



**THE MARK J. BRAUN FALL CLASSIC**  
**Hosted by Lake Erie Silver Dolphins -**  
**Spire Institute**  
**November 18-20, 2011**  
**Held under USA Swimming Sanction LE# 1169 S**  
**Time Trials LE# 1169 TT**



**LOCATION:** CLEVELAND STATE UNIVERSITY, Robert F. Busbey Natatorium, 2451 Euclid Ave., Cleveland, OH (downtown Cleveland – Euclid Avenue at East 24<sup>th</sup> Street). CSU has been the site of numerous USA and collegiate championships.

**POOL:** 25 yards by 10 lanes, deep water with minimal turbulence throughout short course competition pool; Colorado electronic timing and scoreboard; spacious locker rooms, deck area, and spectator section; continuous warm-up available.

**POOL MEASUREMENTS:** The competition course has been certified in accordance with 104.2.C (4). The copy of such certification is on file with USA Swimming.

**WATER DEPTH:** The depth of the pool at both the start end and turn end is 12 feet.

**STARTING TIMES:** Friday night warm-up: 4:30pm-5:15pm, with the meet starting at 5:20pm. Both Saturday and Sunday morning session warm-ups will be held from 7:45AM – 8:30AM, with competition starting at 8:35AM. Afternoon 45-minute warm-up will begin 15 minutes after the conclusion of the morning session. Finals on Saturday will not begin before 6:00PM after a 45-minute warm-up. At the discretion of the Meet Safety Director, warm-ups may be split by gender, age group or team. The finalized warm up plan and estimated timelines can be found at the LESD website ([www.LESD.org](http://www.LESD.org)) by Wednesday, November 16. Afternoon session warm-up times can be verified by calling the deck entry office at 216-687-4882 after 10:30AM of the day of the meet.

**ENTRY DEADLINE:** This meet closes out several weeks before the deadline. Deadline for entries is Friday, October 7 at 9:00PM. Register at <http://www.swimstrongsville.org/meetinformation.html>.

**ENTRY FEES:** Individual events are \$5.00 each; plus and a \$2.00 per swimmer LSC surcharge and \$1 per swimmer PayPal charge.

**ENTRY LIMITATIONS:** 13 and over swimmers may compete in two events on Friday and in no more than three events per day on Saturday and Sunday (exclusive of relays). Swimmers in the 12 & Under sessions may compete in two events on Friday, three events on Saturday and up to four events on Sunday

(exclusive of relays). **Time trials count toward the daily event limitation. Swimmers in the 12 & under age groups are advised not to enter both the 50 and 200 of the same stroke in the butterfly, breaststroke, or backstroke. These events are back-to-back in the meet program and there will be no rest in between.** There is a limit of one entry per team for the female and the male 800 free relays, and a limit of two entries per team for the 400 free and 400 medley relays.

**DECK ENTRIES:** Deck entries will be accepted on a space-available basis at \$7.00/individual event and \$15.00/relay until 35 minutes prior to the start of the session and seeded at no time. Switching events constitutes a deck entry. Deck entrants who are new to the meet must present proof of USA Swimming registration to enter and pay the \$2.00 Lake Erie surcharge.

**QUALIFYING TIMES:** Please see the event listings. Swimmers must be equal to or faster than the cuts listed. Enter at either short course yards or long course meters times. Converted times may **not** be used. Non-conforming times will be converted by meet management. The host team reserves the right to enter its own swimmers even if they have not achieved the qualifying time.

**FASTER THAN:** Lake Erie Swimming mandates the following: Swimmers should enter an event only if they have achieved the listed time standard for that event. Teams of swimmers who fail to achieve the qualifying time at the meet will receive a notice of those times that cannot be verified in the SWIMS database. Teams shall submit proof of time or a fine of \$10.00 for each swim listed in the notice. Failure to resolve time verification issues within one week of receipt of notice shall result in debit to the team's account in the amount of the fine. Unattached swimmers will receive similar notice.

Qualifying times for 50-yard/meter events will be waived for swimmers with a disability. Swimmers with a disability may enter an event (such as the 100 free) and swim it with a longer yardage event (such as the 200 free) provided his/her time for the lesser yardage event (100 free) is equal to or faster than the listed qualifying time for the longer yardage event (200 free).

**CONDUCT:** The meet will be conducted according to the rules set forth in the current USA Swimming Rules and Regulations. Events will be contested in a 25-yard pool. Friday and Sunday events are timed finals. **On Saturday, all individual events**

**will be prelim/final format except for the 12 & Under 200 backstroke.** Championship heat only in the 10 & Under, 11-12, and 13-14 age groups, consolation and championship heats (in that order) for the Open events. Ten lanes will be used at finals. Fly-over starts will be used in all prelim sessions. All relays are timed finals and will be swum in prelims.

