

2018 Los Angeles Invitational

Trojan Swim Club & Southern California Swimming

SANCTIONED BY: USA Swimming & Southern California Swimming

SPONSORED BY: Trojan Swim Club/SCS

DATE OF MEET: July 12-15, 2018

START TIME: THURS: 4 pm; PRELIMS: 8:30 am;

Warm-up: POOL WILL OPEN FOR WARM-UP AT 7:00 AM FRI, SAT & SUN (2 pm Thurs)

SANCTION NO: S18-192

HEATS & FINALS

ENTRIES RECEIVED by: Thurs, July 5, 2018

FINALS: 5 pm

LosAngelesInvite.com
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POOL: Uytengsu Aquatics Center on the USC Campus. Pool is located on NW corner of the campus bounded by Vermont and Jefferson. Entrance to parking structure is on Jefferson.

COURSE: Uytengsu Aquatics Center, the 1984 Los Angeles Games pool, is an outdoor, international depth, eight lane, 50 meter course with an adjacent eight lane 25 yard warm-up pool. The competition course has been certified in accordance with 104.2.2(C), on file with USA Swimming. Pool depth start end 4 meters; turn end 2M.

TICKETS: \$3 Prelims/\$8 Finals/Day Pass \$10 - **There is a parking fee.**

ENTRY INTO THE MEET

ELIGIBILITY & AFFILIATION: Open to athletes who hold a current 2018 USA Swimming or FINA membership. Registration application must be at SCS Office by July 5, 2018. There are substantial penalties for swimmer and club (2018 Swim Guide, Part One, III, B) if USA Swimming registration is completed at meet. Before the first day of the meet, a swimmer may change his/her affiliation by the standard procedure. At the meet, a swimmer may UNATTACH (not attach) by notifying the Admin Ref in writing and paying the appropriate fee.

QUALIFYING TIMES: SUBMIT LONG COURSE METER TIMES. If qualifying in yards, submit best yard time.

- Swimmers must have achieved the Long Course or Short Course Time Standard after Sept. 1, 2016. DO NOT SUBMIT NT (no time), ET (estimated time) or work out time trials. Seeding order: conforming Long Course, conforming Short Course, non-conforming Long Course, non-conforming Short Course

- Swimmers with National or Jr Nat'l qualifying times in yards may enter at the meter National or Jr standard.

- Swimmers may enter as many events as qualified but may only compete in three (3) individual events per day, including time trials. **Label bonus events "B"**

- **B Flight Only Option:** When electronic team entry file is submitted, a list of swimmers choosing to swim only in the B flight may be included as a **separate file (*.doc, *.docx, *.pdf, *.txt)**. No flight changes will be made after the **entry deadline**.

PROOF OF TIME: This is a PROOF OF TIME MEET. **Proof of time is required through SWIMS, the National Times database, or recognized FINA competitions. Times must be achieved at (a) a USA Swimming sanctioned competition, (b) a USA Swimming observed competition, (c) a USA Swimming approved competition, or (d) a FINA approved competition. Times in the database are not meet entry only proof of entered time.** Submit ACTUAL times achieved for each event. **Special entry procedure:** A swimmer qualified in one or two individual events may enter the event/s and up to three **total** events (except 400/800/1500 and 400 IM); over three must prove **all** events entered. **400 IM & Free and 800/1500 swimmers must meet entry standard** (swimmers qualified only in a 400 may use "make one, swim three"). **Label bonus events "B"**

AWARDS: Individual 1st-3rd, Relay 1st.

ENTRY FEES: \$13.00 per Individual Event must accompany entry card. \$14.00 surcharge per swimmer must accompany entry. **Relays:** \$26.00 per relay team entered must be paid with entry or upon deck entry.

Electronic team entry is encouraged. Team entry, which must include single team payment and all proofs of times, is encouraged. E-mail entry (entry.zip file) will be accepted ONLY when received with an attached Word or .pdf file including electronic signature of coach and will be dated as official at that time. (5PM postmark would queue before a 10PM electronic). Full payment (single team check) for an e-mail entry must be postmarked within 48 hours of the e-mail entry. 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. Added events (entered swimmers) may be submitted by hard copy (this includes e-mail)

ONLY. DO NOT RESEND AN ENTRY FILE: A replacement file for the team will NOT be processed.

