

**ALTO SWIM CLUB MEET**  
**PACIFIC SWIMMING SHORT COURSE DUAL MEET**  
**May 1-2, 2021**  
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**SANCTION:** Held under USA/Pacific Swimming Sanction No. **21-083**

*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.*

*An inherent risk of exposure to COVID-19 exists in any public place where people are present. COVID-19 is an extremely contagious disease that can lead to severe illness and death. According to the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, senior citizens and individuals with underlying medical conditions are especially vulnerable.*

*USA Swimming, Inc., cannot prevent you (or your child(ren)) from becoming exposed to, contracting, or spreading COVID-19 while participating in USA Swimming sanctioned events. It is not possible to prevent against the presence of the disease. Therefore, if you choose to participate in a USA Swimming sanctioned event, you may be exposing yourself to and/or increasing your risk of contracting or spreading COVID-19.*

**BY ATTENDING OR PARTICIPATING IN THIS COMPETITION, YOU VOLUNTARILY ASSUME ALL RISKS ASSOCIATED WITH EXPOSURE TO COVID-19 AND FOREVER RELEASE AND HOLD HARMLESS USA SWIMMING AND PACIFIC SWIMMING AND EACH OF THEIR OFFICERS, DIRECTORS, AGENTS, EMPLOYEES OR OTHER REPRESENTATIVES FROM ANY LIABILITY OR CLAIMS INCLUDING FOR PERSONAL INJURIES, DEATH, DISEASE OR PROPERTY LOSSES, OR ANY OTHER LOSS, INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO CLAIMS OF NEGLIGENCE AND GIVE UP ANY CLAIMS YOU MAY HAVE TO SEEK DAMAGES, WHETHER KNOWN OR UNKNOWN, FORESEEN OR UNFORESEEN, IN CONNECTION THEREWITH.**

**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.

**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:**

<b>Meet Referee:</b> Mette Graversen	<b>Head Starter:</b> Evan Bigall
<b>Meet Marshal:</b> Alec Scott	<b>Admin Official:</b> Laura Mitchell
<b>Meet Director:</b> Joey Sementelli – <a href="mailto:Joeysementelli@gmail.com">Joeysementelli@gmail.com</a>	

**LOCATION:** PETALUMA SWIM CENTER. 900 EAST WASHINGTON, PETALUMA, CA 94952

**COURSE:** OUTDOOR 25 YARD pool with up to 8 lanes available for competition. An additional 13 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 9'9" at the start end and 9'9" at the turn end. In accordance with Article 104.2.2C(4) the competition course has been certified. The competition course has not been certified in accordance with 104.2.2C(4).

**TIME:** Meet will begin at 10:30 AM each day with warm-ups from **9:30 to 10:30** AM each day. Social distancing will be maintained in the meet warm up.

**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 applicable adults participating in or associated with this meet, acknowledge that they are subject to the provisions of the USA Swimming Minor Athlete Abuse Prevention Policy ("MAAPP"), and that they understand that compliance with the MAAPP policy is a condition of participation in the conduct of this competition.
- All events are timed finals.
- All events will swim fast to slow.
- Athletes may compete in **5** events per day.
- 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 Athletes 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.
- All Coaches and Officials must wear their USA Swimming membership cards in a visible manner.
- The local facilities guidelines, restrictions, and interpretation of the local public health guidelines shall be followed at this meet. All applicable Sonoma County, City of Petaluma and State of California Public Health requirements for protection against Covid-19 will apply. All persons in the facility must be masked, with the exceptions of athletes during warm up, warm down, and actual competition. The meet director and meet referee may remove any individual who does not comply.

**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 ATHLETES:** Any USA Swimming 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 Swimming 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 Swimming 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 Swimming Club Member-Coach.

**RACING STARTS:** Athletes 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 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.
- Deck Changes are 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.
- Operation of a drone, or any other flying apparatus, is prohibited over the venue (pools, Athlete/Coach areas, Spectator areas and open ceiling locker rooms) any time Athletes, Coaches, Officials and/or Spectators are present.

