# **SAN RAMON VALLEY AQUATICS** PACIFIC SWIMMING SHORT COURSE B/BB+ LAST CHANCE MEET

**MARCH 1-2, 2025** 

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#### THIS IS A SELECTION MEET FOR THE ZONE 2 ALL-STAR TEAM

No Friday night set-up or storage allowed. Canopies must be taken down and either taken home or stored near bleachers. Gates will open each morning at 7:00am

**SANCTION:** Held under USA/Pacific Swimming Sanction No. **25-023** 

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.

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**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, webcasting, television, psych sheets and live meet results. The results of this meet may be posted in real time on the Meet Mobile app.

### **ZONE 2 ALL-STAR TEAM SELECTION**

This is one of the selection meets for the Pacific Swimming Zone All-Star Meet (ZAM). ZAM will be held May 18, 2025 in Sunnyvale, CA. The Zone 2 All-Star Team is comprised of up to eight girls and eight boys from each of four age groups (8 & under, 9–10, 11–12, and 13-14) for a total of up to 64 athletes. The selection of the first seven athletes in each gender and age group is determined by the total points scored in the ZAM selection events at the following meets:

- Zone 2 Winter Championship Meet February 1–2, 2025 (MANDATORY)
- Zone 2 Last Chance Meet (TERA/SRVA) March 1-2, 2025
- Zone 2 C/B/BB+ Meet (CDST/AAA) March 22–23, 2025

The fastest time for each selection event will be used to calculate points. The eighth athlete in each gender and age group is a Coach's choice. The next two highest-scoring athletes will be Alternates. Points will be scored based on the applicant's age on May 18, 2025. To be considered for the Zone 2 All-Star Team, the athlete must: (1) compete in at least one selection event at the Zone 2 Winter Championship Meet (February 1-2, 2025); and (2) submit the Initial Application no later than 6:00 PM Friday January 31, 2025 (or provide the athlete's information to the Zone 2 All-Star Team desk at the Zone 2 Winter Championship meet before 9:00 AM Saturday February 1, 2025). Visit https://www.pacswim.org/members/zones/zone-2/zone-2-all-star-team for more information.

	ZAM Selection Events					
8 & under	25 Breast	25 Fly	25 Back	25 Free	50 Free	100 IM
9-10	50 Breast	50 Fly	50 Back	50 Free	100 Free	100 IM
11-12	100 Breast	100 Fly	100 Back	50 Free	100 Free	200 IM
13-14	100 Breast	100 Fly	100 Back	50 Free	200 Free	200 IM

**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, restrooms 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: Charlie Gonzales Head Starter: Mark Wagner

Meet Marshal: Raj Nimbalkar Admin Official: Amy Gonzales

Meet Director: Shilpa Nakka, meetdirector@srvaswimteam.org

LOCATION: Dougherty Valley Aquatic Center, 10550 Albion Rd, San Ramon, CA 94582 (At Dougherty Valley High School)

**DIRECTIONS:** Located at Dougherty Valley High School. From 580, exit Dougherty Rd/Hopyard. Head north on Dougherty Rd approximately 5 miles (turns into Bollinger Canyon Rd). Turn Right on Albion Rd. Take Second Left turn into the Dougherty Valley High School parking lot. From 680, exit Bollinger Canyon Rd. Head east on Bollinger Canyon Rd approximately 4 miles. Turn Left on Albion Rd. Take Second left turn into the Dougherty Valley High School parking lot. DO NOT PARK where no parking signs or permit parking only signs are posted. You will be ticketed or towed.

**COURSE:** Outdoor 50 meter pool with up to 12 lanes available for competition. An additional 3 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 4.6' at the start end and 4.6' at the turn end. The Meet Host shall ensure the required course dimensions.

**TIME:** Meet will begin at 9:00 AM each day with warm-ups from 7:30 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.

- The local facilities guidelines, restrictions and interpretation of the local public health guidelines shall be followed at this meet.
- All 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 MAAPP 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 four (4) 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.
- 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.
- Medical supervision, including lifeguards, EMT, AED, will be provided by the City of San Ramon staff onsite during the meet.

**ATTENTION HIGH SCHOOL ATHLETES:** If you are a High School Athlete in season, you need to be Unattached from this meet. It is the Athlete's responsibility to be Unattached from this meet. You can un-attach at the meet if necessary. This does not apply to Athletes swimming under the rules of the Nevada Interscholastic Activities Association (NIAA).

**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.
- Canopies are not permitted on the pool deck. No pop-ups are allowed inside the pool fence.
- Entry and set up (pop-ups) are not allowed before 7 AM on Saturday and Sunday.
- All pathways must be clear, and no pop-ups are allowed on pathways and in front of entry and exit gates as well as yellow tape marked areas. Pathways and entry and exit gates must be clear for emergency personnel and vehicles to pass through.
- No umbrellas are allowed beyond the cordoned off areas at the starting blocks and race start areas on the deck for safety reasons.
- No overnight parking is allowed. Facilities will not be provided for after-meet hours.
- Neither SRVA nor Dougherty Valley High School is responsible for items that are lost or stolen.
- No cell phone, computer or tablet use is allowed in any bathroom or changing room as per USA Swimming Safe Sport.

