



Colorado Swimming Short Course 13-14 Spring Invitational April 23-25, 2021

SANCTION: Held under Sanction of USA Swimming. CO Sanction #2021-047. In granting this sanction it is understood and agreed that USA Swimming shall be free from any liabilities or claims or damages arising by reason of injuries to anyone during the conduct of the event.

MEET REFEREE Cheryl Hampton Email: cherylswimofficial@gmail.com

MEET DIRECTOR: Andrew Brand Email: coachandrew@teamcudas.com

ENTRY CHAIR: Colorado Swimming
970-454-3697 (Linda)
Charged to Team Account Email: meetentries@swimcolorado.org

SAFETY DIRECTOR: Eric Adams Email: coacheric@teamcudas.com

LOCATION: Veterans Memorial Aquatic Center 5310 East 136th Ave. Thornton, CO 80241

FACILITY: Elevation: 5340 ft. Indoor, 25 yard, 10 lane pool. The competition course has been certified in accordance with 104.2.2C(4), and a copy of such is on file with USA Swimming. Continuous warm-up/warm-down lanes will be available during the meet. The competition course depth is a continuous 7 feet at start and turn ends and in the middle.

CAPACITY Limits: 50 swimmers per session

Only USA Swimming member swimmers swimming the meet, registered coaches with current certification, working officials, and volunteers are allowed on deck. No Spectators allowed.

TIMING: Colorado Timing System with touch pads and display board

MANDATORY GENERAL MEETING Friday, April. 23 at 12:00pm via zoom. Meet Referee will answer any questions about the Meet format as well as any last minute changes/reminders.

SCHEDULE:

| Session | Session # | Day | Warm-Up | Meet Start |
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| BOYS/GIRLS 1650 MUST HAVE PRIORITY CUT | 1 | Friday April 23 | 4:30-5:30pm | 6:40pm |
| Girls Group A | 2 | Sat April 24 | 7:30-8:30am | 8:40am |
| Girls Group B | 3 | Sat April 24 | 10:30-11:30am | 11:40am |
| Boys Group A | 4 | Sat April 24 | 1:30-2:30pm | 2:40pm |
| Boys Group B | 5 | Sat April 24 | 4:30-5:30pm | 5:40pm |
| Girls Group B | 6 | Sun April 25 | 7:30-8:30am | 8:40am |
| Girls Group A | 7 | Sun April 25 | 10:30-11:30am | 11:40am |
| Boys Group B | 8 | Sun April 25 | 1:30-2:30pm | 2:40pm |
| Boys Group A | 9 | Sun April 25 | 4:30-5:30pm | 5:40pm |

ENTRIES: Swimmers may enter three (3) individual events per day.

ENTRY FEES:

\$ 7.25 per individual event. (\$1.25 of each individual event will go to the CSI Support Fund)

\$ 40.00 per swimmer pool surcharge.

Any outstanding fees and/or past due fees owed to Colorado Swimming must be paid in full in order to participate in the meet.

ELECTRONIC ENTRY PROCEDURES AND DEADLINE:

- Entries must be emailed to the Entry Chair, using either Hy-Tek Team Manager File and/or Team Unify Export. Please attach a PDF or Word Document of the team entry report.
- The entry chair must receive all entries no later than 11:59 pm on Tuesday, **April 13, 2021** (entries will be verified on/or before April 14th).
- **Payment will be processed via credit card at the meet or via QuickBooks Invoicing**
- **NO LATE ENTRIES ACCEPTED AFTER ENTRY DEADLINE. NO DECK ENTRIES.**
- Overnight mail or guaranteed next day delivery is acceptable if agent guarantees next day delivery to satisfy meet deadline.
- Psych sheet, warm-up and timer assignments will be posted at www.swimcolorado.org by Monday, April 19, 2021.

Corrections should be made as follows:

Entry corrections & Proof of time correction should be sent to: Linda Seckinger meetentries@swimcolorado.org
Registration corrections should be sent to: Jackie Stiff csiswimoffice@swimcolorado.org

ELIGIBILITY: Open to invited athletes. All athletes *must* hold a 2021 USA Swimming Premium our outreach membership issued by Colorado Swimming, Inc. Swimmers who are within the 120-day transfer rule must swim UNATTACHED. Per USA Swimming rule 302.4, Colorado Swimming Inc. will impose a fine of \$100 per swimmer who shows up on the post meet registration check charged to the team account. Teams will receive one Meet Recon email as a reminder to register the swimmers. As soon as the post meet registration check is run the team will be charged. No on deck registrations will be taken.

SCORING: There will be no scoring.

AWARDS: Individual: Medals 1-8 Ribbons 9-16

SEEDING PROCEDURE & SCRATCH RULES:

The meet shall be pre-seeded. Swimmers must report to the assigned heat and lane if they intend to swim the event.

NOTE: Submit entry times according to the time swum - NO CONVERSIONS Non-conforming times will be seeded last, per article 207.11.7 of the USA Swimming Rules and Regulations.