**ELIGIBILITY:**

- Athletes must be current members of USA 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 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.
- Meet is open only to qualified athletes registered with **Alto Swim Club and Palo Alto Stanford Aquatics**. Athletes who are unattached but participating with **ALTO or PASA** are eligible to compete.
- Entries with **"NO TIME" will be accepted.**
- 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 Athlete on the first day of the meet.

**ENTRY FEES:** \$20 flat fee per athlete.

**ENTRIES:** Entries shall be handled in-house by ALTO Staff. Online and Mail-In entries shall not be available.

**CHECK-IN:** The meet shall be pre-seeded. Athletes shall report to the bull-pen area at their scheduled time for each event.

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

**AWARDS:** None.

**ADMISSION:** Free.

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

## EVENT SUMMARY

### Saturday

1	Mixed	Open	50 fly
2	Mixed	Open	100 fly
3	Mixed	Open	200 fly
4	Mixed	Open	50 back
5	Mixed	Open	100 back
6	Mixed	Open	200 back
7	Mixed	Open	50 breast
8	Mixed	Open	100 breast
9	Mixed	Open	200 breast
10	Mixed	Open	50 free
11	Mixed	Open	100 free
12	Mixed	Open	200 free
13	Mixed	Open	500 free
14	Mixed	Open	100 IM
15	Mixed	Open	200 IM
16	Mixed	Open	400 IM
17	Mixed	Open	1000 free
18	Mixed	Open	1650 free
19	Mixed	Open	25 fly
20	Mixed	Open	50 fly
21	Mixed	Open	100 fly
22	Mixed	Open	200 fly
23	Mixed	Open	25 back
24	Mixed	Open	50 back
25	Mixed	Open	100 back
26	Mixed	Open	200 back
27	Mixed	Open	25 breast
28	Mixed	Open	50 breast
29	Mixed	Open	100 breast
30	Mixed	Open	200 breast
31	Mixed	Open	25 free
32	Mixed	Open	50 free
33	Mixed	Open	100 free
34	Mixed	Open	200 free
35	Mixed	Open	500 free
36	Mixed	Open	100 IM
37	Mixed	Open	200 IM
38	Mixed	Open	400 IM
39	Mixed	Open	1000 free
40	Mixed	Open	1650 free

**Sunday**

41	Mixed	Open	50 fly
42	Mixed	Open	100 fly
43	Mixed	Open	200 fly
44	Mixed	Open	50 back
45	Mixed	Open	100 back
46	Mixed	Open	200 back
47	Mixed	Open	50 breast
48	Mixed	Open	100 breast
49	Mixed	Open	200 breast
50	Mixed	Open	50 free
51	Mixed	Open	100 free
52	Mixed	Open	200 free
53	Mixed	Open	500 free
54	Mixed	Open	100 IM
55	Mixed	Open	200 IM
56	Mixed	Open	400 IM
57	Mixed	Open	1000 free
58	Mixed	Open	1650 free
59	Mixed	Open	25 fly
60	Mixed	Open	50 fly
61	Mixed	Open	100 fly
62	Mixed	Open	200 fly
63	Mixed	Open	25 back
64	Mixed	Open	50 back
65	Mixed	Open	100 back
66	Mixed	Open	200 back
67	Mixed	Open	25 breast
68	Mixed	Open	50 breast
69	Mixed	Open	100 breast
70	Mixed	Open	200 breast
71	Mixed	Open	25 free
72	Mixed	Open	50 free
73	Mixed	Open	100 free
74	Mixed	Open	200 free
75	Mixed	Open	500 free
76	Mixed	Open	100 IM
77	Mixed	Open	200 IM
78	Mixed	Open	400 IM
79	Mixed	Open	1000 free
80	Mixed	Open	1650 free

Pacific Swimming – Hosted by Alto Swim Club SHORT COURSE MEET May 1-2, 2021 Consolidated Entry Form													
Name: Last			First				Middle						
Club Abbr.			UNATT TEAM ABBR				Club Name						
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