

**SANCTION:** Held under USA/Pacific Swimming Sanction Number: 13-079

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.

<u>NOTICE</u>: 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.

<u>USE OF AUDIO AND VIDEO</u>: Use of audio or visual recording devices, including a cell phone camera, is not permitted in changing areas, rest rooms or locker rooms.

#### **MEET OFFICIALS:**

Head Referee: BRIAN MALICK	Head Starter:	PHIL HARTER
Meet Director: STELLA EZRRE	Head Marshal:	JOHN GOLOS
sezzre@santaclaraswimclub.org/408.246.5050		CHUMA MINJARES
x 019		

LOCATION: George Haines International Swim Center, 2625 Patricia Drive, Santa Clara, CA 95051.

From Highway 101, exit south on Lawrence Expressway or Bowers Avenue. Turn left at Homestead Road. Turn left at Las Palmas Drive. Proceed to Patricia Drive and turn left. - Or - Exit Highway 101 on San Tomas Expressway. Turn right on Homestead Road. Turn right on Las Palmas. Proceed to Patricia Drive and turn left. There is limited free parking in the parking lot and adjoining streets. Do not park in the Library parking lot you will be ticketed.

<u>COURSE</u>: 50 meter x 25 yard outdoor, heated pool. Up to 9 competition lanes will be used The minimum water depth at the start and turn ends of this pool is in accordance with article 103.2.3. The depth is from 5 ft. to 7 ft. A separate warm-up area will be available during the meet. In accordance with Article 104.2.2C (4) the competition course has been certified. A copy of the certification is on file with USA Swimming.

**TIME:** Saturday & Sunday: Meet begins at 9:00am each day. The competition course will be open for warm-ups from 7:30 to 8:45am.

**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.
- •Swimmers may compete in five (5) events per day.
- 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.
- •All heats will run fastest to slowest (note distance events).
- All distance swimmers must provide their own timers and counters. Distance events will be swum fastest to slowest, alternating women and men.

<u>ATTENTION HIGH SCHOOL SWIMMERS (February through May):</u> If you are a high school swimmer in season, you need to be Unattached from this meet. It is the swimmers responsibility to be Unattached from this meet. You can un-attach at the meet if necessary. This does not apply to swimmers swimming under the rules of the Nevada Interscholastic Activities Association (NIAA).

<u>DECK CHANGING:</u> 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.

<u>UNACCOMPANIED SWIMMERS:</u> 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 the spectator seating or 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. Glass bottles/containers are prohibited in all areas of the meet venue.
- •No propane containers, other than provided for the snack bar/meet operations, are allowed in any areas of the meet venue.
- •Santa Clara will provide coaches canopies and will be the only canopies allowed on the pool deck, excluding vendors.
- •Spectator seating is available **ONLY** in the stands.
- •NO TARPS OR CHAIRS ALLOWED IN STANDS.
- •No noise makers allowed in the facility.
- Parents please respect the area designated for coaches (i.e. don't sit or stand in front of coaches).
- •There will be an area outside the fence on the ball field adjacent to the diving end of the pool to place pop up tents.
- Handicap seating is available.
- •No pets or animals allowed, service dogs allowed with proper identifying collar.

# **ELIGIBILITY:**

- •Swimmers must be current members of USA-S. The meet host must check all swimmer registrations against 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).
- Swimmers age thirteen and over must be at (or near with coach verification) the Senior II Standard. Time verification will not be required and events should be entered with accurate times.
- Swimmers 12 & Under must meet the PC SR-II time standard (bonus events excepted) as outlined by Pacific time verification procedures (bonus events accepted). The time must have been achieved prior to the closing data for entries for the meet. One event qualification allows two bonus events for the meet (excluding the 400 IM, 800 and 1,500 Freestyle). No refunds will be given if a time cannot be proven.
- •Disabled swimmers are welcomed to attend this meet and should contact the Meet Director or Head Referee **prior to the entry deadline** regarding special accommodations on the entry times and seeding per Pacific Swimming policy.