RULES:

1. The MEET REFEREE will have the final authority on all swimming procedures of the meet.
2. Current USA Swimming Rules & Regulations, including the Minor Athlete Abuse Prevention Policy (“MAAPP”), will govern the meet, in conjunction with the following information from Colorado Swimming Inc.
3. Age as of the first day of the meet, April 23, 2021 will determine the swimmer's age group for competition.
4. No exhibition swimming is allowed.
5. Entry times must have been achieved between Feb 1, 2019 and April 12, 2021. 1650 swimmers must have priority cut.
6. 1650 Swimmers need to provide 1 timer and 1 lap counter.
7. Colorado Swimming, Inc. procedures for warm-up will be observed.
8. The USA Swimming National Start will be used. Please refer to 101.1.2
9. **Participating teams will be required to provide timers.** Notification of lane assignments for timing will be sent to each club and posted on the Colorado Swimming website. These assignments will be posted at the pool as well. Teams that have at least 6 swimmers in a session may be given a timing assignment.

10. Unattached/Unaccompanied swimmers -Any swimmer entered in the meet, unaccompanied by a USA Swimming member coach, 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. It is the responsibility of the swimmer or the swimmer's legal guardian to ensure compliance with this requirement.
11. At a sanctioned competitive event, USA Swimming athlete members must be under the supervision of a USA Swimming member coach during warm-up, competition, and warm-down. The Meet Director or Meet Referee may assist the swimmer in making arrangements for such supervision, but it is the swimmer's responsibility to make such arrangements prior to the start of the meet."
12. All swimwear must conform to USA Swimming Rule and Regulations article 102.8 effective October 1, 2009. If you have any question on older suits check the current FINA Approved swim suit list.
13. Any team or unaffiliated photographers must check-in with the Meet Referee prior to taking any photographs. No photography allowed from behind the starting platforms, during any starts.
14. Use of audio or visual recording devices, including a cell phone, is not permitted in changing areas, rest rooms, or locker rooms.
15. Deck Changing is Prohibited. USA Swimming Rule 202.4.9I.
16. Any damage to pool property will be grounds for dismissal from the remainder of the meet and offenders will be held liable to the fullest extent allowed by law.
17. 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.

Coaches/Officials: Current certification is mandatory. Coaches and officials that are in non-compliance will not be allowed on deck. Deck Pass and/or a membership card is an acceptable proof of membership. Coaches will be required to sign in to receive their heat sheet.

- A mandatory Officials meeting will be held one hour prior to the start of each session each day of the meet.
- Official's uniforms will be white polo shirt over black shorts, long pants or skirts/skorts. Black socks and black deck friendly shoes for all sessions.

[Application to Officiate](#), any questions contact Cheryl Hampton cherylswimofficial@gmail.com

SAFETY ISSUES:

The conduct of warm-up and competition will adhere to Colorado Swimming, Inc. Policies and Procedures.

- All coaches, officials, parents and swimmers should act in a manner to reduce the risk of any accidents.
- Coaches are to monitor their swimmers during warm-up/meet and are responsible for their safety.
- No forward dives or backstroke starts into the water during warm-up unless there is one-way swimming & starts with coach supervision.
- All athletes, parents, spectators, coaches and officials are reminded that the swimming venue may have areas where additional care needs to be observed. This includes and is not limited to slippery deck, bleachers and hallways. Proper footwear and caution "may" help reduce these risks.
- No running or horseplay is allowed and it is the responsibility of the swimmer, coach, officials and parents to monitor these activities.
- Care should be given not to park in either handicapped or fire lanes as vehicles may be towed at the owner's expense.
- To provide a safe environment for everyone in the bleacher seating area that is shared by all, only stadium style seats are allowed.

PROGRAMS: Will be emailed to teams and posted on www.swimcolorado.org

SPECIAL INFORMATION:

- There will be "NO SMOKING" anywhere in the facility or in areas frequented by swimmers.

Refreshments: *NO CONCESSIONS OR HOSPITALITY*

Seating: *NO PARENT SEATING*

We have taken enhanced health and safety measures to reduce the spread of COVID-19; however, we cannot guarantee that you will not be exposed to COVID-19. 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 guests with underlying medical conditions are especially vulnerable. Physical presence at the meet may increase the risk of contracting COVID-19. Meet participants and spectators voluntarily assume all risks related to exposure to COVID-19 and voluntarily accept sole responsibility for any personal injury, illness, permanent disability or death that may result.

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 [THE LSC] 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 WITH EXPOSURE, INFECTION, AND/OR SPREAD OF COVID-19 RELATED TO PARTICIPATION IN THIS COMPETITION.

EVENT ORDER

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| Friday April 23 | | |
| 13-14 | | |
| 1 | 1650 Free | 2 |

GROUP A Event Numbers

| Saturday April 24 | | | Sunday April 25 | | |
|-------------------|------------|----|-----------------|------------|----|
| 3 | 100 Fly | 4 | 15 | 100 Free | 16 |
| 5 | 200 Back | 6 | 17 | 200 Fly | 18 |
| 7 | 50 Free | 8 | 19 | 200 Breast | 20 |
| 9 | 100 Breast | 10 | 21 | 100 Back | 22 |
| 11 | 200 Free | 12 | 23 | 200 IM | 24 |
| 13 | 400 IM | 14 | 25 | 500 Free | 26 |

GROUP B Event Numbers

| Saturday April 24 | | | Sunday April 25 | | |
|-------------------|------------|-----|-----------------|------------|-----|
| 103 | 100 Fly | 104 | 115 | 100 Free | 116 |
| 105 | 200 Back | 106 | 117 | 200 Fly | 118 |
| 107 | 50 Free | 108 | 119 | 200 Breast | 120 |
| 109 | 100 Breast | 110 | 121 | 100 Back | 122 |
| 111 | 200 Free | 112 | 123 | 200 IM | 124 |
| 113 | 400 IM | 114 | 125 | 500 Free | 126 |

