

Turkey Invitational

PACIFIC SWIMMING Zone 2 SHORT COURSE

November 16, 2013

Enter Online: <http://ome.swimconnection.com/PC/CROW20131116>



SANCTION: Held under USA/Pacific Swimming Sanction No. **13-200**

In granting this sanction it is understood and agreed that USA Swimming shall be free from any liabilities or claims for damages arising by reason of injuries to anyone during the conduct of the event.

NOTICE: By entering this meet, the athlete or his/her guardian consents to the publication, via electronic, print or other media, information and/or imagery related to their participation at this meet. Such information and imagery may include, but is not limited to, photographs, video, web casting, television, psych sheets and live meet results. **The results of this meet may be posted in real time on the Internet.**

USE OF AUDIO AND VISUAL: Photography and video recording from behind the blocks or starting areas are prohibited unless prior permission is granted by the Meet Referee. Use of any audio or visual recording electronic devices, including but not limited to film and digital cameras, cell phones and tablets, is not permitted in changing areas, restrooms or locker rooms. Violation of this recording prohibition may result in ejection from the swimming pool facility by the Meet Referee or his/her designee.

OFFICIALS:
Meet Referee: David Cottam *Head Starter:* Peter McNamara
Admin Referee: Carol Cottam *Meet Marshal:* Dan Cottam
Meet Director: Tom Meier - tsmeier@sbcglobal.net

LOCATION: Blackhawk Country Club Pool, 1098 Eagles Nest Place, Danville, CA 94506

From Concord-Walnut Creek 680 South Exit Crow Canyon Road. Turn Left over the Freeway-Proceed East for 4.5 Miles Crow Canyon Road turns into Blackhawk Road Turn Right at the second Guard Gate (Blackhawk Drive). After the gate, continue straight about a mile and turn left at the turnabout on Eagles Nest Place, then it is 0.3 miles on the left (Pool location).

PARKING: PLEASE OBSERVE ALL POSTED PARKING REGULATIONS.

COURSE: 25 yard x 40 meter outdoor, heated pool. Up to 10 competition lanes available, to be allocated based on number of entries received and determined by the meet referee. Electronic timing equipment will be used. Separate warm up lanes will be available for warm-up/cool down throughout the competition. The depth of the pool at the start end is 6.5ft and at the turn end 13.5ft. The competition course has not been certified in accordance with 104.2.2C(4).

TIME: Meet will begin at **9:00 AM** on Saturday with warm-ups from **7:30 AM** to **8:45 AM** each day. A special warm-up time for 8 and under swimmers only will be held from **8:45 AM - 8:55 AM**.

RULES:

- Current USA and Pacific Swimming rules and warm-up procedures will govern the meet. A copy of these procedures will be posted at the Clerk-of-Course.
- All events are timed finals, and will be swum fastest to slowest.
- Swimmers may compete in four **(4)** events per day.
- All swimmers ages 12 and under should complete competition within four (4) hours.
- Entries will be accepted until the number of splashes exceeds the estimated time line, per the "Four-Hour Rule," based on the swimmers age and gender.
- If local conditions warrant it the Meet Referee, with the concurrence of the Meet Director, may require a mandatory scratch down. Immediate cash refunds will be made for any mandatory scratches.
- **All coaches and deck officials must wear their USA Swimming membership cards in a visible manner.**
- The 500y event will be held as an "open" event and will not be awarded. There is a minimum seed time that must be met. Any swimmer who can meet or exceed the entry time may enter the event regardless of age. Entry times for OPEN events with a minimum time standard (see Schedule of Events listed on page 4) which cannot be proven using the Pacific Swimming database may be verified by a complete set of meet results or verified by the swimmer's coach, either of which may be presented upon check -in. (Refer to PacSwim Rule 4A2).
- **Swimmers entering the 500y Free must provide their own timers and counters.**

UNACCOMPANIED SWIMMERS: Any USA-S athlete-member competing at the meet must be accompanied by a USA Swimming member-coach for the purposes of athlete supervision during warm-up, competition and warm-down. If a coach-member of the athlete's USA-S Club does not attend the meet to serve in said supervisory capacity, it is the responsibility of the swimmer or the swimmer's legal guardian to arrange for supervision by a USA-S member-coach. The Meet Director or Meet Referee may assist the swimmer in making arrangements for such supervision; however, it is recommended that such arrangements be made in advance of the meet by the athlete's USA-S Club Member-Coach.

RACING STARTS: Swimmers must be certified by a USA-S member-coach as being proficient in performing a racing start, or must start the race in the water. It is the responsibility of the swimmer or the swimmer's legal guardian to ensure compliance with this requirement.

RESTRICTIONS:

- Smoking and the use of other tobacco products is prohibited on the pool deck, in the locker rooms, in spectator seating, on standing areas and in all areas used by swimmers, during the meet and during warm-up periods.
- Sale and use of alcoholic beverages is prohibited in all areas of the meet venue.
- No glass containers are allowed in the meet venue.
- No propane heaters are permitted except for snack bar/meet operations.
- All shelters must be properly secured.
- NO pets allowed on deck, other than service assistance animals.
- Except where venue facilities require otherwise, changing into or out of swimsuits other than in locker rooms or other designated areas is not appropriate and is strongly discouraged.

