



The Beach Classic March 15-16 2014

Sanctioned by: USA Swimming & Southern California Swimming Southern
Sponsored By: Beach Swim Club & the Metro Committee
Date of Meet: March 15-16, 2014

Sanction No. 14-059
Warm-up: 7:30am Sat/Sunday
Start of Meet: 9am Sat/Sunday

Entries deadline: 5:00 pm Wed March 5th 2014

POOL: Belmont Olympic temporary pool, 4000 Olympic Plaza, Long Beach Ca 90803

DIRECTIONS: From the North: 405 Freeway to 710 Freeway to Shoreline Drive to Ocean, East (right) to Belmont Plaza Olympic Pool, or 605 Freeway to 7th Street exit (near 405/605 junction), 7th to Ximeno, left on Ximeno to Livingston Dr. right into Termino, left to the pool. All day parking passes for the metered parking lot will be available for \$10.00 (or you may use quarters (\$0.25/15min.).

COURSE: The Belmont Plaza Temporary Pool is a 25-meter by 50-meter facility. 10 lanes will be used for competition. With the outdoor 25 yard pool as a warm up and warm down area. Competition course has been certified in accordance with 104.22.2 (C). Pool depth: start end 6 and a half feet turn end 3 and a half feet.

WARM-UP Procedures: All lanes will be open for USA Swimming Member Coach supervised warm-up between 7:30 – 8:45 am. Diving will be allowed in designated dive lanes only under the supervision of the coaches and marshals. Dive lanes will be assigned. Dive lanes will open 45 minutes before the start of the meet. The pool will close 15 minutes before the start of each session.

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 that person.

RULES: USA swimming rules will govern. Current SCS meet procedures will be enforced and will take precedence over any errors/omissions on this entry form (See 2014 SCS Swim Guide). Swimmers must check in with the Clerk of Course for each event they wish to swim. After an event has been officially closed a swimmer may not check in or scratch. Swimmers must swim in their actual age group as determined by their age on the first day of the meet. Swimmers in the first four (4) events of the session must check in 45 minutes prior to the start of the session. **You may swim (4) events per day (8) total . 7 - 8 swimmers must choose to swim as 5 - 8 OR 7 - 10 not any combination thereof.**

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 during 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.

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 CHANGING: Except where 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.

RACING START CERTIFICATION: Any swimmer entered in the meet 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. When unaccompanied by a member-coach, it is the responsibility of the swimmer or the swimmer's legal guardian to ensure compliance with this requirement.

CHANGE OF AFFILIATION: Before the meet, a swimmer may change affiliation by submitting a Club transfer form and the appropriate fee to the Swim Office. At the meet, a swimmer may only unattach (may not attach or reattach) by notifying the Administrative Referee and paying the fee.

ELIGIBILITY: Open to Metro Committee and Puma Aquatic Club members, who are **2014** USA Swimming registered. REGISTRATION APPLICATIONS MAY BE SUBMITTED TOGETHER WITH ENTRY FORM. There are substantial penalties to swimmer and Club (See 2014 SCS Swim Guide, Part One, III, B) if USA Swimming registration is completed at the meet. Registration application must be received by Monday prior to first day of meet by meet processor, administrative referee or SCS Office. Late application will be considered "on deck" subject to penalties in SCS Swim Guide, Part One, III, B. In SCS age group meets, swimmers 18 & younger must prove birth dates prior to competition.

SUBMITTED TIMES: Times submitted must be the **best recorded times** short course or long course from this or the preceding swim season (**NO WORK OUT TIMES**). All nonconforming times will be seeded last. Coaches and swimmers should be prepared to verify all submitted times. Swimmers must have achieved time standards listed for an event. Discrepancies in submitted times could lead to disciplinary action.

AWARDS Medals will be given to 1st – 3rd places and ribbons for 4th - 8th for Blue Division, Ribbons to 1st – 8th for Red and White Divisions. No awards for the open events.

ENTRY FEE: An entry fee of \$3.25 for each event PLUS surcharge of \$7.00 per swimmer must be received with entry card. Per SCS policy there will be a service charge for all returned checks.

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). 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. 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.** Relays will be deck-entered at \$5.00 each, payable on entry.

