2027 JETS Fast 50's Meet
January 3, 2027

HOST
Joliet YMCA Jets Swim Team

This is a closed YMCA tri meet with Joliet YMCA, Fox Valley Family YMCA and West Cook YMCA.

LOCATION
Village of Shorewood YMCA
1801 W. Jefferson St, Shorewood, IL 60404

ENTRIES
Entry deadline: Monday, December 21, 2026
Entry limits: 3 individual events and 2 relays for 10&Under session;
4 individual events and 1 relay for 21&Under session
Entry fees: Flat fee of $12 per swimmer. No admission fees.

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POOL INFO

Competition will take place in a **25-yard pool with 8 lanes**. The competition pool has a depth of 9 feet at the start end and 4 feet at the turn end. The competition course has not been certified in accordance with 104.2.2C(4). A Colorado Timing System with 8-lane electronic timing display will be used with Hy-Tek Meet Manager 8.0. There is bleacher seating on deck that will accommodate 200 spectators.

MEET FORMAT & SCHEDULE

All events will be Timed Finals with positive check-in. Positive check-in will close 30 minutes prior to the start of the meet. Provided consent by all teams involved, the warm-up schedule and start times may be adjusted after the entry deadline to ensure a smooth flowing timeline.

SESSION	DAY	AGES	WARM-UP START TIME*	SESSION START TIME*
1	Sunday	10 & Under	8:00am	9:05am
2	Sunday	21 & Under	12:00pm	1:05pm

***Warm-ups/sessions will not begin before the listed time but may begin later.

MEET RULES

This is a closed, inter-association YMCA meet. This meet and all participants will adhere to the Rules that Govern YMCA Competitive Sports and the Swimming Addendum to the Rules that Govern YMCA Competitive Sports. USA Swimming technical rules will be followed. This meet is approved by USA Swimming and Illinois Swimming, Inc (approval #ILS0133-27A). All USA Swimming and ISI rules apply including safety rules, which will be strictly enforced.

ELIGIBILITY

An athlete must be a YMCA member in good standing who holds an annual, full privilege membership at the YMCA he/she represents for a period of at least 30 days prior to the first day of the meet.

Age as of January 3, 2027, shall determine the swimmer's age for the entire meet.

RACING START CERTIFICATION

Any swimmer entered in the meet must be certified by a USA Swimming member-coach or YMCA certified 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.

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Final deadline to submit entries or update times is Monday, December 21, 2026.

Electronic entries must be submitted in a format compatible with Hy-Tek Meet Manager.

ENTRY LIMIT

Swimmers in the session 1 (10&U) may enter a maximum of 3 individual events and 2 relays. Swimmers in session 2 (21&U) may enter a maximum of 4 individual events and 1 relay.

ENTRY FEES

A flat fee of $12.00 per swimmer will be charged for this meet. Make checks payable to Greater Joliet Area YMCA.

POSITIVE CHECK-IN

This meet will be a positive check in meet. Check-in will close 30 minutes prior to the start of each session, after which all athletes who have not checked in will be scratched from the session. After the entry deadline, the host team reserves the right to eliminate positive check-in and pre-seed the meet. This will be communicated to all teams prior to the first day of the meet.

BULLPEN

There will be no bullpen. Heat sheets will be posted on both the pool deck and in the team area in the gym. Announcements will be made in the gym when kids need to report to the pool deck.

SPECIAL NEEDS

In accordance with USA Swimming Rules, Articles 105 and 202.2.13, the Meet Referee has the authority to accommodate athletes with disabilities. It is the responsibility of the coaches or athletes to contact the Meet Referee prior to competition with specific requests.

ADMISSIONS

There will be no admission charge for this meet.

CONCESSIONS

A small variety of individual and pre-packaged food and drinks will be available at concessions, payment accepted via cash or credit.

AWARDS

Awards will be given for heat winners.

SCORING

This meet will not be scored.

RESULTS

Full publication results in PDF format along with Meet Manager backup file and Team Manager Results file will be posted on the JETS website at www.jetsyswimteam.org and e-mailed to each team within 24 hours after the meet. Live results during the meet may be viewed on Meet Mobile.

