

**2024**  
**Southern California Swimming**  
**June Age Group**  
**Invitational**

**June 13-16, 2024**

**Open to :**

**Coastal Committee: OHANA**

**Desert Committee: LIFE, SAND, TRA**

**Eastern Committee: CCAQ, FAC, FSON, HVDA, MMST, RST, RAA, TMEC, YST**

**Metro Committee: RFSH**

**Orange Committee: ALL (except: AAA, AZOT, BREA, EAST, GWSC, MVN  
PTRT, RIPT, SEAL, STOP, TST)**

**Pacific Committee: ROSE**

**Unattached: ALL (Non-associated with a team)**



Hosted by:  
Southern California Swimming and Irvine Novaquatics

**Location:**

**WILLIAM WOOLLETT JR. AQUATICS CENTER**  
**4601 Walnut Avenue, Irvine, CA 92604**

# 2024 SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA SWIMMING

## June Age Group Invitational

Thursday-Friday-Saturday-Sunday – June 13-16, 2024

**Sanctioned By:** USA-Swimming & Southern California Swimming

**Sponsored By:** Irvine Novaquatics

**Sanction Number:** #S24-154

**Entries Due:** 5:00PM, Wed, June 5, 2024

**Entries Due:** Entries must be **received** by 5 PM Pacific Time on Wednesday, **June 5, 2024**

**Eligibility:** Open to 2024 USA Swimming registered swimmers registered in SCS who have met and can prove the posted “June Invite” time standards. Out of District swimmers will be limited to 250 swimmers at each site on a first come, first serve basis (Santa Clarita, La Mirada and Irvine); the list of swimmers should be submitted to the meet processor listed on this form. Online registration in SWIMS 3.0 must be completed prior to the meet entry deadline. No late or deck registration will be accepted. In SCS age group meets swimmers 18 & younger must prove birth dates prior to competition.

**Facility:** WILLIAM WOOLLETT JR. AQUATICS CENTER, 4601 Walnut Avenue, Irvine, CA, 92604. A \$20.00 all-Sessions Spectator Pass will be available on line or at the gate. No Spectators will be allowed on deck. Viewing will be available in the Grandstands only or on YouTube: [www.youtube.com/c/irvinenovaquatics](http://www.youtube.com/c/irvinenovaquatics)

For Ticket Sales see <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/2024-scs-june-age-group-invitational-tickets-891325978997>

**Parking:** NO PARKING ON WALNUT AVENUE. Summer School is in session for Irvine High School; Thursday and Friday. No parking allowed in the high school parking lot located directly behind the school **6:00am – 1:30pm**. The dirt lot, located behind the high school lot IS available for parking all sessions, as is additional parking available at Heritage Park adjacent to the pool. There will be a drop off zone located in the front lot for DROP OFF ONLY. Please plan accordingly.

**Meet Start Times:** Preliminary sessions will begin at **8:30 A.M.** Finals sessions will begin no sooner than 1 hour after the completion of the final heat of the 12 & under timed finals events each day. 12 & under timed finals will begin at least 45 minutes after the last preliminary heat of the day (Sun after the 800).

**Warm-up times:** Controlled assigned warm-ups will begin each day at 7:00 a.m. in the competition pool. The competition pool will be closed at 8:20 a.m. with supervised warm-up/warm-down available in the adjoining pool. Warm-up procedures will be posted at the pool. Swimmers must be under the supervision of a USA Swimming member coach during warm ups. There will be assigned warm-up times. Three point – slide in entries must be used by all swimmers entering warm up, no jumping or diving allowed.

**Meet Referee:** The Meet Referee shall be in charge of the meet. Any questions regarding the conduct of the meet should be directed to that person. Meet Referee: **Janet Knoepfel, e-mail: [janetwk1014@gmail.com](mailto:janetwk1014@gmail.com)**

**Rules:** USA Swimming Rules govern; current SCS meet procedures will be in effect and take precedence over any errors or omissions on this form. Coaches must declare scratches daily. The swimmers/events page for each day will be available the night before. Scratches close 1 hour before the start of prelims. Swimmers must compete in their own age group. Age on June 13, 2024, determines age for the meet.

Swimmers must be at least 7 years old on Start Date of the meet to enter. Timers are requested to be provided by each team. Swimmers competing in the 800 and 1500 Freestyle are requested to furnish their own timers for three (3) heats, and provide their own lap counters.

