

MARIN PIRATES

SHORT COURSE Senior II – OCTOBER 5-6, 2013

Cosponsored by Pacific Swimming

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SANCTION: Held under USA/Pacific Swimming Sanction Number: **13-168**

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 VIDEO: 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, 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 OFFICIALS: *Head Referee:* Rick Beebe

Administrative Referee: Sheri Lang

Head Starter: Ron Selim

Meet Marshal: Dan Koch

Meet Director: Tom Evers – 415.892.2269 / forevers4@aol.com

LOCATION: College of Marin Indian Valley Campus Pool - 1800 Ignacio Road, Novato, California.

Highway 101 North-take Ignacio exit, continue west and enter the College of Marin campus entrance. **Highway 101 South**-take Ignacio exit, continue west and enter the College of Marin campus entrance. Do not park where no parking signs or permit parking only signs are posted. You will be ticketed or towed. No overnight/RV parking allowed.

COURSE: Outdoor 25-yard competition pool with up to 14 lanes with electronic timing system. Separate warm-up lanes will be available. The minimum water depth as measured in accordance with article 103.2.3 is 14' on the primary start end and 4'6" on the secondary start end of the competition pool. The competition course has been certified in accordance with 104.2.2C(4). A copy of such certification is on file with USA Swimming.

TIME: Saturday & Sunday: Meet begins at 9:00am each day. The competition course will be open for warm-ups from 7:30 to 8:45am.

RULES: • Current USA and Pacific Swimming rules will govern the meet. Pacific Swimming warm-up procedures will be in effect. A copy of these procedures will be posted at the Clerk of the Course.

• Swimmers may enter as many individual events as they have qualified for, but may only compete in up to **five (5) events per day** and a **maximum of ten (10) individual events during the meet.**

• All Coaches and Deck Officials must display their USA Swimming membership cards in a visible manner.

• All events will swim **fastest to slowest.**

• Swimmers in the 1000 yard Free must provide own timers & lap counter.

• Check in for the 1000y Free will close at 10:00 am on the day of the event.

• The 1000y Free cannot be entered as a bonus event.

SEEDING: All events will be seeded slowest to fastest in the following order: conforming short course yards (SCY), non-conforming long course meters (LCM), bonus events (best short course yard time – slower than the minimum time standard).

UNACCOMPANIED SWIMMERS: USAS athlete-member competing in 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 USAS Club does not attend the meet to serve in said supervisory capacity, it is the responsibility of the swimmer or the swimmer's legal guardian to arrange for supervision by a USA Swimming member-coach. The Meet Director or Meet Referee may assist the swimmer in making arrangements for such supervision; however, it is recommended that such arrangements be made in advance of the meet by the athlete's USAS Club Member-Coach. The swimmer must be certified by a USA Swimming member coach as being proficient in performing a racing starter or must start the race in the water. It is the responsibility of the swimmer or the swimmer's legal guardian to ensure compliance with this requirement.

RESTRICTIONS: • Sale and use of alcoholic beverages and smoking and the use of other tobacco products is prohibited in all areas of the meet venue during the meet.

- Coaches, parents, siblings and officials may not use the pool.
- Glass containers of any kind are not allowed in pool area. All pets are prohibited in the pool area.
- Except where the venue facilities require otherwise, changing into or out of swimsuits other than in locker rooms or other designated areas is not appropriate and is strongly discouraged.

ELIGIBILITY: • Swimmers must be current members of USA-S and enter their name and registration number on the meet entry card as shown on their Registration Card. The meet host must check all swimmer 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.

- “No Time” entries will not be accepted.
- Disabled swimmers are welcome to attend this meet and should contact the Meet Director or Meet Referee regarding special accommodations on entry times and seeding per Pacific Swimming Policy.
- Swimmers thirteen years and older and older will be considered qualified for the meet without proof of time. These events should be entered with their best short course time.
- Swimmers 11-12 years of age must meet the time standards for the meet (except in bonus events) and will be subject to proof of time using the USA SWIMS database as a standard. The time must have been achieved prior to the closing data for entries for the meet.
- Swimmers 11-12 years of age who have provable times in one or more events may enter 2 additional bonus events for the meet. The 1000 Free may not be entered as bonus event. If the time cannot be proven prior to the meet the swimmer will not be allowed to check in for the event until the entry time has been proven.

ENTRY FEES: \$5.50 per individual event, \$8.00 participation fee per swimmer. All entry fees **MUST** be included with entry.

