

2026 All-City Swim Championship
Meet Description
July 30 – August 1, 2026

HOST TEAM	Parkcrest Swim & Tennis Club
LOCATION	Parkcrest Pool, 1 N. Yellowstone Drive, Madison, WI 53705
FACILITY	25-yard, eight-lane pool; 7-foot lane width, depth ranging from 3’5” to 6’
EVENT SCHEDULE	<p>Thursday, July 30, 2026 11-12, 13-14, & 15-18 individual prelims for all events except unified events. This session does not include any relays.</p> <p>Friday, July 31, 2026 8-U & 9-10 individual prelims. Timed Finals for 8-U Relays. This session does not include any unified events.</p> <p>Saturday, August 1, 2026 All individual event finals and all relay timed finals except 8-U Relays. Includes all unified event finals.</p> <p>Meet Start Every morning, the session starts at 8:00 am. Start time for the afternoon sessions is TBD; they are estimated to begin one hour after the end of the morning sessions.</p> <p>A detailed listing of events is included at the end of the Meet Description. The administrative official, the meet directors, and the meet referee reserve the right to include breaks in the schedule.</p>
MEET DIRECTORS	Jason Verhelst - (608) 692-0507 - jasonverhelst@gmail.com Chandra Kalscheur Stegner - (608) 279-9668 - cmk.stegner@proton.me
MEET REFEREE	Sharon Hartung - (608) 576-3596 - hartung.sharon5@gmail.com
ADMIN REFEREE	Austin Lacey - (608) 575-0203 - austin.lacey@7xscoring.com
CHIEF JUDGE	Phil Brown - (608) 335-8351 - pbrown@me.com
PROTESTS	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Protests against judgment decisions of deck referees, starters, stroke, turn, place, and relay take-off judges can only be considered by the Meet Referee, and the Meet Referee’s decision is final. <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. For individual preliminary events, all protests for results and/or disqualifications must be made to the Meet Referee within 60 minutes of the results being posted. 60 minutes after the results are posted, the event results will be considered closed and final if no protests have been filed. b. For finals and timed finals, the Protest period will be 60 minutes from the end of the event. For the last event of the meet, the 60-minute rule may be waived with the approval of the head coaches (or their designees) of swimmers who were disqualified.

	<p>c. Protests regarding an athlete’s competition category can only be heard by the All-City Board Rules Committee.</p> <p>2. Protests for all other administrative and competition-related protests, including protests concerning eligibility and representation, protests against timing decisions or facility-related issues, must be made to the Meet Referee and submitted within thirty (30) minutes after the end of the race in which the alleged issue occurred. For the purpose of considering these protests, the Meet Referee will appoint a meet committee consisting of not fewer than three (3) and not more than five (5) persons, at least one of whom shall be a coach and one an athlete.</p> <p>3. If an eligibility question of an athlete cannot be resolved before an athlete’s race, the athlete is allowed to swim. The athlete’s eligibility cannot be established after the race; this swim will be marked “exhibition only”. To meet the 30-minute requirement, it is sufficient to voice a protest orally. If needed, the Meet Referee may request a more detailed written request before the meet committee meeting. The coach making the protest may not be a member of the meet committee, but they may present it. In addition, neither the meet referee nor anyone else directly involved in making the decision subject to the protest shall be a decision-making member of the meet committee.</p>
TIMING SYSTEM	Primary timing will be fully automatic, secondary timing will be semi-automatic, and tertiary timing will be manual. For 8 & Under individual events where the finish is not at the start end of the pool, primary timing will be a semi-automatic system with a secondary timing system of manual watches. Hy-Tek software will be used.
ELIGIBILITY	All participants shall meet the eligibility requirements of the 2026 Madison All-City Swim/Dive League Rules.
RULES	<p>Governing documents are the 2026 Madison All-City Swim/Dive League Rules. The 2026 Madison All-City Swim/Dive League Rules shall override any discrepancy contained in this Meet Description.</p> <p>The 2026 All-City Meet is an observed USA Swimming meet.</p>
ADMISSIONS	There is no charge for admission. Heat sheets will be available for download on a personal device. Event information will be available via the app. Reserved seats are not permitted in the spectator section.
CONCESSIONS	A selection of food and beverage items will be available for purchase throughout the meet.
MEET ENTRY	Meet Entry process shall follow Article VIII B of the 2026 Madison All-City Swim/Dive League Rules.
CLERK OF COURSE	All participants must comply with the Clerk of Course reporting requirements of the 2026 Madison All-City Swim/Dive League Rules.
WARM-UPS	Except for the host team, warm-ups are not provided in the competition pool during the meet. The warm-up schedule is set in accordance with the 2026 Madison All-City Swim/Dive League Rules and is as follows:

