

SANCTION: Held under USA Pacific Swimming Sanction No. **14-069**

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.

<u>USE OF AUDIO AND VIDEO</u>: Photography and video recording from behind the blocks or starting areas is prohibited unless prior permission is granted by the Meet Referee. Use of <u>any</u> 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.

OFFICIALS:

Meet Referee: Paul ReidlAdmin Official: Veronica FranklinMeet Starter: Phil BeislMeet Marshal: Michael CreedMeet Director: Mary Hazdovac – maryhazdovac@comcast.net

LOCATION: Hartnell Community College, 156 Homestead Avenue, Salinas, CA 93901

FROM 101S: Take Main St exit towards Salinas. Stay straight to go onto N Main St/CA-183S. N Main St/CA-183SbecomeSalinas St. Turn right onto W Alisal St. Turn right onto Homestead Ave.FROM 101N: Take the John St exit. Turn left onto John St. Turn right onto Monterey St. Turn left onto E AlisalSt. Turnright onto Homestead Ave.St. Turn right onto Homestead Ave.St. Turn

<u>COURSE</u>: Outdoor 50 meter by 25 yard heated pool. Up to sixteen 25 yard lanes will be used for competition. Warm-up/cool-down area will be available during the meet. Colorado Time System will be used. The minimum water depth, measured in accordance with Article 10323, is 8-14' at the start end and 8-14' at the turn end. In accordance with Article 104.22C(4) the competition pool has been certified. A copy of the certification is on file with USA Swimming.

TIME: Meet begins at 9:00 AM on Saturday with warm-up from 7:15-8:45 AM.

- **<u>RULES</u>**: Current USA and Pacific Swimming rules will govern the meet.
 - Pacific Swimming warm-up procedures will be in effect. A copy of these procedures will be posted at the Clerk-of-Course.
 Swimmers may register for as many events in which they qualify, but they may compete in a maximum of four (4) individual events, plus relays. If a swimmer is entered in more than 4 events, s/he will be asked to scratch down to the 4 event max.
 - A swimmer may ONLY compete in one (1) Freestyle and one (1) Medley relay.
 - If the Head Referee and Meet Director determine a scratch down is necessary, immediate cash refund will be available.
 - If necessary, the Head Referee, in concurrence with the Meet Director, may call for a break at an appropriate time.
 - All coaches and deck officials must wear their USA Swimming membership cards in a visible manner.

UNACCOMPANIED SWIMMERS: Any USAS 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 USAS 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 USAS Club Member-Coach. The swimmer must be certified by a USA Swimming 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.

<u>RESTRICTIONS</u>: • Smoking and the use of other tobacco products is prohibited on the pool deck, in the locker rooms, in spectator

seating or standing areas, and in all areas used by swimmers, during the meet and warm-up periods.

- Sale and use of alcoholic beverages is prohibited in all areas of the meet venue.
- No glass is permitted on the pool deck and facilities.
- No tents are allowed on the pool deck or any other area within the pool's fenced complex..
- No unauthorized cars may park on the lawn areas.
- Only coaches' EZ Ups will be allowed on the pool deck.
- Access to the working area of the pool deck will be restricted to officials, timers, swimmers, coaches and meet staff.

• 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/Pacific Swimming 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.

- All swimmers must be registered in the Pacific LSC.
- Entries with "No Time" (NT) will be rejected.

• Entry rime submitted will be checked against a computer database and may be changed or denied in accordance with Pacific Swimming Entry Time Verification Procedures.

• Swimmers must be 10 years of age or younger as old the day of the meet. Swimmers 11 years of age and older are not eligible for this meet.

ENTRY FEES: \$2.75 per individual event plus an \$8.00 per swimmer participation fee. \$9.00 per relay team.

ONLINE ENTRIES: Enter online at <u>http://ome.swimconnection.com/pc/mbsc20140426</u> to receive immediate confirmation. Deadline for online entries is 11:59 PM on Wednesday, April 16, 2014. The confirmation email should be brought to the meet as proof of entry. Online entry requires payment via debit/credit card using a secure website. The cost of using the OME system is \$1 per swimmer plus 5% of the total entry fees. Please note that this fee is a separate fee from the entry fees. OM E fees are paid to Swim Connection, LLC. Fees collected by the use of this system are completely voluntary. OME is no way required or expected of a swimmer of Pacific Swimming.

