

PVS LC Distance Meet

June 16-17, 2018 Sanction # PVS-18-89





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MEET REFEREE

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SANCTION	Held under the sanction of USA Swimming through Potomac Valley Swimming: PVS-18-89
	 In granting this sanction it is understood and agreed that USA Swimming, Potomac Valley Swimming, Fort Belvoir Swim Team, and Fairland Aquatic Center shall be held free and harmless from any and all liabilities or claims for damages arising by reason of injuries to anyone during the conduct of this event.
FACILITY	Fairland Aquatic Center 13820 Old Gunpowder Rd Laurel, MD 20707
	Competition course is 8 lanes, 50 meters.
	Water depth range of 13' at the starting and 4 1.2' turning ends.
	• The competition course has not been certified in accordance with current USA Swimming Rules and Regulations, Article 104.2.2(C).
ENTRY	Thursday, June 7, 2018
DEADLINE	8:00 pm
	IMPORTANT: The above date is the deadline for clubs to submit their entries to the Meet Director. Therefore, clubs usually set an earlier deadline to receive entries from their swimmers. Check with your club for this information.
SCHEDULE	Saturday, June 16, 2018 & Sunday, June 17, 2018
	Warmup 2:30 – 3:20 pm; Events 3:30 pm
	Meet Director reserves the right to adjust times/sessions after entries are received.
ELIGIBILITY	Open to all Potomac Valley Swimming registered athletes
	Swimmers shall compete at the age attained on the first day of the meet.
DISABILITY SWIMMERS	 PVS and host clubs along with their meet directors are committed to the Inclusion Policy as adopted by the PVS BOD. Athletes with a disability are welcomed and are asked to provide advance notice of desired accommodations to the Meet Director. The athlete (or athlete's coach) is also responsible for notifying the session referee of any disability prior to competition.
TIMING SYSTEM	Automatic timing (touch pads primary) will be used for this meet.
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OUALIFYING TIMES Minimum provable times for 13 & O Swimmers: o For 800M, 14:00:00 in either the 800M or 1000yd Freestyle o For 1500M, 23:30:00 in either the 1500M or 1650 yd Freestyle See full description of the PVS Distance Qualifying Policy **OUALIFYING TIMES** Coaches of 13 & O athletes that can complete the event(s) faster than the QT's, but do not (cont.) satisfy the entry rule, should petition the PVS Distance Coordinator, Matt Cohen, mattscohen@comcast.net Minimum provable times for 12 & U Swimmers: Must meet the following stepping stone progression A provable time of 7:20.00 must be swum in the 400M/500yd Free before entering the 800M/1000yd Free A provable time of 15:00.00 must be swum in the 800M/1000yd Free before entering the 1500M/1650yd Free There are NO petitions for 12 & U athletes. **RULES** Current USA Swimming rules shall govern this meet. No on-deck USA-S registration is permitted. In compliance with USA Swimming Rules and Regulations, the use of audio or visual recording devices, including a cell phone is not permitted in the changing areas, rest rooms, or locker rooms. Per PVS policy, the use of equipment capable of taking pictures (i.e., cell phones, cameras, etc.) is banned from behind the starting blocks during the entire meet, including warm up, competition and cool down periods. Deck changes are prohibited. Any swimmer 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 swimmer or the swimmer's legal guardian to ensure compliance with this requirement. Operation of a drone or any other flying devices 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. Dive-over starts will be used at this meet. Coaches are requested to review Guidance for Dive-Over Starts for Coaches. Officials are requested to review Protocol for Dive-Over Starts. The Meet Director and the PVS Technical Committee reserve the right to limit events, heats, swimmers or adjust the format to conform with the 4-hour provision for sessions that include 12 & U events per Rule 205.3.1F. **EVENT RULES** All events are timed finals. Seed times are long course meters and must meet qualifying times. Time constraints may require limiting the number of events that are swum. Deck entries will be accepted if the meet is not over-subscribed. All deck entries must be submitted no later than 45 minutes prior to first event of each session. Evidence of current USA-S registration required for deck entries. **POSITIVE CHECK IN** All events will be positive check in and deck seeded. The meet will be seeded and swum according to submitted entry times regardless of age. Heats will be swum fastest to slowest. Expected swim times and check in requirements will be posted to the PVS website www.pvswim.org no later than Wednesday, June 13, 2018.

WARM-UP	The prescribed PVS warm-up procedures and safety policies will be followed. The Meet Director may determine the structure of warm-up, including times/lane assignments.
SUPERVISION	Coaches are responsible for the conduct of their swimmers and cleaning up for their team areas
SEEDING	 Events will be seeded and swum fastest to slowest Deck entries will be seeded after athletes who were previously entered in the meet and have checked in.
SCORING	There is no scoring for this meet.
AWARDS	There are no awards for this meet.
PROGRAMS	No programs will be available.
CREDENTIALS	 Parents not working the meet as a deck official, volunteer timer or other position are not permitted on deck. Only athletes, USA Swimming certified coaches, and deck officials will be permitted on the deck. Coaches and Officials should have proof of active USA Swimming membership with them at all times.
OFFICIALS	• Each participating club is requested to provide at least one table worker or official (Referee Starter, Chief Judge or Stoke & Turn Judge) per session if entering 25 or more splashes.
	 Officials available to assist with the meet should volunteer in advance using the Officials Sign-Up or by contacting the Meet Referee. Walk on officials are welcome. All officials should check in with the meet referee upon arrival. All officials must be registered and certified for 2018 before the meet.
TIMERS	All swimmers must provide their own timer and counter (if needed).

ENTRY PROCEDURES	Entries should be submitted by email to the Meet Director.
	• Include in the subject of the email, "2018 LC Distance - ****" with the club's initials in place of the asterisks. If your club submits multiple entry files include training site in the subject of the email.
	Include in entry email: entry file, report of entries by name, report of entries by event.
	• In the body of your email provide entry numbers (girls, boys, totals), contact information (email, phone, officials contact).
	Entries directly from individual team members will not be accepted
	Entries by phone or fax will not be accepted
	The Meet Director will acknowledge receipt by return email within 24 hours. If acknowledgement is not received in a timely manner, please contact the Meet Director.
	 Any club that enters an unregistered or improperly registered athlete, falsifies an entry in any way, or permits an unregistered coach to represent them will be fined the sum of \$100 by PVS and no further entries will be accepted from that club until the said fine is paid.
ENTRY FEES	Per Swimmer Surcharge: NA
	Individual event fee: \$6.00 Deck entries: \$10.00
	• Clubs will be invoiced by PVS for entry fees after completion of the meet. Payment will be due upon receipt of invoice. The invoice will outline the methods of payments and where to send a

check.

PVS LC DISTANCE

June 16 - 17, 2018

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Saturday, June 16, 2018

	EVENT
1	Mixed, Open 1500 M Freestyle
2	Mixed, Open 400 M Freestyle

Sunday, June 17, 2018

	EVENT
3	Mixed, Open 800 M Freestyle
4	Mixed, Open 400 M IM

All events are positive check in.

Events will be swum fastest to slowest.

All athletes must provide their own timer and counter (if needed).