



2015 U.S. Synchronized Swimming JUNIOR OLYMPICS

June 26 – July 4

Greensboro Aquatic Center - Greensboro, NC.

OFFICIAL MEET ANNOUNCEMENT - Rev 05-06

COMPETITION DATES June 27 through July 4

MEET MANAGER (S)	Susan Braman, Manager Greensboro Aquatic Center (336) 315-8489 Susan.Braman@greensboro-nc.gov	Katherine McIntosh, Competitive Coordinator Greensboro Aquatic Center (336) 315-8490 Katherine.Mcintosh@greensboro-nc.gov
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FACILITY Greensboro Aquatic Center (GAC)
1921 West Lee Street
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POOL SPECS	Length: 52.5 Meter Stretch with two bulkheads, placed at 30 meters for competition area	Practice space: Shallow side of bulkheads in competition pool Dive Well (separate pool) (See detailed deck layout Appendix 3)
	Width: 25 yards	
	Depth: 10'-2" at Entry (start end) sloping to 9'-4" at bulkheads	
	Entry: Dive Well end (no obstructions) with spectators on East side, Grandstands with seat backs	

RULES TO GOVERN

The 2015 Official USA Synchro Rulebook shall govern the Championships.

ELECTRONIC ENTRIES

To register online (See Appendix 1), login to your account from the homepage of the USASynchro.org website, by clicking on "Registration". If you have any technical difficulties or questions, please email or call Jennifer Hawkins at (317) 237-5700 x5708 or jennifer@usasynchro.org

ENTRY DEADLINE

Entries must be completed online by **Friday, June 5, 2015** Midnight EST and all forms must be postmarked by **ENTRY DEADLINE** or emailed no later than **June 5, 2015**.

Late Fees: As stated in Appendix C, per Technical Rule CP 5.6.1, any entry to a National Championship received between 21 and 7 days prior to the first day of the competition shall pay late fees. Sponsor and Event Entry fees shall be a minimum of \$100 or 10% of the total entry fee, whichever is greater, for first time offenders unless a technology failure can be proven to account for a late entry. For each ensuing offense, within a season, the percentage will increase by 5%.

Provisional entry: If a qualifying event is held after the entry deadline for this competition, a provisional entry must be submitted according to the above deadline. Within 72 hours of the completion of the qualifying competition, the proof of qualification must be submitted by phone and in writing to the V.P. of Competitive Operations and the Meet Manager.

FORMS

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OFFICIALS

Please register online by the entry deadline. In addition, please e-mail Judges Administrator, Shannon Korpela, with your intent to attend at s_korpela@msn.com. Those wishing to take the National judge's tests should notify Shannon. Testing time will be during 12 and Under Team practice with music on June 26 and 16 - 17 Team practice with music on July 1. Judges uniform shall be white shirts and black pants. Please consult final schedule for exact times.

COACHES CERTIFICATION AND SAFESPORT

All U.S. coaches attending the Junior Olympics must have current CCP Level 2, First Aid/CPR and must be SafeSport trained by June 1, 2015. Registered coaches will be verified and those holding the required certifications will be granted credentials. If you have any questions, contact Emily Harvey at Emily@usasynchro.org or Shari Darst at syncsplash@gmail.com.

FEE INFORMATION

Entry Fee: \$30 per competitor per routine, including alternates. Payments are made online at the USASynchro.org website. Any swimmer who is listed as an alternate for a routine and who is not swimming any other routine event shall pay the entry fee. (Rulebook, Appendix C)

Surcharge: \$5 per competitor, including alternates. Payments are made online at the USASynchro.org website. Any swimmer who is listed as an alternate for a routine and who is not swimming any other routine event shall pay the surcharge. This surcharge is to cover expenses for Officials. (Rulebook, Appendix C)

Sponsor Fee: \$25 per competitor. Payments are made online at the USASynchro.org website.

Credentials: Each club will receive coach credentials and chaperones per the chart below. Additional coach and chaperone credentials are available for \$15 each. Lost or misplaced credentials will be \$15 for replacement. Payments are made online at the USASynchro.org website.

# of athletes	Maximum # of free credentials	
	Coaches	Chaperones
1 - 10	2	1
11 - 15	3	2
16 - 20	4	2
21 - 25	5	3
26 - 30	6	3
31 - 35	7	4
36 - 40	8	4
41 - 45	9	5
46 - 50	10	5

EVENTS

Routines competition will be held in Solo, Duet and Team for 12 and under, 13 - 15, 16 - 17 and 18 - 19 age groups. Free Combination will be held in 13 - 15 and 16 - 19.

