## **TIGER AQUATICS** PACIFIC SWIMMING SHORT COURSE C/B/BB+ MEET

**JANUARY 15-16, 2022** 

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SANCTION: Held under USA/Pacific Swimming Sanction No. 22-008

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.

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 individuals with underlying medical conditions are especially vulnerable.

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 PACIFIC 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 THEREWITH.

**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 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: Markus Daene Head Starter: Carol Cottam

> Meet Marshal: Nathan LeRoy Admin Official: David Cottam

Meet Director: Adriana Hernandez, TigerAquatics@gmail.com

LOCATION: Cortopassi Aquatics Center, Saint Mary's High School, 5648 N El Dorado St, Stockton, CA 95207

**DIRECTIONS:** From I-5 exit March Lane. Go east on March Lane 2.3 Miles. Turn left on El Dorado Street. Go approximately 1/2 mile. St. Mary's High School will be on your right hand side. Enter parking lot and proceed to the rear of the school. Pool is located by the football field.

COURSE: Outdoor 25 yard pool with up to 10 lanes available for competition. An additional 4 lanes will be 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 6'6" at the start end and turn end. The competition course has not been certified in accordance with 104.2.2C(4).

TIME: Meet will begin at 9:00 AM each day with warm-ups from 7:30 to 8:45 AM each day. A special warm-up time for 8 and under athletes only will be held from 8:45 to 8:55 AM.

RULES: • Current USA and Pacific Swimming rules and warm-up procedures, including the Minor Athlete Abuse Prevention Policy (MAAPP) will govern the meet. A copy of these procedures will be posted at the Clerk-of-Course.

• The local facilities guidelines, restrictions and interpretation of the local public health guidelines shall be followed at this meet.

- All applicable adults participating in or associated with this meet, acknowledge that they are subject to the provisions of the USA Swimming Minor Athlete Abuse Prevention Policy ("MAAPP"), and that they understand that compliance with the MAAPP policy is a condition of participation in the conduct of this competition.
- All athletes 18 and older must have completed the Athlete Protection Training to be allowed to compete.
- All events are timed finals.
- All events will swim fast to slow.
- Athletes may compete in 4 Individual 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 timeline, per the "Four-Hour Rule," based on the Athletes age and gender or when the meet has reached capacity, whichever comes first.
- 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 Officials must wear their USA Swimming membership cards in a visible manner.
- All athletes entered in the 500-yard freestyle shall provide their own timers and lap counters. All athletes entered in the 400 I.M. shall provide their own timers. The 500-yard freestyle and the 400 I.M. events may be swum with alternating heats (girls/boys) or combined genders.

**UNACCOMPANIED ATHLETES:** Any USA Swimming 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 Swimming 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 Swimming Club Member-Coach.

**RACING STARTS:** Athletes must be certified by a USA Swimming 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.
- Deck Changes are 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.
- Set up will be available starting at 6:30 a.m. on Saturday morning of the meet.

**ELIGIBILITY:** • Athletes must be current members of USA Swimming 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.

- Athletes in the "BB" Division must have met at least USA Swimming Motivational "BB" minimum time standard. Athletes in the "B" Division must have met at least the listed "B" minimum time standard. All entry times slower than the listed "B" time standard will be in the "C" Division. For 8 & Under, athletes in the "A" division must have met at least the listed "A" time standard.
- All athletes entering the 500 Free must have met the USA-S Motivational Time Standards 11-12 B-time.
- Entries with "NO TIME" will be REJECTED.

- Entry times submitted for this meet may be checked against a computer database and may be changed in accordance with Pacific Swimming Entry Time Verification Procedures.
- Athletes with a disability 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.

**ENTRY PRIORITY:** Meet entries will not be accepted any earlier than Saturday December 11, 2021. Entries from members of "yearround" Zone 2 clubs in good standing postmarked or entered online by 11:59 PM on Saturday December 18, 2021 will be given 1<sup>st</sup> priority acceptance. Entries from members of all Zone 2 clubs (year-round and seasonal) postmarked or entered online between 12:00 AM Sunday December 19, 2021 and 11:59 PM Saturday December 25, 2021 will be given 2<sup>nd</sup> priority acceptance. All entries from Zone 2, all other Pacific LSC Zones and other LSC's, either postmarked, entered online, or hand delivered by the entry deadline will be considered in the order they are received.

\*\* NOTE: Athletes who falsify their entry form by listing a club to which they are not legitimately associated will be rejected from the meet. Further, entry fees will not be refunded and they may be referred to the Pacific Swimming Review Committee for disciplinary action.

**ENTRY FEES:** \$4.50 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.

**ONLINE ENTRIES: SWIMCONNECTION:** To enter online go to <a href="http://ome.swimconnection.com/pc/TIGR20220115">http://ome.swimconnection.com/pc/TIGR20220115</a> to receive an immediate entry confirmation. This method requires payment by credit card. Swim Connection LLC charges a processing fee for this service, equal to \$1 per Athlete plus 5% of the total Entry Fees. Please note that the processing fee is a separate fee from the Entry Fees. If you do not wish to pay the processing fee, enter the meet using a mail entry. **Entering online is a convenience, is completely voluntary, and is in no way required or expected of an Athlete by Pacific Swimming.** Online entries will be accepted through Wednesday **January 5, 2022**, or until the meet has reached capacity, whichever comes first.

