

NEW JERSEY STATE INTERSCHOLASTIC ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION
1161 Route 130, P.O. Box 487, Robbinsville, NJ 08691

2018 NJSIAA BOYS & GIRLS INDIVIDUAL STATE DIVING CHAMPIONSHIPS

(COACHES MUST HAVE A COPY OF THESE INSTRUCTIONS AVAILABLE AT THE MEET)

BOYS AND GIRLS INDIVIDUAL STATE CHAMPIONSHIPS

TO QUALIFY

A student attending a school which competes on an interscholastic basis must dive as a member of high school team in at least 50% of the school's total dive meets (while diver is eligible), to be eligible for the NJSIAA Individual Championship Meet.

Individuals from schools which do not compete on an interscholastic basis or whose teams have not competed in at least six (6) interscholastic meets are eligible to compete as individuals, provided that they have met the qualifying score as listed during the current interscholastic season. Dive scores must be attained during the current high school season: November 25, 2017 to February 16, 2018 in an 11 Dive meet by certified NJ officials.

DATES AND TIMES: (BOYS)

Tuesday, February 27, 2018

DIVING –Montgomery High School

3:00PM - Warm-ups (time subject to change #'s)

5:00PM – Competition

DATES AND TIMES: (GIRLS)

Wednesday, February 28, 2018

DIVING – Montgomery High School

3:00PM - Warm-ups (time subject to change #'s)

5:00PM – Competition

ENTRIES CLOSE

All entries must be emailed to the Entry Coordinator by Friday, February 16, 2018 at 8:00PM to pwwelsh6@gmail.com

A printed copy of the entries must be submitted to the Tournament Director on Friday, February 16, 2018

MR. PAUL WELSH
DIVING MEET DIRECTOR
6 OXCART LANE

HAMILTON, NJ 08619

PHONE: 609-947-8040

FAX: 866-830-3522

EMAIL: pwwelsh6@gmail.com

**Entry Fees must be sent to: NJSIAA, 1161 Route 130 North, P.O. Box 487, Robbinsville, NJ 08691-0487
Please note on P.O. or check school name and – Diving Individual Entry Fee!**

NOTE: INDIVIDUAL CHAMPIONSHIPS WILL BEGIN ON TIME: NO EVENT WILL BE HELD UP FOR ANY DIVER FOR ANY REASON.

POSTPONEMENT PROCEDURE

In the event of inclement weather, notice will be posted on the NJSIAA website www.njsiaa.org

QUALIFY SCORES

Qualify scores must be obtained during any of the approval 11 dive meets during the current high school season: November 25, 2018 – February 16, 2018 in a meet conducted by certified officials.

<u>Qualifying Scores</u>	<u>Girl's</u>	<u>Boy's</u>
Diving 11 Dives	228	228

ENTRY GUIDELINES

Entry Forms: **All entries must be submitted via edive with an email, fax or mail to the Tournament Director, Paul Welsh. This is the Coaches' responsibility. See attached directions to enter entries into edive.**

Entry Fee: Each individual entry – fourteen dollars (\$14.00). The Committee reserves the right to reject an entry. *Make checks payable to NJSIAA and forward with a copy of the entry form to the NJSIAA, 1161 Route 130 North, PO Box 487, Robbinsville, NJ 08691. Be certain that the name of the School & Diving is on the check.*

RULES 2017-2018 National Federation Swimming and Diving Rules will govern the conduct of the meets. **All high school divers, including club divers must qualify in one of the approved 11 Dive Tournaments to be eligible to compete in State Diving Championship. Qualifying sheets must be submitted to the Meet Director.**

DIVING LOCATION – Montgomery High School

In order to prevent any confusion with the diving entries, we urge you to pay particular attention to the procedures for Conducting the diving championships.