FIGURES

The Figure Competition will consist of the following figures:

Figures 12 and under – Compulsory DD

101	Ballet Leg, Single	1.6
301	Barracuda	2.0

Figures 13 - 15 – Compulsory DD

423	Ariana	2.2
301e	Barracuda, Spinning 360	2.2

Figures 16 - 19 – Compulsory DD

308	Barracuda Airborne Split	2.8
355g	Porpoise Twist Spin	2.6

All competitors must swim figures. If competitors are only swimming Free Combination and are swimming up to compete the coach may choose the figure group.

The remaining two figures will be drawn from their respective Selection Groups: **12 and Under on Wednesday, June 24, 2015, 13 - 15 on Friday, June 26, 2015, and 16 - 19 on Monday, June 29, 2015** by the USA Synchro VP of Competitive Operations or the meet Technical Chair designee and posted to the USA Synchro website by **2:30pm CST**. An email will be sent to all technical members of USA Synchro at the same time.

- AWARDS** USA Synchro medals will be awarded in each group to finalist places 1 - 3 in routines and 1 - 3 in figure competition. USA Synchro ribbons will be awarded to places 4 – 12 in routines and 4 - 12 in figures.
- SCORING CHAIR** Maggie Downey downeymm@gmail.com [352-494-4850](tel:352-494-4850) (cell phone)
- SCORING SYSTEM** CTS SynchroMM software and display system will be used. Judges will award scores for Execution, Artistic Impression and Difficulty in free routines. Send questions regarding scoring to the scoring chair.
- MUSIC** We will use computer files (digital music). A CD player will be provided as back up. Email music and questions to leahycm@gmail.com by Friday June 5, 2015. Please see Appendix 2 for guidelines.

OFFICIALS AND COACHES HOSPITALITY

Food and beverages will be available in the hospitality room located just off deck. A schedule of planned meals and snack times will be provided at registration and listed in the hospitality room.

OFFICIALS AND COACHES WELCOME RECEPTION

All officials, coaches, sponsors and US Synchronized Swimming Staff are invited to a reception Wednesday, July 1 from 6:00 pm – 8:00 pm, in the adjacent Special Events Center, ACC Hall of Champions. Located next door to the GAC.

July 4 – Join us for The Fun Fourth Fireworks and Concert immediately following finals (Amphitheater). Free admission!

PREFERRED HOTEL (S)

HOTEL	ADDRESS	TELEPHONE	RATE	MILEAGE TO GAC	AMENITIES
HOST HOTEL Courtyard by Marriott	4400 West Wendover Avenue	336-294-3800	\$109.00	5 Miles	Complimentary wireless internet
Best Western Windsor Suites	2006 Veasley Street	336-294-9100	\$99.00	2 Miles	Complimentary breakfast and wireless internet
Doubletree by Hilton	3030 High Point Road	336-292-4004	\$109.00	1.2 Miles	Complimentary wireless internet
Fairfield Inn and Suites	4308 Big Tree Way	336-369-1303	\$119.00	5 Miles	Complimentary breakfast and wireless internet
Greensboro Marriott Downtown	304 N. Greene Street	336-387-8011	\$110.00	3.6 Miles	Complimentary parking and wireless internet
Greensboro/High Point Marriott Airport	One Marriott Drive	336-294-3800	\$109.00	12.4 miles	Complimentary wireless internet in the lobby
Home2Suites	7801 National Service Road	336-256-9680	\$159.00	12.4 Miles	Complimentary breakfast and wireless internet
Sheraton Greensboro Hotel	3121 High Point Road	336-292-9161	\$126.00	1.5 Miles	Complimentary breakfast and wireless internet
Springhill Suites	6006 Landmark Center Blvd.	336-809-0909	\$122.00	5 Miles	Complimentary breakfast and wireless internet

**** PLEASE NOTE - Reservations must be made by June 11, 2015 ****

If considering other hotel options, consider supporting USA Synchro sponsor Hilton Hotels: <http://teamusa.honors.com/33/>

AIRPORT

Piedmont Triad International Airport (GSO) - (336) 665-5600
Located 14 miles from the GAC.
www.flyfrompti.com

Alternate Airports

- Charlotte Douglas International Airport (CLT) (US Airways Hub)
www.charlotteairport.com
Charlotte Douglas Int'l Airport is 83 miles from Greensboro
- Raleigh Durham International Airport (RDU) (Southwest Hub)
www.rdu.com
Raleigh Durham Int'l Airport is 66 miles from Greensboro

All final meet information will be available on-line at www.usasynchro.org.

