

John Sullivan Firecracker Invitational 2024

Sanctioned by: Southern California Swimming and USA Swimming
Sanction Number: S24-182
Sponsored by: Sandpipers of Nevada

Date of Meet: Friday, July 5-Sunday, July 7, 2024
Entry Deadline: Wednesday, June 26 by 8:00pm PST
Warm-Up Time: Fri/Sat: 6:30-7:20am; Sun: 6:40-7:50am
Meet Start Time: Fri/Sun: 7:30am; Sat: 8:00am

PM session's warm-up immediately following AM session. PM Session starts 75 minutes after the completion of the morning session

FACILITY	Pavilion Center Pool, 101 South Pavilion Center Drive, Las Vegas, NV 89144												
COURSE	Indoor 8 lane 50-meter competition pool with 1 50-meter lane for warm up and warm down. The competition course has been certified in accordance with 104.2.2(C) on file with USA Swimming. Pool depth: start end 13 and 8 feet, turn end 4.6 feet.												
WARM-UP RULES	All lanes will be open for USA Swimming Member Coach supervised warm-up Friday, Saturday, Sunday. <i>Warm-ups maybe split and teams assigned lanes; Team assignments to be announced the week of the meet.</i> Diving will be allowed in designated practice start lanes only under the supervision of the coaches and marshals. The pool will close 10 minutes before the start of each session. All swimmers must use 3-point slide in entries into the pool for warm up, no jumping or diving.												
MEET REFEREE	The meet referee shall be in charge of the meet. Any questions regarding the conduct of the meet should be made directly to Shay Kerby (kerbyfamily@me.com). Meet Admin will be run by Yvonne Jo (joyvonne32@gmail.com).												
RULES	All coaches on deck must complete the CDC or NFHS Concussion course. All coaches & officials on deck must complete the CANRA Mandatory Reporting course. Current SCS Meet procedures will be enforced and take precedence over any errors or omissions on this entry form (see 2024 SCS Swim Guide). After an event has been officially closed, swimmers MAY NOT CHECK IN OR SCRATCH. Swimmers must swim in their actual Age Group as determined by their age on July 5, 2024. Backstroke start wedges will be available for use at the discretion of the athletes.												
CHECK-IN PROCEDURE	This will be a scratch only check-in meet completed VIA THE COACHES. All teams will be given entry lists, broken up by session. They will be distributed digitally with the pre-meet information and printed for pick-up at the beginning of the meet. Coaches will indicate all scratches on these sheets and are to be turned into Admin by the following deadlines (subject to change): <table><tr><td>Session 1 (Fri AM 12U):</td><td>Friday, July 5 at 7:00am</td></tr><tr><td>Session 2&3 (Fri PM 13O 50s + 1500):</td><td>Friday, July 5 at 12:00pm</td></tr><tr><td>Session 4 (Sat AM 12-U):</td><td>Saturday, July 6 at 7:00am</td></tr><tr><td>Session 5 (Sat PM 13-O):</td><td>Saturday, July 6 at 12:00pm</td></tr><tr><td>Session 6 (Sun AM 13-O):</td><td>Sunday, July 7 at 7:30am</td></tr><tr><td>Session 7 (Sun PM 11-12 1500):</td><td>Sunday, July 7 at 12:00pm</td></tr></table>	Session 1 (Fri AM 12U):	Friday, July 5 at 7:00am	Session 2&3 (Fri PM 13O 50s + 1500):	Friday, July 5 at 12:00pm	Session 4 (Sat AM 12-U):	Saturday, July 6 at 7:00am	Session 5 (Sat PM 13-O):	Saturday, July 6 at 12:00pm	Session 6 (Sun AM 13-O):	Sunday, July 7 at 7:30am	Session 7 (Sun PM 11-12 1500):	Sunday, July 7 at 12:00pm
