

NEPTUNE SWIMMING SWIM LIKE THE DICKENS
PACIFIC SWIMMING SHORT COURSE C/B/A+ MEET
DECEMBER 5-6, 2026
Enter Online: <http://ome.fastswims.com>



SANCTION: Held under USA/Pacific Swimming Sanction No. **26-121**

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. **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:

<i>Meet Referee:</i> Bill Sargis	<i>Head Starter:</i> Sarah Obbagy
<i>Meet Marshal:</i> Kelly Birkland	<i>Admin Official:</i> Mike Abegg
<i>Meet Director:</i> Ashley Denize	srnashleybritton@gmail.com

LOCATION: Quinn Swim Center. Kathryn Kettler Pool: 1501 Mendocino Avenue, Santa Rosa, CA 95401

DIRECTIONS: From the north: Travel south on Hwy 101. Exit at College Avenue turnoff. At stoplight, make a left turn onto College Avenue. Proceed eastbound on College Avenue to Mendocino Ave. Turn left on Mendocino Ave. At Pacific Avenue, turn left into the SRJC parking lot. From the south: Travel north on Hwy 101. Exit at College Avenue turnoff. At stoplight, make a right turn onto College Ave. Proceed eastbound on College Avenue to Mendocino Ave. Turn left on Mendocino Ave. At Pacific Avenue, turn left turn into the SRJC parking lot. Pass the football stadium to your right. Swim center and parking is to the right past the football stadium.

COURSE: OUTDOOR 25 YARD pool with up to 10 lanes available for competition. An additional 9 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 8' at the start end and 8' at the turn end. The Meet Host shall ensure the required course dimensions.

TIME: Meet will begin at 9:00 AM each day with warm-ups from 7:30 to 8:45 AM each day. There may be a special warm-up period for 8&U-only athletes, or designated lane(s) for 8&U-only athletes, from 8:30-8:45 a.m. on Saturday and Sunday at the discretion of the Meet Referee.

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 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 **MAXIMUM 4** 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 timeline, 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 on deck shall be certified and in good standing.**
- Athletes in the 500 Freestyle shall provide their own timers and lap counters and 400 IM shall provide their own timers. These events shall be swum alternating heats of girls and boys or seeded combining girls and boys. No Time entries shall be

- 1 - accepted for the 400 IM. Minimum time standard shall be met for the 500 Freestyle. Entry times for the 500 Freestyle which cannot be proven using the Pacific Swimming database may be verified by a complete set of meet results or verified by the athlete's coach. Please contact the Meet Director AND Meet Referee. (Refer to Pacific Swimming Rule 4A2)

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.
- All pathways should be clear, and no pop-ups are allowed on pathways and in front of entry and exit gates. Pathways and entry and exit gates must be clear for emergency personal and vehicles to pass through.
- No set up on the lower pool deck of the outdoor pool. Set up allowed on upper deck of the outdoor pool in permitted areas and the indoor pool area. Set up allowed outside the facility on bark areas.
- Leave your belongings overnight at your own risk.
- Dogs are not permitted inside the facility. Service dogs are permitted in accordance with SRJC policy, as outlined by Disability Resources under the Service Animals section. [Service Animals | Disability Resources](#)

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.
- Athletes in the "A" Division must have met at least USA Swimming Motivational "A" minimum time standard. Athletes in the "B" Division must have met at least the listed "B" minimum time standard. All entry times slower than the listed "B" time standard will be in the "C" Division.
- Entries with **"NO TIME" will be ACCEPTED.**
- Entry times submitted for this meet may be checked against a computer database and may be changed in accordance with Pacific Swimming Entry Time Verification Procedures.
- Athletes with a disability are welcome to attend this meet and should contact the Meet Director or Meet Referee regarding special accommodation. The athlete (or athlete's coach) is responsible for notifying the Meet Referee, prior to competition, of any athlete with a disability and of the requested accommodation and/or modifications. The athlete/coach shall provide a Personal Assistant or any equipment (tappers, deck mats, etc.) if required. Failure to provide advance notice may limit the ability to accommodate all requests.
- 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 PRIORITY: Entries from members of Zone 3 clubs (including unattached athletes training with those clubs) postmarked or entered online by October 25, 2026 shall be given first priority for acceptance to the meet. All entries from other zones in Pacific - 2 - Swimming or from other LSC's, postmarked or entered online by the entry deadline shall be considered in the order they are received.

ENTRY FEES: \$5.50 per event plus a \$10.00 participation fee, plus a \$20.00 facility surcharge per Athlete. Entries will be rejected if payment is not sent at time of request. No refunds will be made, except mandatory scratch downs.

MEFAP ENTRY FEES: \$10.00 participation fee. Registered Pacific Swimming Outreach Athletes are eligible for the Meet Entry Fee Assistance Program (MEFAP). For more information on Outreach Qualification:

<https://www.pacswim.org/userfiles/kcfinder/files/Outreach%20Qualifications%202025%20rev%2011.13.25.pdf>

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, **November 25, 2026**.