If you prefer to have a hard copy of the final meet announcement mailed to you, please contact the Championship's Meet Managers.

AIRPORT DISCOUNTS

As a member of USA Synchro you are eligible to receive discount flights to USA Synchro sanctioned events on [United Airlines](#). Book now by calling the United Olympic Desk at 1-800-841-0460 and receive up to 10 percent off the retail fare price.

GROUND TRANSPORTATION

Shuttle service available between airport and hotels.

Taxi/ van services are provided by Triad Transportation. They can be reached at (336) 668-9808. Triad Transportation is located lower level center in the terminal building. Rental car companies are available on site at Piedmont Triad International Airport.

DIRECTIONS TO THE GAC

From Piedmont Triad International Airport: Travelers arriving by air at Piedmont Triad International Airport (PTIA), travel east on Bryan Boulevard and take the I-40 exit (Raleigh/Winston-Salem) to Future I-73/I-840. Take future I-73/I-840 to I-40 East (Exit 1). Travel on I-40 East to Freeman Mill Road (Exit 218B). Continue on Freeman Mill Road and then turn left on Coliseum Boulevard, turn left on Ellington Street and right into main entrance.

The GAC address is 1921 West Lee Street (called High Point Road) but if using GPS enter the Lee Street address.

COACHES MEETINGS

Held in the pool hospitality room.

Friday, June 26	See final schedule
Sunday, June 28	See final schedule
Wednesday, July 1	See final schedule

ON-SITE REGISTRATION

Club and Official's Registration will be at held in the GAC on deck at the Dive Well end (near Participant/ Coach entrance area) during the following times:

Friday, June 26	4:00 pm – 8:00 pm
Saturday, June 27	8:00 am – 12:00 pm
Sunday, June 28	9:00 am – 2:30 pm
Monday, June 29	8:00 am – 11:00 am
Tuesday, June 30	8:00 am – 11:00 am
Wednesday, July 1	8:00 am – 11:00 am
Thursday, July 2	8:00 am – 11:00 am

PARKING

Complimentary Parking Credentials will be provided for Coaches and Officials in designated areas near the GAC. The number provided is based upon the team size as follows:

1 -15	= 3 Complimentary Parking Passes
16 - 25	= 4 Complimentary Parking Passes
26 - 35	= 5 Complimentary Parking Passes
36 +	= 6 Complimentary Parking Passes

A Discounted \$20.00 All Session parking pass for additional Coaches and Chaperones will be sold at Registration. The pass is good seven days (Saturday June 27 – Saturday July 4) and will be available for purchase during the first three days of Registration (only) hours as follows:

Friday – June 26	4:00 pm- 8:00 pm
Saturday - June 27	8:00 am- 12:00 pm
Sunday – June 28	9:00 am – 2:30 pm

Daily parking will be \$5 with in and out privileges. Note: There will be no fee for parking on July 4. Please be advised to arrive before 4:00 pm to get a good parking space on this date.

Drop and Go area, spectator entry and pass parking will all be indicated on a facility map on the GAC website – greensboroaquaticcenter.com. The map will also be available at registration.

CONCESSIONS:

Full concessions will be available on site during the Championships.

NO Coolers or Food allowed in the GAC * Exception is that the participant may bring in power bars or snack bars in their back pack. Water will be available on deck for competitors.

Participants may bring food and beverages to the Team Zone Tent located on the South end of the GAC property and adjacent to the Participant/Coach entrance.

ATHLETES PARADE The Athletes Parade will be held prior to each Age Group Awards Ceremonies. See final schedule for more information. All athletes from all clubs are encouraged to participate. Dress for the parade in team warm-up suits or appropriate team uniform.

PRACTICE WITH MUSIC

Practice time with music will be once in the competition pool for each team routine in the order of draw. Refer to the final meet schedule for practice times and be on deck ready to swim at the appropriate time. Please notify the sound manager if you will not be swimming during the practice. Please note: Diagrams of this rotation will be posted on deck prior to all designated swim thru times. Coaches will be given this information at coaches meetings as well.

TEAM BANNERS

Please drop off all team banners at registration. **GAC Staff will hang BANNERS ON THE West Side.** Teams may bring or make a second banner or poster for their area in the "Team Bleacher" location on the dive well end.

