

## Short Course Season 2013-2014

MONTH	Meet Dates	Meet Type	PROPOSED Invitational Meet Format	Host Club	Meet Location	Pool Course	Other Considerations?	
O C T O B E R	OCTOBER 5-6, 2013	ABC Open	Zoned (HOD changed from 3 to 4 zones)	WOLF	Northdale Middle School, Coon Rapids MN	Short Course (25 yards)		
				SCSC	Bluewater Aquatic Center, 8 lanes, NO warmup water, Apple Valley MN	Short Course (25 yards)		
				HOP	St. Catherine University Butler Center Pool, 8 lanes, NO warmup, St. Paul MN	Short Course (25 yards)		
				HASA	Hudson Middle School, 8 lanes, warmup, Hudson WI	Short Course (25 yards)	We have a diving well for warm up and cool down. We have ample pool deck space for teams and officials. We have 2 observation areas, camping, and ample parking space. We have a good reputation for our concessions and running on time for meets. We have a new Colorado Timing System and new Touch Pads. We have successfully hosted meets for up to 600 swimmers.	
	OCTOBER 12, 2013	Invitational			LSSC	Lincoln Park Middle School, Duluth, MN 8 lanes	Short Course (25 yards)	
	OCTOBER 12-13, 2013	Invitationals	12 & Under "A/B/C" Open Invitational	BAC	Olson Middle School 8 lanes, no warmup Bloomington, MN	Short Course (25 yards)	Awards- Participation awards only; Concessions- Yes; Gym will be available for camping; COACHES COSTUME CONTEST!! A specific list of clubs will be invited, however, if space is available under the 4-hour rule we will accept entries from other clubs. Entries from clubs and athletes outside of MSI will not be accepted.	
			ABC Open format	NSAC	St. Catherine University Butler Center Pool, 8 lanes, NO warmup, St. Paul MN	Short Course (25 yards)	We will make the meets open to anyone and will accept entries on a first come, first serve basis. We will accept entries until the 4 hour rule is reached which will generally be around 500 to 550 athletes. We do not plan to invite teams outside of the Minnesota LSC.	
			ABC Open format	TWIN	U of Minn Aquatic Center, 8 lanes, warmup, Minneapolis MN	Short Course (25 yards)		
	OCTOBER 26-27, 2013	ABC Open	Zoned (5 zones)	SDVL	St. Michael Middle School East, 8 lanes, NO warmup, St. Michael MN	Short Course (25 yards)		
				GCA	Tech High School, St. Cloud, 8 Lanes, No warmup	Short Course (25 yards)	Well-maintained facility with huge parent seating area. [Late bid]	
				NRTS	Bluewater Aquatic Center, 8 lanes, NO warmup water, Apple Valley MN	Short Course (25 yards)		
				SSC	Southwest Minnesota State University, 6 lanes, warmup, Marshall MN	Short Course (25 yards)	Several teams from South Dakota Swimming Inc will be invited.	
				RFSC	River Falls High School Pool, 8 lanes, NO warmup, River Falls WI	Short Course (25 yards)	RFHS has a great commons area for families to get away from the meet with available WIFI. Ample seating for parents in a raised observation deck. Good amount of deck space for plenty of swimmers and without feeling crowded.	

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NOVEMBER	NOV 2-3, 2013	Invitationals	HAST Power Point Fall InviteBoys swim in the AM, Girls in the PM3 Indiv + 1 Relay per Day x 2 Days	HAST	Hastings MS Pool, 6 lanes, NO warmup Hastings MN	Short Course (25 yards)	Max of approx 400 swimmers, 200 per session, = each session 4 hours or less. We will initially invite TEAMS to attend. We will try to get an estimate of number of swimmers attending for each team 6 weeks out. If our estimated numbers are low, we will open the meet up to other MSI Teams to fill the meet to approx. 400 Swimmers.  We will initially invite TEAMS to attend. We will try to get an estimate of number of swimmers attending from each team 6 weeks out. If our estimated numbers are low, we will open the meet up to other MSI Teams to fill the meet to approx. 400 Swimmers.
			We are planning on hosting an A+ meet in the AM for 12 and under swimmers with a typical OOE. In the PM we plan to host 13 and over Boys for a True Team Meet, which will follow the College OOE, and will be split into two days. You will be allowed to enter up to four swimmers per event	STRM	Hidden Oaks Middle School, 8 lanes, warmup, Prior Lake MN	Short Course (25 yards)	We also have another pool (Twin Oaks MS) that is across the street and we frequently utilize this pool to limit the need for warm up in the competition pool for the PM athletes.
			Open, timed finals, 4 four hour sessions over two days	MCA	Rochester Recreation Center, 8 lanes, warmup, Rochester MN.	Short Course (25 yards)	Entries accepted on first come first served basis until four time limit reached.
			ABC OPEN meet for Senior and Age group swimmers. Timed finals format	EDI	South View Middle School, 8 lanes, warmup, Edina MN	Short Course (25 yards)	
	NOVEMBER 9-10, 2013	Invitational	B-C Timed Finals all ages	RIPT	Bluewater Aquatic Center, 8 lanes, NO warmup water, Apple Valley MN	Short Course (25 yards)	We plan to run our invitational on a first come first serve basis. We will base the cut-off point on the 4 hour rule. Entries from non-MSI LSC teams will be welcomed.
NOV 16-17, 2013	Invitational	We will host a 2-day 14 and under team focused invitational similar to the HS True Team format. Teams attending will be limited to certain number of entries per event. Age groups participating will include 13-14, 11-12, and 10 and under. The meet will be a prelim/final competition. Relays will be included. A team champion will be awarded after the meet. Let's have some fun!	MTKA	Minnetonka Aquatics Center (MME), 8 lanes, warmup, Minnetonka MN	Short Course (25 yards)	This invite will be for a limited number of teams. However those teams have not been finalized yet and we are open to hearing from others interested. We are looking for teams large enough to fill out the meet, not necessarily on a first-come and first-serve basis.	

