

Stockton Swim Club
Zone 2 14-Under Pentathlon
PACIFIC SWIMMING SHORT COURSE MEET
Saturday, April 2, 2016
Enter Online: <http://ome.swimconnection.com/pc/RAM20160402>



****NOTE – THIS MEET WILL BE CAPPED AT A MAXIMUM OF 300 SWIMMERS****

SANCTION: Held under USA/Pacific Swimming Sanction No. **16-043**

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 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:

<i>Meet Referee:</i> Mike McCombs	<i>Head Starter:</i> Matt Schmidt
<i>Meet Marshal:</i> Kristen Rasmussen	<i>Admin Official:</i> Jennifer Winters
<i>Meet Director:</i> Sarah Drouin (860) 778-7875 SSCMeetRep@yahoo.com / drouinsarah@sbcglobal.net	

LOCATION: Cortopassi Aquatic Center, St. Mary's High School, 5648 North El Dorado Street, Stockton, CA 95207-4459

DIRECTIONS: From I-5, Exit March Lane, Go east on March Lane 2.3 Miles, Turn left on El Dorado Street, Go approx. ½ mile, St. Mary's High School will be on your right hand side. Enter parking lot and proceed to the rear of the school. Pool is located by the football field.

COURSE: Outdoor heated 25 yard pool with up to 10 lanes available for competition. An additional 5 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 6'6" at the start end and 6'6" at the turn 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 9:00 AM with warm-ups from 7:45 to 8:45 AM. A special warm-up time for 8 and under athletes only will be held from 8:45 to 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.
- All events will swim fast to slow.
- **Athletes must enter in all five (5) events in their age group.**
- All athletes 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 athlete's age and gender OR when the session reaches a cap of 300 athletes, whichever occurs first.
- 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.**

ATTENTION HIGH SCHOOL ATHLETES: If you are a high school athlete in season, you need to be Unattached from this meet. It is the athlete's responsibility to be Unattached from this meet. You can un-attach at the meet if necessary. This does not apply to athletes swimming under the rules of the Nevada Interscholastic Activities Association (NIAA).

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 athlete or the athlete's legal guardian to arrange for supervision by a USA-S member-coach. The Meet Director or Meet Referee may assist the athlete 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: Athletes 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 athlete or the athlete'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 athletes, 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 heater is permitted except for snack bar/meet operations.
- 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:

- Athletes 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 athlete with the registration and times database. The meet host will check all athlete 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.

- Entries with "**NO TIME**" will be **REJECTED**.
- Athletes over the age of 14 are not eligible to compete.
- 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 athletes 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.
- The athlete's age will be the age of the swimmer on the first day of the meet.

ENTRY PRIORITY: Meet entries will not be accepted any earlier than February 27, 2016. Entries from members of year round swimmers of Zone 2 teams postmarked or entered online by 11:59 p.m. on March 4, 2016 will be given 1st priority acceptance. Entries from members of all Zone 2 teams (year round and seasonal) postmarked or entered online between 12:00 am March 5, 2016 and 11:59 pm March 11, 2016 will be given 2nd priority acceptance. All entries from Zone 2, all other Pacific LSC Zones and other LSC's, either postmarked, entered online, or hand delivered by the entry deadline will be considered in the order that they were received.

**** NOTE:** Athletes who falsify their entry form by listing a club 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: \$4.00 per event plus an \$8.00 participation fee per athlete. Entries will be rejected if payment is not sent at time of request. No refunds will be made, except mandatory scratch downs.

ONLINE ENTRIES: To enter online go to <http://ome.swimconnection.com/pc/RAM20160402> 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 an athlete by Pacific Swimming.** Online entries will be accepted through **Wednesday, March 23, 2016.**

MAILED OR HAND DELIVERED ENTRIES: Entries must be on the attached consolidated entry form. Forms must be filled out completely and printed clearly with athlete's best time. Entries must be postmarked by midnight, Monday, **March 21, 2016** or hand delivered by **6:30 p.m. Wednesday, March 23, 2016**. No late entries will be accepted. Requests for confirmation of receipt of entries should include a self-addressed envelope.

Make check payable to: Stockton Swim Club

**Mail/hand deliver entries to: Stockton Swim Club
Attn: Swim Meet Entries
3651 N. Merrimac Circle
Stockton, CA 95219**

CHECK-IN: The meet will be deck seeded. Athletes must check-in at the Clerk-of-Course. No event shall be closed more than 30 minutes before the scheduled start of the session. 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. Athletes who do not check in will not be seeded and will not be allowed to compete in that event.

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

AWARDS: Awards will be given to the athletes with the top three cumulative times within each age group (8 & under, 9-10, 11-12, 13-14). Athletes must participate in all five events to be eligible to receive a top swimmer award. All awards must be picked up during the meet. Awards will not be mailed or delivered

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

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

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

MINIMUM OFFICIALS: 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 in a day of the meet, in accordance with the table below, will be fined \$100 per missing Official per day.

Club swimmers entered in session	Trained and carded officials requested
1-10	0
11-25	1
26-50	2
51-75	3
76-100	4
Every 20 Swimmers over 100	+1

EVENT SUMMARY

Saturday, April 2, 2016			
8 & Under	9-10	11-12	13-14
50 Free	50 Free	100 Free	100 Free
25 Fly	50 Fly	50 Fly	100 Fly
25 Back	50 Back	50 Back	100 Back
25 Breast	50 Breast	50 Breast	100 Breast
100 IM	100 IM	100 IM	100 IM

ORDER OF EVENTS

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GIRLS Event #	AGE GROUP	EVENT	BOYS Event #
1	13-14	100 Free	2
3	11-12	100Free	4
5	9-10	50 Free	6
7	8-Under	50 Free	8
9	13-14	100 Fly	10
11	11-12	50 Fly	12
13	9-10	50 Fly	14
15	8-Under	25 Fly	16
17	13-14	100 Back	18
19	11-12	50 Back	20
21	9-10	50 Back	22
23	8-Under	25 Back	24
25	13-14	100 Breast	26
27	11-12	50 Breast	28
29	9-10	50 Breast	30
31	8-Under	25 Breast	32
33	13-14	100 IM	34
35	11-12	100 IM	36
37	9-10	100 IM	38
39	8-Under	100 IM	40

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

Pacific Swimming – Hosted by Stockton Swim Club 14 & Under Pentathlon Saturday, April 2, 2016 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													