PRACTICE TIME

The competition and practice pools are available for rental:

Monday June 22 – Friday June 26

A sound system belonging to the GAC facility may be available for use. Please coordinate usage with the GAC staff. The cost is \$145.00 per hour in 1 - hour time blocks. Teams are limited to 1 practice per pool (Dive well, Competition and Warm up) until June 1. Any un-booked time remaining after June 1 will be opened for reservation by any teams wishing to add more practice time. The space and schedule of times available are as follows:

Monday, 6/22

Dive Well – 12 pm – 4 pm

Tuesday, 6/23

Dive Well - 7am – 11:30am & 2pm – 4:30pm

Competition Pool - 2pm - 8pm

Wednesday, 6/24

Dive Well - 7:30am - 8pm

Competition Pool - 7am - 8pm

Thursday, 6/25

Dive Well - 12pm – 8pm

Competition Pool - 7am - 8pm

Friday, 6/26

Dive Well - 7am - 3pm

Competition Pool - 7am - 3pm

Warm up Pool - 7am - 3pm

To reserve please e-mail: Kate McIntosh @ Katherine.McIntosh@greensboro-nc.gov and we will respond directly to confirm availability and reservation times. Credit card numbers may be called in and checks may be made payable to Greensboro Aquatic Center and can be mailed to:

Greensboro Aquatic Center – Attention: Kate McIntosh
1921 W. Lee Street
Greensboro, North Carolina 27403

LIVE WEB STREAMING



While it's not always possible to make it to an event in person, the good news is TakeltLive provides free LIVE coverage for anyone wanting to watch and be a part of the event. In addition to tuning in LIVE, On-Demand video is available via our website. We highly encourage friends and family to get a digital download of the competition. Not only does this help support the team, but it allows TakeltLive to provide LIVE coverage for future events.

SPECTATOR TICKETS

An All Session book valid Saturday June 27 - Saturday July 4 may be purchased ahead through ticket Master for \$30.00 (General admission seating all ages). Advance tickets go on sale May 4.

Daily admission will be \$10.00 for Adults and \$5.00 for Seniors & Children under the age of 12. There will be free admission for children under the age of 2. Daily tickets can be purchased at the GAC Spectator Box office. Single day attendees will have their hand stamped if they would like to re-enter.

USA Synchro Life Members should send an email with their name, USSSI number and dates attending, to: Chad Paris @ Chad.Paris@greensboro-nc.gov. Passes for Life Members will be waiting at the GAC Box Office.

SCOREBOARD GREETINGS and PHOTOS

Family and friends can submit personal greetings, messages and photos to be included in the Scoreboard Master Show. Personal greetings and messages will be placed in the digital Master Show in the Order in which they are received and paid for.

Greetings of 25 words or less - \$10.00

Full Screen Picture w/caption - \$20.00 (also can be split in halves)

Half Screen Picture w/caption - \$15.00

Participating teams are invited to send solo, duet and team photos for the Digital Master Show on the Scoreboard. See the attached **Form B** for specifics on how to submit your message and/or photo by email. Save photos as a JPEG (.jpg) digital file. Set JPEG compression for high quality.

Full Screen – 250 pixels Tall X 480 pixels Wide

Hall Screen – 200 pixels Tall X 240 pixels Wide

Send photos as an attachment to an e-mail. In the e-mail subject line indicate the club name. In the body of the e-mail include the complete name of club, city, state, description of photo, and name of the swimmers. (DO NOT send a word text document.) Name your attached photo file a name that describes your team photo (i.e. SST_trio.jpg) Send one photo and caption per e-mail (i.e. 4 photos = 4 e-mail messages.) E-mail photos to Chad Paris at Chad.Paris@greensboro-nc.gov. Chad can be reached at (336) 315-8498 with any questions regarding submission of photos.

PROGRAM PICTURES and GREETINGS

Support your swimmers by submitting a picture or greeting to be featured in the event program. Cost per photo is \$35 and \$10 per greeting for the program and **must be received by June 5, 2015**. Please make checks payable to **USA Synchro** and send them with **Form C** to [Rachel Hibner](mailto:Rachel.Hibner@usasynchro.org).

FLOWERS

Flowers will be available for purchase during finals.

PHOTO/ VIDEO REGULATIONS

Any photographs, videotape or other audio and/or visual recordings of the event created by a spectator may be used solely for such spectator's personal non-commercial use, and may not be broadcast, published or disseminated, or used for any commercial purposes, without the prior written consent of U.S. Synchronized Swimming. Personal use photography will be allowed by the audience, from the stands as long as not obstructing the view of others, with any camera using no flash.

