

SANCTION: Held under USA-S / Pacific Swimming Sanction # 16-147

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. The results of this meet may be posted in real time on the Internet at <u>www.fastlanetek.com</u>

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, 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: Brett Shaug
 Head Starter: Mike Tramack

 Meet Marshal:
 John Golos/ChumaMinjares
 Admin Official: Curtiss Kikuta

 Meet Director:
 Stella Ezrre - sezrre@santaclaraswimclub.org

LOCATION: George Haines International Swim Center, 2625 Patricia Drive, Santa Clara, CA 95051.

DIRECTIONS: From Highway 101, exit south on Lawrence Expressway or Bowers Avenue. Turn left at Homestead Road. Turn left at Las Palmas Drive. Proceed to Patricia Drive and turn left. - Or - Exit Highway 101 on San Tomas Expressway. Turn right on Homestead Road. Turn right on Las Palmas. Proceed to Patricia Drive and turn left. There is limited free parking in the parking lot and adjoining streets. Do not park in the Library parking lot you will be ticketed.

PARKING: Limited parking is available in the parking lot adjacent to the pool. DO NOT PARK IN THE LIBRARY PARKING LOT. When parking in the neighborhood, please be respectful to our neighbors and not block their driveways. NO OVERNIGHT PARKING OR RV PARKING IS PERMITTED.

COURSE: Outdoor 25 YARD pool with up to 10 lanes available for competition. There will be additional lanes available for warmup/cool down throughout the competition. The minimum water depth for the shallow end course, measured in accordance with Article 103.2.3, is 4'1/2" at the start end and 4'1/2" 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: Warm-up at 7:30 a.m. – 8:45 a.m., competition begins at 9:00 a.m.

- **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 will swim fast to slow.
 - Athletes may compete in 3 individual events plus 1 relay.
 - The 1000 Free will be swum by alternating women's and men's heats. Athletes must provide their own lap counters.
 - 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.

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 Swimming 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: Any athlete 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 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 or 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 pets or animals allowed in venue except for guide dog.

• Glass bottles / containers are prohibited in all areas of the meet venue (except for snack bar use).

• No electric or propane heaters / containers or similar devices including gasoline powered generators, other than provided for meet operations, are allowed in any areas of the meet venue.

• Except for coaches' seating next to the pool no chairs, canopies, tents, or "camping" in the competition pool area. All athlete and spectator chairs, canopies, tents, or other set-ups must be outside the competition pool gates and on the lawn only.

• 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.

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.

• Meet is open to all qualified athletes registered with one of the invited clubs. Athletes must be a member of PASA, PLS, NBA, SMST, SRN, SCSC, or SJSU. Athletes who are unattached but participating with a member club may enter.

• Entries with **"NO TIME" will be ACCEPTED.**

• 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.

• The athlete's age will be the age of the athlete on the first day of the meet.

ENTRIES: A Hy-Tek entry file must be submitted by Wednesday, September 21, 2016 11:59PM Request a confirmation of receipt to ensure delivery of the email / file. Send meet entry file to sergey@fastlanetek.com

ENTRY FEES: There will be no entry fee for individual athletes. Teams will share the meet expenses equally.

Make check payable to: Santa Clara Swim Club

CHECK-IN: The meet will be pre-seeded. There will be no check in.

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

AWARDS: None.

ADMISSION / PROGRAMS: Free admission. No programs will be available. Heat sheets will be available electronically and should be printed prior to arrival at the meet.

HOSPITALITY: Light snacks, beverages and lunch will be served to deck officials and coaches. Light snacks and beverages will be served marshals and timers (during their shifts only).

SNACK BAR: There will be no Snack Bar

TIMERS: Each club is required to provide timers. Meet director will email timer/lane assignments to each club prior to the meet.

WOMEN	SUNDAY	MEN
1	1000 Free	2
3	200 Free	4
5	200 Fly	6
7	100 Back	8
9	100 Breast	10
11	50 Free	12
13	100 Fly	14
15	200 Back	16
17	200 Breast	18
19	500 Free	20
21	100 Free	22
23	400 IM	24
25	400 Mixed Free Relay	26

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