

Pleasanton Seahawks/Albany Armada Aquatics
Pacific Swimming Zone 2
Long Course PC-C/B/A+, Dual Venue
June 8-9, 2013



SANCTION: Held under USA/Pacific Swimming Sanction No. **13-115 (PLS site) / 13-124 (AAA site)**

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, web casting, television, psych sheets and live meet results. By entering this meet, the athlete or his/her guardian consents to this publication.

USE OF AUDIO/VISUAL: Photography and video recording from behind the blocks or starting areas is 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, rest rooms 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.

LOCATION A: Dolores Bengtson Aquatic Center, Pleasanton – Host Pleasanton Seahawks

TEAMS ELIGIBLE: PLS, SRVL, BSW, EA, LAC LBD, CROW, CDST, MSJA, FF, UNATTACHED

OFFICIALS: Meet Referee: David Benjamin Head Starter: Joseph Doan Meet Marshal: Tim Sproul
Meet Director: Simon Lee (meetdirector@pleasantonseahawks.org) / (925) 735-1708

LOCATION: Dolores Bengtson Aquatic center, 4455 Black Avenue, Pleasanton, CA 94588.

DIRECTIONS: From I-580 Santa Rita exit. Drive south for about two miles to Black Avenue. Turn right onto Black Avenue. Aquatic center is on your right after approximately ¼ mile.

PARKING: Carpooling is suggested. Limited general parking is available in the lot in front of the pool. Limited parking is available on adjacent streets. PARKING AT THE CHURCH, PAC BELL AND POST OFFICE PARKING LOTS ACROSS THE STREET, OR IN ANY LOT OR AREA POSTED AS “NO UNAUTHORIZED PARKING” WILL RESULT IN CITATIONS AND POSSIBLE TOWING. Parking for working Officials and coaches will be available in the parking lot behind the pool. Officials and Coaches using the lot must be prepared to show valid USA Swimming credentials to gain access. Overflow parking will be available at the Alisal Elementary School and the Amador High School parking lots on Santa Rita Road. No overnight parking or R.V. parking is allowed

COURSE: Outdoor, heated pool – 50 meters by 25 yards. Due to the construction at the pool, we will have seven lanes available for competition and up to two lanes available for warm up. We will run double-ended if entries warrant it. Locker rooms with showers are available. Electronic timing system will be used. The minimum water depth, measured in accordance with Article 103.2.3 is 4 feet at the start end and 4 feet at the turn end. Equipment shall be installed so that it will not interfere with swimmers start, turns or finish and the normal overflow functions of the pool water recirculation system. All deck level wiring shall carry no more than 12Volts AC. The competition course has been certified in accordance with 104.2.2C(4). The copy of the certification is on file with USA Swimming.

LOCATION B: Contra Costa College Swimming Pool, San Pablo – Host Albany Armada Aquatics

TEAMS ELIGIBLE: ONDA, MONT, AAA, HILL, OTST, ALGA, AIA, PST, EBAT, ECG, TERA, OAPB, WCAB, UNATTACHED

OFFICIALS: Meet Referee: Leo Lin Head Starter: Marie Lin Meet Marshal: Steve Spielman
Meet Director: Mehdi Saghafi (msandcdg@sbcglobal.net) / (510) 295-8470

LOCATION: Contra Costa College Swimming Pool, Contra Costa College, 2600 Mission Bell Drive, San Pablo, CA, 94806

DIRECTIONS: From I-80 East or West Exit El Portal Dr. Head west on El Portal. Turn right on Castro Dr. Pool is on the left side.

PARKING: Use Collage parking. Collage parking rules apply.

COURSE: Outdoor heated pool, 50 Meter, up to 8 lanes with one lane available for warm up during the competition. The minimum water depth, measured in accordance with Article 103.2.3, is 13-1/2 feet at the start end and 4 feet at the turn end. The competition course has not been certified in accordance with 104.2.2C(4).

TIME: Meet begins at 9:00 A.M. each day. General warm-ups begin at 7:30 A.M and end at 8:45 A.M Special extended warm ups from 8:45-8:55 for 8-un swimmers only.

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 the course.
- All events are timed finals, **and will be swum from fastest to slowest.**
- Swimmers may compete in a maximum of four (4) individual 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 timeline, per the “Four-Hour Rule”, based on swimmer’s age and gender.**
- If local conditions warrant it, the Meet Referee with the concurrence of the meet director, may require mandatory scratch down. A refund will be issued in the event of a mandatory scratch.
- **All coaches and deck officials must wear their USA swimming (USA-S) membership cards in a visible manner.** All coaches are required to sign in at the pool entrance and present their 2013 registration card. Coaches listed on the “Expired” list, or who have no card and do not show up on the “Registered” list, will not be permitted to coach their swimmers on the deck.

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 Swimming 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: Any swimmer entered in the meet, needs to be certified by a USA Swimming member coach as being proficient in performing a racing start, or must start each race from within 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 meet warm up periods.
- Sale and the use of alcoholic beverages are prohibited in all areas of the meet venue.
- All shelters must be properly secured.
- No glass containers are allowed in the meet venue.
- No propane heaters, containers or similar devices including gas powered generators other than those provided for the snack bar or meet operations are allowed in any areas of the meet venue.
- Except where venue facilities require otherwise, changing into or out of swimsuit 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 must 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 in the “A” Division must have met at least the “PC-A” time standard.
- Swimmers in the “B” Division must have met at least the “PC-B” time standard.
- All entry times slower than the listed “PC-B” time standard will be in the “C” Division.
- “NO TIME ENTRIES” will 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.
- Swimmers 19 years of age and older may participate in the 13-18 age group events, but will not receive awards.
- Disabled swimmers are welcome to attend this meet and should contact the Meet Director or Meet Referee regarding special accommodations on entry times and seeding per Pacific Swimming policy.