Deletions will NOT be refunded.

MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO:

and MAIL ENTRY TO:

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA SWIMMING

Alina de Armas e-mail: alina@dearmas.co

PO Box 63

Simi Valley, CA 93062-0063

ENTRIES CLOSE: ENTRIES MUST BE RECEIVED BY 5:00 PM, Thursday, July 5, 2018.

RULES AND PROCEDURES

MEET REFEREE: The Meet Referee will be in charge of the meet. Any questions regarding the conduct of the meet should be made directly to Mary Jo Swalley, mj64bea@earthlink.net

RULES: USA Swimming Rules will govern. Current SCS Meet procedures for Heats and Finals Meets will be enforced (See 2018 SCS Swim Guide); The National finals' scratch rule will be used. Scratch deadline for Friday events will be 7:30 AM Friday, for Saturday events 5:30 PM Friday and for Sunday events 5:30 PM Saturday.

There will be **five** heats (E, D, C, B, A) for the 50 freestyle; **four** heats (D, C, B, A) for 100 & 200 meter events; **three** heats (C, B, A) for 400 meter events. The 800 and 1500 freestyle will have only a championship final. IF meet is "flighted" for Friday and Saturday, the "A" flight will swim slow to fast; the "B" will swim fast to slow. If not "flighted," all prelims will swim fast to slow. **B Flight Only Option:** When electronic team entry file is submitted, a list of swimmers choosing to swim only in the B flight may be included as a **separate file (*.doc, *.docx, *.pdf, *.txt)**. No flight changes will be made after the **entry deadline**.

RECORDING DEVICES & 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 though out 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 acknowledgement 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.

SWIMWEAR: Swimwear 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.

DECK CHANGES: 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 (forward and back) 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.

DISTANCE FREESTYLE: Prelims of Women's 800 and Men's 1500 will be Thursday, July 12. Women's 800 final will be Friday; Men's 1500 final will be Saturday. Sunday: W1500 & M800 will be swum fastest to slowest, alternating women and men's heats. Fastest heat of women's 1500 will be third event of Sunday finals; fastest heat of men's 800 will be sixth event. All other heats will be swum in the preliminaries. **THREE HEATS** each (women and men) will be swum as part of prelims; any other heats will swim during the break. **Note: W1500/M800 check-in to be seeded will close at 5:00 pm Saturday** (check-in to swim will close at 10:00 am Sunday).

RELAY EVENTS: Relays Friday-Sunday will be the last event of Finals each day, seeded in national format. On Sunday, July 15, teams may elect to swim relays at the end of the preliminary session. Thursday relays will be in event order.

WARM UP: All warm ups must be supervised by a USA Swimming member coach. 7:00-7:45 am: the competition pool will be open for general warm-up with Lanes 1 & 8 reserved for push-pace work - **NO DIVING**. 7:45-8:20 am: Lanes 1 & 8 will be designated for push-pace work: **Lanes 2 & 7 will be sprint lanes, one-way from the blocks under USA Swimming member coach supervision. Practice starts only in the sprint lanes.** No equipment will be allowed in the competition pool. The *diving pool* will be available for warm-up/cool down at all times - No diving at any time. Based on entries, warm up may be divided into 2 sessions starting at 6:30 am.

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.

USC Housing Form Attached – email: losangelesinvite@gmail.com

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RECEIVED BY Entry Deadline: Thurs, July 5, 2018

