

**SWIM SOUTH BAY
PACIFIC SWIMMING SHORT COURSE CLOSED MEET
APRIL 16, 2016**



SANCTION: Held under USA/Pacific Swimming Sanction No. **16-055**

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.

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: Mike Piccardo	Head Starter: Jeanette Soe
Meet Marshal: Marisa Cozort	Admin Official: Bob McNamara
Meet Director: Marisa Cozort – office@swimsouthbay.org	

LOCATION: Presentation High School Pool, 2281 Plummer Avenue, San Jose, CA 95125

COURSE: Outdoor 25 yard heated pool with up to ten (10) lanes available for competition. Additional 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 7'6" at the start end and 13' at the turn end. The competition course has not been certified in accordance with 104.2.2C(4).

TIME: Meet will begin at 9:00 AM with warm-ups from 7:30 – 8:30 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 may compete in a maximum of two (2) events per day.
- All events will be co-ed.
- **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 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.
 - Meet is open to all qualified athletes registered with BAY. Athletes who are unattached, but participating with BAY may enter the meet.
 - 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 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.
 - Athletes 19 years of age and over may compete in the meet for time only, no awards.
 - The athlete's age will be the age of the swimmer on the first day of the meet.

ENTRIES: This is a team entered meet for BAY athletes only. All team entries must be submitted in HyTek Commlink format. Teams' individual electronic data entry files are to be e-mailed by 7:00 PM Monday, April 4 to: office@swimsouthbay.org No late or deck entries will be accepted.

ENTRY FEES: None.

CHECK-IN: The meet will be pre-seeded.

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

AWARDS: None.

ADMISSION: Free.

SNACK BAR & HOSPITALITY: A snack bar will be available throughout the competition. Coaches and working deck officials will be provided lunch.

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

EVENTS:

Event #	Age Group	Event
1	OPEN	100 Free
2	OPEN	200 Free
3	OPEN	500 Free
4	OPEN	100 IM
5	OPEN	200 IM
6	OPEN	400 IM
7	OPEN	1650 Free