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SWIM CLUB
2011 "SPRING INTO SUMMER" INVITE
 Saturday-Sunday, June 4-5, 2011

Hosted by the Ohio State Swim Club
Held Under the Sanction of USA Swimming, Inc.
Sanction # OH-3378

Location	McCorkle Aquatic Pavilion – The Ohio State University 1847 Neil Ave. Columbus, OH 43210			
Meet Management	Meet Director: Christine Z. Thompson (614) 247-7370 office (614) 205-9542 cell thompson.1363@osu.edu	Entry Chair: Frank Croft (614) 397-8369 cell Entry email: mccorkle@osu.edu	Meet Referee: Brian Serafy bkserafy@juno.com	Head Coach: Kyle Goodrich (614) 292-1303 office goodrich.89@osu.edu
Facility Set-Up	<p>The Mike Peppe Natatorium is a 20 lane, 25 yard and 10 lane, 50 meter indoor pool. The competition course has been certified in accordance with 104.2.2C(4). The copy of such certification is on file with USA Swimming. Due to moveable bulkheads, the course will be re-certified prior to and following each session. Water depth is greater than 7ft. from the starting blocks at both ends of the pool. The 8 lane, 25 meter Ron O'Brien Diving Well will serve as the warm-up/cool-down pool during competition.</p> <p>Marshals will be present at all times to manage the warm-down lane. Warm-down procedures will be strictly enforced (see Ohio Safety).</p>			
Meet Philosophy	<p>Prelims will be Short Course Yards. Finals will be Long Course Meters. The goal of this meet is to allow swimmers of all ages to compete in a SC setting in the morning (prelim) sessions, then allow the more developed swimmers the opportunity to compete in the evening (finals) sessions in the LC format. This allows the stronger swimmers an opportunity to compete LC, while not overwhelming the less-developed swimmers who may not yet be ready for LC competition. It also allows swimmers to compare their SC and LC races (strategies, etc.) within the same meet.</p>			
Entry Fees	<p>\$5.00 per individual event. \$7.00 per relay event. \$2.00 per swimmer Ohio Swimming Travel Fund surcharges. \$2.00 per swimmer OSU facility staffing surcharge. <i>All entry fees must be paid by May 16. If a team has not paid its entry fees in full by the start of the meet on June 4, 2011, then no one from that team will be allowed to participate in the meet.</i></p>			
General Admission Charges	<p>Due to the OSU facility staffing recovery charge, there will be no charge to spectators for admission to the event.</p> <p>Heat Sheets are \$5 per day.</p>			

Website	Current meet information, including notices of program changes, warm-up times, warm-up lane assignments, and complete meet results and computer backups will be posted on the Ohio State Swim Club's Website at www.swimclub.osu.edu .
Qualifying Times	No official qualifying time standards will be enforced. All ages and ability levels are welcome.
Entry Limitations	<p>All swimmers must be registered athlete members of USA Swimming. A swimmer's age on Saturday, June 4, 2011 shall determine eligibility for each age group division. Swimmers age 11 & Over may compete in any Open event.</p> <p>A swimmer may enter no more than three (3) individual events per day, exclusive of relays. If an entry is submitted with an individual entered in more than three individual events per day, then that swimmer will be placed in his or her events in chronological order until he or she has reached the three event limit. There will be no refunds.</p> <p>The Meet Director reserves the right to limit entries to a maximum of 1000 swimmers, exclusive of Ohio State Swim Club swimmers, to ensure that the running time of the meet stays within the time limits required by Ohio Swimming; however, if a team's entries are accepted, then all members of that team will be able to compete. The Ohio State Swim Club reserves the right to enter all of its swimmers into the meet, regardless of entry limitations.</p> <p>If an entry is received after the swimmer limit is reached, the entry may not be accepted. Entries complying with all submission requirements will be given priority in order of the postmarks on their entry packets.</p>
Rules	USA Swimming and Ohio Swimming 2010-11 rules and regulations will govern the meet.
Warm-Up Times	<p><u>Saturday & Sunday – Prelims</u> 7:30 AM – lanes to be determined based on entries 8:45 AM – Meet start</p> <p><u>Saturday & Sunday – Finals</u> Warm-ups no earlier than 3:00 p.m.</p> <p>Warm-up and start times are tentative and may be changed by Meet Management depending on the number of swimmers entered in the meet. Please visit the Ohio State Swim Club website on or after Wednesday, June 1 for final warm-up times.</p>
Warm-Up Procedures	<p>Teams will be assigned lanes for warm-up and the supervising coaches in each lane will run their warm-up as they see fit. The Meet Director reserves the right to revise warm-up procedures to ensure the safety of the swimmers.</p> <p>Ohio LSC Swimming Safety Guidelines and Warm-Up Procedures will be in effect at the meet. Swimmers must enter the water at the start end of the pool, feet-first, in a cautious manner, with one hand in contact with the pool edge, except in lanes that have been cleared and specifically declared one-way sprint lanes by unanimous agreement of the supervising coaches.</p>
Positive Check-in for Deck-seeded Events	<p>The 400 free and 400 IM will be deck-seeded. These events will be swum fastest to slowest.</p> <p>All swimmers competing in deck-seeded events are required to positively check-in at the head table located by the start end of the pool no later than a ½ hour before the beginning of competition in the session in which the event will be swum. Swimmers who do not check-in by the deadline will be scratched from the event without refund.</p> <p>Ohio Swimming rules regarding deck-seeded events will apply: Any swimmer who has checked in for a deck-</p>

