

GAAC PATRIOT CLASSIC A-BB-C MEET
December 10-11, 2011

Held under the sanction of USA / Middle Atlantic Swimming, sanction # MA 1214 A

Meet Director: Brian McMillin—610-287-3515 **Safety Director:** Jeff Hyde--215.542.9095
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Location: Germantown Academy, 340 Morris Road, Fort Washington, PA 19034--215.542.9095

Facility: 25 yard, 6 lane pool, entry depth 12 feet, turn end depth 4 feet, Colorado Timing system, Anti-turbulent lane lines, balcony seating for spectators, snack bar, ample free parking at pool site, near-by lodging and restaurants.

Pool Certification: The competition course has not been certified in accordance with 104.2.2C(4).

Entries: Entries should be sent compatible with Hy-tek Meet Manager. You may e-mail entries to Brian McMillin at bjmcmillin@verizon.net **Limited to 4 individual entries/day**. Swimmers must enter with their best times or be subject to penalties set by Middle Atlantic Swimming. (These penalties could include a swimmer's suspension from competition for a minimum of 3 months, but not more than one year.) If a swimmer does not have an official time, please enter NT. Meet Director reserves the right to limit the number of entries/event in order to conduct a fair meet. If this is necessary, those affected will be notified prior to the date of the meet and will be issued a refund.

ALL ENTRIES MUST BE VIA E-MAIL BY Noon (12PM) Friday, November 25, 2011. Please send a hard copy of your entries along with a check to Brian McMillin, 125 Markley Road, Schwenksville, PA 19473. All payments should include a Meet Summary and PRINTED COPY of the entry (from Team Manager sorted by Name). Payments must be received no later than Friday, December 2, 2011 - if payment is not received you will be removed from the meet. This meet is a pre-seeded, timed final meet. No late entries will be accepted.

As per Middle Atlantic Swimming Rules, a \$15.00 per swimmer fee will be charged to all entries not utilizing Hy-Tek Team Manager or TM Lite. An additional \$25.00 per swimmer fee will be charged to any team submitting manual entries for more than 5 swimmers. Instructions to download and use TM Lite are included with the meet information.

INFORMATION FOR EMAILING HAND ENTRIES IS ON THE MEET SUMMARY PAGE - page 3 at bottom.

Deck Entries: \$8/entry - WILL BE ACCEPTED AT THE DISCRETION OF THE MEET DIRECTOR. Swimmers not already entered in the meet must provide proof of current USA Swimming registration. Deck-entered swimmers will compete unofficially; the time achieved is official but will not be awarded. Please see the meet director before warm-ups.

Athletes With Disabilities: Swimmers with a disability are welcome to enter this meet. The coach or team entry person must alert the meet director and the meet referee as to the need for any special accommodations or seeding arrangements at the time the entry is submitted.

Eligibility: The meet is open to all swimmers registered with USA Swimming for 2011/2012 and will be conducted according to current US Swimming Code of Regulations. Swimmers' age as of the first day of the meet governs the age for the entire meet. Any swimmer who is unattached or not accompanied by a coach will be assigned to a team area with a coach.

On-site Registratiuon: Unregistered swimmers may register on deck at this meet by turning in the athlete registration form and payment to the Meet Director. The cost of registering on deck is double the normal fee (\$120 per swimmer for 2011-12 registration). This applies to all swimmers attached to a club.

Racing Start Certification: 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.

Fees: \$4.00/individual event. **If entries are not electronic please add a \$15/athlete surcharge for processing of hand entries.** Make checks payable to GAAC and mail to Brian McMillin, 125 Markley Road, Schwenksville, PA 19473. Any questions??--contact Brian McMillin at bjmcmillin@verizon.net.

Awards: "A"--Medals 1st thru 3rd, Ribbons 4th thru 6th; "B"--Rosettes 1st thru 3rd, Ribbons 4th thru 6th; "C"--Ribbons 1st thru 6th. They will be based on the level at which the swimmer entered the meet. Awards will be available after last session.

Awards will be mailed to the teams following the meet if an address is provided.