**CONDUCT OF DISTANCE EVENTS/HEAT LIMITATIONS:** 10 & Under and 11-12 500 free may be limited to the two fastest seeded heats each male and female. The 13-14 and Open 500 free may be limited to the 3 fastest seeded heat each male and female, the fastest heat swimming in finals. All timed final events will be swum in the prelim sessions, except for the final heat of the 13-14 and Open. 500 free Swimmers who do not wish to swim the 500 free in the finals session must indicate an early swim by placing a "P" next to their name on the check-in sheet. The 400 IM may be limited to the 3 fastest seeded heats each male and female. The 1650 free may be limited to the two fastest seeded heats each male and female. Events may be consolidated and scored separately to conserve time. The 1650 freestyle will be swum fastest to slowest, alternating women and men. Any swimmer closed out of the 400IM, 500 or 1650 freestyle because of heat limitations will receive a refund for that event. Psych sheets for Friday night's 1650 freestyle will be posted on the LESD website ([www.LESD.org](http://www.LESD.org)) by Wednesday November 16. We will publish the number of heats that will be conducted in each event.

**SEEDING & CHECK IN: This is a deck seeded meet.** With the exception of the 1650, all swimmers must check in for all of their events 30 minutes prior to the start of the session. Friday check-in for the 1650 is no later than 6:30PM. Swimmers who fail to check in for their events will not be seeded. Heat and lane assignments will be posted on deck and in the spectator area. Relay cards must be turned in upon call in order to be seeded. In accordance with 102.1.4, events may be seeded together but scored separately. The Lake Erie scratch rule (attached) will be in effect.

**SCORING:** INDIVIDUAL...11-9-8-7-6-5-4-3-2-1

RELAYS...22-18-16-14-12-10-8-6-4-2

Consolation heats will not be scored.

Points for 12 & Under and Open events will revert to that swimmer's respective age group for high point totals.

12 & Under 200 Back, Breast and Fly will be scored as a 12 and Under event. *Example if a 10 and Under swimmer swims the 12 and under 200 Breast Stroke and places tenth, they will receive 1 point toward high point for 10 and under age group.*

**AWARDS:** All awards must be picked up at the meet.

**12 & under Individual Events:**

Medals for 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup>; ribbons for places 4-10.

**12 & under Relay Events:** Ribbons for 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup>.

**High Point and Runner-up Awards:**

10 & Under, 11-12, 13-14, and 15 & Over.

**Team Awards:** Awarded to 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, and 3<sup>rd</sup> highest scoring teams, excluding the host team.

**ADMISSION:** There will be an admission charge of \$3/day. Meet programs will be available. There will be special prices for combined sessions and meet programs. Children 6 and under are free. CSU also charges for parking; city meters are available on Chester Avenue and adjacent streets and are free on Saturday and Sunday.

**RESULTS:** Results will be available on the [www.LESD.org](http://www.LESD.org) website and on [www.lakeerieswimming.com](http://www.lakeerieswimming.com). Teams may request a complete meet backup from [Marie@salibra.net](mailto:Marie@salibra.net) on the Monday following the meet.

**TIME TRIALS:** Time trials will be held Saturday and Sunday after the morning and afternoon sessions at the discretion of the meet referee. Time trials will not be held after Saturday finals. Time trial entry fees are \$7.00 individual event/\$15.00 relay. Time Trial entries close 60 minutes prior to the end of the session. Time Trial events are open to swimmers already entered in an individual event in the meet. Where preliminaries are conducted, an athlete may complete in no more than 3 individual events for the day, inclusive of time trials.

**OFFICIATING OPPORTUNITY:** Anyone that is a USA Swimming certified official is welcome and encouraged to join the Lake Erie Swimming (LES) officials in officiating this meet. Please contact the meet director Wendy Wercion at [wwercion@gmail.com](mailto:wwercion@gmail.com) or LES's Officials Chair, Frank Campbell ([facampbell@sbcglobal.net](mailto:facampbell@sbcglobal.net)), in advance of the meet to let either know of your availability. LES is also looking for anyone that is interested in becoming an official, for more information please contact the Official's Chair, Frank Campbell.

**NOTE:** Only athletes entered in the meet, working coaches, officials, and meet volunteers are allowed on deck. All others must remain in the spectator area.

