



**Georgetown Winter Invite
January 9th, 2026**

**Entries due Tuesday,
January 6th**

Meet: **2026 Georgetown Winter Invite**
Hosted by Georgetown High School
January 9th, 2026

Team Alignments:

Venue: Georgetown Recreation Center
1003 N.Austin Ave.,
Georgetown, TX 78626

Facility: Indoor 25 yard, 8 competition lanes, warm-down area Only the spectators will be using the bleacher area. Limited deck space, teams will be stationed outside if weather permits. Fully automatic timing system.

Diving: There will be no diving at this swim meet. *(Event 9&10 are plugged in as place holders)*

Local Info: Parking: Parking is free. Teams with buses and vans should drop off their passengers at the circle drive in front of the Rec Center. The parking lot/area for buses is on the Southeast corner of the building (Closest to the open field) If the space is full, you may park along the grass next to the field.

Time & Date: This is a timed finals event.

All relays will be swum as timed finals events during finals.

Friday, January 9th: 7:00 – 8:45. Warm-Up / 9:00 a.m. Meet Start

***Split warm-ups will be in effect for warm-up. Warm-up lane assignments will be published by Wednesday January 7th, 2026. The Rec Center facility and natatorium open at 7:00 a.m.

Meet Referee:

Officials:

Meet Director: Jeremy Kline email: klinej@georgetownisd.org cell: 765-366-0555

Safety Guidelines and Procedures: Attached in Teams Email

General Meeting: All swimmers must be represented at a general meeting to be held Friday, January 9th, 2026 in the natatorium classroom. The meeting will begin at 8:45 a.m. or immediately following prelims warm-up. Any changes to the conduct of the meet will be decided at this meeting. It is each swimmer and coach's responsibility to be aware of any changes made during this meeting.

Seeding: Heats will be seeded slowest to fastest.

Qualifying Times: There are no qualification times.

Scratching: There will be no penalty for failure to report to the starting blocks for events.

Late Entries: Entries made after the entry deadline will NOT be accepted. No changes to entered times or entered events will be accepted after the entry deadline.

Entry Information:

Entry Times: Swimmers should enter at their best time. If swimmers have never competed in an event, put NT where a seed time is requested.

Qualifying Times: None

Number of Events: Each athlete may enter a maximum of four (4) events of which no more than two (2) events may be individual events. If more than four (4) events are shown on the entry form for a given athlete, only the first four (4) will be accepted.

Deadline: Payment and a hard copy print-out of the entries must be in the hands of the Meet Director no later than 9:15am. on Friday, December 9th, 2026. No late entries will be accepted.

Entries: All teams MUST submit their entries electronically via email, using the Hy-Tek Meet Manager/Team Manager computer software. Include relays and relay-only swimmers with your electronic submission.

Fees: \$15.00 per athlete. 10\$ per relay.

*** Make checks payable to:

Georgetown High School Swimming
2211 N Austin Ave Georgetown TX, 78626
Attn Jeremy Kline

Scoring: Individual Events: 1st – 8th place: 20-17-16-15-14-13-12-11
9th – 16th place: 9-7-6-5-4-3-2-1
Relay Events: 1st – 8th place: 40-34-32-30-28-26-24-22
9th – 16th place: 18-14-12-10-8-6-4-2

Awards: There will be no awards at this meet.

Relay Events: All relays will be swum as timed final events. Properly completed relay cards must be turned in to the Clerk of Course before the meet begins.

Rules &

Sanctions: Current National Federation of State High School Associations Swimming and Diving and UIL rules and regulations regarding competition will be applied. This meet will be USA Swimming observed for registered USA swimmers. The coach from each team must submit a list of names and USA-S ID numbers along with their entries. Unattached swimmers and divers may compete in this meet with the requirements that they are 1) USA Swimming, USA Diving or AAU registered, 2) full time High School students, 3) under the age of 19 and 4) in good academic & disciplinary standing with their High School.

Officials: Any team bringing UIL and/or USA swimming officials should contact the Meet Referee; (TBD) Officials dress is white over khaki. Deck officials must have current UIL and/or USA-S certification (If the meet becomes sanctioned). There will be an officials' meeting at 8:30 a.m. on Friday.

Timing System: A Daktronics electronic timing system with electronic scoreboard will be used. Two watches per lane will be used as a back-up.

Timers: Each team will be required to furnish TWO timers. Timing assignments will be published in the meet program

Spectators: There will be a five dollar (\$5) gate fee per spectator for. Volunteer Timers on the sign-up sheet and K-12 student spectators, and Sun City residents are free of charge.