Prelims sessions and timed finals sessions will be swum fast to slow. Heats of the 800 and 1500 Freestyle will be swum fast to slow, alternating girls and boys heats. The fastest heat of the 800 and 1500 Freestyle will be swum in finals. A swimmer **may enter a maximum of 9 events** for which the time standard has been met and can be verified. **Limit:** a swimmer **may swim no more than 6 individual events during the meet, nor more than 3 individual events per day.**

All coaches and officials on deck must complete the CDC or NFHS concussion course and the CANRA Mandatory reporting course.

**All athletes 18 years or older must complete the free online ATHLETE PROTECTION TRAINING (APT) in order to compete. Current USA Swimming Rules, including the Minor Athlete Abuse Prevention Policy (MAAPP 2.0) will govern this meet.**

**Bonus Events** Swimmers who qualify for 1 event can swim two (2) bonus events for a total of 3 events. Swimmers who qualify for 2 events can swim one (1) bonus event for a total of three events. Swimmers who qualify for 3 events can swim one (1) bonus event for a total of four events. Bonus events chosen must be 200 meters or shorter. All Bonus events must be National BB or faster. If the swimmer qualifies for either the 800 or 1500 LCM Freestyle (1000 or 1650 SCY), they may swim the other distance as a bonus event.

**Recording Devices & Media Notice:** The use of audio-visual recording devices, including cell phones, is not permitted in locker rooms, changing areas or restrooms. Recording devices are not permitted behind the starting blocks during the starting sequence throughout the meet. This meet may be covered by the media, including photographs, video, web casting and other forms of obtaining images of athletes participating in the meet. Entry into the meet is acknowledgement and consent to this fact.

**Drones:** Operation of a drone, or any other flying apparatus, is prohibited over the venue (pools, athlete/coach areas, spectator areas, and open ceiling locker rooms) any time athletes, coaches, officials and/or spectators are present.

**Racing Start Certification:** Any swimmer entered in the meet must be certified by a USA Swimming member coach as being proficient in performing a racing start or must start each race from within the water. When unaccompanied by a member-coach, it is the responsibility of the swimmer or the swimmer's legal guardian to ensure compliance with this requirement.

**Swimwear:** Swimwear must conform to USA Swimming Rule 102.8. Only swimsuits complying with FINA swimsuit specifications may be worn in any USA Swimming sanctioned or approved competition. Tech suits are not permitted for 12-Under swimmers at this meet.

**Deck Changes:** Deck Changes are prohibited.

**Check-In:** Coaches will receive a packet with print-outs of entered athletes by day. Coaches will use the list to indicate scratches on a daily basis. Scratches must be turned in to admin by the following deadlines: Thursday scratch deadline=8 AM Thursday (one hour before meet start); Friday scratch deadline=Thursday 5 PM (start of Finals); Saturday scratch deadline=Friday 5 PM (start of Finals); Sunday scratch deadline=Saturday 5 PM (start of Finals).

**Change of Affiliation:** Club Transfers (unattach or attach) can only be completed online in SWIMS 3.0. At a meet, a swimmer may compete as Unattached, but is responsible to complete the Club Transfer process online in SWIMS 3.0.

**Distance Events:** The 800 / 1500 meter freestyle events (all age groups combined) will be swum:

- If entries warrant, the 800 and/or 1500 events will be swum two swimmers per lane
- **1500 check in closes at 9:00 AM Thursday; 800 check in closes 30 minutes after the start of Finals on Saturday.** Swimmers in the 800 and 1500 freestyle should supply their own timers and lap counters. Swimmers may declare AM or PM preference. FRIDAY: Fastest 8 entrants with PM preference checked in for the 1500 M Freestyle will swim in Finals. MONDAY: Fastest 8 entrants checked in with PM preference for the 800 M Freestyle will swim in Finals. All other heats of 1500 M Free and 800 Free will be swum at the end of prelims after morning relays, fastest to slowest, alternating girls and boys heats.

**Submitted/Qualifying Times:** This is a proof-of-time meet. Proof of time is required through SWIMS 3.0, the National Times database. Or recognized FINA competitions. Times must be achieved at (a) a USA Swimming sanctioned competition, (b) a USA Swimming observed competition, (c) a USA Swimming approved competition, or (d) a FINA approved competition.

