

**SANCTION:** Held under USA/Pacific Swimming Sanction No. **21-122**

*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. **The results of this meet may be posted in real time on the Internet on MeetMobile.**

**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> <b>ANDY DOWNS</b>	<i>Head Starter:</i> <b>PETER WINKLER</b>
<i>Meet Marshal:</i> <b>STEPHANIE PALMER</b>	<i>Admin Official:</i> <b>LILLIAN BAUTISTA</b>
<i>Meet Director:</i> <b>PERE WAIT (415) 480-9767</b>	<a href="mailto:pere.wait@gmail.com">pere.wait@gmail.com</a>

**LOCATION:** REDWOOD HIGH SCHOOL, 395 DOHERTY DRIVE, LARKSPUR, CA 94939

**COURSE:** OUTDOOR 25 YARD pool with up to 8 lanes available for competition. An additional 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' at the start end and 7' at the turn end.

**TIME:** Meet will begin at **9:15 AM** with warm-ups from **8:15 to 9:00 AM**. A maximum of three (3) athletes shall be permitted per warm-up lane. The athletes shall enter the water staggered. Each club will be assigned lanes during 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.
- The local facilities guidelines, restrictions and interpretation of the local public health guidelines shall be followed at this meet.
- 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 a **maximum of 4 events** per day.

- All Athletes ages 12 and under should complete competition within four (4) hours.
- Entries will be accepted until the meet is full.
- 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.**
- SPECTATORS are not permitted on the pool deck or inside the pool facility.
- FAMILIES/ATHLETES may set up chairs/tents in a designated area outside the pool facility.
- BLEACHERS/GALLERY seating inside the pool enclosure is restricted to Athletes only.
- All applicable Marin County, City of Larkspur and State of California Public Health requirements for protection against COVID-19 will apply. All persons in the facility must be masked (with the exception of athletes during warm up, warm down, and actual competition). The Meet Director and Meet Referee may remove any individual who does not comply.

**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 **NORTH BAY AQUATICS, SONOMA SEA DRAGONS, or MONTCLAIR SWIM TEAM**. Athletes who are unattached but training with **NORTH BAY AQUATICS, SONOMA SEA DRAGONS, or MONTCLAIR SWIM TEAM** 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.
- 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:** \$25.00 flat 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. Entry fees are payable to **North Bay Aquatics, 9 Scenic Rd, Fairfax, CA, 94930-1511** and are due on or before race day. Entries are Team Entries only.

**TEAM ENTRIES:** A sd3 entry file must be submitted by **FRIDAY, JUNE 18<sup>TH</sup>** to the **MEET DIRECTOR ([pere.wait@gmail.com](mailto:pere.wait@gmail.com))**. Request a confirmation of receipt to ensure delivery of the email and file.

**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. Only Athletes, Officials, and Volunteers will be allowed in the pool area, subject to change according to USA Swimming, Pacific Swimming, state & local COVID restrictions and guidelines. Please note that the USA Swimming guidelines are more restrictive than the state guidelines.

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

**EVENT SUMMARY:**

<b>Open Timed Finals</b>
200 IM
100 FL
200 BK
50 BK
100 FR
200 BR
50 BR
500 FR
200 FLY
100 BK
50 FLY
100 BR
100 IM
200 FR
50 FR

OPEN TIMED FINAL EVENTS

SUNDAY, JUNE 27		
GIRLS' EVENT #	EVENT	BOYS' EVENT #
1	200 IM	2
3	100 FL	4
5	200 BK	6
7	50 BK	8
9	100 FR	10
11	200 BR	12
13	50 BR	14
15	500 FR	16
17	200 FLY	18
19	100 BK	20
21	50 FLY	22
23	100 BR	24
25	100 IM	26
27	200 FR	28
29	50 FR	30