Cell Phone Restrictions: Use of audio or visual recording devices, including a cell phone, is not permitted in changing areas, rest rooms or locker rooms. There are no exceptions to this policy. Violators are subject to disqualification from the meet, disbarment from the facility, and arrest.

Swimmer Photographs and Videos: There may be one or more photographers and/or videographers on deck at this meet. In the event such personnel are present, parents or guardians of swimmers under the age of 18 who do not wish to have photos or videos of their athletes made are required to contact the Meet Director prior to the beginning of warm-ups. Photographers and videographers are strongly encouraged to stay out of the area immediately behind the starting blocks, but if present are specifically prohibited from making shots during the start phase of any race.

Drones: 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. Exceptions may be granted with prior written approval by the Programs and Events Committee Chair or designee.

Deck Changing: Deck changes are prohibited.

Special Needs: Please notify the Meet Director Jeremy Kline (765-366-0555) in advance of this event with the name and age of any member on your team who needs assistance to enter the facility. The host staff will make reasonable accommodations for swimmers, coaches, or spectators who wish to enter and use our facility. In any meet sanctioned or approved by South Texas Swimming, Inc., which may include one or more swimmers with visual,

hearing, mental, or physical disabilities; the judging of such competitors shall be in strict accordance with the current USA Swimming Rules and Regulations, i.e., Article 105. A disability is defined as a PERMANENT physical or mental impairment that substantially limits one or more major life activities. Coaches and/or athletes must notify the Meet Referee before the event begins if they are to be considered to be judged under Article 105. Adaptive swimmers who would like their events to be seeded in the lane next to the starter should notify the entry chair by the second entry deadline.

Hospitality: A hospitality room will be available for coaches, officials and meet personnel ONLY.

**Warm-up
Procedures:**

A. General warm-up: Specific designated lanes and times will be assigned and lane controlled including starts within each teams designated lane.

**Order of
Events:**

Girls	Timed Finals	Event	Timed Finals	Boys
1	F	200 yd Medley Relay	F	2
3	F	200 yd Free	F	4
5	F	200 yd IM	F	6
7	F	50 yd Free	F	8
10 Min Break	<u>No Diving</u>	10 Min Break	<u>No Diving</u>	10 Min Break
11	F	100 yd Fly	F	12
13	F	100 yd Free	F	14
15	F	500 yd Free	F	16
17	F	200 yd Free Relay	F	18
19	F	100 yd Backstroke	F	20
21	F	100 yd Breastroke	F	22
23	F	400 yd Free Relay	F	24

**Safety
Guidelines:**

A. Swimmers Responsibilities

1. All swimmers without a registered coach to observe them at the meet, and/or their coaches, should arrange, prior to their arrival at the meet, for a registered coach to observe them during the warm-up, competition and warm-down. Any unattached or unattended swimmers who have not made previous arrangements with a coach to observe them at the meet should contact the Meet Director, Safety Marshal or Meet Referee for assistance in making such arrangements prior to their participating in the warm-up.

B. Coaches Responsibilities

1. Coaches shall instruct their swimmers regarding safety guidelines and warm-up procedures as they apply to conduct at meets and practice.
2. Coaches shall stand near the starting end of the pool when starting swimmers on sprint and pace work.
3. Coaches shall actively supervise their swimmers throughout the warm-up session.
4. Coaches shall maintain as much contact with their swimmers as possible, both verbal and visual, throughout the warm-up period.

C. Safety Marshals

1. Appointed Safety Marshals are members of USA Swimming and have the authority to remove from the deck for the remainder of the warm-up session, any swimmer or coach who is in violation of safety guidelines or warm-up procedures. THE MEET REFEREE MAY EXERCISE ADDITIONAL ADJUDICATION AUTHORITY AS NECESSARY.

D. Miscellaneous

1. Swimmers should be reminded by coaches that breaststrokers need more lead time than freestyle or butterfly swimmers.
2. Backstrokers shall ensure that they are not starting at the same time as a swimmer on the blocks. Swimmers shall not step up on the starting blocks, when a backstroker is waiting to start.
3. Swimmers shall not jump or dive into the pool to stop another swimmer on a recalled start.
4. Swimmers are required to exit the pool upon completion of their warm-up to allow other swimmers adequate warm-up time. The pool is not for visiting or playing during warm-up periods.
5. Warm-up procedures shall be enforced for any breaks, scheduled or otherwise, during the competition.
6. NO EQUIPMENT, kick boards, paddles, etc., is allowed during the entire meet.

E. Pool Rules

1. Smoking or use of other tobacco products is not allowed on the grounds of USA Swimming meets.
2. Glass containers are prohibited.
3. Swimmers, coaches, and spectators are expected to observe all rules and regulations included in the invitation.