ISCA 2025 Meet Key Dates & Information

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- 6/30 Soft Declaration Deadline for planning purposes
- 7/16 Hard Declaration Deadline last chance to withdraw
- 8/5 Travel to Florida
- 8/6-8/9 (Wed-Sat) ISCA Meet
- 8/10 Travel Home

Wave Preferred "Team" Hotel

- AC Hotel
- 110 2nd Street North, St. Petersburg, FL | 727.610.5414
- ISCA Summer Elite Showcase Booking Link Cut Off Date: July 7th, 2025
- \$169 per night // About 7 Minutes (~1mile) to ISCA Meet
- Amenities: Outdoor Pool / Fitness Center

<u>Full Hotel Block List</u> is also available should you choose to stay elsewhere.

Full Meet Information is located from their <u>meet landing page</u>.

This is a Family Travel Meet, meaning:

 Swimmers must travel and stay with a parent (or family designated chaperone). Coaches will only be responsible for swimmers when they are on-deck at the meet, similar to local meets.

Meet FAQ

Q: Are there qualifying times to be eligible for this meet?

A: Yes, this meet does have qualifying times by age & gender. Qualifying times can be achieved in either short-course or long-course meets through the Bird Bath Meet on July 11-13. You can find the time standards within the "Meet Info" on the meet landing page.

Q: Are there Wave organized or recommended flight itineraries?

A: Given the multitude of airlines, airports, and personal travel preferences, Wave is not formally recommending specific flights for swimmers & families. Flight prices are currently very competitive, so now is likely the perfect time to book a flight of your choice. Below is a great example flight itinerary captured in the past few days:

Q: Will there be any organized team social events between meet sessions?

A: While specifics are still being finalized, we are hoping to do a Team/Family Lunch together from ~1-3P on Thursday August 7th. Stay tuned for more specifics.

Q: How do all the events and bonus events work at this meet?

A: **Update 7/3** Every swimmer will get a total of 4 bonus events in addition to any qualifying times. 50's are freebies for 13 and 14 year olds ONLY!. Each swimmer is allowed a TOTAL of 10 events for the entire meet. You will need to be entered in the events you are qualified for, then can add the bonus events to equal the maximum events allowed.

Q: Will Wave have relays at this meet?

A: Relay decisions are ultimately made by coaches. Specific to this meet, relay decisions will largely be tied to the number of swimmers attending by gender and age group.

Q: Beyond the meet fees, and the personally incurred travel & food costs, are there additional costs families should be aware of?

A: Each attending swimmer will receive a nominal equipment & gear charge of no more than \$50/swimmer from Wave (will be less if actual expenses incurred are less). This charge covers a variety of miscellaneous costs we incur with this travel meet, including swimmer swag (shirts & caps), a team shade tent at the meet, and the team meal. Other costs like coach travel are covered by the team from our general funds.