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, **November 23, 2026** or hand delivered by 6:30 p.m. Wednesday, **November 25, 2026**. No late entries will be accepted. Requests for confirmation of receipt of entries should include a self-addressed envelope.

Make check payable to: Neptune Swimming

Mail entries to: Dan Greaves

PO Box 317

Santa Rosa, CA 95402

Hand deliver entries to: Dan Greaves

355 Ridgway Ave

Santa Rosa, CA 95401

CHECK-IN: The meet will be deck seeded. Athletes must check-in at the Clerk-of-Course. No event shall be closed more than 30 minutes before the scheduled start of the session. Close of check-in for remaining events shall be no more than 60 minutes before the estimated time of the start of the first heat of the event. Athletes who do not check in will not be seeded in the event.

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

AWARDS: Individual events will be awarded in the A, B, and C Divisions. Ribbons for 1st– 8th place are given within each division to 4 the following age groups: 6/un, 7-8, 9-10, and 11-12. Athletes 13 years of age and older will not receive ribbons. All awards must be picked up at the meet by the swimmer before the end of the meet. Awards will not be sent home with a coach or club representative. Awards will not be mailed.

ADMISSION: Free.

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

MISCELLANEOUS: No overnight parking is allowed. Facilities will not be provided after meet hours. Parking costs \$4.00 per day and will be enforced.

MINIMUM OFFICIALS: At least seven days prior to the start of the meet, meet management (Meet Director and/or Meet Referee) shall contact a representative from each club participating in the meet, and provide a preliminary inventory of the officials that club is required to provide for each session. Each club shall, by the start of the meet, provide to the Meet Director or designee a list of Officials who have agreed to represent that club during each session of the meet. At the meet, meet management shall conduct an inventory of officials, and shall compare the number of athletes entered in each session by each club with the number of officials present representing each club. If meet management certifies that a club has not - 3 - - 4 - provided sufficient officials for any session of the meet in accordance with the table below, excluding finals in a prelims and finals meet, the club shall be fined \$100 per missing official per session of the meet.

Club Athletes 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

EVENT SUMMARY

Saturday				Sunday			
8 UN	9-10	11-12	13 OV	8 UN	9-10	11-12	13 OV
100 FR	100 FR	100 FR	100 FLY	50 FR	200 FR	200 FR	100 BR
50 BR	100 BK	100 BK	200 FR	25 FR	50 FR	50 FR	200 BK
25 BK	50 BR	50 BR	200 BR	50 BK	100 BR	100 BR	200 IM
25 BR	50 Fly	50 Fly	100 BK	100 IM	100 BK	50 BK	100 FR
50 FLY	200 IM	200 IM	50 FR	25 FR	100 IM	100 IM	200 FLY
			400 IM		100 FLY	100 FLY	500 FR
						500 FR	

ORDER OF EVENTS

	Saturday December 5, 2026			Sunday December 6, 2026	
Women's event #	Age group & event description	Men's event #	Women's event #	Age group & event description	Men's event #
1	13-over 100 Fly	2	27	13-over 100 Breast	28
3	12-under 100 Free*	4	29	9-12 200 Free	30
5	13-over 200 Free	6	31	13 - over 200 Back	32
7	9-12 100 Back*	8	33	12-under 50 Free*	34
9	13-over 200 Breast	10	35	13-over 200 IM	36
11	12-under 50 Breast*	12	37	9-12 100 Breast*	38
13	8-under 25 Back*	14	39	8-under 25 Free*	40
15	13-over 100 Back	16	41	12-under 50 Back*	42
17	8-under 25 Breast*	18	43	13-over 100 Free	44
19	12 - under 50 Fly*	20	45	12-under 100 IM*	46
21	13 - over 50 Free	22	47	8-under 25 Fly*	48
23	12 – under 200 IM*	24	49	9-12 100 Fly*	50
25	13 – over 400 IM	26	51	13-over 200 Fly	52
			53 Min Entry Time 7:45.09	11- Over 500 Free*	54 Min Entry Time 7:33.79

***Events will swim combined and awarded separately**

Use the following URL to find the time standards: <http://www.pacswim.org/swim-meet-times/standards>

Pacific Swimming – Hosted by SRN SHORT COURSE CBA+ December 5-6, 2026 Consolidated Entry Form															
Name: Last First Middle															
Club Abbr.			UNATT TEAM ABBR				Club Name								
Age			Date of Birth				Sex M F			LSC – (PC, SN)					
USA-#															
Event #	Distance / Stroke						Entry Time				Circle one				
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# of entries _____ x \$5.50 = \$ _____ Participation Fee \$ 10.00 Facility Surcharge \$ 20.00 Total \$ _____															
Coach															
Athlete's Address															
Home Phone								Cell Phone							
Email															