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	NOV 23-24, 2013	ABC Open	Zoned (4 zones)	SHRK	Levi Dodge Middle School, 8 lanes, NO warmup, Farmington MN		Colorado 6 Timing System 14 registered USA Officials - Stroke & Turn through Admin Referee Hospitality Room for Coaches & Officials 8 Lane Scoreboard Seating Capacity 450+ Parking Capacity for over 500+ vehicles Separate Camping Space Hosted 2+ meets each of the last 8 years Tigersharks are a Non-Profit Volunteer Organization
				NHCP	Maple Grove Junior High School, 6 lanes, no warmup, Maple Grove MN	Short Course (25 yards)	
				HUT	Carlson Pool, Hutchinson Middle School, 8 lanes, warmup water, Hutchinson MN	Short Course (25 yards)	Hutchinson has one of the largest pool decks in the state! Additionally, we offer a large gym for the camping area. The gym is located within steps of the pool area. To serve you better, we offer a live feed of the meet inside of the camping area by means of a television screen/video system. We have a separate area for concessions and a private room for coach hospitality and we routinely provide great food! Finally, we have a great 8-lane pool with a diving well attached that can be used for warm up and cool down!
				HOP	St. Catherine University Butler Center Pool, 8 lanes, NO warmup, St. Paul MN	Short Course (25 yards)	
D E C	DECEMBER 7-8, 2013	Invitational	ABC Open format	BDOG	Bluewater Aquatic Center, 8 lanes, NO warmup water, Apple Valley MN	Short Course (25 yards)	
			B/C Meet Invitational	NOR	Northfield Middle School, 8 lanes, NO warmup, Northfield MN	Short Course (25 yards)	
			ABC Open format; timed finals	BAC	Olson Middle School, 8 lanes, NO warmup, Bloomington MN	Short Course (25 yards)	Awards: 1st-3rd will be awarded medals; 4th-8th will be awarded ribbons; Concessions- Yes; Gym will be available for camping. A specific list of clubs will be invited, however, if space is available under the 4-hour rule we will accept entries from other clubs. Entries from clubs and athletes outside of MSI will not be accepted.