**Use or audio or visual recording, including a cell phone camera, is not allowed in changing areas, restrooms, or locker rooms.**

**DIRECTIONS:** From I-77 NORTH, follow signs to I-90 east to E. 22<sup>nd</sup> street exit, follow E. 22<sup>nd</sup> north (left) to Euclid or Chester. From I-90 east or west, exit at Chester Ave. From Ohio Turnpike, take I-77 or I-71 north to I-90 east (see above).

#### **EMERGENCY INFORMATION**

Spectator Emergency Evacuation Plan

In the event of an alarm or an emergency requiring evacuation:

Remain calm, walk to the nearest exit, and leave the building.

Do not use the elevators.

Do not attempt to go on deck or in the locker rooms.

Swimmers will be directed by their coach or meet workers to STILLWELL HALL ON THE WEST SIDE OF THE BUILDING (the scoreboard is on the west wall of the pool).



## **Attention All Swimmers!**

*USA Swimming and Lake Erie Swimming team up to present:*

# **The Lake Erie IMX Challenge for SC '11-'12!**

**Start completing your events when '11-'12 Short Course Season begins!**

**\*You have until April 1, 2012 to complete your event list.**

**9 & Under; 10-year olds:**

**200 IM, 200 Free, 100 Back, 100 Breast, 100 Fly**

**11-year olds; 12-year olds:**

**200 IM, 500 Free, 100 Back, 100 Breast, 100 Fly**

**13, 14, 15, 16, 17, and 18 -year olds:**

**200 IM, 400 IM, 500 Free, 200 Back, 200 Breast, 200 Fly**

- In order to receive an IMX score, a swimmer must legally swim each IMX event for their age level in a sanctioned meet at least once during the '11-'12 season.
- A swimmer's times will count for the entire season-so if a swimmer ages up during a season the IMX score on the *My USA Swimming* page will show a score for his/her lower age group and their new age group.
- In order to check the progress, swimmers can create a web account to be able to access their personal *My USA Swimming* page! If a swimmer has already swum the event combo for his/her age level, the IMX score and ranking now appears in a special section of the swimmer's *My USA Swimming* page.

**All swimmers participating and legally completing each IMX event for their single age group for the 2011-2012 Short Course Season will receive an IMX cap!**

**Top Three male and female swimmers in the Lake Erie district with the highest IMX score per single age group will receive the following at the LE Awards Banquet:**

- 1<sup>st</sup> place – IMX personalized hoodie**
- 2<sup>nd</sup> place – IMX towel**
- 3<sup>rd</sup> place – IMX t-shirt**

**Friday, November 18, 2011**  
*Friday Schedule of Events: Timed Finals*  
 4:30 Warm ups (45 minute) 5:20 Meet Start

<b>Girls #</b>	<b>Qualifying Time Equal To or Faster Than</b>	<b>Age Group/Stroke</b>	<b>Qualifying Time Equal To or Faster Than</b>	<b>Boys #</b>
<b>1</b>	2:50.69Y 3:14.79L	<b>11-12 200IM</b>	2:49.39Y 3:13.89L	<b>2</b>
<b>3</b>	4:56.99Y 5:35.99L	<b>OPEN 400 IM #</b>	4:35.79Y 5:13.49L	<b>4</b>
<b>5</b>	5:04.59Y 5:45.99L	<b>13-14 400IM #</b>	4:47.99Y 5:30.09L	<b>6</b>
<b>7</b>	7:39.49Y 6:51.59L	<b>10 &amp; Un 500 Free*</b>	7:35.19Y 6:52.69L	<b>8</b>
<b>9</b>	6:40.09Y 6:00.09L	<b>11-12 500 Free*</b>	6:35.09Y 5:54.39L	<b>10</b>
<b>11</b>	19:08.99Y 19:37.19L	<b>OPEN 1650 Free@</b>	18:00.99Y 18:25.29L	<b>12</b>

@Open 1650 free: maybe limited to the two fastest seeded heats each gender, swum fastest to slowest, alternating females and males.

\* 500 frees maybe limited to the 2 fastest seeded heats each men and women.

#400IM's maybe limited to 3 fastest seeded heats each men and women.