HEATS AND FINALS MEET
CHAMPIONSHIP SEEDING

OPEN TO: 2018 USA SWIMMING AND 2018 FINA ATHLETE MEMBERS

| WOMEN | | EVENT | | MEN | |
|--------------------------------|-------------------|-------------------------------|--|-------------------|-------|
| YARDS | METERS | THURSDAY, JULY 12, 2018 | | METERS | YARDS |
| 1 | Pre or Deck Entry | 200 Meter Freestyle Relay | | Pre or Deck Entry | 2 |
| 3** | 10:39.39 9:36.39 | 800 W Free/1500 M Free Prelim | | 17:23.79 16:41.59 | **4 |
| 5 | Pre or Deck Entry | 200 Meter Medley Relay | | Pre or Deck Entry | 6 |
| FRIDAY, JULY 13, 2018 | | | | | |
| 3** | | 800 Meter Freestyle FINAL | | | |
| 7 | 53.49 1:01.79 | 100 Meter Freestyle | | 56.49 47.79 | 8 |
| 9 | 2:08.89 2:29.59 | 200 Meter Butterfly | | 2:16.79 1:55.79 | 10 |
| 11 | 2:07.19 2:30.99 | 200 Meter Backstroke | | 2:18.89 1:55.89 | 12 |
| 13 | 4:33.39 5:21.09 | W 400 IM – M 400 M Free | | 4:22.69 4:46.59 | 14 |
| 15 | Pre or Deck Entry | 400 Meter Freestyle Relay | | Pre or Deck Entry | 16 |
| SATURDAY, JULY 14, 2018 | | | | | |
| | | 1500 Meter Freestyle FINAL | | | **4 |
| 17 | 2:09.29 2:30.79 | 200 Meter Individual Medley | | | |
| | | 200 Meter Freestyle | | 2:02.59 1:45.59 | 18 |
| 19 | 2:25.09 2:52.59 | 200 Meter Breaststroke | | 2:37.99 2:09.89 | 20 |
| 21 | 24.59 28.59 | 50 Meter Freestyle | | 25.89 22.09 | 22 |
| 23 | 5:08.79 4:39.79 | W 400 M Free – M 400 IM | | 4:55.19 4:11.19 | 24 |
| 25 | Pre or Deck Entry | 800 Meter Freestyle Relay | | Pre or Deck Entry | 26 |
| SUNDAY, JULY 15, 2018 | | | | | |
| 27 | 57.99 1:07.59 | 100 Meter Butterfly | | 1:01.29 52.69 | 28 |
| 29 | 17:43.29 18:23.59 | *1500 Meter Freestyle | | | |
| 30 | 58.99 1:10.39 | 100 Meter Backstroke | | 1:03.79 53.49 | 31 |
| | | *800 Meter Freestyle | | 8:58.69 9:48.89 | 32 |
| 33 | 1:07.39 1:18.39 | 100 Meter Breaststroke | | 1:12.99 59.89 | 34 |
| 35 | 1:55.29 2:13.19 | 200 Meter Freestyle | | | |
| | | 200 Individual Medley | | 2:20.19 1:57.09 | 36 |
| 37 | Pre or Deck Entry | 400 Meter Medley Relay | | Pre or Deck Entry | 38 |

*800/1500 free Sunday heats may be double-ended if necessary to meet Finals' start time.

If there are more than 600 entrants, Fri & Sat Preliminary Session may be divided into 'A' and 'B' flights with 7 heats (5 for the 400 meter events) in the 'A' flight. 'A' flight will swim slowest to fastest. 'B' session prelims will swim fastest to slowest with 400 Free & IM alternating women and men's heats. Prelim sessions that are not flighted will swim fastest to slowest; 400 Free & IM will alternate women and men's heats.

FINALS: 50 Freestyle 5 Heats; 100/200 events 4 heats; 400 events 3 heats; 800/1500 single heat

IF STANDARD IS ACHIEVED IN YARDS, enter yard time.

National Qualifiers may enter at appropriate National meter minimum.

ELECTRONIC ENTRY WITH SIGNED HARD COPY IS ENCOURAGED

THIS IS A "PROOF OF TIME" MEET – ALL TIMES WILL BE VERIFIED THROUGH SWIMS DATABASE
EVENT LIMIT: THREE INDIVIDUAL EVENTS PER DAY INCLUDING TIME TRIALS

TIME TRIALS: Time trials will be held during the break on July 13-14 and after finals on July 15. Time trials are separately sanctioned. The 800 and 1500 will be offered on Friday only. An athlete may swim an event only once as a time trial. Purchase (\$15) time trial cards at the Admin table. Sanction #S18-193

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