



SNOW February Qualifier

February 6th, 2016

Sanctioned by USA Swimming through Potomac Valley Swimming and Virginia Swimming

Sanction Numbers: PVI-16-49

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Facility

Claude Moore Recreation Center
46105 Loudoun Park Lane
Sterling, VA 20164
571-258-3600

One 25-yard course will be used during each. Warm-up/warm-down lane will be available throughout the meet.

Water depth ranges from 6'8" to 12'6" at both the starting end and turning end.

The competition course has not been certified in accordance with USA Swimming Rules and Regulations Article 104.2.2 (C).

Automatic timing (touch pads – primary) will be used for this meet.

Schedule

The meet director reserves the right to adjust start times or sessions after entries are received

All events will be timed finals.

Saturday, February 6th, 2016

11 & Over

Warm ups: 8:10-9:00 AM, Events 9:10 AM

10 & Under

Warm ups: 1:00-1:30 PM, Events 1:40 PM

All events 200 yards and above will be positive check-in. Check-in closing times will be posted at the meet.

Eligibility

Open to invited USA Swimming team. Swimmers shall compete with the age attained on Friday, February 6th, 2016.

Rules

Current USA Swimming Rules shall govern the meet.

Swimmers may only participate in their own age group or open events.

Swimmers may enter a maximum of three (3) individual events during the entire meet.

Only short course times will be applicable.

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. As per PVS policy; the use of equipment capable of taking pictures (i.e. cell phones, cameras, PDA's etc) are banned from behind the starting blocks during the entire meet, including warm up, competition and cool down periods.

Rules (cont.) Except where venue facilities require otherwise, changing into or out of swimsuits other than in locker rooms or other designated areas is not appropriate and is prohibited.

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 12&U sessions in Rule 205.3.1F.

No NT Entries will be accepted. Coach entered times are accepted.

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Disability swimmers

PVS and host clubs along with their Meet Directors are committed to the Inclusion Policy as adopted by the Board of Directors. Athletes with disabilities are welcome to participate, and are asked to provide advance notice of desired accommodations to the Meet Director. The athlete (or the athlete's coach) is also responsible for notifying the session referee of any disability prior to the competition.

Warm ups The prescribed Potomac Valley Swimming warm-up procedures and safety policies will be followed. The meet director may determine the structure of the warm-up, including times and lane assignments.

Supervision Coaches are responsible for the conduct of their swimmers and families, as well as maintaining clean team areas. Coaches & deck officials are required to display their valid 2015 USA Swimming credentials.

Coaches are responsible for ensuring that their team areas are clean of any debris at the conclusion of each meet session.

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.

Meet Programs Meet programs will be available online before the meet begins.

Officials & Timers

All certified officials wishing to volunteer to work this meet should contact:

Lynn Oliver

lynn.r.oliver@verizon.net

703-220-8664

Please include your club affiliation, certifications held, and sessions you wish to work.

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-up.

Each participating club is requested to provide at least one official and 3 timers per session if entering 25 or more swimmers.

Seating Due to the limited pool deck space, no chairs are allowed on deck. There will be bleachers available to spectators and athletes.

Fees \$5.00 facility surcharge per swimmer
 \$6.00 per individual event

Entry Procedure Teams should provide entries as follows:

Send an email to
Christine Vu at cvu.snowswimming@gmail.com
Include with your commlink file one report by name and one by event. Create these reports in HyTek Team Manager and save as Word or PDF.

In the email of your body, provide entry numbers (girls, boys, total) as well as contact information (email, phone, officials contact).

Entry deadline Tuesday, January 26th by 5:00 PM

Important

The Meet Director will acknowledge receipt by return email within 24 hours. Teams submitting entries that do NOT receive an acknowledgement should contact the Meet Director by other means to confirm receipt.

The above date is the deadline for teams to submit their entries to the Meet Director. Therefore, teams usually set an earlier deadline to receive entries from their swimmers. Check with your team for this information.

Other Registration Details

Entries directly from individual team members will not be accepted. Entries by phone or fax entries will not be accepted. Entries that are incomplete, submitted on incorrect forms, or lacking the phone number of a responsible team official will not be accepted.

Any club or individual that enters an unregistered athlete, falsifies an entry in any way, or permits an unregistered swimmer to represent them, will be fined by PVS the sum of \$100.00 and no further entries will be accepted from that club until the said fine has been paid.

Each participating team is requested to remit one check to cover the entry fee for the entire team.

Please make checks payable to "SNOW Swimming". Please do not send cash.

Entry fees are due with each team's entries. Unpaid fees will be reported to the PVS Administration Office at the conclusion of the meet. No further entries will be accepted from teams for future meets until entry fees are paid in full.

Deck entries will be accepted. Each deck entered event costs \$10.00.

Send Entries To:

Christine Vu
43950 Harbor Hills Terr #409
Lansdowne, VA 20176

NOTE

In granting this sanction it is understood and agreed that USA Swimming, Potomac Valley Swimming, Virginia Swimming, Claude Moore Recreation Center and Snow Swimming Inc. shall be free from any liabilities or claims for damages arising by reason of injuries to anyone during the conduct of the event

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Saturday, February 6th, 2016

11 & Over Timed Finals

Warm up: 8:10-9:00 AM, Events: 9:10 AM

Girls #	Event	Boys #
1	11-12 50 Back	2
3	Open 400 IM	4
5	11-12 200 Free	6
7	13 & over 200 Free	8
9	11-12 100 Back	10
11	13 & over 100 Back	12
13	11-12 50 Breast	14
15	Open 200 Fly	16
17	11-12 50 Fly	18
19	11-12 100 IM	20
21	13 & over 100 Free	22
23	11-12 100 Free	24
25	Open 200 Back	26
27	13 & over 100 Breast	28
29	11-12 100 Breast	30
31	13 & over 50 Free	32
33	11-12 50 Free	34
35	Open 200 Breast	36
37	13 & over 100 Fly	38
39	11 - 12 100 Fly	40
41	13 & over 200 IM	42
43	11-12 200 IM	44
45	Open 500 Free	46

10 & Under Timed Finals

Warm up: 1:00-1:30 PM, Events: 1:40 PM

Girls #	Event	Boys #
47	10 and under 200 IM	48
49	9-10 50 Back	50
51	8 & under 50 Breast	52
53	9-10 50 Breast	54
55	9-10 100 Free	56
57	8 & Under 50 Fly	58
59	10 and under 100 Fly	60
61	8 & under 100 Free	62
63	10 and under 200 Free	64
65	10 and under 100 Breast	66
67	8 & under 50 Back	68
69	10 and under 100 Back	70
71	8 & under 100 IM	72
73	9-10 100 IM	74
75	9-10 50 Fly	76
77	8 & under 50 Free	78
79	9-10 50 Free	80