ATTRACTIONS

<http://www.visitgreensboronc.com/attractions>

VENUE RULES

- No outside food or drink is permitted in the building by spectators, officials or coaches.
- Coaches and Officials will have a complimentary hospitality room on deck provided by the GAC.
- Teams will be permitted to bring food and beverages and a cooler to the outside Team Zone tent area and shall not be allowed to enter on deck or in the general spectator area or corridors with any food or beverages. Glass containers of any kind are not allowed on the grounds of the facility.
- Full Concessions will be available each day and include healthy snacks, fruit, and a variety of beverages and meals.
- No Chairs are allowed in the building. Spectators have seat back railings on the grandstand bleacher area and ample space with over 1,900 seating. Seat cushions are permitted.
- Coaches will be provided chairs on deck and bleacher seating.
- There will be a designated gelling area in the "Athlete Gel & Lounge Area", located on the East side near the Dive well. Please gel only in this area. De-gelling is not allowed anywhere on the facility grounds (including showers). Those de-gelling anywhere in the facility will incur a \$100.00 fine.
- Swimmers and spectators shall obey lifeguards at all times.

ESYNCHRO CLINICS

USA Synchro in partnership with eSynchro will offer 2 clinics during the 12 and under and 13 - 15 figure competitions. Pre-register before June 12 and attend the clinic at a discounted rate. Athlete and coaches are welcome to register and attend either clinic. Pre-registration is available on the USA Synchro website:

<http://www.teamusa.org/USA-Synchronized-Swimming/Resources/For-Athletes/Camps>

Please be prepared for dry land.

Clinic #1 –Saturday, June 27, during 12 and Under Figures, location TBD

Clinic #2 – Monday, June 29, during 13 - 15 Figures, location TBD

Cost: \$20 pre-registered by June 12 deadline / \$30 after June 12 and on-site

All final meet information will be available on-line at www.usasynchro.org.

If you prefer to have a hard copy of the final meet announcement mailed to you, please contact the Championship's Meet Managers.

GRADES PROGRAM CLINIC

USA Synchro will be holding two clinics to introduce the new grades program.

- Clinic #1- Friday, June 26 5 - 7 pm, location TBD
- Clinic #2- Monday, June 29 9 - 11 am, location TBD

COLLEGIATE SYNCHRO OPPORTUNITIES SPECIAL SEMINAR

A special seminar for athletes, parents and coaches will be held to overview collegiate Synchro, and discuss the overall experience, recruiting process and scholarships.

Collegiate Synchro Opportunities
 Special Seminar for Parents, Athletes, and Coaches

USA Synchro

At location TBD
 Wednesday, July 1 (after 16 - 19 combo awards)
 Thursday, July 2 (during 18 - 19 Team practice)

- Topics:
- Collegiate Synchro Overview
 - Collegiate Swimming Experience
 - Recruiting process
 - Scholarships
 - Questions



DIGITAL MUSIC SEMINAR

Come meet with Dr MP3 (Chris Leahy) for a presentation on "How I stopped worrying and learned to love digital music"
 - A guide to using digital music at Synchro meets.

- Seminar #1 – Monday, June 29, during 13 - 15 Figures, location TBD
- Seminar #2 – Thursday, July 1, during 16 - 19 Figures, location TBD

TENTATIVE MEET SCHEDULE

A detailed final schedule, based on actual entries, should be available approximately 1 week prior to the start of the meet

Friday, June 26

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 4:00 pm – 8:00 pm 4:00 pm – 5:00 pm 4:30 pm – 5:00 pm 5:00 pm – 7:00 pm 5:00 pm – 7:30 pm | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Registration - in the GAC Lobby on deck at the Dive Well end Officials and Coaches meeting - in the pool hospitality room Open Pool (For 12 and Under Age Group) Grades Program Clinic- Location TBD 12 and Under Team practice with music (in order of draw) |
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Saturday, June 27

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 7:00 am 8:00 am - 12:00 pm 9:00 am – 11:00 am 1:00 pm - 5:00 pm 5:00 pm - 8:30 pm | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Practice Pools Open, Competition Pool Open for 12 and Under Registration - in the GAC on deck at the Dive Well end 12 and Under Figure warm up and competition eSynchro Clinic- Location TBD 13 - 15 Duet Preliminary warm-up and competition 12 and Under Duet Preliminary warm-up and competition |
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Sunday, June 28

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 7:00 am 9:00 am – 2:30 pm 10:00 am - 3:00 pm 3:00 pm - 7:30 pm 7:30 pm 8:30 pm | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Practice Pools Open, Competition Pool Open for 13 - 15 Registration - in the GAC on deck at the Dive Well end Officials and Coaches meeting - in the pool hospitality room 13 - 15 Team practice with music (in order of draw) 12 and Under Team Preliminary warm-up and competition 13 - 15 Team Preliminary warm-up and competition 12 and Under Solo Final warm-up and competition 12 and Under Figure and Solo Awards |
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TENTATIVE MEET SCHEDULE (Continued)**Monday, June 29**