Warm-up: USA Swimming and MA Safety Regulations will be in effect

First half hour	Circle Swimming in all lanes
Second half hour	Lanes 3 and 4 - Circle Swimming
	Lanes 1, 2, 5, 6 - Sprint Lanes - dive in sprints from starting end - one way.

Start procedure: 'Fly-over' starts will be used at this meet. All swimmers (except for Backstroke starts) should remain in the water at the completion of their race until the next heat has begun.

Admission: \$3.00/session - includes heat sheet

Meet Results: Will be posted to the Middle Atlantic website (www.maswim.org) and transmitted by email to any club that provides a valid email address. Meet results will not be mailed to the clubs.

Only 2011/2012 USS Certified Coaches and Officials will be allowed on deck. You must wear your card at all times.

Directions to Pool:

Take exit 339 of PA Turnpike--Ft. Washington. Through tolls stay in left lane to end of road, then go right (Pennsylvania Avenue). Follow to dead end and turn left (Old Bethlehem Pike). At first light make a right—Lafayette Connector. Go straight through the next light into Germantown Academy entrance. Arrows posted for walk through quad and building to pool entrance. Lockerrooms on lower level.

Lodging:

Best Western, 285 Commerce Drive, Ft. Washington (exit 339 PA Tpke)	215-542-7930	5 minutes from pool
Hilton Garden Inn, 530 Pennsylvania Ave., Ft. Washington (exit 339 PA Tpke)	215-646-4637	5 minutes from pool
Holiday Inn Fort Washington, 432 Pennsylvania Ave. (exit 339 PA Tpke)	877-863-4780	5 minutes from pool

Restaurants: Adjacent to all the hotels -- from fast food to sit-down family oriented. All are inexpensive and moderately priced. Many others on Old Bethlehem Pike.

*****If you are interested in officiating or timing at the meet please contact Jeff Hyde
215.540.9766 or the meet directors at email addresses above.**

**VOLUNTEERS WILL BE PROVIDED WITH PROGRAMS (and refreshements) FOR THE ENTIRE
MEET.**

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Saturday, December 10

Sunday, December 11

***Session 1--Warm-up 8am; Start 9am**

***Session 3--Warm-up 8am; Start 9am**

GIRLS #	EVENT	BOYS #	GIRLS #	EVENT	BOYS #
1	15OV 200 FR	2	43	Senior 500 FR	44
3	9-10 100 FR	4	45	9-10 50 FR	46
5	Senior 200 BK	6	47	15OV 100 BK	48
7	9-10 50 BK	8	49	9-10 100 BK	50
9	15OV 100 BR	10	51	Senior 200 BR	52
11	9-10 100 BR	12	53	9-10 50 BR	54
13	Senior 200 FL	14	55	15OV 100 FL	56
15	9-10 50 FL	16	57	9-10 100 FL	58
17	Senior 400 IM	18	59	15OV 200 IM	60
19	15OV 100 FR	20	61	9-10 200 IM	62
21	9-10 100 IM	22	63	15OV 50 FR	64

Session 2--Warm-up 12:30pm; Start 1:30pm

Session 4--Warm-up 12:30pm; Start 1:30pm

GIRLS #	EVENT	BOYS #	GIRLS #	EVENT	BOYS #
23	11-12 50 FR	24	65	11-12 100 FR	66
25	13-14 100 FR	26	67	13-14 200 FR	68
27	11-12 100 BK	28	69	11-12 50 BK	70
29	13-14 200 BK	30	71	13-14 100 BK	72
31	11-12 50 BR	32	73	11-12 100 BR	74
33	13-14 100 BR	34	75	13-14 200 BR	76
35	11-12 100 FL	36	77	11-12 50 FL	78
37	13-14 200 FL	38	79	13-14 100 FL	80
39	11-12 200 IM	40	81	11-12 100 IM	82
41	13-14 50 FR	42	83	13-14 200 IM	84

*Warm-up and start times are subject to change if length of morning session warrants such.

We reserve the right to combine sessions in order to run a quality meet.

