available during sprint lanes times
 - **Lane 0** in the south tank will be designated as PARA only lane throughout.
 - Backstroke Ledge will also be available ***lane 9 in south tank***

Flutter boards, pull-buoys, ankle bands & snorkels are allowed / no fins or paddles.

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Official Splits

We request notification of Official Splits **30 mins before the start of the session.**

- Relays: 1st swimmer's time is an Official Split (*no need to request*)
- Requests Forms available at the Admin Desk

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Swimmer Taping

- All swimmers shall be required to comply with World Aquatics taping rules.
- A committee shall be created to review taping requests. Swimmers who intend to use taping during the 2023 OJI meet must submit a request to Meet Management 45 mins before the start of the session.
- **Taping Request Forms are available at the Admin Desk.**
- Reviews will take place during warm ups for every session a swimmer is competing in order for the appropriate committee members to be available.
- All decisions of the committee are final.

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Swim-Offs

- Coaches are to report to the Admin Desk when a swim-off is announced.
- All swim-offs are to be run during or at the end of the session in which the tie occurred at a time mutually agreed upon by coaches and officials.

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Preliminaries

Thursday Prelims

- 30 minutes following the December 13 Technical Meeting

Fri / Sat / Sun Prelims

- 30 minutes following the start of the Finals session the day before

- 18:30 on Thursday for Friday Prelims
- 18:00 on Fri / Sat for Sat / Sun Prelims

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THURSDAY RELAYS

- 30 mins following the completion of preliminary events (200 IM) on Thursday

FRI / SAT / SUN RELAYS

- 30 minutes following the start of Finals the previous evening
- 6:30 PM for Friday
- 6:00 PM for Saturday & Sunday

Scratches must be done on the [Scratch Online Form](#) or scratch cards at clerk of course

Emailed scratches WILL NOT once this meeting starts.

- **No update of entry times will be allowed**

2023 Ontario Junior International (OJI) – Technical Meeting – Relay Names Submission Deadline

- Coaches should submit their Relay names via Relay Forms provided by the Admin Desk
 - 30 mins **BEFORE** the start of the Session the event is being swum in.

2023 Ontario Junior International (OJI) – Technical Meeting – Scratch Rules for Distance events

DISTANCE (800/1500 Free)

- Thursday distance events: 30 minutes following this meeting
- Sunday distance events: 30 minutes after the start of Finals the previous evening (Saturday Finals – 6 PM).
- Scratches must be done on the [Scratch Online Form](#) or scratch cards at clerk of course
- Emailed scratches WILL NOT be accepted following the Technical Meeting.

No update of entry times will be allowed

2023 Ontario Junior International (OJI) – Technical Meeting – *Distance – Positive Check-in*

- Positive Check-in will be in place for the 800m and 1500m Freestyle during the **preliminary warm-up period** to allow combination of heats or notification of swimmers moving to finals.
 - Scratches will not be accepted after the scratch deadlines of the previous evening.
- The Positive Check-in is a courtesy to fellow swimmers.
- **Requests for swimmers scheduled in final to be moved to preliminaries will NOT be granted.**

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FINALS

- 30 minutes following the completion of the Preliminary events (excluding time final events)
 - Thursday: 30 mins following completion of the 200 IM (Event 2)
 - Friday: 30 minutes following completion of the 50 Back (Event 16)
 - Saturday: 30 minutes following completion of the 50 Butterfly (Event 30)
 - Sunday: 30 minutes following completion of the 50 Breast (Event 44)
- Emailed scratches WILL NOT be accepted. Scratches must be done on the [official scratch form](#) or scratch card at clerk of course

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Scratch Rules (Penalties)

- “No-Shows”, “step-downs” and “unexcused incomplete swims” will be penalized \$50.00 CAD for Preliminaries and Finals.
- Fines incurred in Preliminaries may be paid immediately, or at the end of the Preliminary session. The swimmer in question may swim other events in that Preliminary session prior to paying the penalty. Should the swimmer in question qualify for Finals, they shall not swim in Finals until the fine is paid.
- Fines incurred in Finals must be paid immediately. The swimmer in question may not swim other events until the fine is paid – including relays.