**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, Athletes shall be required to register online via USA Swimming's online member registration before being allowed to swim in the meet.

- Athletes in the BB Division must have met, at least, the USA Swimming Motivational BB minimum time standard. Athletes in the B Division must have met at least the listed B minimum time standard.
- Athletes must have achieved the minimum USA swimming Motivational "B" time standard for their age group in **ALL** events entered regardless of the age group of the event.
- 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. 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.

**ENTRY PRIORITY:** Meet entries will be accepted no earlier than 7:00 AM **Monday, January 27, 2025**. Entries from members of assigned year-round Zone 2 clubs in good standing entered online by 11:59 PM **Saturday February 1, 2025** will be given first priority acceptance. Entries from members of all Zone 2 clubs (year-round and seasonal) entered online between 12:00 AM Sunday **February 2, 2025** and 11:59 PM Saturday **February 8, 2025** will be given second priority acceptance. All entries from Zone 2, all other Pacific LSC Zones and other LSCs, entered online by the entry deadline will be considered in the order they are received. No mail-in or hand-delivered entries accepted.

\*\* 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 individual event plus a \$10 participation fee per athlete, plus a \$20 facility surcharge 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.** Only the event fees will be refunded in case of mandatory scratch downs.

**ONLINE ENTRIES:** To enter online go to <a href="http://ome.fastswims.com">http://ome.fastswims.com</a> to receive an immediate entry confirmation. This method requires payment by credit card. FastSwims charges a service fee for this service, 6.5% of the total Entry Fees plus \$0.75 per transaction, regardless of number of Athletes. Please note that the service fee is a separate fee from the Entry Fees. Online entries will be accepted through **Tuesday February 18, 2025,** or until capacity is reached, whichever comes first.

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 on Saturday and Sunday 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. NOTE: Do not rely on Meet Mobile for event start time.

**SCRATCHES:** Any Athletes not reporting for or competing in an individual timed final event that they have checked in for/entered 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 (B, BB) will be awarded for the 10&Under, 11-12, and 13-14 age groups. 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 years of age and older. 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		
10 & Under	11-12	13 & Over	10 & Under	11-12	13 & Over
200 Free	200 Free	200 Free	200 IM	200 IM	200 IM
50 Breast	100 Breast	100 Breast	50 Back	100 Back	100 Back
50 Fly	100 Fly	100 Fly	100 Fly	50 Breast	200 Fly
100 Back	200 Back	200 Back	50 Free	200 Fly	50 Free
100 Free	50 Back	100 Free	100 Breast	50 Fly	200 Breast
100 IM	100 Free	13-14 500 Free		50 Free	15&OV 500 Free
	100 IM			200 Breast	
				500 Free	

## **EVENTS**

SATURDAY MARCH 1, 2025				
GIRLS EVENT #	EVENT	BOYS EVENT #		
1	13&Over 200 Free	2		
3	11-12 200 Free	4		
5	10&Un 200 Free	6		
7	13&Over 100 Breast	8		
9	11-12 100 Breast	10		
11	10&Un 50 Breast	12		
13	13&Over 100 Fly	14		
15	11-12 100 Fly	16		
17	10&Un 50 Fly	18		
19	13&Over 200 Back	20		
21	11-12 200 Back	22		
23	10&Un 100 Back	24		
25	11-12 50 Back	26		
27	13&Over 100 Free	28		
29	10&Un 100 Free	30		
31	11-12 100 Free	32		
33	10&Un 100 IM	34		
35	11-12 100 IM	36		
37	13-14 500 Free*	38		

SUNDAY MARCH 2, 2025				
GIRLS EVENT #	EVENT	BOYS EVENT#		
39	13&Over 200 IM	40		
41	11-12 200 IM	42		
43	10&Un 200 IM	44		
45	13&Over 100 Back	46		
47	11-12 100 Back	48		
49	10&Un 50 Back	50		
51	11-12 50 Breast	52		
53	13&Over 200 Fly	54		
55	11-12 200 FLY	56		
57	10&Un 100 Fly	58		
59	11-12 50 Fly	60		
61	13&Over 50 Free	62		
63	11-12 50 Free	64		
65	10&Un 50 Free	66		
67	11-12 200 Breast	68		
69	10&Un 100 breast	70		
71	13&Over 200 Breast	72		
73	11-12 500 Free*	74		
75	15&Over 500 Free*	76		

<sup>\*</sup>All athletes participating in the 500 Free events must provide their own timers and lap counters.

Athletes must have achieved the minimum USA Swimming Motivational "B" time standard for their age group in ALL events entered regardless of the age group of the event.

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>