

## Bangor Y Barracudas

### ME BYB Y Virtual Meet – Jan 23 – Approved Meet

17 2<sup>nd</sup> Street, Aloupis Competition Pool, Bangor, ME 04401

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Held under the approval of USA Swimming/Maine Swimming #2021-0123-TT

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**SAFETY INFORMATION:** An inherent risk of exposure to COVID-19 exists in any public place where people are present COVID-19 is an extremely contagious disease that can lead to severe illness and death.

According to the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, senior citizens and individuals with underlying medical conditions are especially vulnerable.

Y Swimming and the Bangor Y , cannot prevent you (or your child(ren)) from becoming exposed to, contracting, or spreading COVID-19 while participating in Y Swimming / Bangor Y events. It is not possible. To prevent against the presence of the disease. Therefore, if you choose to participate in a Y Swimming / Bangor Y event, you may be exposing yourself to and/or increasing your risk of contracting or spreading COVID-19.

BY ATTENDING OR PARTICIPATING IN THE COMPETITION, YOU VOLUNTARILY ASSUME ALL RISKS ASSOCIATED WITH EXPOSURE TO COVID-19 AND FOREVER RELEASE AND HOLD HARMLESS Y Swimming / Bangor Y AND EACH OF THEIR OFFICERS, DIRECTORS, AGENTS, EMPLOYEES OR OTHER REPRESENTATIVES FROM ANY LIABILITY

OR CLAIMS INCLUDING FOR PERSONAL INJURIES, DEATH, DISEASE OR PROPERTY LOSSES, OR ANY OTHER LOSS, INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO CLAIMS OF NEGLIGENCE AND

GIVE UP ANY CLAIMS YOU MAY HAVE TO SEEK DAMAGES, WHETHER KNOWN OR UNKNOWN, FORESEEN OR UNFORESEEN, IN CONNECTION WITH EXPOSURE, INFECTION AND/OR SPREAD OF COVID-19 RELATED TO PARTICIPATION IN THIS COMPETITION.

**SAFETY PROTOCOLS DUE to COVID RESTRICTIONS:** Please refer to the **BYB's** Return to Competition document

STATE GUIDELINES:

<https://www.maine.gov/dhhs/mecdc/infectious-disease/epi/airborne/coronavirus/communities-workplaceschools.shtml>

**MEET FORMAT:** This is a virtual meet under the jurisdiction of Y swimming. This meet will be swum as timed finals. The meet will be pre-seeded and will be swum as per the pre-seeded heat sheet. No deck entries or lane changes will be permitted. Heat sheets will be posted around the pool deck. Coaches will be able to pick up heat sheets for each event at the control office.

Swimmers must provide their own timers and counters for events 500 yards or longer.

**SITE:** The pool is located inside the Bangor Regional YMCA, 17 2nd Street, Bangor, ME 04401. Please enter through the main entrance on Second Street. Directions may be found later in this document. The competition course has not been certified in accordance with 104.2.2C(4).

**FACILITY:** The Bangor Regional Y's Aloupis Competition Pool is a 6-lane, 25-yard pool with 7-foot-wide lanes and non-turbulent lane lines. The timing system includes a fully-automatic Colorado Time Systems electronic timing system with touchpads at the finish end of the pool with single-line electronic display. There are no touchpads at the turn end of the pool. Separate from the main pool is a second pool area (called Means Pool) that is available for warm-up and warm-down, approximately 10x25 yards in size. The starting/finish end of the pool is 12 feet deep; the turn end of the pool is 4.5 feet deep. Spectator seating is for 100.

**COURSE:** Short course yards (25 yards).

**25-YARD EVENTS:** 25-yard events will start at the turn end of the pool. There are no starting blocks at the turn end of the pool. Swimmers will dive in from the wall.

