

**MORGAN HILL MAKOS – OCTOBER SPOOKTACULAR
PACIFIC SWIMMING SHORT COURSE C/B/A+ MEET**

OCTOBER 23-25th, 2015

ENTER ONLINE: <http://ome.swimconnection.com/pc/mako20151023.html>



SANCTION: Held under USA/Pacific Swimming Sanction No. **15-142**

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 at <Http://morganhillmakos.com>**

USE OF AUDIO AND 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 devices, including but not limited to film and digital cameras, cell phones and tablets, and Google Glass 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.

MEET PERSONNEL:

Meet Referee: Jennifer McKennan	Head Starter: Phil Beisel
Meet Marshal: Sachi Itow	Admin Official: Cliff Reyeda
Meet Director: Michael Greymont – mgreymont@mhgcg.com 408 891-2948	

LOCATION: Morgan Hill Aquatics Center, 16200 Condit Road, Morgan Hill, CA.

DIRECTIONS: From Southbound Highway 101: take Dunne Avenue exit, go left and cross over 101, go right at the first street (traffic light), Condit Road. Pool is on left, about ¼ mile. From Northbound Highway 101: take Tennant Avenue exit, go right and make immediate left onto Condit Road. Pool is on right.

Parking: Park in the main paved lot of the facility, the EAST side of Conduit Road, and the main large lot on the North side of the facility. Do not park at the House of Thunder Harley Davidson Dealership or Patio World. Those lots are for their patrons only and vehicles will be towed at your expense. Please secure vehicles and contents, the City of Morgan Hill, The Morgan Hill Aquatics Center, the Morgan Hill Swim Club (MAKOS), nor Pacific Swimming take ANY responsibility to damage or theft to any vehicles or personal belongings.

Entry: Enter facility through the gates at the competition end of the Aquatics Center, the south end. Please do not enter through the main entry on the north end of the facility, as the facility is open to the public during the meet.

COURSE: Outdoor 25 yard pool with up to 16 lanes available for competition. An additional 4 lanes will be available for warm-up/cool down throughout the competition. The minimum water depth for the shallow end course, measured in accordance with Article 103.2.3, is 7'0" at the shallow end and 13'0" at the deep end. 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: Meet will begin at 09:00 AM each day with warm-ups from 07:30 to 08:45 AM each day. A special warm-up time for 8 and under swimmers only will be held from 08:00 – 08:45 AM both in the instructional pool and 2 reserved start lanes. Friday distance events will begin at 5:00PM and warm ups for these events will be from 3:30PM to 4:445PM.

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.
- All events will swim fast to slow.
- Swimmers may compete in 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.
- Swimmers competing in the 500 Freestyle must provide their own timers and lap counters. Swimmers competing in the 400 IM must provide their own timers.

- **All coaches and deck officials must wear their USA Swimming membership cards in a visible manner.**

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. Or any other open flame devices.
- All shelters must be properly secured.
- Changing into or out of swimsuits other than in locker rooms or other designated areas is prohibited.
- Destructive devices, to include but not limited to, explosive devices and equipment, firearms (open or concealed), blades, knives, mace, stun guns and blunt objects are strictly prohibited in the swimming facility and its surrounding areas. If observed, the Meet Referee or his/her designee may ask that these devices be stored safely away from the public or removed from the facility. Noncompliance may result in the reporting to law enforcement authorities and ejection from the facility. Law enforcement officers (LEO) are exempt per applicable laws.

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 in the "A" Division must have met at least USA Swimming Motivational "A" minimum time standard. Swimmers in the "B" Division must have met at least the listed "B" minimum time standard. All entry times slower than the listed "B" time standard will be in the "C" Division.
- Entries with "**NO TIME**" 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.
- Disabled swimmers are welcome to attend this meet and should contact the Meet Director or Meet Referee regarding any 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. Such swimmers must have met standards for the 17-18 age group.
- The swimmer's age will be the age of the swimmer on the first day of the meet.

ENTRY FEES: \$4.00 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/mako20151023> 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, **October 14, 2015**.