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ENTRY RESTRICTIONS	Swimmer may swim a maximum of 4 events per day; 9 events max for the meet. This meet will limit entries to meet the "4 Hour" rule. No deck entries allowed. Events 43 & 44, 107 & 108 will alternate heats, girls than boys, fast to slow. Those events, events 69 & 70, and all 12-U events may be competed in 8-lanes depending on number of entries; the cutout areas will be available for warm up/warm down at all times. The meet will be competed fastest to slowest. Timers may be requested to be provided by each team.												
RECORDING DEVICE & MEDIA NOTICE	The use of audio-visual recording devices, including cell phones, are not permitted in locker rooms, changing areas or restrooms. Recording devices are not permitted behind the starting blocks during the starting sequence throughout the meet. This meet may be covered by the media, including photographs, video, web casting and other forms of obtaining images of athletes participating in the meet. Entry into the meet is acknowledgment and consent to this fact.												
DRONES	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.												
SWIM WEAR	Swim wear must conform to USA Swimming Rule 102.8. Only swimsuits complying with FINA swimsuit specifications may be worn in any USA Swimming sanctioned or approved competition. See the Tech Suit Policy on the SCS website: www.socalswim.org . DECK CHANGES ARE PROHIBITED.												
RACING START CERTIFICATION	Any swimmer entered in the meet unaccompanied by a USA Swimming member coach, must be certified by a USA Swimming member coach as being proficient in performing a racing start or must start each race from within the water. It is the responsibility of the swimmer or the swimmer's legal guardian to ensure compliance with this requirement.												
ELIGIBILITY	Open to all athletes who hold 2024 USA Swimming Registration. Online registration in SWIMS 3.0 must be completed prior to the meet entry deadline. No late or deck registration will be accepted. In order to compete, all athletes 18 or older must complete the free online APT (ATHLETE PROTECTION TRAINING). Current USA Swimming Rules, including the Minor Athlete Abuse Prevention Policy (MAAPP 2.0) will govern this meet.												
CHANGE OF AFFILIATION	Club transfers (unattached or attach) can only be completed online in SWIMS 3.0. At a meet, a swimmer may compete as Unattached but is responsible to complete the Club Transfer process online in SWIMS 3.0.												
SUBMITTED TIMES	Times submitted must be BEST RECORDED TIMES short course or long course from this or preceding swim season (NO WORK OUT TIMES). Coaches and swimmers should be prepared to verify all submitted times. Discrepancy in the submitted times can lead to disciplinary action.												
QUALIFYING TIMES	Swimmers must have achieved the minimum time standard listed for an event. If a swimmer does not have a recorded time but is otherwise qualified, he/she may enter the meet at minimum (see 2024 Swim Guide for exceptions).												
SCORING/AWARDS	1 st -8 th place ribbons for A, BB, B, & C (non-time standard achieving) divisions. NO awards for 13-O & Senior Events.												
SEATING INFO	Teams may begin setting up team areas on the patio at the start of warm-ups on Friday, July 5. We discourage families from leaving tents and belongings overnight OUTSIDE the fenced patio area. No chairs or permanent spectator seating is allowed inside the pool deck. Seating in the pool is for ATHLETES ONLY. Note that at all SCS sanctioned events, any temporary structure cannot be fully enclosed without a minimum 5-foot open entry or clear windows with an accessible 5-foot entry. Temporary structures are tents, canopies, and tarps.												