**Times in the database are not meet entry only proof of entered time.** Submit ACTUAL times achieved for each event. If Standard is achieved in SHORT COURSE YARDS, enter event with SHORT COURSE YARD time, indicated on entry by "Y". If Standard is achieved in LONG COURSE METERS, enter event with LONG COURSE METER time, indicated on entry by "L". When entering electronically, "L" or "Y" must be specified and a proof of time report included. If using an individual entry form, time must be clearly marked with either "L" or "Y". **Times must have been achieved on or after Sept. 1, 2022,** and must be verifiable (meets not in SWIMS are provable only with official results subject to approval by SCS) - refer to SCS Swim Guide. Discrepancies in submitted times may lead to disciplinary action.

**Entry Procedure:** Team Electronic Entry is highly preferred.

- Electronic entry will be accepted ONLY when received with:
  1. Entry file (.zip or .sd3)
  2. Proof of time report showing meet and dates for each entry (.pdf or Word)
  3. Full payment (single team check or certified funds) for a team electronic entry must be postmarked within 48 hours of the e-mail entry. Failure to comply will be referred to the SCS Board of Review. If monies are not received by the start of the meet, the swimmers will not be allowed to compete.
- Individual entry: Submit a completed individual entry form with payment.
- No certified, registered, special delivery or mail requiring a signature will be accepted. If signature is not waived, entry **WILL BE REJECTED.**
- Receipt of entry will NOT be confirmed by phone -or- by email.
- Note: keep a copy of entry form for your records.
- **Individual emailed, scanned or texted entry will not be accepted.**

**Last Ditch Entries from June 5-9:**

- Swimmers achieving a new event for the first time from the due date of June 5, of the JAG entry to the Sunday prior to the meet, June 9, may be entered in the meet by submission of an addition TEAM entry using the new entry file title: **"Last Ditch 2024 SCS/NOVA JAG". This new event file and instructions will be posted on the SCS website on Thursday morning, June 6. These new event entries must be submitted no later than 11:59pm PST, on Monday, June 10<sup>th</sup>.**
- These entries cannot be used to improve the seed time of a prior entry. A team representative must enter any swimmer with new qualifying times, **to the meet processor, Judi Divan, e-mail: divanj@cox.net**

**Fees:** Individual surcharge + facility fee (including relay-only swimmers): \$25.00 + \$8 = \$33. Event fee: \$8.00 per event. Relays: \$20.00 per relay. Returned checks will incur a service fee per SCS policy. **Outreach athletes are \$15.00 flat fee for the meet. Teams must provide proof of outreach athlete status by including a copy of their team roster when submitting entries.**

**DISABILITY:** Coaches entering swimmers with disabilities that require any reasonable accommodations or modifications, including the need for personal assistants, and/or registered service animals, must provide advance notice in writing (email), accompanying their meet entry file, to the meet referee by the entry deadline. Failure to provide advance notice may limit the host's ability to accommodate all requests.

**Scoring/Awards:**

- Individual scoring: 1-16 (USA Swimming Rules); relay scoring: double individual points.
- Distinctive custom medals will be awarded for 1-8 places in individual events and 1-3 places in relay events.
- Awards for 7-10 and 11/12 age groups will be given for Timed Finals events only; 11-14 events awarded as one age group.
- 19 & over are not eligible for scoring or awards.

**Relays:** Relays for 7-10 and 11-12 age groups are conducted at the conclusion of the timed final session. Relays for 13-14, 15-18, 11&Up will be combined and seeded by national championship format (fastest two heats of each gender followed by remaining heats fastest to slowest alternating by gender) and conducted at the conclusion of the finals' session. The 11/UP relays are **non-scoring** relays and not be awarded. A club may enter one relay in an event without proof of time provided it enters only that one relay. A club entering more than one relay in an event must provide proof of time (meeting June Inv time standard) for each relay entered; maximum of three relays per events. Relays (\$20.00 per relay) and relay only swimmers (\$25.00 swimmer surcharge) must be pre-entered.

Relays and relay-only swimmers must be pre-entered electronically and prepaid (\$20 per relay and \$25 per relay-only swimmer). Relays are all timed finals events. Relays must be checked in by the end of prelims. Once a relay has checked in and the event closed, failure of the relay to report will result in the disqualification of the club's relay from the next relay event for that age group and gender. A club entering a single relay must meet the soft cut. Times may be proven based on the aggregate of the team's fastest 4 swimmers in that age group over the qualifying period (since 9/1/2022). A team time achieved during the qualifying period may also be used.

A club entering multiple relays MUST use the aggregate of each listed swimmer's individual best times. Swimmers used to prove relays must be in the age group of the relay on the first day of the meet. Team times are not allowed for multiple relays. Entries must be proven by meeting the aggregate or the hard cut. Entries must be proven by a team time achieved in the qualification period or an aggregate of 4 swimmers of proper age on the start date of the meet.