7:00 am	Practice Pools Open, Competition Pool Open for 13 – 15
8:00 am – 11:00 am	Registration - in the GAC on deck at the Dive Well end 13 - 15 Figure warm-up and competition
9:00 am – 11:00 am	eSynchro Clinic- Location TBD
9:00 am – 11:00 am	Grades Program Clinic- Location TBD
1:00 pm – 3:00 pm	Digital Music Seminar- Location TBD 12 and Under Finals Draw at the announcer
4:30 pm	12 and Under Duet Final warm-up and competition 12 and Under Team Final warm-up and competition
8:30 pm	12 and Under Parade of Athletes 12 and Under Duet and Team Awards

Tuesday, June 30

7:30 am	Practice Pools Open, Competition Pool Open for 13 – 15
8:00 pm – 11:00 pm	Registration - in the GAC on deck at the Dive Well end 13 - 15 Finals Draw at the announcer 13 - 15 Free Combination practice with music (in order of draw)
9:30 am	13 - 15 Solo Final warm-up and competition 13 - 15 Duet Final warm-up and competition
2:00 pm	13 - 15 Team Final warm-up and competition
2:00 pm	16 - 19 Free Combination practice with music (in order of draw)
4:30 pm	13 - 15 Free Combination Final warm-up and competition 13 - 15 Parade of Athletes
8:00 pm	13 - 15 Solo, Duet, Team and Free Combination Awards

Wednesday, July 1

7:30 am	Practice Pools Open, Competition Pool Open for 16 – 19 <i>Officials and Coaches meeting - in the pool hospitality room</i>
8:00 am – 11:00 am	Registration - in the GAC on deck at the Dive Well end 16 - 19 Free Combination Final warm-up and competition
10:30 am	16 - 17 Duet Preliminary warm-up and competition 18 - 19 Duet Preliminary warm-up and competition
5:30 pm	16 - 19 Free Combination Awards
5:30 pm - 6:30 pm	Collegiate Synchro Opportunities Seminar- Location TBD
5:30 pm - 8:00 pm	16 - 17 Team practice with music (in order of draw)
6:00 pm – 8:00 pm	Reception for Officials, Coaches, Sponsors and Alumni

Thursday, July 2

7:00 am	Practice Pools Open, Competition Pool Open for 16 – 19
8:00 am – 11:00 am	Registration - in the GAC on deck at the Dive Well end 16 - 17 and 18 - 19 Figure warm-up and competition
5:30 pm - 6:30 pm	Digital Music Seminar- Location TBD
5:30 pm - 8:00 pm	Collegiate Synchro Opportunities Seminar- Location TBD 18 - 19 Team practice with music

Friday, July 3

8:00 am	Practice Pools Open, Competition Pool Open for 16 – 17 16 - 17 Team Preliminary warm-up and competition 16 – 17 and 18 - 19 Solo Final warm-up and competition
2:00 pm	18 - 19 Team Preliminary warm-up and competition
6:00 pm	16 – 17 and 18 - 19 Solo and Figure Awards
6:30 pm	16 - 17 and 18 – 19 Finals Draw at the announcer

Saturday, July 4

8:00 am	Practice Pools Open, Competition Pool Open for 16 – 19 16 - 17 and 18 - 19 Duet Final warm-up and competition
10:30 am	16 - 17 and 18 - 19 Team Final warm-up and competition 16 - 17 and 18 – 19 Parade of Athletes
3:00 pm	16 - 19 Duet and Team Awards
7:30 pm	Fun Fourth Fireworks and Concert (Amphitheater adjacent to the GAC) Admission is FREE!!!

Appendix 1: Club Entry and Fees

To register online login to your account from the homepage of the USA Synchro website <http://www.usasynchro.org/> , by clicking on “Registration”.

See the entry instructions on the site.

If you have any technical difficulties or questions, please email or call Jennifer at 317-237-5700 x5708 or jennifer@usasynchro.org.

Appendix 2: DIGITAL MUSIC SUBMISSION GUIDELINES

Digital music files (ACC, MP3) are to be submitted for routines for this competition.