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Scratch Rules (Penalties)

- Fines will apply to all swimmers listed on the finals program no matter which position the swimmer placed in the preliminaries.
- Accepted payment is e-transfer to etransfers@swimontario.com or direct credit card payment via [OJI penalty online form](#).
- No cash or cheques will be accepted at the Admin Desk.

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- There will be NO positive check-in during the finals warm-up periods
- All individual finalists, including alternates **must** report to the Admin desk for Finals and check in with the Call Room Supervisor no later than 15 minutes in advance of their event.
 - Finalists will be replaced by alternates if they do not report to the ready room
 - A and B finalists will be marshalled in the Ready Room
 - Alternates are to remain in designated area until released by the Call Room Supervisor

For Finals, Relay teams are to check in at Admin Desk 15 min before scheduled race and remain in the designated area until released by the Call Room Supervisor.

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Disqualifications and Protests

Disqualifications:

- Disqualifications will be announced and include event number, heat number and lane number.

Procedure for protests:

- Discuss DQ with the session Referee
- If not resolved, a written protest may be presented to the Referee. A written protest must be presented within 30 minutes after the conclusion of the **event** in question.
- If not resolved after discussion of the written protest, the matter may be assigned to a Jury of Appeal.

Protest Forms available at the Admin Desk

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Jury of Appeal

JURY OF APPEAL / JURY D'APPEL

Chaired by the Meet Manager (Nicole Parent)

1 appointed coach among the following coaches (least biased to the swimmer involved in the appeal and no vested interest)

Jy Lawrence (PSW)

Philip Garverick (PCSC)

Dave Tontini, OAK

+ 2 officials / 2 officiels

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Finals

- There will be an “A” & “B” final for all Olympic Program Events
- A separate para swimmer final (10 swimmers) will be held for the following events
 - 150/200 IM – combined, fastest 10 swimmers based on para points
 - 50 Free, Back, Breast, Fly
 - 100 Free & 100 Breast

Para swimmers will be ranked based on the following Paralympic point system: KNZB Points Table NED + Para 2020 in Splash software to allow points to be calculated with no restrictions on classification (non Paralympic events)

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Awards

Medals for top three Swimmers (Olympic & Paralympic programs).

Medals for top three in each Olympic program relay event.

Gold medal for Paralympic program relay.

Female and Male High Point Aggregate (5-3-1) for Olympic and Paralympic programs

Best World Class Swim Male based on 2023 SCM World Ranking for Olympic Program

Best World Class Swim Female based on 2023 SCM World Ranking for Olympic Program

Paul Corkum Team Performance Award



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Awards Ceremonies

The finals sessions will run using the following format:

“Para” Final (if offered), “B” Final, , “A” Final, Medal Ceremony (for para & A final),

“Para” Final (if offered) , “B” Final, “A” Final, Medal Ceremony, etc.

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World Junior SC Records

- ❖ If there are any World Jr. SC Records (25m) set by any participants in the OJI 2023 meet:
 - Doping Control will be in effect for that swimmer(s)
 - Chaperone will meet with the swimmer(s) and will start the process
 - CCES procedures (Canadian Centre for Ethics in Sport) will be put into effect

- ❖ Additional info...
 - Swimmer is permitted a club representative

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TPASC Facility Rules (on-deck)

- No food allowed on deck.
- No plastic disposable water bottles.
- No glass containers.
- No outdoor shoes allowed on deck.
- No coffee or coaches' food on deck.
- Swimmers' recovery food on-deck in designated seating area only.

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Area for Recovery

Athletes recovery area will be on the East & West wall bleachers

Accepted:

- Protein bars, Fruit, Milk, Gel Packs, Powerade/ Gatorade, Booster Juice

Not Accepted:

- any glass containers (including water bottles)
- trays / take out containers
- meals or group meals
- Coffee/tea (coaches)

Coaches are responsible for their team's area and the area must be clean throughout the meet.

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Questions ?

Have a great meet !

