

# Wisconsin Swimming Championship Bid Application 2012 12 and Under State Championship Meet Bid

## Hosting Club Information

Name of Club: Waukesha Express Swim Team Club Code: WEST

Club Mailing Address: P.O. Box 1874  
Waukesha, WI 53187

Club Website: [www.waukeshaexpress.org](http://www.waukeshaexpress.org)

Link for Championship Meet Info and Results:  
[www.waukeshaexpress.org](http://www.waukeshaexpress.org)

How many Championship meets has your team hosted in the past 5 (five) years?

Regional Championships: 5  
Age Group Championships: Short Course: 2 (2006 and 2007) Long Course: 0  
Senior Championships: Short Course 1 (2009) Long Course: 0  
Other Championships: 2008 & 2011 Speedo Champions Series Meet; WI Swimming Silver Championship Meet 5 x's;  
Nike Challenge Prelim/Final Meet 6 x's (National Evaluator Meet)

USA Swimming Club Recognition Level: Level 1

## Wisconsin and USA Swimming Participation

Number of club officials that have participated in the following in the past 5 (five) years:

Wisconsin Seminars: at least 6  
Regional/Silver Meets: at least 10  
Age Group Championship Meets: at least 9  
Senior Championships: at least 10  
National Events: at least 3

## Meet Specifics

Name of Pool: Waukesha South Natatorium  
Location of Pool: 401 E. Roberta Ave.  
Waukesha, WI 53186

Costs: (this information will be used for creating the meet entry letter after bid award)

Admissions: \$4.00 per person over the age of 12 per session or \$25.00 weekend package including admissions and heat sheets.  
Prelim/Final Heat Sheets: \$3.00 per session or \$25.00 weekend package including heat sheets and admission  
Parking: \$0.00

Timing System:

Type and Model: Colorado System 6  
Touch Pads: Colorado Aqua grip pads  
Button Back Up: Colorado (2 per lane)  
Number of Starting Speakers: 8  
Number of lines (lanes) on readout board: as many as we need (6/8/10 – depending on the number of lanes in the pool)  
Can the board display names? Yes

Public Address System:

In Pool Area: Yes  
In Locker Room: No  
In Swimmer's Rest Area: No  
Hospitality: No

Swimmers' Rest Area:

Convenient to Competition Course? Yes  
Distance from Competition Pool? If not enough seating in the bleachers and pool deck, we have access to the Waukesha South Fieldhouse (or a portion of it partitioned off) that is adjacent to the pool. The door by the locker rooms leads directly into the Fieldhouse.

Distance Events:

Will the host club provide timers for the distance events? Yes

Technology:

Will you have wireless internet available?

Coaches: Yes  
Spectators: Yes

Meet Manager Version: Upgrading to MM 3.0 this fall  
Do You Use more than one computer: Yes

Will you have live results? Yes

Hospitality and Meet Areas:

Please describe your plans for hospitality: Coaches hospitality will be provided for each session of the meet (breakfast, lunch, and dinner). A variety of dishes will be served for each meal and each session. Coaches hospitality will be separated away from concessions. Location will be next to the pool office.

Do you have sufficient area for coaches and officials meetings? Yes

<b>Pool Specifications</b>
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Age of Pool: Five years Indoor Pool

Pool #1 (Configuration #1):

# of lanes: 8 or 10  
Length: 25 yds.  
Width: 25 meters  
Depth of Start End: varies from 13'3 to 5'8"  
Depth Middle: varies from 13'3 to 5'8"  
Depth Turn End: varies from 13'3 to 5'8"

Pool #2 (Championship Configuration):

# of lanes: 8  
Length: 25 yds.  
Width: 25 yds.  
Depth of Start End: 13'3"  
Depth Middle: 9'  
Depth Turn End: 5'8"

\*\*\*This course each lane is 9' and are double lane lined.\*\*\*

Warm-up/Cool Down and Availability:

# of lanes: 1-3 depending on configuration of pool

Length: 25 yds.  
 Width: Between 10 and 22.5”

Type and Size of Lane lines: Antiwave 6” diameter lane lines (larger size diameter)

Outside buffer lane lines: Antiwave 6” diameter lane lines (larger size diameter)

Number of Lanes/Pools available? 1 pool with movable bulkhead that can be configured in 4 courses (2 in the Championship configuration with 8 lanes – 25 yds. and 25 m and 2 configurations going across the pool (25 yds.) either 8 or 10 lanes.

Deck Space:

Behind Start 16’  
 Lane One Side 22’  
 Opposite Side 25’  
 Turn End 19.5’

Starting Blocks:

Brand KDI Paragon  
 Length of Platform 32”  
 Width of Platform 24”  
 Degree of Slant  
 Height above water 30”  
 Numbered Both Sides Yes  
 Number of Supports 2  
 Non-skid surface Yes

Pool:

Guarantee correct temperature range in pool? Yes  
 Air Temperature control (indoor)? Yes

Awards Area:

Please describe the awards area, location and staging: Finals staging and parade in would be stationed under a tent next to the pool office. Swimmers would be paraded in along the pool in front of the spectators to the starting blocks. Award staging would also be situated in this location with the award podiums at the turn end next to the awards staging area (only a short walk away).

\*\*\*Award podiums (3’ x 3’) for places 1-8.\*\*\*

Spectator:

Seating Capacity 2,000  
 Auxiliary Seating Areas Portable red bleachers can be set up at the turn end (shallow end) of the pool that seat 300-400 spectators or athletes.

Parking:

Number of Parking Spaces  
 Availability and cost of parking:  
 Friday evening session – parking available on site.  
 Saturday and Sunday – parking available on site.

Are there other events in the area that will affect the championships? There may be a high school basketball game depending on where the WIAA grants tournament games to. This hasn’t been an issue in the past.

**The past 4 years the 12 and Under Meet has fallen on the weekend when Waukesha Schools are off school. Makes for a stress free, user friendly facility for spectators. Parking is PLENTIFUL and FREE!**

PLEASE SUBMIT A WRITTEN DESCRIPTION OF ANY OTHER COMMITMENTS YOU WILL MAKE FOR THE ATHLETES, COACHES, AND

## OFFICIALS THAT WILL ENHANCE YOUR EVENT.

- 1) Our team is committed to coming up with a theme for the meet and putting together a budget to decorate the facility to make the event an event for the spectators and swimmers. Use of the scoreboard for awards presentations for results and video of awards winners will be used. The scoreboard can also be used to show pictures of each event winner during the meet.
- 2) Ability to project underwater footage onto the scoreboard during the start and turn is available to provide a unique perspective for swimmers and spectators.
- 3) Theater tape will be used to rope off an area to separate the officials work area and the swimmers and coaches areas. This helps to create a stress free environment not having to worry about officials and swimmers standing in the way of each other while the meet is running. Officials will have at least 5' of space with in which to officiate on all sides of the pool.
- 4) Seating at deck level provides a very loud and exciting atmosphere for the swimmers to compete in.
- 5) Option of running the meet in 8, 9, or 10 lanes depending on the number of entries/swimmers. Would allow us to fit this year's increase in participants in the facility without having to make any time standard adjustments as our current standards run through 2012.
- 6) Access to the Fieldhouse and or cafeteria for swimmer's resting areas (located adjacent to the pool only steps away).