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ENTRY FEE

\$6.00 for each individual event along with a **\$15.00 surcharge per swimmer** must accompany each individual entry card. Returned checks will incur a service fee. E-mail entry (entry. zip file) will be accepted **ONLY** when received with an attached .pdf file **including electronic signature** of coach and will be dated as official at that time (5PM postmark would queue before a 10PM electronic). Failure to comply will be referred to the Board of Review. Entry updates (added events) will be processed when received by the processor by the entry deadline. New swimmers accepted **SPACE AVAILABLE**. **DO NOT RESEND AN ENTRY FILE**. A replacement file for the team will not be processed. **Deletions will not be refunded.**

Outreach athletes are \$15.00 total for the meet. Proof of outreach status may be submitted by submitting a club roster from SWIMS at the time entries are submitted and status must be clearly shown on the roster.

ENTRIES CLOSE

ENTRIES MUST BE RECEIVED BY THE MEET PROCESSOR NO LATER THAN 8:00 PM, WEDNESDAY, JUNE 26, 2024. To avoid any concern regarding receipt of entry card at the designated address, you are advised to enclose a stamped, self-addressed postcard or envelope for return when your entry is received. **NO CERTIFIED, REGISTERED OR SPECIAL DELIVERY MAIL WILL BE ACCEPTED.**

Entries will stop being accepted when the timelines reach 6:30pm on Friday & Saturday afternoon. Entries will be accepted on a first come, first serve basis.

MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO: Sandpipers of Nevada. E-MAIL ENTRIES TO: joyvonne32@gmail.com.

Receipt of entry will not be verified by phone or email.

Hand deliver at the meet or mail checks to: ATTN Michael Kinross, Bodyline Swim Shop, 4460 S. Durango Dr. STE A, Las Vegas, NV 89147.

ASSUMPTION OF RISK

We have taken enhanced health and safety measures for all swim meet attendees. You must follow all posted instructions at this venue. 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 guests with underlying medical conditions are especially vulnerable. By visiting the venue for this swim meet, you voluntarily assume all risks related to exposure to COVID-19.

USA SWIMMING ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF RISK

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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 SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA 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 WITH EXPOSURE, INFECTION, AND/OR SPREAD OF COVID-19 RELATED TO PARTICIPATION IN THIS COMPETITION.

USA SWIMMING MEET 360

Permanently suspended or ineligible individuals cannot be present on deck, coach, or perform any function at a meet requiring USA Swimming membership. During registration, ensure all coaches, officials, trainers, massage therapists, LSC or host club staff, and medical professionals show proof of current USA Swimming membership (e.g., require them to show their Membership Card via the USA Swimming app) at registration. If such an individual cannot demonstrate proof of membership in good standing, deck access will not be granted. Individuals permanently suspended or ineligible can be spectators at a meet and may be in the stands.

Violators shall be reported to the Meet Director or Meet Referee, who can then direct that individual to the spectator area. A subsequent report should also be made to USA Swimming. A quality control system has been implemented to ensure that individuals who are ineligible for participation are unable to participate in this competition. Additionally, all adult members of USA Swimming who have not completed their Athlete Protection Training will not be able to participate in this competition.

Pursuant to USA Swimming Rules and Regulations and federal law, it is every member's responsibility to immediately (i.e., within 24 hours) report any incident of child abuse, including physical or sexual abuse, to law enforcement and the U.S. Center for SafeSport. Reporting must occur when an individual has firsthand knowledge of misconduct or where specific and credible information has been received from a victim or knowledgeable third party. A report to the U.S. Center for SafeSport may be made via telephone at 833-5US-SAFE (833-587-7233) or online at www.uscenterforsafesport.org/report-a-concern. Various state laws may also require reporting to law enforcement or to a designated child protection agency. For information on how to report other alleged violations, including without limitation, the USA Swimming Code of Conduct, and the Minor Athlete Abuse Prevention policy, please visit www.usaswimming.org/report.

It is understood and agreed that Sandpipers of Nevada and 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.

Current USA Swimming rules, including the Minor Athlete Abuse Prevention Policy (MAAPP 2.0) govern this meet.

Questions: Contact the Meet Directors, Cutter Haupt & Michael Kinross (sandeventshost@gmail.com), or the SCS office (310) 684-1151.



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Friday, July 5				
Warm-up 6:30-7:20am, 7:30am Start Time				
G	Q-Time	Session 1	Q-Time	B
1	3:33.99	11-12 200 IM	3:29.99	2
3	4:09.99	10-U 200 IM	4:09.99	4
5	1:42.99	11-12 100 Back	1:46.99	6
7	1:59.99	10-U 100 Back	1:59.99	8
9	3:50.20	11-12 200 Breast	3:50.40	10
11		11-12 50 Breast		12
13		10-U 50 Breast		14
15	1:29.99	11-12 100 Free	1:27.99	16
17	1:49.99	10-U 100 Free	1:44.99	18
19	3:22.60	11-12 200 Fly	3:24.20	20
21		11-12 50 Fly		22
23		10-U 50 Fly		24
25	6:44.99	12-U 400 Free*^	6:44.99	26

10-U athletes may enter events 25 & 26 if they meet the 10-U 200 Free Time Standard