**ENTRY FEES:** \$5.50 per individual event, \$10.00 participation fee per swimmer. All entry fees MUST be included with entry. Duplicate registrations will be refunded. Make checks payable to Santa Clara Swim Club and mail to: Santa Clara Swim Club 2625 Patricia Drive, Santa Clara, CA 95051

### **ENTRIES:**

Option 1: US Postal Service: Individual Consolidated Entry Cards must be completely filled out, including best long course meter time, or non-conforming short course yard time and mailed to the address above. Entered times should be submitted in long course meters (LCM) or non-conforming short course yards (SCY). "NO TIME" (NT) ENTRIES WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED. No late entries will be accepted. Enclose an addressed stamped postcard if you wish to confirm entry. DO NOT CONVERT TIMES USING ANY CONVERSION FORMULAS. Entries must be postmarked by midnight, Monday, April 1, 2013. No late entries will be accepted. NO refunds will be made, except for mandatory scratches. Hand delivered entries will be accepted till Wednesday, April 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2013 till 6pm. No late entries will be accepted.

**Option 2:** Online Meet Entries: Enter at: <a href="http://www.ome.swimconnection.com/pc/scsc20130413">http://www.ome.swimconnection.com/pc/scsc20130413</a> to register and receive an immediate confirmation of acceptance via email. The confirmation email should be brought to the meet as a proof of entry. Online meet entry requires a payment by a major credit card. Swimconnection, LLC charges a processing fee for this service, equal to \$1per swimmer plus 5% times the entry fee. 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. Online entries will be accepted through midnight, **Wednesday, April 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2013**. Entering online is a convenience, is completely voluntary, and is in no way required or expected in order to enter this meet.

**Option 3: Team Entries:** Entire team entries on disk (Hy-Tek format) should be emailed to <a href="mailto:franz@fastlanetek.com">franz@fastlanetek.com</a> payment should be sent to: Santa Clara Swim Club Swim Club 2625 Patricia Drive, Santa Clara, CA 95051 **Entries** must be submitted by midnight, Wednesday, April 3, 2013. LATE ENTRIES WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED.

<u>CHECK-IN:</u> The meet will be deck seeded. Swimmers must check in at the Clerk of Course. Close of check in for all events shall be no more than 60 minutes prior to the estimated start of the first heat of the event. No events shall be closed more than 30 minutes before the scheduled start of the session. Swimmers who do not check in may not compete in the event.

<u>SCRATCHES:</u> Swimmers entered in an individual event in an S1 or S2 meet that is seeded on the deck and who has checked in for that event, must swim in the event unless they notify the clerk of the course before seeding for that event has begun that they wish to scratch. Failure to swim an event will result in being barred from their next individual event in which the swimmer is entered on that day or the next meet day, whichever is first.

**SNACK BAR:** A full Snack Bar will be available with options for breakfast, lunch, and snacks.

**ADMISSION:** Admission is free. A two-day program will be available at a reasonable cost.

<u>PARKING</u>: Limited parking is available in the parking lot adjacent to the pool. <u>DO NOT PARK IN THE LIBRARY PARKING LOT.</u> When parking in the neighborhood, please be respectful to our neighbors and not block their driveways. NO OVERNIGHT PARKING OR RV PARKING IS PERMITTED.

# **SCHEDULE OF EVENTS:**

	Saturday, April 13	
NO.	EVENT	NO.
1	400 m Free	2
3	100 m Breast	4
5	200 m Fly	6
7	200 m IM	8
9	50 m Free	10
11	200 m Back	12
13	1500 m Free	14
	Sunday, April 14	
NO.	EVENT	NO.
15	400 m IM	16
17	100 m Free	18
19	200 m Breast	20
21	100 m Fly	22
23	200 m Free	24
25	100 m Back	26
27	800 m Free	28

Please note that the 800 and 1500 Freestyle events will be swum fastest to slowest, alternating women and men. Swimmers need to provide their own lap counters and timers.

Follow this link for Senior II time standards - http://www.pacswim.org/13 SR LongCourse.pdf

# Pacific Swimming – Hosted by Santa Clara Swim Club Senior II April 13-14, 2013

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Coach											
Swimmer' Address	s										
Home Phone				Cell Phone							