We will notify you of any changes by Wednesday, December 7, 2011

UPCOMING
MEETS:

January 8, 2012

February 24-25, 2012

February 26, 2012

May 19-20, 2012

1650 Age Group Meet – Germantown Academy

Eastern Interscholastic Invitational held at LaSalle University

Last Ditch "Q" Meet –for those Clubs affiliated with swimmers entered in Easterns

A-BB-C Age Group Meet – Germantown Academy

Hy-Tek's TEAM MANAGER Lite

TM Lite has two functions:

- As a **Demo** for a prospective Customer to be able to evaluate TM as a product and to experience its functionality and ease-of-use.
- As a Free **Product** for helping a team **entering a meet** to key in their meet entries and then to export those entries by disk or e-mail to the Meet Host.

TM Lite is FREE to download from the Hy-Tek web site's **Download Center** found at **www.hy-tek ltd.com**. TM Lite is basically the TM production version with **all six Standard Options enabled**, but with the **following restrictions**:

- Only the Export of Meet Entries and the Export of Athletes/Teams are operational. All other Exports are not available.
- Only the Import of Meet Events, Mark Standards, and Records are operational. All other Imports are not available.
- The Database conversion from WIN-TM to TM is not available.
- Any Report may be Previewed on the screen, but **only the Meet Entries Report may be printed**.
- A maximum of 3 Meets may be added.
- Unlimited number of Entry Events per meet, but a maximum of 10 Result Events per meet.
- Maximum of 3 meet results for each athlete for each stroke/distance combination.
- Maximum of two Teams may be entered.
- Maximum of 100 Athletes may be entered.
- Maximum of two Journal Entries may be entered.

FREE Tech Support is available by e-mail at tm@hy-tek ltd.com. **No Telephone Tech Support is offered for TM Lite.**

How to Use TM Lite

After Installing TM Lite, please follow these steps for **completing your entries to send to the meet host**.

What the Meet Host does:

1. The meet host sets up the meet name and meet events in Hy-Tek's **MEET MANAGER for Windows**.
2. In MEET MANAGER, the meet host clicks **File / Export / Events for TM** and e-mails this Meet Events file to all teams/schools entering.

What the Team does:

1. Each team imports this Meet Events file into TM Lite or TEAM MANAGER using **File / Import / Meet Events**. **NOTE:** Upon first use of TM Lite or TEAM MANAGER and before importing, the TM person must click **File / Open** and type in a database name to create a TM database.
2. If the TM person did not receive a Meet Events file, then the TM person must add the meet as well as the meet events. In TM, Go to **Meets / Add** and enter the appropriate information. Then go to **Events**, click the radio button for Entry Events, then add the events. It is highly recommended that the TM person import the Meet Event file rather than manually add the meet events to TM Lite.
3. The TM person adds their team abbreviation and team name using the Teams Menu and enters their rosters using the Athletes Menu.
4. The TM person then clicks **Meets**, selects the meet and clicks **Entries** and selects **By Event** or **By Name** to place athletes into events and to add relays. For each entry, the team puts in a custom entry time. Relays can only be added By Event.
5. The team clicks **Reports / Performance / Meet Entries** to create a report of the meet entries to verify that all entries are complete and correct.
6. Upon verification, the TM person clicks **File / Export / Meet Entries**. This will create a zipped file that is to be e-mailed to the meet host.

What the Meet Host does:

3. The meet host runs MEET MANAGER, clicks **File / Import / Entries**, and selects the zipped entry file. A menu will appear with various options and it is important to check the box that says to “match on event number”. This way the entries from each team are guaranteed to come in perfectly with the correct event.
4. The meet host then creates a Flat HTML report for each team using **Reports / Psych Sheets**. This Flat HTML file is then e-mailed back to the team/school for verification that the entries are correct.

Please note that if you had the basic **TEAM MANAGER**, this entry process would be **much easier** as TM would use each athlete's Best Time as the entry time for the meet - no need to enter a Custom Entry Time for each entry and each meet. You can order TEAM MANAGER right on the web at **www.hytek ltd.com/store**.