

Friends' Central Aquatics Summer Mini

Sunday May 20th 2012

Held under the sanction of USA/Middle Atlantic Swimming
Sanction#: **MA 12111 M**

MEET DIRECTOR: Matthew Karliner: 610-658-5609 (day of meet only)
Email: mkarliner@swimfca.org

MEET REFEREE: Meet Referee: Alan Rogers
Email:

SAFETY DIRECTOR: Safety Director: Jeff Hyde
Email:

INQUIRIES: Questions should be referred to Matthew Karliner, mkarliner@swimfca.org

MEET LOCATION: Friends' Central School, 1101 City Avenue, Wynnewood. PA 19096-3490
Emergency Phone Number (day of meet only) 610-658-5609

FACILITY: The pool is located in the Shimada Athletic Center at Friends' Central School. The pool is a 6-lane 25-yard pool with a Colorado Timing System scoreboard, and touch pads at both ends of the pool. The depth of the pool at the starting end is 12' and 4' on the turning end. There is balcony seating for 125 spectators. Free parking is available in the school lot.

ELIGIBILITY: This meet is open to 8 & Under swimmers registered in 2012 with USA Swimming. Age groups are determined by the swimmer's age on May 20th, 2012. This meet will be run according to current USA Swimming rules and regulations.

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.

Swimmers may compete in a maximum of FIVE (5) individual events and TWO (2) relays.

MEET FORMAT: Pre-Seeded – Timed Finals – Two sessions
The Meet Director reserves the right to modify sessions if numbers of entries warrant it.

START TIMES:

Session 1: Girls	Warm-up: 8:15am / Start: 9:00am
Session 2: Boys	Warm-up: No earlier than 1:00pm / Start 45 minutes after beginning of session warmups

WARM-UP: USA Swimming and Middle Atlantic safety procedures will be enforced throughout the meet. Warm-ups are subject to the following procedures:

- The warm-up sessions may be divided into periods of equal length depending on the number of swimmers entered into each session. Warm-up schedules will be made available to coaches at the meet.
- Sprint/Start lanes will be available at the end of each warm-up session.
- No diving or backstroke starts will be permitted except in sprint lanes, when designated.
- The referee may remove anyone from the warm-up for failure to comply with the warm-up rules.
- **Swimmers without a coach must report to the Meet Director before entering the pool for warm-up in order to obtain a lane assignment.**

Note: Swimmers violating safety procedures will be removed from the warm-up for the remainder of the warm-up session. Subsequent violations may cause the swimmer to be disqualified from the remainder of the meet.

ENTRIES:

- **Middle Atlantic** team entries received by May 4th, 2012 will be entered in the order in which they are received.
- **All Non-Middle Atlantic** team entries will be entered after May 4th, 2012 in the order in which they were received. The Meet Director reserves the right to restrict these entries, as time and space allows.
- **ALL ENTRIES must be received by May 4th, 2012. NO LATE ENTRIES WILL BE ACCEPTED.**
- Entries must be submitted in the course in which they were achieved.
- Converted time should NOT be used.
- All times submitted must be the swimmer's best time.
- Swimmers without a valid USS time in an event must be submitted as a "NT" in that event.
- Entries must be submitted using **HY-TEK** software format. No Floppies!
- A hard copy printout or attached MS Word document listing each swimmer alphabetically, with each swimmer's events and entry times, must accompany the entry file.
- **If a HY-TEK file is not possible, the Official Entry Form must be used.**
- If entering 5 or more swimmers using this form, a processing fee of **\$2.00** per swimmer must be included.
- **A completed Meet Summary Sheet MUST accompany each team's entry.**

- 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.

Notice: As per Middle Atlantic regulations, failure to enter a swimmer's best time could result in suspension from competition for a minimum of 3 months, but not more than one year. Further violation by a coach, parent, or swimmer could result in that person being forbidden to participate in or attend USA Swimming functions.

ENTRY LIMITS:

- All swimmers may compete in a maximum of Five (5) individual and two (2) relays.
- The Meet Director reserves the right to limit entries in any event in order to stay within a reasonable time limit, **OR** separate sessions.
- If limits become necessary, teams will be notified through their club contact.
- If limits are imposed, all eliminated swimmers/teams will receive a full refund.