Teams will be offered the opportunity to swim relays at the conclusion of prelims on the distance freestyle days (Thursday, Monday). If time permits, relays can be offered after prelims on all days.

**Finals:** A consolation and championship final (16 swimmers) will be offered for 11-14 events, 13-14 events, and 15-18 events. 11-14 events are combined finals; there are no 11-12 finals at the meet. Finals will be swum slow-to-fast. Relays, 800 & 1500 freestyle are timed finals. **The national finals' scratch rule will be used.** A swimmer must scratch or place an intent on an event within 30 minutes of announcement of preliminary results. Final "no-show" (original top places only) except last day will be removed from the remainder of the meet. A \$50.00 fine will be assessed to the swimmer for a no show in her/his last event of the meet. 19 and Up swimmers will be considered for finals, space available.

#### **USA SWIMMING MEET 360:**

**Permanently suspended or ineligible individuals cannot be present on deck, coach, or perform any function at a meet requiring USA Swimming membership**

**During registration, ensure all coaches, officials, trainers, massage therapists, LSC or host club staff, and medical professionals show proof of current USA Swimming membership (e.g., require them to show their Membership Card via the USA Swimming app) at registration. If such an individual cannot demonstrate proof of membership in good standing, deck access will not be granted.**

**Individuals permanently suspended or ineligible can be spectators at a meet and may be in the stands.**

**Violators shall be reported to the Meet Director or Meet Referee, who can then direct that individual to the spectator area. A subsequent report should also be made to USA Swimming.**

**A quality control system has been implemented to ensure that individuals who are ineligible for participation are unable to participate in this competition. Additionally, all adult members of USA Swimming who have not completed their Athlete Protection Training will not be able to participate in this competition.**

**Pursuant to USA Swimming Rules and Regulations and federal law, it is every member's responsibility to immediately (i.e., within 24 hours) report any incident of child abuse, including physical or sexual abuse, to law enforcement and the U.S. Center for SafeSport. Reporting must occur when an individual has firsthand knowledge of misconduct or where specific and credible information has been received from a victim or knowledgeable third party. A report to the U.S. Center for SafeSport may be made via telephone at 833-5US-SAFE (833-587-7233) or online at [www.uscenterforsafesport.org/report-a-concern](http://www.uscenterforsafesport.org/report-a-concern). Various state laws may also require reporting to law enforcement or to a designated child protection agency.**

**For information on how to report other alleged violations, including without limitation, the USA Swimming Code of Conduct, and the Minor Athlete Abuse Prevention policy, please visit [www.usaswimming.org/report](http://www.usaswimming.org/report)**

Entries must be received by Wednesday, June 5, 2024

Make checks payable to: **Irvine Novaquatics**

Mail entries to: **Judi Divan, 33561 Calle Miramar, San Juan Capistrano, CA 92675**

Email to: **divanj@cox.net**

Hand delivered to: Same as above address

**FOR INFORMATION:** Call Kim Hoesterey at 714-981-1142 or email: [kim@novaquatics.com](mailto:kim@novaquatics.com)

*It is understood and agreed that USA Swimming shall be free from any liabilities or claims for damages arising by reason of injuries to anyone during the conduct of the event.*

# SCS/NOVA JAG 2024

SCY & SCM time standards and relay soft cuts are available on <http://www.socalswim.org> and in the 2024 SCS Swim Guide as the "June AG" standard.

THURS - June 13, 2024 - Preliminary Session, Start Time 8:30 AM					
Evt No.	GIRLS	EVENT	AGE	BOYS	Evt No.
1	02:24.80 02:17.00	200 FREESTYLE	13-14 15/UP	02:18.10 02:04.60	2
3	02:49.30 02:41.60	200 BACKSTROKE	11-14 15/UP	02:42.50 02:29.10	4
5	02:45.70 02:35.80	200 I.M.	13-14 15/UP	02:36.00 02:21.80	6
7	20:25.30 20:08.90	1500 FREE	11-14 15/UP	20:06.20 19:25.70	8
9/11	10:16.40 10:18.80	800 FREE RELAY	13-14 15-18	09:54.00 09:27.20	10/12
13	10:18.80		11/Up	09:27.20	14

