

NCSA Age Group Championships March 21-24, 2018

- Meet Host:** NCSA
- Location:** YMCA Aquatic Center
8422 International Drive
Orlando, FL 32819
- Meet Format:** 25 yard Course
Prelim/Finals* (all 11-14-year-old)
Timed Finals (all 10&Unders)
- * The top twenty-four swimmers from each event will return for finals in the following format:
Championship Heat **Top 8 Qualifiers**
Consolation 1 **Next 8 fastest swimmers**
Consolation 2 **Next 8 fastest swimmers at the bottom of their age group**
(11-year-old and 13-year-old swimmers in their respective age groups)
- Eligibility:** This meet is open to all Competitive and National Track swimmers who have the necessary qualifying times for the meet.
- Finals Note:** Per YCF team policy, we do not allow swimmers who qualify for Finals to scratch except for unexpected medical reasons, therefore all YCF swimmers who qualify for Finals will be expected to attend.
- Schedule:** Wednesday-Saturday
Prelims (11-14): Warm up – 6:30 am Meet Starts – 8:30 am
Timed Finals (10 & U): Warm up – 6:30 am Meet Starts – 8:30 am
Finals (11-14): Warm up – 4:00 pm Meet Starts – 5:30 pm
- PLEASE arrive on deck in your suit and ready to swim 10 minutes prior to the warm up start time for check in and last minute instructions.**
- Events:** Please see the event list on the YCF Swim Team website. Having one event time standard allows an athlete to swim 5 bonus events. The 400 IM, 500 Free, and 1650 Free are not eligible bonus events.
- Entry Limit:** Swimmers are limited to a maximum of 10 individual events with no more than 3 events per day.
- Entry Fees:** The entry fees are \$50 per swimmer plus \$2 per event. This includes all individual, relay, facility and team fees:
- To Enter:** Entry for this meet is through email to Head Coach Alan at apfau@cfymca.org. Please email him with the days and events that you wish to be signed up to swim no later than the entry deadline below.

- Payment Note: By signing up online for this meet, you agree to pay all related entry fees as listed above. Final entry fees will be posted to your Active site after the coaches select events for our swimmers. **Please do not pay for entry fees at your family center.** You also acknowledge that entry fee charges are non-refundable regardless of illness, injury or any reason that may not allow you to participate in this meet. Swimmers who sign up but then fail to attend the meet for any reason will still be charged for their entry fees.
- Entry Deadline: All interested and eligible YCF swimmers must be entered through the sign up link on our team website, (www.ycfswimming.org under Schedules->Meets & Outings). **All entries must be received by 12:00pm on Monday, March 12.** Late entries will not be accepted.
- Awards: Individual: Medals - 1st-8th Ribbons - 9th - 16th
Relay: Medals - 1st-8th
- Apparel: All attending swimmers and parents should wear their choice YCF Swimming t-shirt on Wednesday, their **black** YCF Swimming t-shirt on Thursday, their **gray** YCF Swimming t-shirt on Friday and their **red** YCF Swimming t-shirt on Saturday.
- Facility Note: As a USA Swimming sanctioned event, this meet will operate with a closed pool deck per USA Swimming and Safe Sport rules. This means only swimmers, coaches, officials and assigned meet volunteers will be allowed inside the designated competition course for any given session. This rule is in place for both the safety of our swimmers and the efficiency of our meet operations. We appreciate your help and understanding with this policy.