MAILED/HAND DELIVERED ENTRIES: All mailed/hand delivered entries must be submitted on the attached Consolidated Entry Form (page 6). All entry times should be noted with a SCY SCM or LCM next to the entry time. DO NOT CONVERT TIMES USING ANY CONVERSION FORMULAS. Entries must be postmarked by midnight on Monday, April 14, 2014, or hand delivered by 8:00 PM on Wednesday, April 16, 2014. Faxed and late entries will not be accepted. No refunds will be made, except mandatory scratches.

Make checks payable to: MONTEREY BAY SWIM CLUB

Mail/Hand Deliver entries to: M. Hazdovac, 1117 Piedmont Avenue, Pacific Grove, CA 93950

To confirm entries have been received, please include a self-addressed, stamped envelope with your entries.

RELAY ENTRIES: Relay entries will be due on the day of the meet at a time announced at the beginning of the meet. All relays will be deck seeded. Payment is due at the time of entry.

<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 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 allowed to compete in that event.

SCRATCHES: Swimmers entered in an individual event that have checked in for that event, must swim in the event unless they notify the Clerk-of-Course before seeding for that event has begun. Failure to swim an event will result in being barred from their next individual event. Exception: No penalty shall apply for failure to withdraw or compete in an individual event if the referee is notified in the event of illness or injury and accepts the proof thereof, or it is determined by the referee that the No Show is caused by circumstances beyond the control of the swimmer.

<u>AWARDS</u>: Awards will be given to the following ages: 10, 9, 8, 7 year olds and 6/Unders. $1^{st}-3^{rd}$ place swimmers will receive distinctive awards. Ribbons will be awarded for $4^{th}-8^{th}$ place. Relays will only be awarded for $1^{st}-3^{rd}$ place. High point and high point runner up trophies will be awarded to the girls and boys with the most points scored in each age group listed above.

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ADMISSION: Free.

PROGRAMS: Programs will be for sale at the meet.

<u>SNACK BAR/HOSPITALITY</u>: A snack bar will be available. Refreshments and lunch will be provided free to coaches and working officials.

EVENTS:

SATURDAY, APRIL 26, 2014									
GIRLS EVENT #			EVENT						
1	2	9-10	200 Freestyle						
3	4	9-10	100 Breaststroke						
5	6	8/UN	25 Freestyle						
7	8	9-10	100 Individual Medley						
9	10	8/UN	25 Breaststroke						
11	12	9-10	100 Butterfly						
13	14	8/UN	25 Butterfly						
15	16	9-10	100 Backstroke						
17	18	8/UN	25 Backstroke						
19	20	9-10	500 Freestyle						
21	22	8/UN	100 Freestyle Relay						
23	24	10/UN	200 Freestyle Relay						
25	26	8/UN	100 Freestyle						
27	28	9-10	50 Freestyle						
29	30	8/UN	50 Breaststroke						
31	32	9-10	50 Breaststroke						
33	34	8/UN	100 Individual Medley						
35	36	9-10	200 Individual Medley						
37	38	8/UN	50 Butterfly						
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43	44	9-10	50 Backstroke						
45	46	8/UN	50 Freestyle						
47	48	9-10	100 Freestyle						
49	50	8/UN	100 Medley Relay						
51	52	10/UN	200 Medley Relay						

6/UN and 7-8 year olds will compete in 8/UN events.

QUALIFYING TIME STANDARDS: 6/UN swimmers must have achieved an 8/UN PC-B time 7-8 swimmers must have achieved an 8/UN PC-A time 9-10 swimmers must have achieved a 10/UN PC-A time

Pacific Swimming time standards can be found at: http://www.pacswim.org/swim-meet-times/standards

Relay Only Swimmers Pre-Entry Form*

*To be submitted by Team	Coach		
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