ELIGIBILITY:

- Swimmers must be current members of USA-S and enter their name and registration number on the meet entry card as they are shown on their Registration Card. If this is not done, it may be difficult to match the swimmer with the registration and times database. The meet host will check all swimmer registrations against the SWIMS database and if not found to be registered, the Meet Director shall accept the registration at the meet (a \$10 surcharge will be added to the regular registration fee). Duplicate registrations will be refunded by mail.
- Swimmers must be members of (or associated with) **CROW, RHCC, BHCC, MDD, CSRM, OAKW** swim teams.
- Entries with "**NO TIME**" **will not be accepted.**
- Entry times submitted for this meet will be checked against a computer database and may be changed in accordance with Pacific Swimming Entry Time Verification Procedures.
- Disabled swimmers are welcome to attend this meet and should contact the Meet Director or Meet Referee regarding and special accommodations on entry times and seeding per Pacific Swimming policy.
- Swimmers 19 years of age and over may compete in the meet for time only, no awards.
- The swimmer's age will be the age of the swimmer on the first day of the meet.

****NOTE: Swimmers who falsify their entry form by listing a team to which they are not legitimately associated will be rejected from the meet. Further, entry fees will not be refunded and they may be referred to the Pacific Swimming Review Committee for disciplinary action.**

ENTRY FEES: \$2.75 per event plus an \$8.00 participation fee per swimmer. Entries will be rejected if payment is not sent at time of request.

ONLINE ENTRIES: To enter online go to <http://ome.swimconnection.com/PC/CROW20131116> to receive an immediate entry confirmation. This method requires payment by credit card. Swim Connection LLC charges a processing fee for this service, equal to \$1 per swimmer plus 5% of the total Entry Fees. Please note that the processing fee is a separate fee from the Entry Fees. If you do not wish to pay the processing fee, enter the meet using a mail entry. Entering online is a convenience, is completely voluntary, and is in no way required or expected of a swimmer by Pacific Swimming. Online entries will be accepted through **Wednesday, November 6, 2013, or until the capacity of the meet is met, whichever is first.**

MAILED OR HAND DELIVERED ENTRIES: Entries must be on the attached consolidated entry form. Forms must be filled out completely and printed clearly with swimmers best time. Entries must be postmarked by midnight, **Monday November 4, 2013** or hand delivered by **6:30 p.m. Wednesday, November 6, 2013, or until the capacity of the meet is met, whichever is first.** No late entries will be accepted. No refunds will be made, except mandatory scratch downs. Requests for confirmation of receipt of entries should include a self-addressed envelope.

Make check payable to: Shark's Swimming

Mail/Hand Deliver entries to: Tom Meier, 2490 Lunada Lane, Alamo, CA 94507

CHECK-IN: The meet will be pre-seeded.

SCRATCHES: Any swimmers not reporting for or competing in an individual timed final event shall not be penalized.

AWARDS: None.

ADMISSION: Free. Programs will be posted and not available for sale.

REFRESHMENTS: A snack bar will be available throughout the competition. Coaches and working deck officials will also be provided lunch. Hospitality will serve refreshments and snacks to timers and volunteers.

MISCELLANEOUS: No overnight parking is allowed. Facilities will not be provided after meet hours.

EVENT SUMMARY

SATURDAY			
8 & UN	9-10	11-12	13-18
50 Free	100 Free	200 Free	200 Free
25 Back	50 Back	100 Back	100 Back
25 Breast	50 Breast	100 Breast	100 Breast
25 Free	50 Free	100 Free	100 Free
25 Fly	50 Fly	100 Fly	100 Fly
100 I.M	100 I.M	200 I.M	200 I.M.
Open 500 Free *			

The open 500 free minimum time standard is the Pacific Swimming 9-10 "A-Time.

Boys minimum standard: 7:41.99

Girls minimum standard: 7:41.99

EVENTS

Saturday, November 16

Event #	Event	Event #
1	13+ 200 Free.	2
3	11-12 200 Free.	4
5	9-10 100 Free.	6
7	8-UN 50 Free.	8
9	13+ 100 Back	10
11	11-12 100 Back	12
13	9-10 50 Back	14
15	8-UN 25 Back	16
17	13+ 100 Breast	18
19	11-12 100 Breast	20
21	9-10 50 Breast	22
23	8-UN 25 Breast	24
25	13+ 100 Free	26
27	11-12 100 Free	28
29	9-10 50 Free	30
31	8-UN 25 Free	32
33	13+ 100 Fly	34
35	11-12 100 Fly	36
37	9-10 50 Fly	38
39	8-UN 25 Fly	40
41	13+ 200 I.M.	42
43	11-12 200 I.M.	44
45	9-10 100 I.M.	46
47	8-UN 100 I.M.	48
49	OPEN 500 Free	50

Use the following URL to find the time standards: <http://www.pacswim.org/swim-meet-times/standards>

Pacific Swimming – Hosted by Crow Canyon Sharks Short Course Invitational November 16, 2013 Consolidated Entry Form													
Name: Last, First Middle													
Club Abbr.			UNATT TEAM ABBR				Club Name						
Age			Date of Birth				Sex M F		LSC – (PC, SN)				
USA-#													
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Coach													
Swimmer's Address													
Home Phone							Cell Phone						
Email													