

THE TENTH ANNUAL MIAMI UNIVERSITY INVITATIONAL

Meet Information

Entry Fee:

\$175 per team (\$350 per school). Make checks payable to MIAMI UNIVERSITY. Please send checks with the entry form or arrange to have your business office send a check before you arrive. All entries fees must be paid by **Thursday, December 4, 2003**. Make checks payable to "Miami University." Mail entry fee to : **Dave Jennings, Swim Coach**
Millett Hall - Miami University
Oxford, OH 45056

Meet Entry using Hy-Tek:

All teams are STRONGLY encouraged to use the Hy-Tek Entry File. Please attach this file and email it to claudiam@one.net by **Monday, November 24, 2003**. Alternate Email address: jenninda@muohio.edu. FAXED entries will be accepted, but not encouraged. The FAX number is (513) 529-1921

Diving Competition:

All diving meet information is included with this entry packet. If you have any questions, please contact Todd Spohn. 513-529-8156 spohnm@muohio.edu

Entry Limits & Scratch Procedure:

Unlimited entries per team and per participant are permitted. Because of the size of the invitational and having the ability to run both swimming and diving simultaneously during the evenings, we have decided to run 3 heats of each event in the finals. This will include a bonus heat, a consolation heat, and a championship heat. **An A and an B relay will be allowed for each team, except for the 800 Freestyle Relay**. Scratches must be declared by 30 minutes after the conclusion of prelims. Due to the unlimited entry nature of the meet we are limiting the number of preliminary heats by using a qualifying standard.

Qualifying Standards:

Due to the length of the meet over the past year, enclosed are qualifying standards for each event. Honesty is important so we can be fair to everyone at the meet.

1650 Event:

The fastest heat for each gender will be swum during the finals with the remaining heats being swum after the conclusion of prelims. Heats will be fastest to slowest.

Transportation, Housing , Meals:

All accommodations are the responsibility of each participating team. Motel and food listings are enclosed with entry information.

Insurance Coverage:

Insurance will be the responsibility of each participating institution. Neither Miami University nor any employee of Miami University assumes any responsibility or liability in the event of accident.

Locker and Towel Information:

No locks or towels will be provided for any team. Lockers will be provided for coaches. Team locker areas will be explained at a later date.

Warm-up:

Portions of the 50 meter pool will be available for warm-up from **10:00-12:00 am & 2:00- 5:00 pm** on December 4th and throughout the day December 5th, 6th and 7th except during the prelim sessions when the diving well will be used. Every attempt will be made to accommodate reasonable requests for your team.

Coaches Meeting:

A brief coaches meeting will be held on **Friday, December 5th at 8:15 am** in the Wet Classroom.

Scoring:

27-place scoring. Three heats of **nine (9)** swimmers at night. This includes bonus, consolation and championship heats.

Awards:

Team Awards for Men and Women (1st and 2nd). Individual awards for 1st place winners in each event. Coaches memento for all coaches.

Training Room and Facilities:

A certified trainer will be present throughout the competition to provide care if needed. Water will be available on deck throughout the competition. Ice bags and ice cups will be provided. No Rubdown tables on the pool deck.

Meet Results:

All meet results will be posted at muredhawks.com as well as sent to each participating team.

Swimming Times and Dates:

Friday, Saturday & Sunday the 5th, 6th & 7th 2003
9:00 a.m. Prelims
6:00 p.m. Finals