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E M B E R	Saturday, DECEMBER 14, 2012	Invitational	8 & Under Invitational. OOE includes 25 & 50 of each stroke, 100 fr and im as well as 100 fr and 100 med relays. Awards include Rosette Ribbons 1-8 ; Panel Ribbons 9-16 and a special meet medal & neck drape will be given to all participating swimmers. Swimmers will be separated & awarded by the following age categories (8, 7, 6, and 5&U)	ROC	Rochester Recreation Center, 8 lanes, warmup, Rochester MN.	Short Course (25 yards)	4 hr rule to determine size - entries on a first come basis. May include teams from outside MN LSC
	DECEMBER 14-15, 2013		ABC Open format	NSAC	St. Catherine University Butler Center Pool, 8 lanes, NO warmup, St. Paul MN	Short Course (25 yards)	We will make the meets open to anyone and will accept entries on a first come, first serve basis. We will accept entries until the 4 hour rule is reached which will generally be around 500 to 550 athletes. We do not plan to invite teams outside of the Minnesota LSC.
			ABC Open format	RIPT	Bluewater Aquatic Center, 8 lanes, NO warmup water, Apple Valley MN	Short Course (25 yards)	We plan to run our invitational on a first come first serve basis. We will base the cut-off point on the 4 hour rule. Entries from non-MSI LSC teams will be welcomed.
J A N	JANUARY 5, 2014	Invitational	Invitational meet- Pentathlon Open to everyone.Timed Finals	STC	St. Johns University (Warner Palaestra Pool), 8 lanes, NO warmup, Colleeville MN	Short Course (25 yards)	This is a Pentathlon. Each age division will swim all 4 strokes and IM race. Awards will be given to participants in each age category on a high point scoring system (1st-8th); 8 &under, 9-10, 11-12, 13-14, 15-18. There are NO team awards. We will have a list of certain clubs that are invited up to 250 per session, and if there is space we will accept entries from other teams including non-MSI LSC teams
	JANUARY 4- 5, 2014	Invitational	ABC Open Invitational - Timed Finals	SHRK	Levi Dodge Middle School, 8 lanes, NO warmup, Farmington MN	Short Course (25 yards)	Colorado 6 Timing System 14 registered USA Officials - Stroke & Turn through Admin Referee Hospitality Room for Coaches & Officials 8 Lane Scoreboard Seating Capacity 450+ Parking Capacity for over 500+ vehicles Separate Camping Space Hosted 2+ meets each of the last 8 years Tigersharks are a Non-Profit Volunteer Organization. We will have a specific list of teams invited. Provided space is still available any other team interested will be welcome to come. We will be following the 4-hr rule. We would be open to non-MSI LSC swimmers/teams attending.
	JANUARY 10- 12, 2014	Invitational	A Invitational; 12/U Timed Final; 13/O Prelim-Final	FOXJ	University of Saint Thomas, 8 lanes, warmup, St. Paul MN	Short Course (25 yards)	> "A" meet (and faster) for guest clubs > "B" meet (and faster) for host club > Very short list (less than 4-5-6??) of invited clubs with an earlier acceptance date and deadline - thus assured entry > After short list of invited clubs closes, open to ALL clubs on first-come-first-served basis > 4-Hour Rule will be utilized to limit entries for all ages (each session will be separately considered when the meet is near filling) > Clubs outside of MN will be permitted entry

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JANUARY	JANUARY 18-19, 2014	ABC Open	Zoned (5 hosts)	SCSC	Bluewater Aquatic Center, 8 lanes, NO warmup water, Apple Valley MN	Short Course (25 yards)	
				WEST	Chaska Middle School East, 6 lanes, NO warmup Chaska MN	Short Course (25 yards)	The Chaska Middle School East Pool has been recently renovated including a new timing system complete with new scoreboard.
				NHCP	Maple Grove Junior High School, 6 lanes, no warmup, Maple Grove MN	Short Course (25 yards)	
				SDVL	St. Michael Middle School East, 8 lanes, NO warmup, St. Michael MN	Short Course (25 yards)	
				HUT	Carlson Pool, Hutchinson Middle School, 8 lanes, warmup water, Hutchinson MN	Short Course (25 yards)	Hutchinson has one of the largest pool decks in the state! Additionally, we offer a large gym for the camping area. The gym is located within steps of the pool area. To serve you better, we offer a live feed of the meet inside of the camping area by means of a television screen/video system. We have a separate area for concessions and a private room for coach hospitality and we routinely provide great food! Finally, we have a great 8-lane pool with a diving well attached that can be used for warm up and cool down!
JANUARY 25, 2014	Invitational	We run a one session format that covers all age groups.	DL	Detroit Lakes Community and Cultural Center, 8 lanes, NO warmup Detroit Lakes MN	Short Course (25 yards)	Our swim meet typically hosts NW MN teams however we have had teams from Central MN up to participate.	
JANUARY 25-26, 2014	Invitational	Open, timed finals	TWIN	U of Minn Aquatic Center, 8 lanes, warmup, Minneapolis MN	Short Course (25 yards)		
FEBRUARY	FEBRUARY 1-2, 2014	Invitational	ABC Open	STAR	HAMLIN UNIVERSITY, 6 lanes, no warmup, St. Paul MN	Short Course (25 yards)	We are looking for a meet with appx. 450 swimmers. We won't know until after the bid meeting whether we will be asking certain teams or will open it up to all. Want to be able to ask teams but need to see who is having meets the weekend before and after us.
			This will be an ABC Open meet with a typical OOE.	STRM	Hidden Oaks Middle School, 8 lanes, warmup, Prior Lake MN	Short Course (25 yards)	We also have another pool (Twin Oaks MS) that is across the street and we frequently utilize this pool to limit the need for warm up in the competition pool for the PM athletes.
			HAST FEB Power Point Invitational 11&Unders swim in the AM 12&Up's swim in the PM Swim 3 Indiv + 1 Relay per day x 2 days	HAST	Hastings MS Pool, 6 lanes, NO warmup Hastings MN	Short Course (25 yards)	Will add up Power Points & award Trophy to top PP winners: 8&U, 9yr Old, 10 yr Old, 11yr Old, 12yr Old, 13-14, 15-16, &17&Up for both Boys & Girls  Max of approx. 400 swimmers, 200 per session = sessions are 4 hrs or less