Make check payable to: Marin Pirates and mail with entries to:

MP Meet Entries
PO Box 435
Novato, CA 94948

*If sending via Express/Overnight Delivery....*WAIVE THE SIGNATURE*

ENTRY OPTIONS:

Option 1: Online Meet Entries: The Deadline is 11:59 pm, Wednesday, Sept. 25th, 2013. Enter online at: <http://ome.swimconnection.com/pc/mp20131005> to receive immediate confirmation of acceptance by email. The “billing information” email should be brought to the meet as proof of entry. Online entry requires payment by credit card using our secure site. The cost of using Online Meet Entries is \$1 per swimmer plus 5% of the total entry fees. Please note that the processing fee is a separate fee from the entry fees. Online meet entry fees are paid to Swim Connection LLC. Online Meet Entry is in no way required or expected of a swimmer by Pacific Swimming.

Option 2: Surface Mail Entries: Entry forms must be completely filled out, including best short course yard time or long course meter time for each event. Entered times should be submitted in short course yards (SCY) or non-conforming long course meters (LCM). Enter Bonus events with your best SCY time and circle. Entries and fees must be postmarked by midnight Monday, Sept. 23rd, 2013. Entries that are hand delivered or sent via an overnight delivery service will be accepted if they are received with appropriate fees no later than Wednesday, Sept. 25th, 2012 by 6:00 pm. No late entries via mail, fax, email or phone will be accepted. No refunds will be made.

CHECK-IN: The meet will be deck seeded. Swimmers must check-in at the Clerk of Course. Close of check-in for all events shall be no more than 60 minutes before the estimated time of the start of the first heat of the event. No event shall be closed more than 30 minutes before the scheduled start of the session. Swimmers who do not check-in will not be allowed to compete in the event. All swimmers in the 1000y FR must check-in by 10:00 AM on the day of their event.

SCRATCHES: Swimmers, who have checked in for an individual event at a senior meet that is deck seeded, must swim in the event unless they notify the clerk of the course before seeding for the event has begun that they wish to scratch. Failure to swim an event will result in being barred from their next individual event in which the swimmer is entered on that day or the next meet day, whichever is first.

HOSPITALITY: Lunch and refreshments will be provided for working officials and coaches. Snacks & beverages will be provided for timers throughout the meet.

SNACK BAR: A snack bar will be available during the meet.

ADMISSION: Admission is free. A two-day program will be available at a reasonable cost.

PARKING: Public parking is very limited. Carpooling is encouraged. Park only in marked stalls. Cars will be ticketed and/or towed for illegal parking. Limited, reserved parking for Coaches and working Officials will be available. Overnight and/or day use RV parking is not allowed!

EVENTS:

Women's Events				Men's Events		
SCY	LCM			LCM	SCY	
Saturday, October 5, 2013						
5:14.99	5:54.59	1	400 IM (women)			
			500 Free (men)	2	4:56.29	5:27.59
1:07.59	1:16.39	3	100 Fly	4	1:11.99	1:03.59
2:28.09	2:46.99	5	200 Back	6	2:45.39	2:26.69
2:28.99	2:46.89	7	200 IM	8	2:43.39	2:20.19
27.69	31.49	9	50 Free	10	29.49	25.89
1:18.69	1:28.59	11	100 Breast	12	1:22.89	1:13.49
11:49.99	10:35.09	13	1000 Free (women)			
Sunday, October 6, 2013						
5:42.29	5:09.29	15	500 Free (women)			
			400 IM (men)	16	5:42.99	4:59.99
2:09.79	2:26.79	17	200 Free	18	2:17.99	2:01.79
1:09.29	1:18.29	19	100 Back	20	1:15.99	1:07.19
2:32.29	2:51.59	21	200 Fly	22	2:43.39	2:24.89
59.79	1:07.79	23	100 Free	24	1:03.39	55.79
2:51.19	3:12.39	25	200 Breast	26	3:01.89	2:41.69
			1000 Free (men)	28	9:57.99	10:59.99

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Marin Pirate Senior II Short Course Meet Cosponsored by Pacific Swimming October 5 – 6, 2013 Consolidated Entry Form													
NAME (Last, First, MI):													
LSC Code (PC, CC, SN):													
CLUB ABBR:				IF UNATT Team Abbrev:				CLUB NAME:					
AGE				DATE OF BIRTH				AMOUNT PAID \$					
USA-S REG #													
SEX: Boy Girl						Age Group:							
EVENT #	PLEASE CIRCLE			DISTANCE/STROKE				ENTRY TIME					
	LCM/SCY							: .					
	LCM/SCY							: .					
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# of events _____ x \$ 5.50 = _____ Participation Fee = + \$ 8.00 Total Amount Due _____													
Coach:													
Swimmer's Address													
Contact Phone #													
Contact Email:													
Phone Contact:						Checks Payable to Marin Pirates							

Mailed entries must be postmarked by Mon. Sept. 23, 2013. Hand Entries must be delivered to the Meet Director by 6:00 pm on Wed. Sept. 25, 2013.

MP – Meet Director
PO BOX 435
Novato, CA 94948

Late Entries will not be accepted. No faxed entries. Entry Check must be enclosed.