**Saturday, November 19, 2011**

*Schedule of Events AM Session: Prelim/Finals  
7:45 am Warm-Up (45 minutes) 8:35 Meet Start*

<b>Girls #</b>	<b>Qualifying Time Equal To or Faster Than</b>	<b>Age Group/Stroke</b>	<b>Qualifying Time Equal To or Faster Than</b>	<b>Boys #</b>
<b>13</b>	2:30.49Y 2:51.49L	<b>13-14 200 IM</b>	2:20.29Y 2:42.39L	<b>14</b>
<b>17</b>	1:02.19Y 1:10.39L	<b>13-14 100 Free</b>	57.39Y 1:05.99L	<b>18</b>
<b>21</b>	2:28.59Y 2:48.29L	<b>13-14 200 Fly</b>	2:20.29Y 2:38.79L	<b>22</b>
<b>25</b>	1:17.59Y 1:28.99L	<b>13-14 100 Breast</b>	1:12.09Y 1:21.29L	<b>26</b>
<b>29</b>	2:27.29Y 2:47.39L	<b>13-14 200 Back</b>	2:18.19Y 2:40.69L	<b>30</b>
<b>33</b>		<b>13-14 400 Free Relay#</b>		<b>34</b>
<b>37</b>	5:38.29Y 5:03.49L	<b>13-14 500 Free*</b>	5:21.29Y 4:50.19L	<b>38</b>
<b>15</b>	2:26.99Y 2:47.29L	<b>OPEN 200 IM</b>	2:15.09Y 2:35.89L	<b>16</b>
<b>19</b>	1:00.79Y 1:08.59L	<b>OPEN 100 Free</b>	55.19Y 1:03.09L	<b>20</b>
<b>23</b>	2:24.49Y 2:42.69L	<b>OPEN 200 Fly</b>	2:13.39Y 2:30.59L	<b>24</b>
<b>27</b>	1:15.69Y 1:26.69	<b>OPEN 100 Breast</b>	1:08.89Y 1:19.69L	<b>28</b>
<b>31</b>	2:23.89Y 2:44.29L	<b>OPEN 200 Back</b>	2:12.39Y 2:31.29L	<b>32</b>
<b>35</b>		<b>OPEN 400 Free Relay#</b>		<b>36</b>
<b>39</b>	5:32.89Y 4:55.99L	<b>OPEN 500 Free*</b>	5:10.79Y 4:38.09L	<b>40</b>

*\*May be limited to the three fastest seeded heats each men and women with the fastest heat swum in finals*

*Schedule of Events Saturday PM Session: Prelims/Finals*

*45 minute warm-up; Warm-ups will start 15 minutes after the end of the AM session*

<b>Girls #</b>	<b>Qualifying Time Equal To or Faster Than</b>	<b>Age Group/Stroke</b>	<b>Qualifying Time Equal To or Faster Than</b>	<b>Boys #</b>
<b>41</b>	2:58.29Y 3:23.59L	<b>10 &amp; Un 200 Free</b>	2:50.89Y 3:13.99L	<b>42</b>
<b>45</b>	1:44.99Y	<b>10 &amp; Un 100 IM</b>	1:41.29Y	<b>46</b>
<b>49</b>	48.79Y 55.99L	<b>10 &amp; Un 50 Back</b>	49.19Y 56.39L	<b>50</b>
<b>53</b>	1:59.99Y 2:17.49L	<b>10 &amp; Un 100 Breast</b>	1:55.69Y 2:13.59L	<b>54</b>
<b>57</b>	39.79Y 45.09L	<b>10 &amp; Un 50 Free</b>	38.89Y 44.29L	<b>58</b>
<b>61</b>	1:57.49Y 2:12.59L	<b>10 &amp; Un 100 Fly</b>	1:55.19Y 2:09.79L	<b>62</b>
<b>43</b>	2:31.49Y 2:50.79L	<b>11-12 200 Free</b>	2:27.49Y 2:47.79L	<b>44</b>
<b>47</b>	2:48.89Y 3:15.29L	<b>12 &amp; Un 200 Back#</b>	2:45.59Y 3:11.09L	<b>48</b>
<b>51</b>	39.59Y 45.49L	<b>11-12 50 Back</b>	39.49Y 45.69L	<b>52</b>
<b>55</b>	1:36.69Y 1:49.99L	<b>11-12 100 Breast</b>	1:35.09Y 1:49.19L	<b>56</b>
<b>59</b>	34.29Y 39.19L	<b>11-12 50 Free</b>	33.39Y 37.99L	<b>60</b>
<b>63</b>	1:27.19Y 1:38.69L	<b>11-12 100 Fly</b>	1:25.79Y 1:37.49L	<b>64</b>
<b>65</b>		<b>12 &amp; Un 200 Free Relay#</b>		<b>66</b>