ENTRY ELIGIBILITY: Only swimmers from teams listed are eligible to enter the meet and they must enter at the venue designated for their team. Unattached swimmers must enter the venue designated for the teams they are affiliated with.

ENTRY FEES: Individual Entries: \$2.75 per event, \$10.00 participation fee.

ENTRIES: Three options are available for meet entry.

OPTION 1: Online Entries: Online entries were accepted but now are closed.

OPTION 2: Mailed or hand delivered entries: Mailed and hand delivered entries were accepted but now are closed.

OPTION 3: Deck Entries, and Team Entries: will be accepted with the concurrence of the Meet Director and Meet Referee of each site. Location B: will accept entries until the cap of 350 swimmers is reached.

Location A: Make check payable to: Pleasanton Seahawks

Location B: Make check payable to: Albany Armada Aquatics

No late entries will be accepted. No refunds will be made except in the case of mandatory scratch downs.

CHECK-IN: The meet will be deck seeded. Swimmers must check in at the clerk of the course. Check in will open at 7:30 A.M. each morning. Close of check in for all events shall be no more than 60 minutes before the estimated time of the start of the first heat of the event. No event shall be closed more than 30 minutes before the scheduled start of the session. Swimmers who do not check in for an event will not be allowed to swim in that event.

AWARDS: Ribbons will be awarded for 1st-8th place in "A", "B" and "C" divisions. Standard "A" medals will be given in each event to all "B" and "C" division swimmers for NEW "A" times achieved, regardless of the place achieved in the event. Awards will be given out in the following age groups: 8 and under, 9-10, 11-12, 13-14, 15-18. Awards must be collected before the end of the meet. They will not be mailed.

ADMISSION: Free. A meet program will be available for a reasonable cost.

HOSPITALITY AND SNACK BAR: Lunch will be provided for coaches and meet officials. Timers will be provided with refreshments and light snacks. A full snack bar will be in operation during the meet.

MINIMUM OFFICIALS RULE: The Meet Referee shall conduct an inventory of Officials and shall compare the number of swimmers entered against the number of Officials that worked representing each team per day of the meet. Those teams who have not provided sufficient Officials on a given day of the meet, in accordance with the table below, will be fined \$100 per missing Official per day.

Number of swimmers entered in meet per team per day	Number of trained and carded officials required
1-10	0
11-25	1
26-50	2
51-75	3
76-100	4
Every 20 swimmers over 100	1+

EVENT SUMMARY:

SATURDAY	8&U	9-10	11-12	13-14	15-18
		200 Free	200 Free	200 Free	200 Free
	100 Free	100 Breast	200 Back	200 Breast	200 Breast
	50 Breast	100 Back	50 Back	200 Back	200 Back
	50 Back	100 Free	100 Free	100 Free	100 Free
			400 IM	400 IM	400 IM
SUNDAY	8&U	9-10	11-12	13-14	15-18
		200 IM	200 IM	200 IM	200 IM
	50 Free	50 Free	50 Free	50 Free	50 Free
	50 Fly	50 Fly	200 Fly	100 Fly	100 Fly
			100 Breast	100 Breast	100 Breast
		400 Free	400 Free	400 Free	400 Free

EVENTS:

SATURDAY, JUNE 8, 2013			
Girls Event #	Age Group	Event	Boys Event #
1	11&12	200 Free	2
3	13-18	200 Free	4
5	9&10	200 Free	6
7	8&U	100 Free	8
9	13-18	200 Breast	10
11	9&10	100 Breast	12
13	8&U	50 Breast	14
15	11&12	200 Back	16
17	13-18	200 Back	18
19	9&10	100 Back	20
21	11&12	50 Back	22
23	8&U	50 Back	24
25	11&12	100 Free	26
27	13-18	100 Free	28
29	9&10	100 Free	30
31	11&12	400 IM	32
33	13-18	400 IM	34
SUNDAY, JUNE 9, 2013			
35	11&12	200 IM	36
37	13-18	200 IM	38
39	9&10	200 IM	40

The 400 IM will be seeded fastest to slowest alternating girls' and boys' heats. Swimmers must provide their own timers for the 400 IM.

The 400 Free will be swum fastest to slowest alternating girls and boys' heats. Swimmers entered in the 400 Free must provide their own timers.

41	11&12	50 Free	42
43	13-18	50 Free	44
45	9&10	50 Free	46
47	8&U	50 Free	48
49	11&12	200 Fly	50
51	13-18	100 Fly	52
53	9&10	50 Fly	54
55	8&U	50 Fly	56
57	11&12	100 Breast	58
59	13-18	100 Breast	60
61	9&10	400 Free	62
63	11&12	400 Free	64
65	13-18	400 Free	66

Time standards may be found at: www.pacswim.org/page/times_standards.shtml