ENTRIES CLOSE: ENTRIES MUST BE RECEIVED BY THE MEET PROCESSOR NO LATER THAN 5 PM, WEDNESDAY, March 5th 2014. IF THE MEET FILLS PRIOR TO THE DEADLINE, ENTRIES WILL BE REJECTED (LAST RECEIVED, FIRST REJECTED). To avoid concern regarding receipt of entry card at the designated address, enclose a stamped, self-addressed envelope or postcard. **(Receipt of entries will not be verified by phone or e-mail.)**

Make Checks payable to Southern California Swimming
Email for team electronic entries only to alina@dearmas.co
Questions: SCS Office (800) 824-6206

MAIL ENTRIES TO: Alina de Armas
PO Box 63
Simi Valley CA 93062
(805) 522-4134

Hand Entries:
2724 Loraine Place
Simi Valley, CA 93065

IF YOU NEED ENTRY CONFIRMATION – PLEASE SEND A SELF ADDRESSED STAMPED REPLY ENVELOPE
RECEIPT OF ENTRY WILL NOT BE VERIFIED BY PHONE... **NO REGISTERED, SPECIAL DELIVERY OR CERTIFIED MAIL WILL BE ACCEPTED.**
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.

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Date of Meet: March 15-16, 2014

Entries must be received by 5 pm March 5th (Wednesday)

Times submitted must be Best Recorded Times short course or long course.
All non-conforming times will be seeded last.
ALL EVENTS WILL BE SWUM FASTEST TO SLOWEST.



Beach will limit entries to meet the 4 hour rule

MAXIMUM OF 4 EVENTS PER DAY

7-8 swimmers may enter 5-8 or 7-10 events, but not a combination.

Girls		Saturday, March 15, 2014			9:00am		Boys	
No.	Minimum	Age	Event	Minimum	No.			
1		11-12	200 Meter Freestyle		2			
3		7-10	200 Meter Freestyle		4			
5		11-12	100 Meter Butterfly		6			
7		7-10	100 Meter Butterfly		8			
9		5-8	50 Meter Breaststroke		10			
11		7-10	50 Meter Breaststroke		12			
13		11-12	50 Meter Breaststroke		14			
15		5-8	50 Meter Backstroke		16			
17		7-10	50 Meter Backstroke		18			
19		11-12	50 Meter Freestyle		20			
21		7-10	100 Meter Freestyle		22			
23		11-12	100 Meter Backstroke		24			

Girls		Sunday, March 16, 2014			9:00am		Boys	
No.	Minimum	Age	Event	Minimum	No.			
47		11-12	200 Meter Individual Medley		48			
49		7-10	200 Meter Individual Medley		50			
51		11-12	100 Meter Freestyle		52			
53		5-8	100 Meter Freestyle		54			
55		7-10	100 Meter Backstroke		56			
57		11-12	50 Meter Backstroke		58			
59		7-10	50 Meter Butterfly		60			
61		5-8	50 Meter Butterfly		62			
63		11-12	50 Meter Butterfly		64			
65		7-10	50 Meter Freestyle		66			
67		5-8	50 Meter Freestyle		68			
69		11-12	100 Meter Breaststroke		70			
71		7-10	100 Meter Breaststroke		72			

Afternoon session will begin no sooner than 12:00 pm or 60 minutes after the end of AM Session

25	6:31.20	OPEN	400 Meter Individual Medley	6:32.30	26				
27		13-14	200 Meter Freestyle		28				
29		15 & Up	200 Meter Freestyle		30				
31		13-14	100 Meter Breaststroke		32				
33		15 & Up	100 Meter Breaststroke		34				
35	3:09.20	13-14	200 Meter Backstroke		36				
		OPEN		3:11.80					
		15 & Up							
37		13-14	100 Meter Butterfly		38				
39		15 & Up	100 Meter Butterfly		40				
41		13-14	50 Meter Freestyle		42				
43		15 & Up	50 Meter Freestyle		44				
10 Minute Break at the discretion of the Meet Referee									
45	5:47.30	OPEN	400 Meter Freestyle	5:46.60	46				

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73		13-14	200 Meter Individual Medley		74				
75		15 & Up	200 Meter Individual Medley		76				
77		13-14	100 Meter Freestyle		78				
79		15 & Up	100 Meter Freestyle		80				
81	3:05.70	13-14	200 Meter Butterfly		82				
		OPEN		3:07.20					
		15 & Up							
83		13-14	100 Meter Backstroke		84				
85		15 & Up	100 Meter Backstroke		86				
87	3:31.00	13-14	200 Meter Breaststroke		88				
		OPEN		3:31.20					
		15 & Up							
10 Minute Break at the discretion of the Meet Referee									
89	22:11.60	OPEN	1500 Meter Freestyle	22:10.90	90				

Only swimmers 11 years and older, that meet the time standard, may enter OPEN events.
Swimmers are asked to provide timers for 3 heats for the 400 M and the 1500 M Free, plus their own lap counter for the 1500.
Depending on entries the 1500 Meter Freestyle may be swum 2 per lane.