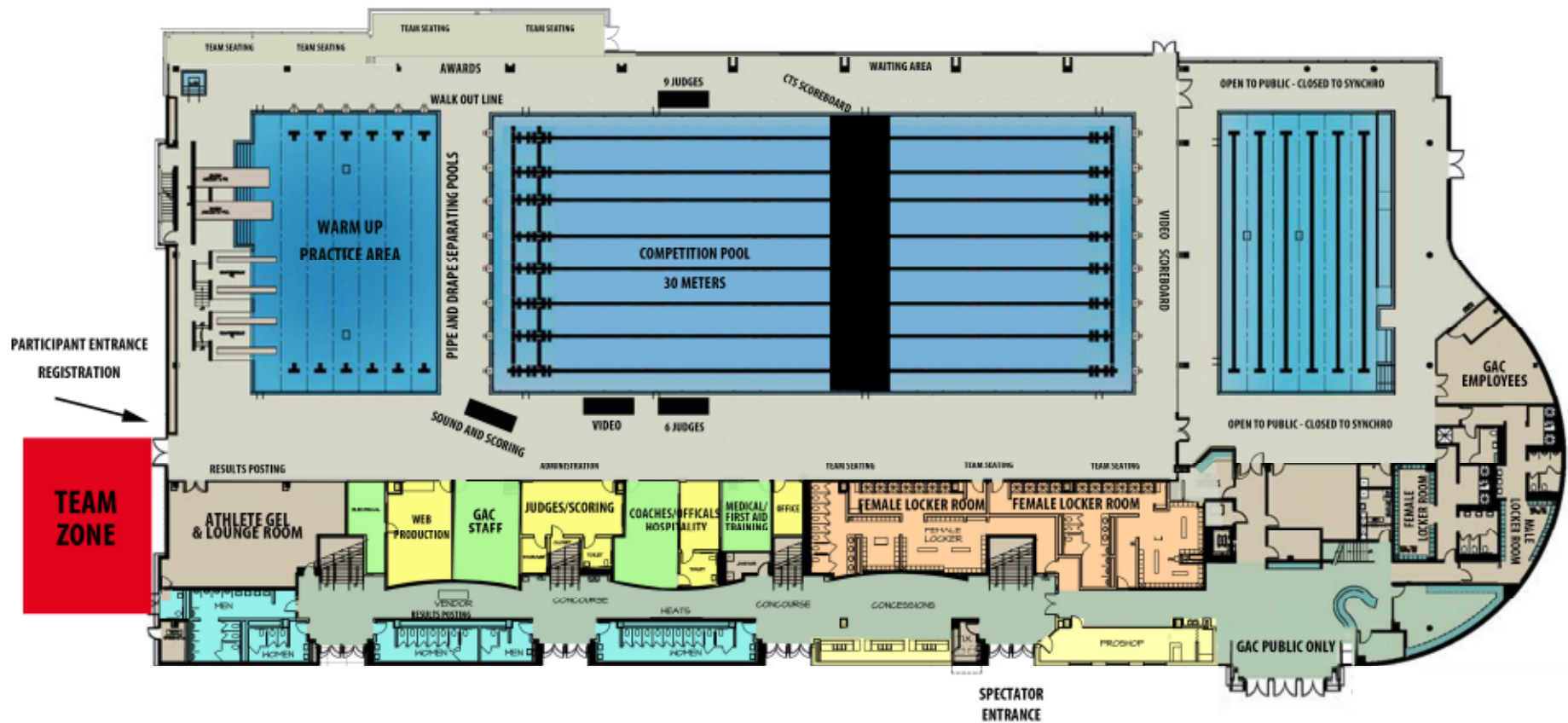
- Email music to leahycm@gmail.com by Friday **June 5, 2015**.
- Music files may be sent as email attachments or shared using a file sharing service
 - Dropbox, Google Drive, OneDrive, etc.
- Files received before the deadline will be transferred from emails to a computer, and then imported to iTunes or a compatible program and each file tested to ensure it plays. You will **not** be contacted if your music is submitted on time and if the music is correct. You will only be contacted if your music is missing or will not play.
- Playlists will be created for each separate routine competition to be played through the sound system.
- We recommend submitting 160 kbit/s AAC or higher quality audio for best sound results.
- 128 kbit/s MP3s are **NOT** recommended, if sending MP3 files, please ensure they are at least 192 kbit/sec.
- A minimum one second leader (silence) before the music starts added to all files is recommended.
- Contact Chris if you have any questions.
- A CD player will be provided as back up for play through the sound system.
- Use the following naming conventions (see bolded below) when saving files.
 - Routines names should be “space” separated