1. The divers shall consist of five (5) voluntary dives, and six (6) optional dives.
2. The voluntary dives will include one (1) from each of the five (5) groups, with a total degree of difficulty not to exceed 9.0 The voluntary dive numbers are to be circled. Voluntary dives contributing to a total degree of difficulty exceeding 9.0 will be declared as failed.
3. The total degree of difficulty of the six (6) optional dives must be at least 12.3 The six (6) optional dives must include one (1) from each of the five (5) groups. A group may not be repeated until the finals.
4. The divers list must contain eleven (11) different dive numbers; all five (5) groups must be represented in the first eight rounds.
5. Fill in the spaces under Dive Number, Dive Description, Position and Degree of Difficulty. **Identify Voluntary Dives.**
6. If there are more than thirty-two (32) entries, there will be a cut after the third round of the preliminaries. Preliminaries: List two (2) voluntary dives and three (3) optional dives in any order.
7. In the semifinals the twenty (20) qualifiers will each perform two (2) voluntary and one (1) optional dives.
8. The sixteen (16) highest scoring divers through the semifinals shall qualify for the finals. They will perform one (1) voluntary and two (2) optional dives.

Errors in the composition of voluntary and optional dives identified after the competition has started will result in the disqualification of the diver.

DISQUALIFICATION

Participation by an eligible diver in any meet during the regular season results in forfeiture of all points achieved by the ineligible swimmer/diver. If an ineligible diver participates in a championship meet, said diver will be disqualified from the championship immediately and the next finisher will advance in his/her place; divers eliminated prior to the last competition will no re-enter championship competition.

NOTE: SCHOOLS NOT WILLING OR ABLE TO COMPLY WITH THE TOURNAMENT REGULATIONS SHOULD NOT ENTER THE TOURNAMENT.

PLEASE NOTE: CHECK INSTRUCTIONS CAREFULLY AND RETURN ENTRY FORM TO THE PROPER ADDRESS LISTED. THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF THE NJSIAA HAS RULED THAT MEMBER SCHOOLS FAILING TO FORWARD FORMS TO THE PROPER ADDRESS WILL BE EXCLUDED FROM THE TOURNAMENT COMPETITION IN THAT SPORT.

COACHES/CERTIFIED FACULTY MEMBERS MUST BE PRESENT

Schools entering individuals and not presently competing on an interscholastic basis are advised to read carefully the Procedures – “Coaches” Appointed to Accompany Teams or Individuals to NJSIAA Championships in the NJSIAA Handbook. Tournament Directors will disqualify any contestant who is accompanied by someone in a coaching capacity who is not properly certified and appointed by the Board of Education. A properly appointed coach will thereafter be subject to the Rules and Regulations, Rule 2, Section 11 – Out-of-Season Practice. The Coach must be able to certify he/she was present at the required six (6) practices and will coach the individual(s) at the State Championships. Penalty for failure to comply will be disqualification of the individual(s). If a substitute coach is used, written authority from the school’s Principal must be presented.

COACHES: Please inform divers that **NO FOOD IS ALLOWED ON THE POOL DECK.** You will be held responsible for their conduct. Please ask everyone to help keep the deck, locker room area, and campus clean.

Clean up before leaving the area.

Coaches will be allowed access to the deck area, for all coaches listed on the entry form. During diving competition Children and guests of coaches will not be permitted on the deck area. Only female divers are permitted when the Girl’s Diving is being conducted and only male divers when the Boy’s Diving is being conducted.

MECHANICAL NOISEMAKERS, SIGNS, BALLOONS, HAND-HELD SIGNS, POSTERS, BANNERS/FIREWORKS AND EXPLOSIVES ARE PROHIBITED.

Because of the indoor conditions, no bands will be admitted and all mechanical noise-making devices shall be excluded from the site.

The New Jersey statutes clearly state that it is unlawful for any person to possess or use firecrackers, or similar type of explosives. Accordingly, firecrackers are not permitted in or around any pool or parking area, and anyone found selling, possessing, or using fireworks of any nature will be arrested and duly prosecuted.

With the exception of official NJSIAA banners, no banners, **balloons**, posters or hand held signs, etc. will be permitted in the pool area during the course of the NJSIAA championships. Game Site Mangers will be instructed to rigidly enforce these regulations.