ENTRIES DUE:

- **All entries must be received by: Friday, May 4th 2012**
- NO LATE, FAXED, or PHONED entries will be accepted!
- Entries will not be processed without full payment.
- **Please WAIVE the Signature Release.**

Please send one check per club, made payable to "**Friends' Central School**"

Mail entries to: **Friends' Central Aquatics**
c/o Friends' Central School
1101 City Avenue
Wynnewood, PA 19096-3490

NOTE: Please do not send entries **REQUIRING** a signature. These entries risk being late! For notification, please enclose a self-addressed, stamped postcard/envelope that can be returned, or **email the Meet Director.**

MEET UPDATES:

If you are attending this meet, please send an email message to fcamd_turley@verizon.net and you will be put on the Meet email list. This will ensure that you get any updates, corrections, changes, or announcements that might occur prior to the meet start date.

(Please note, your update email does not ensure meet acceptance. Your email only ensures that you get any new information in a timely manner.)[mailto:](mailto:fcamd_turley@verizon.net)

ENTRY FEES: **\$4.00 per Individual Event**
\$8.00 per Relay Entry
\$8.00 per Individual Deck Entry (cash or check accepted)
\$16.00 per Relay Deck Entry (cash or check accepted)
Please send **ONE** check per club, made payable to "**Friends' Central School**"

DECK ENTRIES: Deck Entries may be accepted during the meet at the Meet Director's discretion. If accepted Deck Entries:

- May only be submitted during the first **30 minutes** of each warm-up session.
- Will be for available lanes **ONLY**. Extra heats will not be added.
- Will not be accepted after the start of a session.
- **Swimmers will not be eligible for awards in deck entered events.**
- **Swimmers not previously entered in the meet must provide proof of current USA Swimming registration.**
- **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.**
- **Swimmers unaccompanied by a USA Swimming credentialed coach should report to the (meet director) upon arrival.**

SAFETY: Current USA Swimming Safety Rules will be in effect and will be strictly enforced.

DECK CHAIRS: **Due to space limitations and facilities requirements, swimmers will not be permitted to bring "chairs" on deck. This rule does NOT apply to coaches.**

Recording Ban: The use of audio or visual recording devices, including a cell phone, is not permitted in changing areas, rest rooms or locker rooms.

AWARDS: Awards will be presented to the following finishers. **Please pick up ribbons at the conclusion of the meet.**

Individual Events: Ribbons 1 st to 12 th	Relay Events: Ribbons 1 st to 3 rd	Heat Awards: Ribbons 1 st
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DECK ACCESS: By USA Swimming ruling, deck access is limited to swimmers, coaches, officials & meet workers. Officials and coaches must wear their USA Swimming ID cards to be allowed on deck.

START PROCEDURES:

- This Meet will be conducted using the **No Recall** false start rule.
- This Meet will also use the whistle command start, supplemented with verbal commands.

OFFICIALS: All USA Certified Officials and Trainees are invited to work the meet. Please contact the FCA office at 610-658-5632 ext 2 or Meet Director Matthew Karliner at mkarliner@swimfca.org.

ADMISSION: **Admission** \$ 2.00 per Session. Children under 12 years of age will be admitted free.
Programs \$ 3.00 per Program. The program includes the entire meet.

FINAL RESULTS:

- Final Results will be available on the Friends' Central Aquatics website: www.friendscentral.org/fca in a (PDF) printable format and in a downloadable Team Manager (Cfile.zip) format. Results will also be posted on the Middle Atlantic Swimming website: <http://www.maswim.org/>
- Results will **not** be mailed or emailed.

SPECTATORS: Balcony seating is available for up to 125 spectators. We have a concession area in the lobby. There will also be a swimming equipment vendor on-site during the meet.

VOLUNTEERS: **Volunteer Timers** will be needed for this meet. Volunteers will receive a refund on their admission and access to the hospitality area.

HOSPITALITY: There will be food and drinks available for volunteers, officials and coaches.

HOTELS:

Holiday Inn City Line

4100 Presidential Blvd., Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, USA, 19131
215-477-0200 Toll-free: 800-465-4329

North American Motor Inn

4444 City Line Ave, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, USA, 19131
215-878-3100

Marriott Philadelphia West

111 Crawford Avenue, West Conshohocken, Pennsylvania, USA, 19428 (off of Rt.76)
610-941-5600 Toll-free: 800-237-3639

Hotel Windsor

1700 Ben Franklin Pkwy, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, USA, 19103
215-981-5678

<http://www.windsorhotel.com>

DIRECTIONS:

[Click here for a MapQuest.com map of our location.](#)

From I-95:

Take I-95 to I-76 West to Exit 339 (old 33) (City Line Avenue/Route 1).
Go south on City Line Avenue (Rt 1) for appx. 2 miles.
Cross over Lancaster Avenue (Route 30)
1/2 mile on your right is entrance to campus.

