QUICKSILVER SWIMMING QSS v PEAK v WEST PACIFIC SWIMMING SHORT COURSE DUAL MEET SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 29, 2018



SANCTION: Held under USA/Pacific Swimming Sanction No. 18-135

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. It is further understood that Pacific Swimming, and QuickSilver Swimming shall be free and held harmless 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 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:	Meet Referee:	Attila Lengyel	Head Starter: John Hannigan
	Meet Marshal:	Carrie Mox-Miller	Admin Official: Lily You
	Meet Director:	Liv Weaver, liv@swimqss.o	rg

LOCATION: 622 Gaundabert Lane, San Jose, CA 95136

DIRECTIONS: From 85, Exit at Santa Teresa and turn right on Thornwood Drive, right on Winfield, and right on Chynoweth. Turn right into the school from the Chynoweth entrance. The pool is located in the back of the campus.

COURSE: 25 yard pool with up to 17 lanes available for competition. An additional 6 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 7'0" at the start end and 4'6" at the turn end. In accordance with Article 104.2.2C(4) the competition course has been certified. A copy of the certification is on file with USA Swimming.

TIME: Meet will begin at 9:00 AM each day with warm-ups from 07:30 to 8:45 AM each day.

- **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.
 - All events are timed finals.
 - All events will swim fast to slow.
 - Athletes may compete in 3 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 time line, 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 deck officials must wear their USA Swimming membership cards in a visible manner.

• Athletes may only enter a stroke and distance of an event once (i.e. athletes cannot swim the 50 free in 11 & over and 12 & under in the same meet)

• The 500 Free is limited to 2 heats for event #31 and #32. Coaches from each club must coordinate to ensure entries are limited. Athletes participating in the 500 Free must provide their own timers and lap counters.

UNACCOMPANIED ATHLETES: Any USA-S 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-S 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-S 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-S Club Member-Coach.

RACING STARTS: Athletes must be certified by a USA-S 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.
- Changing into or out of swimsuits other than in locker rooms or other designated areas is 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.

ELIGIBILITY: • Athletes must be current members of USA-S 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, 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.

- Entries with "NO TIME" will be accepted.
- Entry times submitted for this meet will be checked against a computer database and may be changed in accordance with Pacific Swimming Entry Time Verification Procedures.
- Disabled athletes are welcome to attend this meet and should contact the Meet Director or Meet Referee regarding any special accommodations on entry times and seeding per Pacific Swimming policy.
- 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.
- Athletes must be a member of QSS, PEAK or WEST to enter the meet. Unattached athletes who are members of QSS, PEAK or WEST may participate in the meet, but will be entered as Unattached.

ENTRY FEES: \$4.00 per event plus an \$8.00 participation fee per athlete. Entries will be rejected if payment is not sent at time of request. No refunds will be made, except mandatory scratch downs.

ENTRIES: Entries must be submitted to your club through your club website or equivalent. A team file must be sent to <u>liv@swimqss.org</u> by 10:00am on Monday, September 24. Athlete registration checks will be sent in immediately; no late entries will be accepted. A club check must be turned into the Meet Director prior to the start of the meet.

Make check payable to: QuickSilver Swimming

CHECK-IN: The meet will be pre-seeded.

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

AWARDS: None.

ADMISSION: Free.

SNACK BAR & HOSPITALITY: A snack bar may be available throughout the competition. Coaches and working deck officials will be provided breakfast and snacks.

MISCELLANEOUS: No overnight parking is allowed. Facilities will not be provided after meet hours.

EVENT SUMMARY					
8 & UN	12 & Under	11 & Over			
25 Fly	100 IM	200 IM			
25 Free	50 Fly	100 Fly			
25 Back	50 Back	100 Free			
25 Breast	50 Breast	100 Back			
	50 Free	100 Breast			
		50 Free			

EVENTS

Saturday, September 29th				
EVENT #	EVENT	EVENT #		
1	11 & Over 200 I.M.	2		
3	12 & Under 100 I.M.	4		
5	11 & Over 100 Fly	6		
7	12 & Under 50 Fly	8		
9	8 & Under 25 Fly	10		
11	11 & Over 100 Free	12		
13	8 & Under 25 Free	14		
15	11 & Over 100 Back	16		
17	12 & Under 50 Back	18		
19	8 & Under 25 Back	20		
21	11 & Over 100 Breast	22		
23	12 & Under 50 Breast	24		
25	8 & under 25 Breast	26		
27	11 & Over 50 Free	28		
29	12 & Under 50 Free	30		
31	11 & Over 500 Free*	32		

*Limited to 2 heats per event