	Warm-up Schedule for Sunday, July 26, 2026	
	8:00 am	Hawks Landing
	9:00 am	Middleton
	10:00 am	Nakoma
	11:00 am	High Point
	12:00 pm	Seminole
	1:00 pm	Maple Bluff
	2:00 pm	Monona
	3:00 pm	West Side
	4:00 pm	Ridgewood
	5:00 pm	Goodman
	6:00 pm	Shorewood
	7:00 pm	Hill Farm
INITIAL DEADLINE	As outlined in the 2026 Madison All-City Swim/Dive League Rules, the Initial Deadline is set as Sunday, July 26, 2026, at 9:00 pm CDT.	
MEET FORMAT	<p>INDIVIDUAL EVENTS</p> <p>All individual events will be conducted in a prelims-finals format, except for unified events. Unified events will be conducted in a timed finals format. Preliminary individual events for the 11-12, 13-14, and 15-18 age groups shall take place on Thursday. Preliminary individual events for the 8-U and 9-10 age groups shall take place on Friday. Two heats of each individual event will compete in the Finals on Saturday. Participants will consist of the top 16 qualifiers.</p> <p>RELAY EVENTS</p> <p>All relay events shall be conducted in a timed finals format. 8-U relay events will take place on Friday. All remaining age-group medley relays and all remaining age-group free relays will take place on Saturday. Relay cards will be distributed to all coaches. Changes may be made until the start of the event, but they must be clearly noted on the relay card. First names, last names, age, and the order of the swimmers must be legibly written on all relay cards. Meet management reserves the right to combine age and gender exhibition relays.</p>	
SCRATCHING FROM FINALS	See 2026 Madison All-City Swim/Dive League Rules.	
FINAL EVENTS	During finals, a swimmer who does not report to the Clerk of Course before the start of the consolation final heat of the previous event of the same gender (i.e., two prior events) shall be considered a no-show and not allowed to compete in that event. For example: Swimmers in event 13 shall report to the clerk of course by the start of event 11; swimmers in event 14 shall report to the clerk of course by the start of event 12; and swimmers in event 24 shall report to the clerk of course by the start of event 22. In the event of withdrawal, the Referee shall fill the consolation final or final with the next qualified swimmer(s). Additional provisions are provided in the 2026 Madison All-City Swim/Dive League Rules.	

OBSERVATION	<p>The 2026 meet is an observed meet. This means that times achieved at this meet may be entered into the USA Swimming SWIMS database upon request. For a request to be successful, the following is required.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. USA Swimming Athlete membership at the time of the All-City Meet; 2. A USA Swimming athlete membership number; 3. Submit a request form to the Administrative Referee by visiting https://7xscoring.com/all-city/observation/ 4. Successful payment of a \$20 administration fee per athlete with your online request form. Requests can be submitted until August 5th at 6 p.m. CDT. Only requests through the online form with payment will be accepted. Contact Austin Lacey, Administrative Referee, with questions.
AIR QUALITY	<p>Parkcrest will monitor the local AQI (Air Quality Index) hourly at the closest Wisconsin DNR air-quality monitoring station. If the AQI exceeds 200 in three consecutive readings (updated every 30 minutes), we will take the necessary steps to cancel or postpone the day's competition to ensure the safety of swimmers, officials, and spectators. The policy is in line with USA Swimming's Outdoor Air Quality regulations.</p>
COACHES MEETING	<p>Coach's meetings will be held every morning prior to the start of the day. Each meeting will take place at 7:15 am. Additional meetings can be called as needed.</p>
SWIMMERS W/ DISABILITIES	<p>Coaches of swimmers with disabilities who request special accommodations shall submit the request to the All-City Board Rules Committee prior to Thursday, July 30. The coach will be notified by the Rules Committee of the decision related to the request. If the accommodation request is not known until the start of the meet, the Meet Referee and Meet Director should be told at the coaches' meeting.</p>
AWARDS	<p>Individual events - Top 16 Relay events - Top 16 Team Awards - See 2026 Madison All-City Swim/Dive League Rules</p>
SCORING	<p>Eight-lane pool (with two heats of finals) Relays: 40, 34, 32, 30, 28, 26, 24, 22, 18, 14, 12, 10, 8, 6, 4, 2 Individual events: 20, 17, 16, 15, 14, 13, 12, 11, 9, 7, 6, 5, 4, 3, 2, 1</p>
VOLUNTEERS	<p>Each guest team will be asked to provide at least one Clerk of Course and Timer volunteer per session. Each guest team will also be asked to provide an additional number of volunteers to time and/or clerk. The number will be based on the needs of the host pool and, equitably, proportional to the pool's participation (measured by number of swimmers) in the previous year's All-City swim meet.</p>
MEET CONDUCT	<p>The Madison All-City Swim & Dive League requires positive sporting behavior at all meets, including the Championship meet. Participating in and attending the All-City swim meet is a privilege that includes the expectation that all behavior and actions are positive and respectful for everyone in attendance.</p>