PLEASE NOTIFY YOUR STUDENT BODY AND FANS OF THESE REGULATIONS

GENERAL INFORMATION

1. Shaving in the locker room/shower area will not be permitted at Montgomery High School.
2. Lockers will be provided. Please bring a lock. Responsibility for personal belongings rests with the individual.
3. The NJSIAA, Montgomery High School shall in no way be liable for damages of any kids sustained in any manner in connection with the conduct of the Championships.
4. Only competitors who qualify and the school’s personnel listed on the entry form will be admitted at the competitors’ entrance.
5. Only schools’ coaches listed on the entry form will be permitted in the deck area. Any other coaches must be ordered to spectator areas. Coaches deck passes will be issued.
6. Exhibition event/swimmers are not permitted
7. Glass containers are prohibited in the pool/locker room areas.

AWARDS

The top sixteen (16) swimmers/divers competing in the Individual State Championship Finals will be awarded medals.

Awards will be presented following each event. Participation by the top 16 is mandatory. Coaches' cooperation is essential. For the awards ceremony, competitors must wear school apparel or apparel without logos. Competitors in bonus heats will not be eligible to receive awards.

ADMISSION PRICES

Admission prices for those attending this championship meet will be:

Adults: Preliminaries – TBD
Finals -

Students (K-12) & Senior Citizens: Preliminaries -
Finals -

Administrative and supervisory personnel or competing schools will be admitted upon identification to gate personnel.



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BOYS

DIVING CHAMPIONSHIPS

GIRLS

2018 Boys and Girls Diving Entry Form

Diver's Name _____ Final Diving Place _____

School _____ City _____

Please Circle: Grade (9, 10, 11)

Important Diving Notice: Complete Diver Name, School, Grade and Signatures. Dives are submitted via edive.

Dive Number	Dive Description as Listed in National Federation Diving Tables	Position T.P. - S.F.	Degree of Difficulty	JUDGES AWARD					TOTAL	AWARD

SEMIFINALS: List TWO (2) voluntary dives and ONE (1) optional dive ONLY. (The dives may be done in any order).

FINALS: List ONE (1) voluntary dive and TWO (2) optional dives ONLY. (The dives may be done in any order).

Diver's Signature _____ Diving Order _____

NO STAMPED SIGNATURES ACCEPTABLE

Signature of Principal _____ Signature of Athletic Director _____

Coach/Certified Faculty Member _____ School # _____ Cell # _____

Attention Coaches: Schools entering individuals when the school **DOES NOT** have an interscholastic dive team must read and adhere to page 5:

PROCEDURE "Coaches" Appointed to Accompany Teams or Individuals to NJSIAA Championships.

ATTENTION: Athletic Director must have verification that the diver has met the minimum for combined degree of difficulty before signing this form.

Dive ENTRIES: **MUST BE IN THE HANDS OF THE MEET DIRECTOR BY FEBRUARY 16, 2018 AT 8:00PM**

Return to: Mr. Paul Welsh, Meet Director Phone: 609-947-8040
 6 Oxcart Lane Fax: 866-830-3522
 Hamilton, NJ 08619 Email: pwwelsh6@gmail.com

PLEASE submit with Diving ENTRY FORM – Diving Entries are entered in edive. See directions on next page.

eDive Online Entry Process

To enter divers into the meet, follow the link: www.edive.info/emailentries.aspx

Scroll down and enter your information (Name, Email, Team....)

Dive Coordinator Email Address: pwwelsh6@gmail.com

1. Enter Meet Name:
 - (Enter one of the following, exactly as you see it)
 1. NJSIAA BOYS DIVING 2018
 2. NJSIAA GIRLS DIVING 2018
2. Enter Event Name:
 - (Enter one of the following)
 1. High School Boys Varsity
 2. High School Girls Varsity
3. Click the **“Next Step”** blue box
4. Enter Diver Information: First Name, Last Name
5. Enter diver’s first dive
 - Click on **“Voluntary”** for this dive only!
6. Enter the rest of the dives
7. Click on **“Add This Diver”** green box
 - Repeat process for each Diver from step 6 on until finished with the gender.
 - After the last diver is added, scroll down and check entries.
8. If complete, click **“Send My Entries”** blue box.
9. REPEAT THE PROCESS FOR EACH GENDER

NOTE:

The link can be found at the bottom of the eDive home page at www.edive.info , under “Resources”