



2024 USA DIVING WINTER NATIONALS

MEET INFORMATION PACKET

2024 USA Diving Winter National Championships and Winter National Championships Qualifier

Councilman-Billingsley Aquatics Center – Bloomington, IN

December 8 – December 15, 2024

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USA Diving and its partners Visit Bloomington and Indiana University Athletics will host the 2024 USA Diving Winter National Championships in Bloomington, IN. This premier competition will see participation from the top athletes in the United States and will contest national championship titles and spots on the 2024 World Championships team.

[Event page link](#)

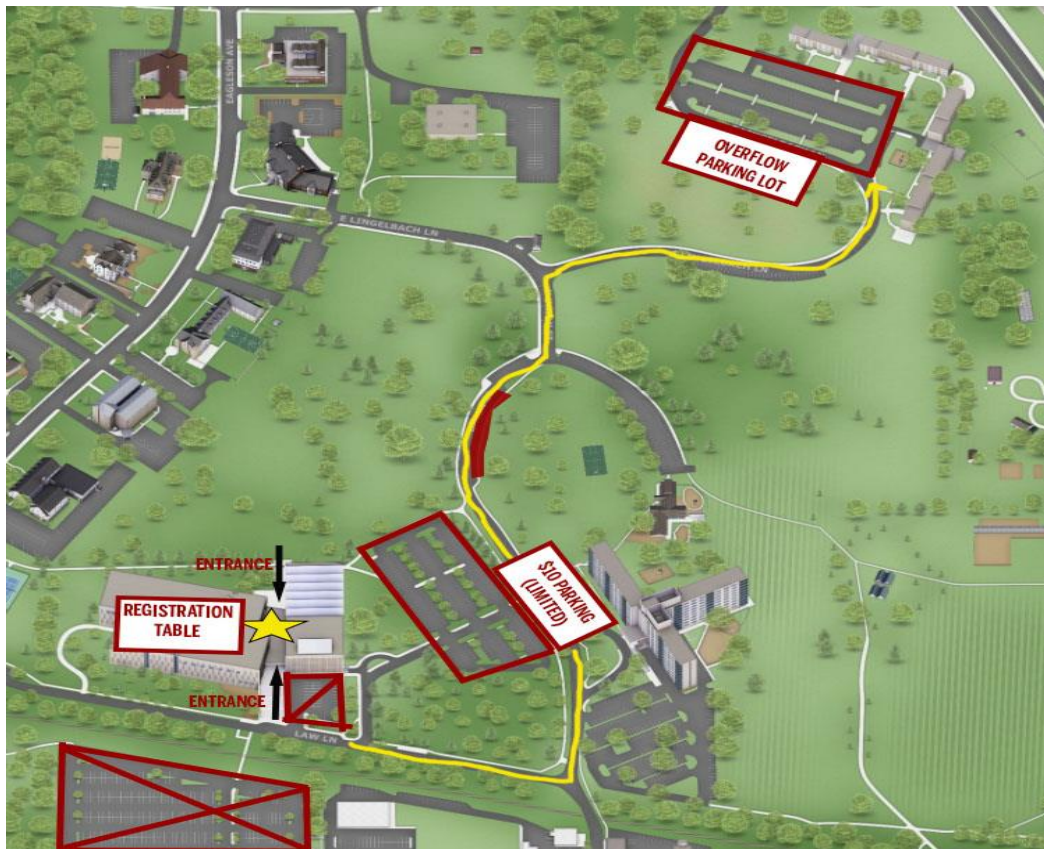
VENUE

Councilman-Billingsley Aquatic Center

1601 E. Law Lane

Bloomington, IN 47408

<https://iuhoosiers.com/facilities/councilman-billingsley-aquatics-center/11>



MEET CONTACT INFORMATION

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DATES

Practice Date: Dec. 7, 2024

Qualifier Dates: Dec 8 - 10, 2024

Competition Dates: Dec 11 – Dec 15, 2024

FACILITY AND EQUIPMENT

The Counsilman-Billingsley Aquatic Center is equipped with two 1-meter springboards and two 3-meter springboards, as well as platforms at 1-, 3-, 5-, 7-, and 10-meters. Auxiliary boards may also be available for warm-up diving.

Dryland equipment including trampoline, dryboard, flipping mats, and stretching mats will be available on the pool deck. *All athletes MUST have coach supervision when using the dryboard or trampoline.*

REGISTRATION

All participants must be “Current” members of USA Diving. All athlete and coach entries must be made online at www.divemeets.com prior to November 25, 2024. No athlete or coach will be permitted access to the pool deck without having completed their DiveMeets registration. Athletes may still register after the deadline up until 3 hours prior to their event with an added late fee of \$100. If a coach misses the online registration deadline, a \$20 late fee will be assessed prior to deck authorization.

The event entry fees for this event are \$65 plus a \$50 insurance fee per athlete per event (total \$115 per event).

Athletes must denote their Coach of Record upon registration through DiveMeets, naming the coach who they would travel with to any international competition in the event of qualification. No changes to the preferred Coach of Record may be made following the start of the first event of Winter Nationals on December 11, 2024.