VOLUNTEER REQUIREMENTS

Pool	2025 Swimmers	% of Swimmers	2026 Clerk	2026 Timers
Shorewood	257	12.3%	21	18
Ridgewood	251	12.0%	20	17
Hill Farms	200	9.6%	16	13
Middleton	198	9.5%	16	13
High Point	189	9.0%	15	12
Monona	189	9.0%	15	12
Seminole	181	8.7%	15	12
Parkcrest	172	8.2%	14	11
Hawks Landing	143	6.8%	11	10
Goodman	109	5.2%	9	7
Maple Bluff	76	3.6%	6	5
West Side	76	3.6%	6	5
Nakoma	48	2.3%	4	3
TOTAL	2089	100%	168	138

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Thursday, July 30, 2026 - Prelims

Event Number	Age Group	Gender	Stroke	Distance
15	11-12	Girls	Freestyle	50 Yard
16	11-12	Boys	Freestyle	50 Yard
17	13-14	Girls	Freestyle	100 Yard
18	13-14	Boys	Freestyle	100 Yard
19	15-18	Girls	Freestyle	100 Yard
20	15-18	Boys	Freestyle	100 Yard
25	11-12	Girls	Backstroke	50 Yard
26	11-12	Boys	Backstroke	50 Yard
27	13-14	Girls	Backstroke	100 Yard
28	13-14	Boys	Backstroke	100 Yard
29	15-18	Girls	Backstroke	100 Yard
30	15-18	Boys	Backstroke	100 Yard
35	11-12	Girls	Individual Medley	100 Yard

36	11-12	Boys	Individual Medley	100 Yard
37	13-14	Girls	Individual Medley	100 Yard
38	13-14	Boys	Individual Medley	100 Yard
139	15-18	Girls	Individual Medley	100 Yard
39	15-18	Girls	Individual Medley	200 Yard
140	15-18	Boys	Individual Medley	100 Yard
40	15-18	Boys	Individual Medley	200 Yard
45	11-12	Girls	Breaststroke	50 Yard
46	11-12	Boys	Breaststroke	50 Yard
47	13-14	Girls	Breaststroke	100 Yard
48	13-14	Boys	Breaststroke	100 Yard
49	15-18	Girls	Breaststroke	100 Yard
50	15-18	Boys	Breaststroke	100 Yard
55	11-12	Girls	Butterfly	50 Yard
56	11-12	Boys	Butterfly	50 Yard
57	13-14	Girls	Butterfly	50 Yard
58	13-14	Boys	Butterfly	50 Yard
159	15-18	Girls	Butterfly	50 Yard
59	15-18	Girls	Butterfly	100 Yard
160	15-18	Boys	Butterfly	50 Yard
60	15-18	Boys	Butterfly	100 Yard

Friday, July 31, 2026 - Prelims (unless otherwise noted)

Event Number	Age Group	Gender	Stroke	Distance
1	8 & under	Girls	Medley Relay (finals)	100 Yard
2	8 & under	Boys	Medley Relay (finals)	100 Yard
11	8 & under	Girls	Freestyle	25 Yard
12	8 & under	Boys	Freestyle	25 Yard
13	9-10	Girls	Freestyle	50 Yard
14	9-10	Boys	Freestyle	50 Yard
21	8 & under	Girls	Backstroke	25 Yard

22	8 & under	Boys	Backstroke	25 Yard
23	9-10	Girls	Backstroke	50 Yard
24	9-10	Boys	Backstroke	50 Yard
31	8 & under	Girls	Freestyle Relay (finals)	100 Yard
32	8 & under	Boys	Freestyle Relay (finals)	100 Yard
33	9-10	Girls	Individual Medley	100 Yard
34	9-10	Boys	Individual Medley	100 Yard
41	8 & under	Girls	Breaststroke	25 Yard
42	8 & under	Boys	Breaststroke	25 Yard
43	9-10	Girls	Breaststroke	50 Yard
44	9-10	Boys	Breaststroke	50 Yard
51	8 & under	Girls	Butterfly	25 Yard
52	8 & under	Boys	Butterfly	25 Yard
53	9-10	Girls	Butterfly	50 Yard
54	9-10	Boys	Butterfly	50 Yard
61	8 & under	Girls	Individual Medley	100 Yard
62	8 & under	Boys	Individual Medley	100 Yard

