



NATO **Marlins** OTAN Swim Meet Announcement

NATO Marlins - Home Meet

Sanctioned by: Sponsored by: Event: Participants:	European Forces Swim League NATO MARLINS International Swim Team (NMS) Benelux Division NMS Marlins, ESB Brussels Octopus, KMC Kaiserslautern Kingfish, LKH Lakenheath Barracuda, NPS Naples Tiger Sharks (5 Teams)
Date & Times:	Sunday, 10 December 2006 Pool open and set up: 07.15 hrs Warm-up: NMS Marlins & ESB Octopus at 08.20 hrs (20 minutes) KMC Kingfish & LKH Barracuda, and NPS Tiger Sharks at 08:40hrs (20 minutes) Meet starts: 09.15 hrs Meet ends 15:30 (due to time constraint, Freestyle relays might not be swum)
Entries:	Entries are due to the NATO MARLINS Head Statistician Karsten B. Zwirtz electronically at NMS.HeadStat@gmail.com Deadline for meet entries: Thursday, 07 December 2006 at 22.00 hrs via internet. Submit final scratches at lifeguard/NMS office NLT 09.00 hrs, Sunday, 10 December 2006. In accordance with EFSL rules, no additions will be made on day of meet. Scoring will be made according to standard EFSL scoring (12 & U, 13/14, 15/16, 17/19). Please bring a back up disc of entries and for results.
Entry Limit:	EFSL Standard Meet Shell , no pup races. Number of swimmers unlimited. Swimmers are limited to a maximum of three (3) individual events and two (2) relays.
Officials:	Head Referee: Pat Kilroy, NMS Head Starter: Karen van den Brink, Lori MacRae, NMS Head Timer: Paul Savereux, NMS Each team is asked to provide volunteers (Timers, Stroke & Turn Judges, etc.) in accordance with EFSL regulations.
Points of Contact:	Meet Director: Pat Kilroy, Patrick.kilroy@pandora.be , 32.0484.11.1340 Head Official: Pat Kilroy, Patrick.kilroy@pandora.be , 32.0484.11.1340 NMS President : Lori MacRae, lori.macrae@telenet.be , 32.2.720.9846 / 0475.20.6437 NMS VP & Home Meet Coordinator: Mark Lotze, aipvp@aol.com , 32.2.688.3129 / 0477.17.5045 or Mark.Lotze@usdelmc.army.mil NMS Head Statistician: Karsten B. Zwirtz, NMS.HeadStat@gmail.com 0473.610.449 NATO Pool Lifeguard office: 32.2.707.4801
Eligibility:	Open to all registered members of EFSL swim teams and IAW EFSL Swim code eligibility criteria.
Pool Course:	25m indoor-heated pool with 6 lanes, fresh water, non-turbulent, single lane lines, deep & shallow ends competition start blocks in deep end.
Location:	NATO HQ Staff Center, Avenue D. Bourget/Bourgetlaan, 1110, Belgium
Refreshments:	Concessions will be provided in the room located on the second floor of the facility. Everyone must wear footwear and wear a T-shirt or other garment to cover their bathing suit. There is a restaurant co-located with the pool. Food and drinks may be purchased, as desired. Only Euros accepted.



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Security:	<p>All persons aged 12 years old or older entering the NATO Staff Center Sports Complex must hold a NATO or SHAPE members or family pass, or have been previously identified to the NATO Office of Security (NOS) and placed on a list. If those attending are NATO ID or NATO Family pass card holders, access should not be a problem. If however, persons attending are civilian or do not possess a NATO ID or NATO Family pass, it is imperative that their name be passed to the security police at NATO HQ. Therefore, it is requested that you submit a roster of all persons who plan to attend the meet with passport number and date of birth for each. This list must be passed to the security office at least 5 working days prior to the event. Therefore all swimmers who are participating in or visitors watching the event must be pre-registered.</p> <p>POC: NMS VP & Home Meet Coordinator: Mark Lotze, aipvp@aol.com, 32.2.688.3129 / 0477.17.5045</p> <p>1. Please bring NATO ID, NATO Family Pass, Military ID and/or Passport.</p>
Additional Information:	<p>We will employ overhead starts, which require the swimmer to remain in the water until the swimmer from the next event has left the starting block.</p> <p>ALL swimmers must wear bathing caps.</p>
Parking:	<p>Parking area available in the parking lot adjacent to the pool for cars and busses.</p>
Directions:	<p>The NATO HQ Staff Center is located between Zaventem Airport and Brussels (Evere). Entrance to the NATO HQ Staff Center is via the slip road Avenue D. Bourget/Bourgetlaan parallel to the Boulevard Leopold III.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Regardless of direction, take Exit 4 on the Brussels Ring road. 2. At Exit 4, take the A201 direction Brussels & Evere; heading west. 3. Travel down the A201 for about one or two kilometers until you reach the first set of traffic lights. 4. At the lights, turn left as if you were trying to enter NATO HQs Main Gate (you will notice the flags flying). 5. Having crossed the opposite lanes of the A201, you need to make an immediate left turn onto a slip road (Avenue D. Bourget/Bourgetlaan), parallel to the A201. You will immediately reach another set of traffic lights. At this point, you will be about 10 meters + from the NATO HQ Main Gate and heading east on Avenue D. Bourget/Bourgetlaan. 6. Continue straight on the slip road for about 400 meters or so until you reach the next entrance into the NATO area with a small guardhouse on your right. This is the entrance to use. The pool is located in big building immediately in front (the NATO Staff Centre). Once past the Security Check Point, you can use either the left or right parking lot. <p>See www.nato-marlins.com - Route Directions or please refer to www.viamichelin.com or any other route application.</p>

If you should require any further information please do not hesitate to contact Mark Lotze, VP & Home Meet Coordinator at contact above. Thank you.

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