MAILED OR HAND DELIVERED ENTRIES: Entries must be on the attached consolidated entry form. Forms must be filled out completely and printed clearly with athlete's best time. Entries must be postmarked by Wednesday December 29, 2021 or hand delivered by 7:15 PM Wednesday January 5, 2022. No late entries will be accepted. No entries received after the meet has reached capacity will be accepted. Requests for confirmation of receipt of entries should include a self-addressed, stamped envelope

Make check payable to: Tiger Aquatics

Mail entries to: Tiger Aquatics Booster PO Box 4667 Stockton, CA 95204

Hand deliver entries to: Adriana Hernandez 1123 W Magnolia St. Stockton, CA 95203

CHECK-IN: The meet will be deck seeded. Athletes must check-in at the Clerk-of-Course. No event shall be closed more than 30 minutes before the scheduled start of the session. Prior to 10:30 AM, close of check-in for each event shall be no more than 60 minutes before the estimated time of the start of the first heat of the event. Close of check-in for all remaining events for that day shall be at 10:30 AM. Athletes who do not check in will not be seeded and will not be allowed to compete in that event. Athletes who wish to scratch from an event after the close of check-in are requested to inform the Referee on the starting end of the competition course.

**SCRATCHES:** Any athletes not reporting for or competing in an individual timed final event that they have checked in for shall not be penalized. Athletes who must withdraw from an event after it is seeded are requested to inform the referee immediately.

**AWARDS:** First through eighth places in each division (C, B & BB) will be awarded for the 9-10, 11-12, 13-14, age groups. First through eighth place in each division (PC-C, PC-B, and PC-A) will be awarded for the 8 & Under age group. All athletes achieving an A time for the first time will be awarded a standard A medal, regardless of place achieved in the event. No awards will be given for athletes 15-18, and 19 years of age and older. No Awards will be awarded for OPEN events. Note: Individual awards must be picked up at the meet. We will not mail or distribute awards after the meet.

ADMISSION: Free.

**SNACK BAR & HOSPITALITY:** A snack bar will be available throughout the competition. Coaches and working Officials will be provided lunch. Hospitality will serve refreshments to timers and volunteers.

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

**MINIMUM OFFICIALS:** The Meet Referee shall conduct an inventory of Officials and shall compare the number of athletes entered against the number of Officials that worked representing each club per day of the meet. Those clubs who have not provided sufficient Officials in a day of the meet, in accordance with the table below, will be fined \$100 per missing Official per day.

Number of athletes entered in meet per club per day	Number of trained and carded officials required
1-10	0
11-25	1
26-50	2
51-75	3
76-100	4
Every 20 Athletes over 100	+1

## **EVENT SUMMARY**

SATURDAY			SUNDAY				
8 & UN	9-10	11-12	13-18	8 & UN	9-10	11-12	13-18
100 IM	200 IM	200 IM	200 IM	100 Free	100 Free	200 Free	200 Free
25 Free	50 Free	50 Free	50 Free	25 Breast	100 Breast	200 Breast	200 Breast
50 Breast	50 Breast	100 Breast	100 Breast	50 Free	100 IM	100 IM	100 Back
25 Fly	50 Fly	50 Fly	100 Fly	25 Back	50 Back	50 Back	200 Fly
50 Back	100 Back	200 Back	200 Back	50 Fly	100 Fly	100 Fly	
500 Free* (Open)			400 IM* (Open)				

## **EVENTS**

Saturday, January 15 <sup>th</sup>				
EVENT#	EVENT	EVENT#		
1	13&up 200 IM	2		
3	11-12 200 IM	4		
5	9-10 200 IM	6		
7	8 & Under 100 IM	8		
9	13&up 50 Free	10		
11	11-12 50 Free	12		
13	9-10 50 Free	14		
15	8 & Under 25 Free	16		
17	13&up 100 Breast	18		
19	11-12 100 Breast	20		
21	9-10 50 Breast	22		
23	8 & Under 50 Breast	24		
25	13&up 100 Fly	26		
27	11-12 50 Fly	28		
29	9-10 50 Fly	30		
31	8 & Under 25 Fly	32		
33	13&up 200 Back	34		
35	11-12 200 Back	36		
37	9-10 100 Back	38		
39	8 & Under 50 Back	40		
41	Open 500 Free*	42		

Sunday, January 16th					
EVENT#	EVENT	EVENT#			
43	13&up 200 Free	44			
45	11-12 200 Free	46			
47	9-10 100 Free	48			
49	8 & Under 100 Free	50			
51	13&up 200 Breast	52			
53	11-12 200 Breast	54			
55	9-10 100 Breast	56			
57	8 & Under 25 Breast	58			
59	11-12 100 IM	60			
61	9-10 100 IM	62			
63	8 & Under 50 Free	64			
65	13&up 100 Back	66			
67	11-12 50 Back	68			
69	9-10 50 Back	70			
71	8 & Under 25 Back	72			
73	13&up 200 Fly	74			
75	11-12 100 Fly	76			
77	9-10 100 Fly	78			
79	8 & Under 50 Fly	80			
81	Open 400 IM*	82			

\*All athletes entered in the 500 Free shall provide their own timers and lap counters.

All Athletes in the 400 IM shall provide their own timers.

All athletes entering the 500 Free must have met the (11-12) "B" USA-S Motivational Time Standard.

No refunds shall be given if a time cannot be proven.

Use the following URL to find the time standards: <a href="http://www.pacswim.org/swim-meet-times/standards">http://www.pacswim.org/swim-meet-times/standards</a>

## Pacific Swimming – Hosted by Tiger Aquatics January 15-16, 2022 Consolidated Entry Form First Middle Name: Last Club Abbr. **UNATT TEAM ABBR** Club Name LSC – (PC, SN) Age Date of Birth Sex M F USA-# Event # Distance / Stroke Entry Time Circle one SCY / LCM # of entries \_\_\_\_\_ x \$4.50 = \$\_ \$ 8.00 Participation Fee Total Coach Athlete's Address Home Phone Cell Phone Email