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#Timed Final

**FINALS SCHEDULE** (Consolations will be swum for Open events only and not scored):

**13,14,15,16,41,42,43,44,17,18,19,20,45,46,21,22,23,24,49,50,51,52**

**25,26,27,28,53,54,55,56,29,30,31,32,57,58,59,60,37,38,39,40,61,62,63,64**

**Sunday, November 21, 2011**

*Schedule of Events AM Session: Timed Finals*

*7:45 am Warm-Up (45 minutes) 8:35 Meet Start*

<b>Girls#</b>	<b>Qualifying Time Equal To or Faster Than</b>	<b>Age Group/Stroke</b>	<b>Qualifying Time Equal To or Faster Than</b>	<b>Boys#</b>
<b>67</b>		<b>13-14 400 Medley Relay</b>		<b>68</b>
<b>71</b>	2:08.19Y 2:25.39L	<b>13-14 200 Free</b>	1:59.99Y 2:17.29L	<b>72</b>
<b>75</b>	1:08.49Y 1:17.79L	<b>13-14 100 Back</b>	1:04.19Y 1:14.49L	<b>76</b>
<b>79</b>	2:46.79Y 3:11.99L	<b>13-14 200 Breast</b>	2:36.29Y 3:01.99L	<b>80</b>
<b>83</b>	1:07.79Y 1:16.49L	<b>13-14 100 Fly</b>	1:02.89Y 1:11.09L	<b>84</b>
<b>87</b>	28.69Y 32.49L	<b>13-14 50 Free</b>	26.29Y 30.29L	<b>88</b>
<b>69</b>		<b>OPEN 400 Medley Relay</b>		<b>70</b>
<b>73</b>	2:04.89Y 2:21.09L	<b>OPEN 200 Free</b>	1:55.09Y 2:11.49L	<b>74</b>
<b>77</b>	1:06.59Y 1:16.29L	<b>OPEN 100 Back</b>	1:01.09Y 1:10.59L	<b>78</b>
<b>81</b>	2:42.79Y 3:05.69L	<b>OPEN 200 Breast</b>	2:30.09Y 2:54.29L	<b>82</b>
<b>85</b>	1:06.29Y 1:14.19L	<b>OPEN 100 Fly</b>	1:00.09Y 1:07.69L	<b>86</b>
<b>89</b>	27.99Y 31.79L	<b>OPEN 50 Free</b>	25.29Y 28.79L	<b>90</b>
<b>91</b>		<b>OPEN 800 Free Relay</b>		<b>92</b>

*Schedule of Events Sunday PM Session: Timed Finals*

*45 minute warm-up; Warm-ups will start 15 minutes after the end of the AM session*

<b>Girls #</b>	<b>Qualifying Time Equal To or Faster Than</b>	<b>Age Group/Stroke</b>	<b>Qualifying Time Equal To or Faster Than</b>	<b>Boys #</b>
<b>93</b>	1:31.29Y 1:43.99L	<b>10 &amp; Under 100 Free</b>	1:29.19Y 1:41.59L	<b>94</b>
<b>97</b>	53.59Y 1:01.59L	<b>10 &amp; Under 50 Breast</b>	53.59Y 1:01.59L	<b>98</b>
<b>103</b>	1:45.69Y 2:02.39L	<b>10 &amp; Under 100 Back</b>	1:42.89Y 1:58.09L	<b>104</b>
<b>107</b>	48.79Y 55.09L	<b>10 &amp; Under 50 Fly</b>	47.29Y 52.89L	<b>108</b>
<b>113</b>	3:19.39Y 3:46.49L	<b>10 &amp; Under 200 IM</b>	3:18.09Y 3:44.79L	<b>114</b>
<b>95</b>	1:13.59Y 1:25.79L	<b>11-12 100 Free</b>	1:13.09Y 1:23.29L	<b>96</b>
<b>99</b>	3:11.69Y 3:40.59L	<b>12 &amp; Under 200 Breast</b>	3:07.29Y 3:37.49L	<b>100</b>
<b>101</b>	44.09Y 49.09L	<b>11-12 50 Breast</b>	44.29Y 51.09L	<b>102</b>
<b>105</b>	1:27.99Y 1:38.89L	<b>11-12 100 Back</b>	1:25.79Y 1:39.19L	<b>106</b>
<b>109</b>	2:51.79Y 3:14.19L	<b>12 &amp; Under 200 Fly</b>	2:48.29Y 3:13.39L	<b>110</b>
<b>111</b>	37.79Y 42.39L	<b>11-12 50 Fly</b>	38.19Y 42.99L	<b>112</b>
<b>115</b>	1:26.29Y	<b>11-12 100 IM</b>	1:23.69Y	<b>116</b>
<b>117</b>		<b>12 &amp; Under 200 Medley Relay</b>		<b>118</b>

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