Saturday, July 6				
Warm-up 6:30-7:20am, 7:30am Start Time				
G	Q-Time	Session 4	Q-Time	B
45	2:55.99	10-U 200 Free	2:49.99	46
47	3:04.99	11-12 200 Free	3:14.99	48
49	2:14.99	10-U 100 Breast	2:11.99	50
51	1:51.99	11-12 100 Breast	1:59.99	52
53		10-U 50 Back		54
55		11-12 50 Back		56
57	3:29.99	11-12 200 Back	3:29.99	58
59	2:11.99	10-U 100 Fly	2:07.99	60
61	1:44.99	11-12 100 Fly	1:45.99	62
63		10-U 50 Free		64
65		11-12 50 Free		66
67	7:19.69	12-U 400 IM*^	7:09.89	68

10-U athletes may enter events 67 & 68 if they meet the 10-U 200 IM Time Standard

Sunday, July 7				
Warm-up 6:40-7:50am, 8:00am Start Time				
G	Q-Time	Session 6	Q-Time	B
87	3:19.99	15-O 200 Fly	3:12.99	88
89	3:22.99	13-14 200 Fly	3:22.99	90
91	1:42.99	15-O 100 Breast	1:37.99	92
93	1:44.99	13-14 100 Breast	1:49.99	94
95	3:24.99	15-O 200 Back	3:19.99	96
97	3:29.99	13-14 200 Back	3:29.99	98
99	1:22.99	15-O 100 Free	1:14.99	100
101	1:24.99	13-14 100 Free	1:22.99	102
103	3:16.99	15-O 200 IM	3:09.99	104
105	3:18.99	13-14 200 IM	3:18.99	106
107	5:49.99	13-O 400 Free^	5:29.99	108

Events 107 & 108 will alternate girls then boys, fast to slow

Friday, July 5				
Warm-up Immediately following Session 1				
G	Q-Time	Session 2	Q-Time	B
27		15-O 50 Fly		28
29		13-14 50 Fly		30
31		15-O 50 Back		32
33		13-14 50 Back		34
35		15-O 50 Breast		36
37		13-14 50 Breast		38
39		15-O 50 Free		40
41		13-14 50 Free		42

Session start time 75 minutes after Session 1 concludes
Breaks may be implemented at discretion of Meet Ref

Saturday, July 6				
Warm-up Immediately following Session 4				
G	Q-Time	Session 5	Q-Time	B
69	6:19.99	13-O 400 IM^	6:04.99	70
71	1:29.99	15-O 100 Fly	1:26.99	72
73	1:34.99	13-14 100 Fly	1:34.99	74
75	3:39.99	15-O 200 Breast	3:34.99	76
77	3:52.99	13-14 200 Breast	3:52.99	78
79	1:29.99	15-O 100 Back	1:29.99	80
81	1:33.99	13-14 100 Back	1:39.99	82
83	2:49.99	15-O 200 Free	2:39.99	84
85	2:55.99	13-14 200 Free	2:49.99	86

Session start time 75 minutes after Session 4 concludes.

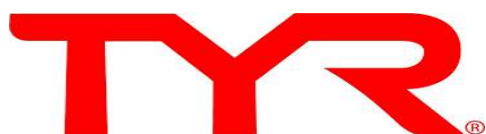
Sunday, July 7				
Warm-up Immediately following Session 7				
G	Q-Time	Session 7	Q-Time	B
109	22:59.99	11-12 1500 Free	22:59.99	109

Session start time 30 minutes after Session 6 concludes
Heats will be swum fast to slow, mixed boy/girl
Swimmers need to supply their own counters & timers

*Limited to fastest 24 entries. Additional heats will be competed if time allows
^Age groups will race combined and scored separately:
10-U, 11-12, 13-14, 15-O

Friday, July 5				
Warm-up Immediately following Session 2				
G	Q-Time	Session 3	Q-Time	B
43	22:29.99	13-O 1500 Free^	21:29.99	44

Session start time 30 minutes after Session 2 concludes
Heats will alternate girls then boys, fast to slow
Swimmers need to supply their own counters & timers



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