BURLINGAME AQUATIC CLUB LAST CHANCE 1650 MEET PACIFIC SWIMMING SHORT COURSE MEET FEBRUARY 23, 2024

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SANCTION: Held under USA/Pacific Swimming Sanction No. **24-031**

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.

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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 Meet Mobile.**

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: Lucille Glassman Head Starter: Phil Harter

Meet Marshal: Tommy Dowley Admin Official: Sylvain Flamant

Meet Director: Loki Hondof (loki@burlingameaquatics.com)

LOCATION: Burlingame Aquatic Center 1 Mangini Way Burlingame, CA 94010.

DIRECTIONS: From Hwy 101: take Broadway exit West. Turn left on Carolan Ave. Turn left on Oak Grove Ave. The Aquatic Center will be on your right. The pool is located on the north side of campus near the tennis courts and soccer fields, bordering Oak Grove Ave.

COURSE: Outdoor 25 yard by 50 meter pool with up to 10 lanes available for competition. An additional 6-8 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 start end and 7'0" at the turn end. The Meet Host shall ensure the required course dimensions.

TIME: Meet will begin at 4:45 PM with warm-ups from 3:30 to 4:30 PM.

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.

- The local facilities guidelines, restrictions and interpretation of the local public health guidelines shall be followed at this meet and enforced by up to two (2) lifeguards on the pool deck.
- An Automatic External Defibrillator (A.E.D.) will be marked and available. A first aid kit will be available.

- All 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 MAAPP 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 One event per day.
- All Athletes ages 12 and under should complete competition within four (4) hours.
- Entries will be limited to the first 90 entrants.
- 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 ATHLETES: 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 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 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, Athletes shall be required to register online via USA Swimming's online member registration before being allowed to swim in the meet.

- Entries with "NO TIME" will be REJECTED.
- Athletes with a disability are welcome to attend this meet and should contact the Meet Director or Meet Referee regarding and special accommodations on entry times and seeding per Pacific Swimming policy.
- Athletes 19 years of age and over may compete in the meet for time only, no awards. Such Athletes must have met standards for the 17-18 age group.
- The Athlete's age will be the age of the Athlete on the first day of the meet.

ENTRY FEES: \$4.50 per event plus a \$10.00 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.fastswims.com to receive an immediate entry confirmation. This method requires payment by credit card. FastSwims charges a service fee for this service, 6.5% of the total Entry Fees plus \$0.75 per transaction, regardless of number of Athletes. Please note that the service fee is a separate fee from the Entry Fees. If you do not wish to pay the service 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, February 14th.**

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, February 12th or hand delivered by 6:30 p.m. Wednesday, February 14th. 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: Burlingame Aquatic Club

Mail entries to: BAC Last Chance Meet Hand deliver entries to: BAC Last Chance Meet

c/o Loki Hondorf c/o Loki Hondorf

P.O. Box 281 Burlingame Aquatic Center Burlingame, CA 94011 Burlingame, CA 94010

CHECK-IN: None. Meet will be pre seeded.

SCRATCHES: Scratches will be due **Thursday, Feb 22nd by 11:59 pm**. Any Athletes not reporting for or competing in an individual timed final event that they have checked in for shall not be penalized.

AWARDS: None.

ADMISSION: Free.

SNACK BAR & HOSPITALITY: A snack bar will NOT be available throughout the competition. Hospitality will serve refreshments to coaches, officials, timers and volunteers.

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

MINIMUM OFFICIALS: Clubs must follow Z1 North rules for providing officials. Each club must provide officials for each session according to the number of athletes entered in that session, following the table below.

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						
100 or more	5 and up (1 for every 25 swimmers)						

ORDER OF EVENTS

MIXED	FRIDAY
EVENT#	EVENT
1	Open 1650 Free*

^{*} All Athletes must enter a seed time (coach verified time is okay) for proper seeding purposes.

^{*} Athletes MUST provide their own timers and lap counters.

^{*} Entries will be limited to the first 90 athletes.

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