

Wheeling YMCA 8th Annual Veterans' Day Invitational 11/08/2026

Host	Wheeling YMCA
Meet Director	Rick Riedel Email: riedelswim@gmail.com Phone 304-650-6690
Location	The Linsly School 60 Knox Lane Wheeling, WV 26003
Facility Description	25 yard 6 lane pool, starting platforms, 6' lanes, Daktronics Timing system with watch backup.
Pool certification	The competition course has been certified in accordance with 104.2.2c(4)
Water Depth	The water depth at the start end is 9' 9" and the turn end 3'9".
Events	The meet will be conducted in accordance with the event schedule provided. All events will be mixed events for 19 and under or mixed 11-19. Relays will be girls and boys 19 and under.
Entries Open	01 October 2026
Entry Closes	04 November 2026
Entry Fees	There is a flat fee of \$30 for all swimmers, no matter the number of events they swim. The fee will include the Mission Accomplished Award, if a swimmer is in all 6 individual events for 10 and under and 9 individual events for 11-19.
Entry Limit	There are no restrictions on the number of individual events that a swimmer may enter. Swimmers are challenged to enter all 9 individual events. Swimmers may also enter the 200-free relay to make a total of 10 events.
Entry Procedures	- Entries must be in SCY - NT's Will be accepted - All entries should be submitted via email to the entry chair

Meet EntryChair	Rick Riedel Email: riedelswim@gmail.com
Mail Checks	Rick Riedel 222 Washington Avenue Wheeling, WV 26003
Checks	Payable to Cardinal Aquatics Wheeling YMCA
Seeding	The meet will be pre-seeded.
Safety Chair	Jeani Humpe Email: jhumpe21@gmail.com
Official Contact	Rick Riedel Email: riedelswim@gmail.com
Award	The Mission Accomplished Award will be given to any swimmer who participates in all 6 individual events 10 and under, or 9 individual events for 11-19.

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Scoring	No events will be scored.
Miscellaneous	Our country's Veterans have endured many challenges over their military careers. This meet is meant to offer swimmers a unique challenge that is outside of their comfort zone.
Results	Results will be emailed to coaches or entry chairs of the teams participating. Results will be broken down into age groups as follows: 8 and under, 9-10, 11-12, 13-14, 15-19.
Meet Warm up	Warm-up assignments will be determined as entries are received.
Meet Start Time	12:00 pm
Mission Accomplished	Coaches entries are due on 11/04/26, but could you email Rick Riedel the number of swimmers from your team that plan to sign up for all 6 or 9 events by 10/30/26. We would like to have all the awards in for the swimmers by the day of the meet.

1 Girls 19 and under 200 Free Relay
2 Boys 19 and Under 200 Free Relay
3 Mixed 19 and Under 50 Freestyle
4 Mixed 19 and Under 100 Freestyle
5 Mixed 19 and Under 50 Backstroke
6 Mixed 11-19 and Under 100 Backstroke
7 Mixed 19 and Under 50 Breaststroke
8 Mixed 11-19 and Under 100 Breaststroke
9 Mixed 19 and Under 50 Butterfly
10 Mixed 11-19 and Under 100 Butterfly
11 Mixed 19 and Under 100 Individual Medley