IMAGE AUTHORIZATION

All participants agree to be filmed and photographed by the official photographer(s) and network(s) of Illinois Swimming and the meet host under the conditions authored by Illinois and USA Swimming, and allow event organizers the right to use names, pictures, likenesses, and biographical information before, during or after the period of participation in this Illinois Swimming competition to promote such competitions.

CONDUCT

- All coaches are responsible for the conduct of their swimmers and will see that their club has proper supervision at all times.
- Meet Marshals have the authority to remove any swimmer and/or spectator from the meet for any violation such as improper behavior, damage to property, etc.
- No smoking on the premises.
- Please encourage your parents and swimmers to clean up after

themselves.

- In accordance with the Federal Video Voyeurism Prevention Act of 2004 – the use of camera phones or video recording devices in the locker rooms is prohibited. Use of audio or visual recording devices, including cell phones, is not permitted in the changing areas, restrooms, or locker rooms, or in areas behind the starting blocks.
- Flash photography is prohibited in the pool area when athletes are on the starting blocks.
- Changing into or out of swimsuits other than in locker rooms or other designated areas is not appropriate and is prohibited.
- 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.

LIABILITY WAIVER

In consideration of the acceptance of this entry, intending to be legally bound, I/we hereby waive, and release any and all rights and claims for damages which may accrue against USA Swimming, Inc., Illinois Swimming, Inc., Joliet YMCA Jets Swim Team, Greater Joliet Area YMCA, and their representatives, employees, or successors, for any and all injuries suffered by me or any contestant or representative in said meet as a representative of my club. In granting this sanction 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.

SAFE SPORT & MAAPP

All applicable adults participating or associated with the respective meet to which this information applies, acknowledges that they are an applicable adult, subject to the provisions of the USA Swimming Minor Athlete Abuse Prevention Policy ("MAAPP"), and that they understand that compliance with the MAAPP policy is a condition of participation in the conduct of this competition. All athletes 18 years of age and older must have completed Athlete Protection Training prior to the entry deadline.

Current USA Swimming Rules, including the Minor Athlete Abuse Prevention Policy ("MAAPP"), will govern this meet. Athletes may remain with their parents while in the gym. Once athletes enter the pool facility, parents will be able to view their child via the two observation rooms or in a partitioned off area on-deck for their swimmer's race.

LOCKER ROOMS

- Locker rooms will be open to athletes, however the facility will be open to YMCA members while the meet is being held so the locker rooms cannot be restricted to athletes only. There are private family locker rooms available as well.
- Parents will be directed to use the bathrooms near the front desk.
- Coaches and officials will be directed to use the bathrooms near the front desk or one of the private family locker rooms.

FACILITY RESTRICTIONS

- All swimmers and spectators must check in at the front entrance of the YMCA upon arrival.
- Pool deck and gym will be open only for swim meet participants, staff, volunteers, and spectators. The rest of the facility will be open to the public.

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ORDER OF EVENTS

SESSION 1

GIRLS EVENT #	EVENT	BOYS EVENT #
101	10&U 200 Medley Relay	102
	5 Minute Break	
103	10&U 50 Fly	104
105	10&U 50 Back	106
107	10&U 50 Breast	108
109	10&U 50 Free	110
111	10&U 100 IM	112
	15 Minute Break	
113	Open Coach-anchored 200 Medley Relay*	113

SESSION 2

GIRLS EVENT #	EVENT	BOYS EVENT #
201	21&U 200 Mixed Team Medley Relay** (mix of kids from different teams on each relay)	202
	5 Minute Break	
203	21&U 50 Fly	204
205	21&U 50 Back	206
207	21&U 50 Breast	208
209	21&U 50 Free	210
211	21&U 100 IM	212

*Event 113 will be a coach-anchored relay. This will be an exhibition relay with no results recorded and will be a mix of 3 swimmers plus a coach, any mix of genders.

**The Mixed Team relays are exhibition with no results recorded, and will have a mix of swimmers from each team on each relay as a way for kids to meet peers from other teams. We will run 2 heats of girls and 2 heats of boys relays, so each team can choose up to 16 girls and 16 boys to compete in these relays. Coaches will get an index card with a lane number to give out to your swimmers who will go to their lane and meet the other kids in their relay and decide who will do each stroke.