From NJ Turnpike:

NJ Turnpike to Exit 6. Pennsylvania Turnpike. Follow directions for PA Turnpike.

From PA Turnpike:

Get on PA Turnpike to Exit 326 (old 24) (Valley Forge)
After toll proceed on I-76 East (approximately 8 miles)
to Exit 339 (old 33) (City Line Avenue/Route 1).
Go south on City Line Avenue (Rt 1) for appx. 2 miles.
Cross over Lancaster Avenue (Route 30)
1/2 mile on your right is entrance to campus.

SUNDAY – May 20, 2012

SESSION #1 – Girls		SESSION #2 - Boys		
Warm-up: 8:15 a.m. – Start: 9:00 a.m.		Warm-up: No later than 1:00pm, Start 45 minutes after end of session warm-ups		
Girls		Event Description	Boys	
1	6 & Under	100 Medley Relay	6 & Under	2
3	7 Year Olds	100 Medley Relay	7 Year Olds	4
5	8 Year Olds	100 Medley Relay	8 Year Olds	6
7	6 & Under	25 Freestyle	6 & Under	8
9	7 Year Olds	25 Freestyle	7 Year Olds	10
11	8 Year Olds	25 Freestyle	8 Year Olds	12
13	8 & Under	50 Freestyle	8 & Under	14
15	6 & Under	25 Backstroke	6 & Under	16
17	7 Year Olds	25 Backstroke	7 Year Olds	18
19	8 Year Olds	25 Backstroke	8 Year Olds	20
21	6 & Under	25 Breaststroke	6 & Under	22
23	7 Year Olds	25 Breaststroke	7 Year Olds	24
25	8 Year Olds	25 Breaststroke	8 Year Olds	26
27	6 & Under	25 Butterfly	6 & Under	28
29	7 Year Olds	25 Butterfly	7 Year Olds	30
31	8 Year Olds	25 Butterfly	8 Year Olds	32
33	7 & Under	100 IM	7 & Under	34
35	8 Year Olds	100 IM	8 Year Olds	36
37	6 & Under	100 Freestyle Relay	6 & Under	38
39	7 Year Olds	100 Freestyle Relay	7 Year Olds	40
41	8 Year Olds	100 Freestyle Relay	8 Year Olds	42

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MEET ENTRY FORM

May 20th, 2012

Team: _____ Team Code: _____

Head Coach: _____ Email: _____

PLEASE USE A SEPARATE SHEET FOR EACH AGE GROUP & SEX.

Name (Last, First, MI)	Age	Sex	USS#	Event#	Time	Event#	Time

Contact Name:

Phone#: _____

Address: _____ email: _____

Mail entries to:
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c/o Friends' Central School
1101 City Avenue
Wynnewood, PA 19096-3490

DEADLINE: Friday, May 4th, 2012

FRIENDS' CENTRAL AQUATICS SUMMER MINI MEET SUMMARY SHEET

Team Name: _____ Team Code: _____
 Head Coach: _____ LSC Code: _____
 Entry Contact: _____ Phone#: _____
 Mailing Address: _____
 Email Address: _____

SUMMARY:

Number of:	Swimmers	Individual Entries	Relay Entries
Girls' totals:	_____	_____	_____
Boys' totals:	_____	_____	_____
TOTALS:	_____	_____	_____

FEE SUMMARY:

Total # of Swimmers _____

Total Individual Events: _____ X \$4.00 = _____

Total Relay Events: _____ X \$8.00 = _____

Deck Entries:

Individual Events _____ X \$8.00 = _____

Relay Events _____ X \$16.00 = _____

Non-Disk Surcharge _____ X \$2.00 = _____ (For manual entries of 5 or more swimmers, per swimmer)

TOTAL: _____

Make checks payable to **Friends' Central School**
I attest that the athletes are currently registered with USA Swimming and that they have achieved the seed time recorded.

Signature of Head Coach or Authorized Team Representative

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