seeded event must swim in the event unless he/she notifies the Clerk of Course of his/her wish to scratch before seeding for the event has begun. A swimmer who checks-in for a deck-seeded event, but fails to swim in the event or to scratch prior to seeding, will be barred from swimming his/her next individual event.

Entry Information & Procedures

Entries will not be accepted until noon on Monday, May 9, 2011. Teams should submit entries electronically to the Entry Chair. Entries received prior to this date and time will not be accepted.

Entries will be taken in the order in which they are received until the meet is closed. Teams will be notified within 24 hours if their entries have been accepted. Teams will also be notified if their entries were not accepted due to space limitations and will be given the opportunity to be placed on the waiting list.

Checks and supporting documentation must be received by the Entry Chair no later than 5 p.m., Monday, May 16, 2011, to complete the entry process. **If checks and supporting documentation are not received by this date, then the Ohio State Swim Club reserves the right to reject a team's entries and allow the next team on the waiting list to register.**

Entries produced using Hy-Tek Team Manager software or TeamUnify are preferred. Fax or telephone entries will not be accepted. Entries must be accompanied by a surface-mailed packet that includes 1) a check covering all entry fees and surcharges, 2) a printed listing of all individual entries for your team, 3) a completed Entry Summary Sheet (attached), and 4) a completed and signed USA Swimming Membership Verification Form (attached).

Please make check or money order payable to **"The Ohio State University."** No entry fees will be returned except to those swimmers who have failed to qualify for deck-seeded events or whose entries have been rejected by the Meet Director.

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.

Please mail entries, checks, and supporting documentation to:

Ohio State Swim Club
B106 RPAC, 337 W. 17th Ave.
Columbus, Ohio 43210

Swimmers with disabilities

Swimmers with disabilities are welcome to enter this meet. At the time of the entry, the coach or person entering the swimmer must alert the Meet Director, the Ohio Adapted Chair and the Meet Referee regarding the nature of the swimmer's disability, the swimmer's classification (if classified) and special accommodations or seeding arrangements being requested.

Deck Entries

Deck entries will be accepted at the discretion of the Meet Director, if space permits, on a first-come, first-served basis. No heats will be added to accommodate deck entries. Deck entries will close 30 minutes prior to the start of competition in the session in which the event will be swum. Deck entry fees are \$5.00 per individual event and \$7.00 per relay event. Deck entry fees must be paid in cash – no checks will be accepted. Swimmers must present proof of USA Swimming membership to deck-enter an event, unless already entered in the meet. The Ohio State Swim Club reserves the right to enter any of its team members in the meet at any time.

Coach Registration

Ohio Swimming rules and regulations require that all coaches have their USA Swimming Coach Registration Card on their person while on deck. Coaches should be able to present their credentials at the request of meet personnel, and coaches are asked to register at the table located in the front lobby of the facility before every session. A coach will not be permitted on deck without their USA Swimming Coach Registration Card, unless, at their expense, they can provide documentary proof of valid coaching credentials.