<p>13-15 Duet OPT Jones</p> <p>13-15 = Age Group Duet = Routine event OPT = Club Abbreviation/ Three Letter Code ** Jones = Last name of the first alphabetical member of the routine</p> <p>** email Jennifer Hawkins - jennifer@usasynchro.org if you do not know your code</p>	<p>Optional- If you know how to modify the Artist/Album/Track Title tags of your files, please use the following conventions.</p> <p>Artist = “2015 Junior Olympics” Album = “Age Group”, “Routine event” Album Artist = “Three Letter Code” Title = “Last name of the first alphabetical member of the routine”</p> <p>** email Jennifer Hawkins - jennifer@usasynchro.org if you do not know your code</p>
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Appendix 3: POOL DIAGRAM and DECK LAYOUT



2015 US Synchronized Swimming Junior Olympics Presented by eSynchro



FORM A: TRANSPORTATION AND HOUSING INFORMATION

Club/Official Name _____ Club Code _____

Contact Name _____ Email _____

Contact Phone _____

ENTRY DEADLINE = June 5, 2015

TRANSPORTATION

Arrival Please circle one: Air Auto Other

Date _____ Time _____

Airline / Flight Number _____

Departure

Date _____ Time _____

Airline / Flight Number _____

HOTEL/ LODGING

Hotel/Lodging _____ Phone _____

No. of Athletes _____ No. of Coaches/Officials _____

PARKING

A Discounted \$20.00 All Session parking pass for additional Coaches and Chaperones will be sold at Registration. The pass is good seven days (Saturday June 27 – Saturday July 4) and will be available for purchase during the first three days of Registration (only) hours as follows:

Friday – June 26	4:00 pm- 8:00 pm
Saturday - June 27	8:00 am- 12:00 pm
Sunday – June 28	9:00 am – 2:30 pm

Parking will be complimentary as identified above based upon team size and distributed at Registration.

EMERGENCY CONTACT INFORMATION

Please list three on-site emergency contacts for your club (these may be coaches, officials, chaperones or parents).

<u>Name</u>	<u>Cell Phone Number</u>
1. _____	_____
2. _____	_____
3. _____	_____

MAIL or E-MAIL FORM TO

Katherine McIntosh
1921 West Lee St.
Greensboro, NC. 27403
Katherine.Mcintosh@greensboro-nc.gov

FORM B



Please email this form w/picture and file (see page 6) to Chad.Paris@greensboro-nc.gov or call 336-315-8498 with questions. Personal greetings and messages will be placed in the digital Master Show in the order in which they are received and paid for. The deadline to submit all orders is Monday, June 15th.

US Synchro Junior Olympics Personal Greetings on GAC Scoreboard

- _____ Option 1 – Greeting of (25) words or less - \$10.00
- _____ Option 2 – Half screen picture with caption - \$15.00 – 200 pixels X 240 pixels
- _____ Option 3 – Full screen picture with caption - \$20.00 (can split into halves) - 250 pixels X 480 pixels

Please print your Personal Greetings here....must be (25) words or less:



Personal Contact Information

Name _____

Affiliated Club Team _____

Phone Number _____

Email _____

Please check one of the following payment plans

- _____ I will send a check
- _____ Please call me for credit card information
- _____ Please charge my credit card and email confirmation receipt
 - Name on Card _____
 - Card # _____
 - Expiration Date (mm/yyyy) _____

Office Use Only

Date payment Made _____ Receipt Number _____ By initials _____

FORM C: CLUB PHOTO and PERSONAL GREETING**CLUB PHOTOS**

Participating clubs are invited to send photos for the official championship program. Pricing is below. Only digital photos will be accepted.

Additional information: Save photos as a JPEG (.jpg) digital file. Send photos as an attachment to <mailto:rachel@usasynchro.org>. In the body of the email include the complete name of club, city and state, description of photo, routine age, name and age of the swimmers. (DO NOT send a word text document.) See ordering and payment information below.

PERSONAL GREETINGS

Family and friends can submit personal greetings of 25 words or less for \$10 to be included in the championship program. These messages will be placed randomly in the program and will not be included in the team area of the program.

ORDERING CLUB PHOTOS AND PERSONAL GREETINGS

Photos & Greetings are to be received by e-mail by June 5, 2015.

PAYMENT FOR ORDERING CLUB PHOTOS AND PERSONAL GREETINGS

Club Name _____

Person Submitting: _____

Phone number: _____

Club Photo Sizes (with text)		<i>Quantity</i>	<i>Total</i>
¼ page	\$35		
Greeting Sizes (no photo)			
25 words or less	\$10		
		<i>Grand Total</i>	

You may purchase club photo and greeting space by mailing in the above form with a check or purchasing online.

Send the above information along with payment by check written to USA Synchro for the full amount to be postmarked by June 3, 2015 to:

Rachel Hibner
132 E. Washington St., Ste. 820
Indianapolis, IN 46203