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, **October 12, 2015** or hand delivered by 6:30 p.m. Wednesday, **October 14, 2015**. **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: Morgan Hill Swim Club

**Mail entries to: Michael Greymont - Makos
409 Tennant Ave #423
Morgan Hill, CA 95037**

Hand deliver entries to:

**Michael Greymont – Morgan Hill Makos
Morgan Hill Aquatics Center, 16200 Condit Road
Morgan Hill, CA 95037**

CHECK-IN: The meet will be deck seeded. Swimmers must check-in at the Clerk-of-Course. Close of check-in for all individual 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 will not be seeded and will not be allowed to compete in that event.

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

AWARDS: None. Eight places will be awarded in each division for 8 & U, 9-10, 11-12, 13-14, 15-18 age groups. No awards given for swimmers 19 years of age and older. **Note: Individual awards must be picked up during/after the meet, no distribution of awards will occur after the meet, either hand delivery or mail.**

ADMISSION: Free. A 3 day program will be available for a small charge

SNACK BAR & HOSPITALITY: A snack bar will be available throughout the competition. Coaches and working deck officials will be provided lunch. Hospitality will serve refreshments to timers and volunteers

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

EVENT SUMMARY

FRIDAY		SATURDAY				SUNDAY			
10 & UN	11-OVER	8 & UN	9-10	11-12	13-OVER	8 & UN	9-10	11-12	13-OVER
500 FR*	400 IM*	25 BR	100 IM	200 IM	200 IM	50 BR	50 BR	100 BR	200 BR
		50 BK	100 BR	100 FL	100 FL	25 BK	100 BK	200 BK	100 BK
		100 FR	50 BK	50 BK	200 BK	50 FL	50 FL	200 FL	200 FL
			100 FR	200 BR	100 BR	50 FR	200 FR	200 FR	200 FR
				100 FR	100 FR		50 FR	50 FR	50 FR
					500 FR*				

- **Swimmers MUST have their own lap counters and timers. Watches will be provided.**
- **Time standards found here: <http://www.pacswim.org/swim-meet-times/standards>**

EVENTS

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 23, 2015		
EVENT #	EVENT	EVENT #
1	10-UN 500 FREE*	2
3	11-OVER 400 IM*	4
SATURDAY, OCTOBER 24, 2015		
EVENT #	EVENT	EVENT #
5	13-18 200 I.M.	6
7	11-12 200 I.M.	8
9	9-10 100 I.M.	10
11	13-18 100 Fly	12
13	11-12 100 Fly	14
15	9-10 100 Breast	16
17	8-UN 25 Breast	18
19	13-18 200 Back	20
21	11-12 50 Back	22
23	9-10 50 Back	24
25	8-UN 50 Back	26
27	13-18 100 Breast	28
29	11-12 200 Breast	30
31	8-UN 100 Free	32
33	9-10 100 Free	34
35	13-18 100 Free	36
37	11-12 100 Free	38
39	13-18 500 Free*	40

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 25, 2015		
EVENT #	EVENT	EVENT #
41	13-18 200 Breast	42
43	8-UN 50 Breast	44
45	11-12 100 Breast	46
47	9-10 50 Breast	48
48	8-UN 25 Back	50
51	13-18 100 Back	52
53	11-12 200 Back	54
55	9-10 100 Back	56
57	13-18 200 Fly	58
59	11-12 200 Fly	60
61	9-10 50 Fly	62
63	8-UN 50 Fly	64
65	13-18 200 Free	66
67	11-12 200 Free	68
69	9-10 200 Free	70
71	13-18 50 Free	72
73	11-12 50 Free	74
75	9-10 50 Free	76
77	8-UN 50 Free	78

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Pacific Swimming – Hosted by Morgan Hill Makos Short Course Halloween Spooktacular October 23-25th, 2015 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-#													
Event #	Distance / Stroke					Entry Time			Circle one				
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# of entries _____ x \$4.00 = \$ _____ Participation Fee \$ 8.00 Total \$ _____													
Coach													
Swimmer's Address													
Home Phone							Cell Phone						
Email													