FRI - June 14, 2024 - Preliminary Session, Start Time 8:30 AM					
15	03:11.60 03:03.10	200 BREASTSTROKE	11-14 15/UP	02:58.90 02:45.00	16
17	01:14.90 01:09.30	100 BUTTERFLY	13-14 15/UP	01:10.40 01:02.10	18
19	05:01.10 04:50.80	400 FREESTYLE***	13-14 15/UP	04:55.10 04:27.00	20
21/23	05:31.80 05:35.10	400 MED RELAY	13-14 15-18	05:16.50 05:05.30	22/24
25	05:35.10		11/Up	05:05.30	26

FRI - June 14, 2024 - Timed Finals Session					
27	03:01.20	200 FREESTYLE	7-10	03:00.70	28
29	01:23.00	100 BACKSTROKE	11-12	01:23.80	30
31	01:37.10	100 BACKSTROKE	7-10	01:36.90	32
33	01:35.40	100 BREASTSTROKE	11-12	01:35.30	34
35	01:50.20	100 BREASTSTROKE	7-10	01:50.60	36
37	36.40	50 BUTTERFLY	11-12	36.10	38
39	43.00	50 BUTTERFLY	7-10	42.40	40
41	05:29.20	400 FREESTYLE	11-12	05:31.60	42
43	05:52.90	400 MED RELAY	11-12	05:54.60	44

\*\*Events 91-96 (Sunday-400 free relays) will be offered at the end of prelims as well as in finals; results will be combined for scoring

\*\*\* 400 IM and 400 Free in prelims will alternate girls and boys, fastest to slowest.

SAT - June 15, 2024 - Preliminary Session, Start Time 8:30 AM					
Evt No.	GIRLS	EVENT	AGE	BOYS	Evt No.
45	01:06.20 01:02.30	100 FREESTYLE	13-14 15/UP	01:02.00 56.50	46
47	05:54.20 05:44.00	400 IM**	11-14 15/UP	05:41.40 05:09.70	48
49	01:16.80 01:12.20	100 BACKSTROKE	11-14 15/UP	01:13.20 01:06.10	50
51/53	05:31.80 05:35.10	200 MED RELAY*	13-14 15-18	05:16.50 05:05.30	52/54
55	05:35.10		11/UP	05:05.30	56
57/59	02:13.20 02:15.60	200 FREE RELAY	13-14 15-18	02:00.80 02:00.80	58/59
61	02:15.60		11/Up	02:00.80	62

SAT- June 15, 2024 - Timed Finals Session					
63	03:26.20	200 IM	7-10	03:23.80	64
65	02:56.80	200 IM	11-12	02:55.80	66
67	44.70	50 BACKSTROKE	7-10	44.80	68
69	39.10	50 BACKSTROKE	11-12	38.60	70
71	01:22.50	100 FREESTYLE	7-10	01:21.00	72
73	01:11.00	100 FREESTYLE	11-12	01:10.30	74
75	02:33.60	200 FREE RELAY	7-10	02:32.40	76
77	02:19.60	200 FREE RELAY	11-12	02:17.60	78
79	02:59.40	200 MED RELAY	7-10	02:58.90	80
81	02:40.90	200 MED RELAY	11-12	02:41.20	82

SUN- June 16, 2024 - Preliminary Session, Start Time 8:30 AM					
Evt No.	GIRLS	EVENT	AGE	BOYS	Evt No.
83	02:53.10 02:43.70	200 BUTTERFLY	11-14 15/UP	02:48.20 02:25.50	84
85	30.70 29.00	50 FREESTYLE	13-14 15/UP	28.70 26.20	86
87	01:28.30 01:22.90	100 BREASTSTROKE	13-14 15/UP	01:21.60 01:13.50	88
89	10:55.50 10:34.90	800 FREESTYLE	11-14 15/UP	10:34.40 09:54.40	90
91/93	04:47.60 04:49.60	400 FREE RELAY**	13-14 15-18	04:31.60 04:21.60	92/94
95	04:49.60		11/Up	04:21.60	96

SUN - June 16, 2024- Timed Finals Session					
97	02:36.40	200 FREESTYLE	11-12	02:35.90	98
99	50.50	50 BREASTSTROKE	7-10	50.50	100
101	44.20	50 BREASTSTROKE	11-12	44.30	102
103	01:40.60	100 BUTTERFLY	7-10	01:41.60	104
105	01:22.30	100 BUTTERFLY	11-12	01:23.30	106
107	37.30	50 FREESTYLE	7-10	36.50	108
109	32.70	50 FREESTYLE	11-12	32.50	110
111	05:02.40	400 FREE RELAY	11-12	05:00.40	112