



PAC Summer Splash SC Meet

Saturday, May 11, 2024

Sanction # PVC-24-95



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SANCTION	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Held under the sanction of USA Swimming through Potomac Valley Swimming: PVC-24-95. In granting this sanction it is understood and agreed that USA Swimming, Potomac Valley Swimming, Patuxent Aquatic Club, and Fairland Aquatics 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	<p style="text-align: center;">Fairland Aquatics Center 13820 Old Gunpowder Rd. Laurel, MD 20707 301-362-6060</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The pool at Fairland Aquatics Center is a 50m x 25yd pool with two moveable bulkheads. Competition will be held in 10 lanes, 25 yards, running from wall to wall. Eighteen (18) lanes will be used for warm-ups. Water depth range of 5' – 13' at the starting end and 5' – 13' at the turning end. The meet hosts shall ensure the required course dimensions.
ENTRY DEADLINE	<p style="text-align: center;">May 1, 2024 at 11:59 p.m.</p> <p>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.</p>
SCHEDULE	<p style="text-align: center;">Saturday, May 11</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Session 1 Warmup (11 & Over) 8:00 – 8:30 AM Session 2 Warmup (10 & Under) 8:30 – 8:50 AM Events: 8:55 AM</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Meet Director reserves the right to adjust times/sessions after entries are received. If the meet entries require a split into two sessions, 13 & Over events will run in the morning and 12 & Under events will run in the afternoon.
ELIGIBILITY	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open to all registered Potomac Valley Swimmers. No swimmer will be permitted to compete in the meet unless the swimmer is registered as an athlete member of USA Swimming as provided in <i>USA Swimming Rules and Regulations</i>, Article 302.
DISABILITY SWIMMERS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Semi-automatic (buttons primary) and manual timing (stopwatches) will be used for this meet.
RULES	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Current USA Swimming rules shall govern 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. No on-deck USA Swimming registration is permitted.

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • In compliance with <i>USA Swimming Rules and Regulations</i>, 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 (e.g., 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 without the use of the backstroke ledge. 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 may be used for ages 9 & over ONLY. • 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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Swimmers shall compete at the age attained on the first day of the meet. • A swimmer may enter and compete in a maximum of five (5) individual events. • All events are timed finals. • Deck entries must be submitted with payment (\$12.00 per individual event and swimmer surcharge if not already entered in the meet) no later than 30 minutes prior to the first event. No new heats will be created.
POSITIVE CHECK IN	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All events will be pre-seeded.
WARM-UP	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The prescribed PVS warm-up procedures and safety policies will be followed. The Meet Director will determine the structure of warm-up, including times/lane assignments.
SUPERVISION	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Coaches are responsible for the conduct of their swimmers and for cleaning up their team areas.
SEEDING	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Standard seeding will be used.
SCORING	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The meet will not be scored.
AWARDS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • There will be no awards.
PROGRAMS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Meet programs will be emailed to teams and available on Meet Mobile.
CREDENTIALS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 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.
SPECTATOR ENTRY FEE	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • None. • No personal chairs will be allowed in the facility lobby or viewing area.
MEDICAL ASSISTANCE	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Medical assistance will be provided by the facility staff. If you require medical assistance, please notify a facility lifeguard or a member of the meet staff.
OFFICIALS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Each participating club is requested to provide at least one table worker or official (Referee, Starter, Chief Judge or Stroke & Turn Judge) per session if entering 25 or more splashes. • Officials interested in volunteering should signup at https://formsmarts.com/form/2am5 • Officials volunteering for this meet should sign in at the recording table prior to the start of warm-ups. Certified officials who have not previously volunteered should contact the referee upon arrival to make their services available. • A comprehensive officials' briefing will precede each session during warm-ups.

ENTRY PROCEDURES	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Entries should be submitted by email to the Meet Director at dpws@aol.com. • Include in the subject of the email, "2024 Summer Splash SC Meet - ****" 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 postal service, 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	<p style="text-align: center;">Per Swimmer Surcharge: \$5.00 Deck entries: \$12.00 Individual event fee: \$6.00</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Make checks payable to PAC. Checks may be mailed to: Patuxent Aquatics Club 414 Forest Bridge Ct. Laurel, MD 20724 • Payment for entries from unattached swimmers not affiliated with a team must be received prior to the meet. Payment may be made by cash or check. • Entry fees are due with meet entry. Unpaid fees will be reported to the PVS Administrative Office at the conclusion of the meet.

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Warm-up: 8:00-8:50 AM, Events: 8:55 AM

Girls	Events	Boys
1	13 & Over 200 IM	2
23	8 & Under 25 Fly	24
25	10 & Under 50 Fly	26
27	11-12 50 Fly	28
3	13 & Over 100 Fly	4
29	8 & Under 25 Back	30
31	10 & Under 50 Back	32
33	11-12 50 Back	34
5	13 & Over 100 Back	6
35	8 & Under 25 Breast	36
37	10 & Under 50 Breast	38
39	11-12 50 Breast	40
7	13 & Over 100 Breast	8
41	8 & Under 25 Free	42
43	10 & Under 50 Free	44
45	11-12 50 Free	46
9	13 & Over 100 Free	10
47	10 & Under 100 IM	48
49	11-12 100 IM	50
11	13 & Over 50 Fly	12
51	10 & Under 100 Fly	52
53	11-12 100 Fly	54
13	13 & Over 50 Back	14
55	10 & Under 100 Back	56
57	11-12 100 Back	58
15	13 & Over 50 Breast	16
59	10 & Under 100 Breast	60
61	11-12 100 Breast	62
17	13 & Over 50 Free	18
63	10 & Under 100 Free	64
65	11-12 100 Free	66
19	13 & Over 100 IM	20
21	13 & Over 25 Free	22
* Events will be competed in a non-sequential event number order unless the meet is split into two sessions: 13 & Over in the morning; 12 & Under in the afternoon		