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F E B R U A R Y	FEBRUARY 8-9, 2014	ABC Open	Zoned (5 zones)	RWSC	Twin Bluff Middle School, 6 lanes, NO warmup, Red Wing MN	Short Course (25 yards)	Concessions provided, video feed in concession area, camping area
				AQJT	Bluewater Aquatic Center, 8 lanes, NO warmup water, Apple Valley MN	Short Course (25 yards)	
				LSSC	Lincoln Park Middle School, Duluth, MN 8 lanes	Short Course (25 yards)	
				SDVL	St. Michael Middle School East, 8 lanes, NO warmup, St. Michael MN	Short Course (25 yards)	
				<del>OPEN</del>			
	FEBRUARY 14-16, 2014	Invitational	Traditional "A" and above meet, prelim/final for 13 & O, timed finals for 12 & U	ROC	Rochester Recreation Center, 8 lanes, warmup, Rochester MN	Short Course (25 yards)	Open to all teams, including teams from outside MN LSC. Entries accepted on first-come, first-served basis, limited to 775-800 total for the meet
	FEBRUARY 15-16, 2014	Invitational	A-B-C, timed finals	RIPT	Bluewater Aquatic Center, 8 lanes, NO warmup water, Apple Valley MN	Short Course (25 yards)	We plan to run our invitational on a first come first serve basis. We will base the cut-off point on the 4 hour rule. Entries from non-MSI LSC teams be welcomed.
	FEBRUARY 22-23, 2013	C Finals	Zoned (3 hosts)	NOR	Northfield Middle School, 8 lanes, NO warmup, Northfield MN	Short Course (25 yards)	
				HASA	Hudson Middle School, 8 lanes, warmup, Hudson WI	Short Course (25 yards)	We have a diving well for warm up and cool down. We have ample pool deck space for teams and officials. We have 2 observation areas, camping, and ample parking space. We have a good reputation for our concessions and running on time for meets. We have a new Colorado Timing System and new Touch Pads. We have successfully hosted meets for up to 600 swimmers.
				<del>M3F</del>	<del>Mound Westonka High School, 6 lanes, no warmup, Minnetrista, MN</del>	<del>Short Course (25 yards)</del>	

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F E B R U A R Y → M A R C H	FEBRUARY 28 - MARCH 2, 2014	MN Regional Championships	Zoned (HOD changed from 4 to 5 zones)	HUT	Carlson Pool, Hutchinson Middle School, 8 lanes, warmup water, Hutchinson MN	Short Course (25 yards)	Hutchinson has one of the largest pool decks in the state! Additionally, we offer a large gym for the camping area. The gym is located within steps of the pool area. To serve you better, we offer a live feed of the meet inside of the camping area by means of a television screen/video system. We have a separate area for concessions and a private room for coach hospitality and we routinely provide great food! Finally, we have a great 8-lane pool with a diving well attached that can be used for warm up and cool down!
				ROC	Rochester Recreation Center, 8 lanes, warmup, Rochester MN	Short Course (25 yards)	
				MTKA	Minnetonka Aquatics Center (MME), 8 lanes, warmup, Minnetonka MN	Short Course (25 yards)	8 lane pool with separate diving well for cool down. Concessions, live results, gyms for camping, and great coaches/officials hospitality.
				RICH	Richfield Middle School, 8 lanes, warmup, Richfield MN	Short Course (25 yards)	Richfield Middle School offers an 8 lane pool with separate a separate diving well for warm-up/cool-down. Spacious spectator seating, plenty of room for camping, and delicious concessions for parents/athletes and coaches.
				EDI	South View Middle School, 8 lanes, warmup, Edina MN	Short Course (25 yards)	Plenty of seating and gym space available. Also separate diving well for warm ups and cool downs during meet sessions.
M A R C H	MARCH 6-8, 2014	SENIOR STATE Championship	Zoned (1 zone)	MSI, Inc.	U of Minn Aquatic Center, 8 lanes, warmup, Minneapolis MN	Short Course (25 yards)	
	MARCH 13-16	AGE GROUP State Championship	Zoned (1 zone)	MCA	Rochester Recreation Center, 8 lanes, warmup, Rochester MN	Short Course (25 yards)	