Saturday, Aug 1, 2026 - Finals

Event Number	Age Group	Gender	Stroke	Distance
3	9-10	Girls	Medley Relay	200 Yard
103	9-10	Girls	Medley Relay Exhibition	200 Yard
4	9-10	Boys	Medley Relay	200 Yard
104	9-10	Boys	Medley Relay Exhibition	200 Yard
5	11-12	Girls	Medley Relay	200 Yard
105	11-12	Girls	Medley Relay Exhibition	200 Yard
6	11-12	Boys	Medley Relay	200 Yard
106	11-12	Boys	Medley Relay Exhibition	200 Yard
7	13-14	Girls	Medley Relay	200 Yard
107	13-14	Girls	Medley Relay Exhibition	200 Yard

8	13-14	Boys	Medley Relay	200 Yard
108	13-14	Boys	Medley Relay Exhibition	200 Yard
9	15-18	Girls	Medley Relay	200 Yard
109	15-18	Girls	Medley Relay Exhibition	200 Yard
10	15-18	Boys	Medley Relay	200 Yard
110	15-18	Boys	Medley Relay Exhibition	200 Yard
SENIOR RECOGNITION				
11	8 & under	Girls	Freestyle	25 Yard
111	18 & under	Girls	Freestyle	25 Yard
12	8 & under	Boys	Freestyle	25 Yard
112	18 & under	Boys	Freestyle	25 Yard
13	9-10	Girls	Freestyle	50 Yard
113	18 & under	Girls	Freestyle	50 Yard
14	9-10	Boys	Freestyle	50 Yard
114	18 & under	Boys	Freestyle	50 Yard
15	11-12	Girls	Freestyle	50 Yard
16	11-12	Boys	Freestyle	50 Yard
17	13-14	Girls	Freestyle	100 Yard
18	13-14	Boys	Freestyle	100 Yard
19	15-18	Girls	Freestyle	100 Yard
20	15-18	Boys	Freestyle	100 Yard
SENIOR RECOGNITION				
21	8 & under	Girls	Backstroke	25 Yard
121	18 & under	Girls	Backstroke	25 Yard
22	8 & under	Boys	Backstroke	25 Yard
122	18 & under	Boys	Backstroke	25 Yard
23	9-10	Girls	Backstroke	50 Yard
24	9-10	Boys	Backstroke	50 Yard
25	9-10	Girls	Backstroke	50 Yard
26	11-12	Boys	Backstroke	50 Yard
27	13-14	Girls	Backstroke	100 Yard
28	13-14	Boys	Backstroke	100 Yard
29	15-18	Girls	Backstroke	100 Yard
30	15-18	Boys	Backstroke	100 Yard
SENIOR RECOGNITION				

33	9-10	Girls	Individual Medley	100 Yard
34	9-10	Boys	Individual Medley	100 Yard
35	11-12	Girls	Individual Medley	100 Yard
36	11-12	Boys	Individual Medley	100 Yard
37	13-14	Girls	Individual Medley	100 Yard
38	13-14	Boys	Individual Medley	100 Yard
139	15-18	Girls	Individual Medley	100 Yard
39	15-18	Girls	Individual Medley	200 Yard
140	15-18	Boys	Individual Medley	100 Yard
40	15-18	Boys	Individual Medley	200 Yard
41	8 & under	Girls	Breaststroke	25 Yard
42	8 & under	Boys	Breaststroke	25 Yard
43	9-10	Girls	Breaststroke	50 Yard
44	9-10	Boys	Breaststroke	50 Yard
45	11-12	Girls	Breaststroke	50 Yard
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62	8 & under	Girls	Individual Medley	100 Yard
63	9-10	Girls	Freestyle Relay	200 Yard
163	9-10	Girls	Freestyle Relay-Exhibition	200 Yard
64	9-10	Boys	Freestyle Relay	200 Yard
164	9-10	Boys	Freestyle Relay-Exhibition	200 Yard
65	11-12	Girls	Freestyle Relay	200 Yard
165	11-12	Girls	Freestyle Relay-Exhibition	200 Yard
66	11-12	Boys	Freestyle Relay	200 Yard
166	11-12	Boys	Freestyle Relay-Exhibition	200 Yard
67	13-14	Girls	Freestyle Relay	200 Yard
167	13-14	Girls	Freestyle Relay-Exhibition	200 Yard
68	13-14	Boys	Freestyle Relay	200 Yard
168	13-14	Boys	Freestyle Relay-Exhibition	200 Yard
69	15-18	Girls	Freestyle Relay	200 Yard
169	15-18	Girls	Freestyle Relay-Exhibition	200 Yard
70	15-18	Boys	Freestyle Relay	200 Yard
170	15-18	Boys	Freestyle Relay-Exhibition	200 Yard