Please click [HERE](#) for the full Qualifier Criteria and [HERE](#) for the full Winter Nationals Criteria.

DIVE CHANGES

All dive changes, including payment, MUST be done through DiveMeets. Athletes may log into their DiveMeets account to review and update their dive sheets within the timeline outlined below:

1. Changes may be made online at no cost before 6pm the night prior to the first day's events, and before 12pm the day prior to all competition days thereafter.
2. After the designated times in point 1, athletes may make changes to their dive sheets online at a cost of \$15 per event up until 3 hours prior to their event start time.
3. Dive changes will no longer be accepted three hours prior to the corresponding event.

**Please note: The only on-deck changes that will be accepted are those changes for divers moving from a Preliminaries to a Semifinal, or from a Semifinal to a Final. Please listen for relevant announcements and see the Meet Operations Table on the pool deck to complete these changes.*

PARTICIPANT COMPORIMENT

USA Diving promotes good sportsmanship from athletes, coaches and spectators. We request your cooperation by supporting the participants and officials in a positive manner. Profanity, racist or sexist comments, or other intimidating actions directed at judges, meet personnel, athletes, coaches, spectators, or team representatives are grounds for removal from the site of competition. Thank you in advance for your cooperation.

Hazing, harassment, intimidation, menacing or bullying, and acts of cyberbullying by members towards any member is strictly prohibited. Retaliation against any person who reports, is thought to have reported, files a complaint or otherwise participates in an investigation or inquiry is also strictly prohibited. False charges shall also be regarded as a serious offense and will result in disciplinary action or other appropriate sanctions. Persons whose behavior is found to be in violation of this policy will be subject to discipline, up to and including expulsion. USA Diving may also make referrals to law enforcement officials.

Use of audio or visual recording devices, including cell phones, is not permitted in changing areas, restrooms, or locker rooms.

Changing into or out of swimsuits other than in locker rooms or designated changing rooms is not appropriate and is prohibited.

Athlete Safety Policy: <https://www.usadiving.org/resources/safe-sport>

TECHNICAL MEETING

A technical meeting for all coaches and team representatives will take place on **December 8, 2024 at 12:00 pm.**

SCHEDULE

Please find the most up-to-date Winter National Championships schedule on the USA Diving website [Event page](#). A detailed timeline will be available closer to the event start date.

CHECK-IN TABLE

A check-in table will be set up near the athlete entrance on the southeast side of the building near the entrance. All participants must visit this table to receive their credentials for deck access before their first practice.

RESTROOMS

Locker rooms on the pool deck are for athlete use only. Coaches, officials, and other non-athlete participants must utilize the main concourse restrooms on the second level.

FIRST AID/MEDICAL SERVICES

First aid services and lifeguard responders will be available on deck for all days of practice and competition at the Councilman-Billingsley Aquatic Center.

In the event of an emergency that requires transportation to a hospital, athletes or other participants will be sent to the IU Health Bloomington Hospital – Emergency Room.

IU Health Bloomington Hospital - Emergency Room

2651 E Discovery Parkway

Bloomington, IN 4740

Directions: From Councilman-Billingsley Aquatic Center, turn right on N Eagleson, then turn right onto E 17th street, then turn right on the 45/46 IN Bypass, then turn left onto E Discovery Parkway and follow the hospital signs staying slightly left and you will be in the ER parking lot of IU Health Bloomington Hospital.

Other Medical Facilities:

IU Health Urgent Care

(located 4 minutes away)

326 Woodcrest Dr

Bloomington, IN 47401

812-353-6888

Hours: Weekdays and Saturday, 8:00am – 8:00pm

ATHLETIC TRAINING/PHYSIOTHERAPY

USA Diving Medical Staff will be on the pool deck for all practice and competition days. The medical staff will be located in the Athletic Training room on deck, and their services are available to all registered divers.

If you or your team wish to attend the meet with an athletic trainer or medical support staff, please email Michael Retcher (michael.retcher@usadiving.org). Any additional support staff, including trainers, must have a “Current” USA Diving membership to be granted deck access.

COACH HOSPITALITY

Hospitality for coaches and staff will be provided at the top of the spectator bleachers nearest to the scoreboard.

EVENT MERCHANDISE

Meet-branded apparel will be available on-site on December 9 – 11 only, provided by USA Diving’s merchandise partner, Fine Designs. Get your 2024 USA Diving Winter Nationals at their stand near the entrance to the Allan Jones Aquatic Center on these days!

PARKING

Parking for this event will be at the SRSC lot right next to the Councilman-Billingsley Aquatic Center. You will be able to buy a week-long \$10 parking pass for the lot but parking in the lot is limited and parking in that lot will be on a first come first served basis. There is some street parking along Union Street and the free overflow parking lot is in Everman/Redbud lot 128. Parking anywhere other than these designated areas could result in your vehicle being ticketed and towed.

TICKETING

There will be no ticketing for this event.

WIFI

Wi-Fi will be available throughout the facility by connecting to IU eduom.

STREAMING

The competition will be streamed online through the USA Diving YouTube channel. Please visit <https://www.youtube.com/c/usadivingtv> to watch all Live Competition!

DECK MAP