**MEET COMMITTEE/JURY:** The Meet Jury will be made up of one official, one coach, and one athlete to be selected by the Meet Referee who will present issues and moderate the jury but not vote. The three members shall be from separate teams. The Meet Jury will decide all issues of eligibility and anything not addressed in the Meet Announcement. The Meet Referee shall have authority as described in the current USA Swimming Rulebook

**WEATHER PROTOCOL:** If weather or facility conditions make it impossible to follow the original timeline of events, the Meet Referee have a right to make changes to the meet sessions. Meet staff will notify the teams of the changes with as much notice as possible. Cancellation of the meet, or a session, is the decision of the Meet Staff and the Bangor Y.

**ELIGIBILITY** All swimmers must be 2021 registered USA or YMCA registered swimmers with Bangor Y Barracudas.

**SWIMWEAR:** Swimmers 12 years old and younger are not permitted to wear "Tech" suits at this meets

**REGISTRATIONS:** All swimmers must be registered with BYB Swimming's current session before the first day of the start of the meet. Any swimmer who has not will not be allowed to swim.

**DECK REGISTRATIONS AND DECK ENTRIES:** DECK REGISTRATIONS AND DECK ENTRIES WILL NOT BE ACCEPT AT THIS MEET

**ENTRY FEES:**

Swimmer Participation Fee is \$2.00 per swimmer for the meet

**TIME TRIALS:** Time trials will be offered at the discretion of the Meet Director and the Meet Referee if time allows. Time trials are \$4.00 for individual events and \$12.00 for relays

**SAFETY:**

1. No shaving is permitted at the competition site.
2. No glass containers are permitted within the facility.
3. No food is allowed on the pool deck.
4. Swimmers must be under the supervision of a coach. If a swimmer arrives at the meet without a coach, the swimmer should notify the referee before he/she warms up. The referee will assign the swimmer to a registered coach for warm-ups.
5. Use of audio or visual recording devices, including a cell phone, is not permitted in changing areas, rest rooms, locker rooms, behind the blocks, or in any marked NO CAMERA ZONE.
6. Deck changes are prohibited.
7. 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.

**AWARDS:** no prizes will be awarded

**LIABILITY RELEASE:** Any swimmer whose entry is accepted will, for him/herself, his/her heirs, executors and administrations, waive and release any and all rights and claims for damages he/she may have against United States Swimming, Maine Swimming, **Bangor Regional Y and/or the Bangor Y Barracudas** for any and all injuries suffered by him/her at said meet. In submitting this entry the undersigned team certifies that all athletes in the entry are registered with USA Swimming and understands that the team may be fined \$100 for each swimmer in the entry that is not registered with USA Swimming.

In granting this approval it is understood and agreed that USA Swimming shall be free and held harmless from any liabilities or claims for damages arising by reason of injuries to anyone during the conduct of the event.

SESSION SCHEDULE: The event is slated for 2 sessions following the format below.

Session-01: 12& under swimmers, and events 1-13 will be swum

Session-02: 13& older swimmers, and events 13-21 will be swum

Event #	Gender	Age Group	Event Desc
1	Girls	8 & under	100 Medley Relay
2	Boys	8 & under	100 Medley Relay
3	Mixed	8 & under	25 Freestyle
4	Mixed	8 & under	25 Backstroke
5	Mixed	8 & under	25 Breaststroke
6	Mixed	8 & under	25 Butterfly
7	Mixed	8 & under	100 Free Relay
8	Mixed	12 & under	50 Backstroke
9	Mixed	12 & under	50 Breaststroke
10	Mixed	12 & under	50 Butterfly
11	Mixed	12 & under	100 IM
12	Mixed	OPEN	200 Medley Relay
13	Mixed	OPEN	50 Freestyle
14	Mixed	OPEN	100 Freestyle
15	Mixed	OPEN	100 Backstroke
16	Mixed	OPEN	100 Breaststroke
17	Mixed	OPEN	100 Butterfly
18	Mixed	OPEN	200 Freestyle
19	Mixed	OPEN	200 IM
20	Mixed	OPEN	500 Freestyle
21	Mixed	OPEN	200 Free Relay