

HALLOWEEN SPECIAL INVITATIONAL MEET
Saturday, October 30, 2004

SITE DIRECTOR: Tom Southmayd (Suburban Swim Club)

SAFETY DIRECTOR: Ernie Steen (Spirit Swimming)

MEET LOCATION: Suburban Swim Club Center
3615 Gradyville Road
Newtown Square, PA 19073
610-325-3175

SANCTION #: MA 0509 CI

FACILITY: The Suburban Swim Center has an 8 lane, 25 yard pool equipped with lane lines and starting blocks that is 8 ft deep at starting end tapering to 5 feet deep at the other end. A separate warmup/warmdown pool will be available throughout the meet. Colorado Timing – Separate spectator area – Parking for 75 cars - Refreshments and pizza for all athletes!!!

MEET FORMAT: Pre-Seeded – Timed Finals
Grand slam relays may be cancelled if meet runs too long.

Warm-up: 1:00 pm

Start: 2:15 pm

ELIGIBILITY: Open to all swimmers registered with USA Swimming and will be conducted according to current USS rules. Swimmer's age as of day of meet governs age group entry. This is a timed final, pre-seeded meet. Athletes must be registered with SSC, Team Delaware, Spirit Swimming, or GCIT to be invited to participate.

RULES: The meet will be conducted according to current USS and MA safety regulations.

No Diving in warm-up lanes except in designated sprint lanes. Sprint lanes will be announced during warm-up.

Coaches are asked to place themselves at the end of each lane during warm-up and supervise the swimmers in their lanes.

Deck access is limited to coaches and officials displaying current and proper USA credentials

ENTRIES: Swimmers may enter a maximum of **3 Individual** events and **1 Relay** or **2 Individual** events and **2 Relays**. Swimmers should be entered at their best time in each event.

Computer Entries: Entries submitted on a 3.5" disk using Hy-Tek Software is preferred, with a print out of the entries accompanying the disk.

E-Mail Entries: Submit entries to dbtowns@voicenet.com zipped using Team Manager II entry protocol.

Spirit Swimming reserves the right to limit entries to comply with Middle Atlantic rules and space availability of the facility. Refunds will be given to eliminated swimmers.

No post entries will be accepted. Deck entries will be accepted upon discussion with the Meet Director and provided there is lane availability within existing heats. Fees for deck entries will be paid prior to the event(s).

PROGRAMS/ADMISSION:

Programs will be available at the door for \$3.00/program. Admission is free.

ENTRY FEES: For each individual entry - \$2.00, for each individual relay - \$5.00. A \$2.00 charge per swimmer for each team is requested to offset expenses for pizza and drinks to be provided at the meet for all participating athletes.

Make check payable to: **Suburban Swim Club**
Mail Entries to: Susan Schmelz, 280 Leedom Way, Newtown, PA 18940

ENTRY CLOSE: All entries must be received by **Saturday, October 23, 2004**. No late entries will be accepted.

RESULTS: Results will be posted on the Spirit Swimming web site @www.SpiritSwimming.com and made available to each of the participating teams within 48 hours of the meet's conclusion. Results will also be posted on the Middle Atlantic LSC website.
Results will not be mailed to clubs, but will be transmitted by e-mail to any club that provides an e-mail address with their entries.

DIRECTIONS: **Directions To Suburban Swim Club Center:**

From the Walt Whitman Bridge: Take I-95 South to I-476 North. Take the US-1 exit – exit number 5 - towards Lima/Springfield. Keep LEFT at the first fork in the ramp, merge onto US-1 South. *Take the PA-252 exit towards MEDIA/NEWTOWN SQUARE. Keep right at the fork in the ramp. Merge onto North Providence Road/ PA-252. Stay straight for 2.5 miles. Turn right onto Gradyville Road. Swim Center will be the first building on your left.

From Commodore Barry Bridge: Take I-95 North to I-476 North. Take the US-1 exit – exit 5 – towards Lima/Springfield. Merge onto US-1 South. Follow directions from * above.

From North (Plymouth Meeting): Take I-476 South . Take the PA-3 exit – exit number 4 – towards Upper Darby/Broomall. Keep right at the fork in the ramp. Merge onto West Chester Pike/PA-3 west. Turn left onto PA-252/South Newtown Street Road and go 1 mile. Turn left onto Gradyville Road. Swim Center is first building on left.

OFFICIALS: All USS Certified Officials and Trainees are invited to work the meet. Please contact the Spirit Swimming Office at 215-579-6687 or Spirit's Head Official, Bruce Townsend at 215-968-9125. Each participating team is encouraged to provide officials and timers for the meet.

INQUIRIES: Questions should be referred to Bruce Townsend at 215-968-9125

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EVENTS

Girls				Boys
1	200 Free	14 & Under	200 Free	2
3	100 Med. Relay	8 & Under	100 Med. Relay	4
5	200 Med. Relay	10 & Under	200 Med. Relay	6
7	200 Med. Relay	12 & Under	200 Med. Relay	8
9	200 Med. Relay	13 – 14	200 Med. Relay	10
11	25 Back	8 & Under	25 Back	12
13	50 Back	10 & Under	50 Back	14
15	50 Back	12 & Under	50 Back	16
17	100 Back	13 - 14	100 Back	18
19	200 Back	14 & Under	200 Back	20
21	25 Brst	8 & Under	25 Brst	22
23	50 Brst	10 & Under	50 Brst	24
25	50 Brst	12 & Under	50 Brst	26
27	100 Brst	13 – 14	100 Brst	28
29	200 Brst	14 & Under	200 Brst	30
31	25 Fly	8 & Under	25 Fly	32
33	50 Fly	10 & Under	50 Fly	34
35	50 Fly	12 & Under	50 Fly	36
37	100 Fly	13 – 14	100 Fly	38
39	200 Fly	14 & Under	200 Fly	40
41	25 Free	8 & Under	25 Free	42
43	50 Free	10 & Under	50 Free	44
45	50 Free	12 & Under	50 Free	46
47	100 Free	13 – 14	100 Free	48
49	200 IM	14 & Under	200 IM	50
51	350 Free Relay	Grand Slam	350 Free Relay	52

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This Form Must Accompany Official Entries

Team name _____ Club Code _____

Head Coach _____ E-Mail _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

Telephone _____ Contact Person (entries) _____

Individual entries _____ @ \$2.00 \$ _____

Relay entries: _____ @ \$5.00 \$ _____

Pizza & Drink Fees: _____ swimmers @ \$2.00 \$ _____

Total \$ _____

I certify that all swimmers from this team entered in the Halloween Special Invitational are current members of US Swimming and that all coaches from this team who will attend the meet hold current coaching credentials.

Head Coach _____