Finals/Timed Finals

There will be a championship heat and consolation heat of all events at Finals, except event numbers 109, 110, 209, 210, and the deck-seeded events. Each heat in Finals will consist of ten swimmers. National scratch rules

will apply for failure to appear in a final (207.12.6). There will be no penalty for failure to swim in a preliminary heat.

Awards The Ohio State Swim Club "Spring into Summer" Champion Plaque will be awarded to the team scoring the greatest number of points in the meet (unattached swimmers do not count toward this point total).

High Point Plaques will be awarded to the individuals scoring the greatest number of points in each age group (13-14 and 15 & Over will be scored separately for High Point recognition, even though they will compete together). All heat winners will receive an award. Custom ribbons will be awarded to the 1st-8th place finishers in events through the 11-12 age group. No placement ribbons will be given for the Open category.

Awards will be distributed to club representatives at the conclusion of each day's competition. Awards remaining at the end of the meet will not be forwarded by mail.

Scoring Individual Events: 24-21-20-19-18-17-16-15-14-13-11-9-8-7-6-5-4-3-2-1

Relays: 48-42-40-38-36-34-32-30-28-26-22-18-16-14-12-10-8-6-4-2

Facility The Mike Peppe Natatorium at the McCorkle Aquatic Pavilion was dedicated in October, 2005. The Pavilion contains a 50-meter x 25 meter 10-lane competition pool, with water depth of 7'6" to 10'0". There is balcony spectator seating for 1,560 people. There will be continuous warm-down available in the Ron O'Brien Diving Well.

Venue Rules Deck Access – Deck access is restricted to competing athletes, registered coaches, officials and meet workers. No parent or spectator will be allowed on deck except to perform a service or function at the *request of meet officials*.

Banners – One professionally made banner per team may be displayed in the Aquatic Pavilion with the approval of the Facility Manager. Banners should be turned in at the access/credential table. All banners will be hung by the facility staff. Handmade signs may be held, but not hung.

Bulkheads – Caution should be taken when entering the water from the bulkheads. When feet first entries are done one hand should be placed and remain on the bulkhead.

Concession/Food – The concession stand at the McCorkle Aquatic Pavilion will be available throughout the competition. Outside food will not be permitted to be brought into the facility.

Equipment – Swimming equipment (fins, paddles, etc.) is not permitted in the competition pool when timing equipment is in place. Equipment may be used in the adjacent warm-up/cool-down pool.

First Aid / Training Needs – Lifeguards are trained to handle water rescues and first aid on deck. Please report all first aid issues to the Aquatic Staff.

Public Health – If you are ill, please stay at home. Deck changing is not permitted. Please wash your hands with soap and warm water after changing clothes, using the restroom and before and after eating.

Flash Photography – Flash photography is not permitted at the start of any race.

Locker Rooms and Changing Facilities – Two on-deck changing rooms are located on the west side of the deck. Additional changing space is available north of the pool in the Recreation and Physical Activity Center (RPAC) on the pool deck level. Locker space is not available. Belongings may be stored on deck on team benches. The Ohio State University is not responsible for any lost or stolen items.

Lost and Found – Lost and Found for the event is kept at the head swimming table/announcer's area. An additional Lost and Found is kept at the Welcome Center of RPAC which is located adjacent the main entrance to the Aquatic Pavilion.

Prohibited Items – The following items are not permitted in the facility: Glass, Lawn or Camping Chairs, Coolers and Outside Food, Tobacco, Alcohol, Illegal Substances, Helium Balloons, Noise Makers

Recreation and Physical Activity Center (RPAC) – Access to the RPAC is restricted to paid Members of Recreational Sports and daily pass holders.

Spectator Seating – Only paid ticket holders may enter the spectator seating area.

Team Seating – Team seating is available on a first-come basis by session. Belongings should be removed from the deck between sessions for area cleaning.

Wireless Internet Access – Wireless internet access will be available throughout the meet. A password will be available at the check-in/credential desk.

- Directions Please visit <http://www.osu.edu/visitors/directions.php> for directions to campus.
- If using a GPS, enter **1847 Neil Ave., Columbus, Ohio 43210** as your destination address.
- Note: 12th Avenue is no longer a cut-through from Cannon to Neil. Please take John Herrick Drive (east extension) instead which is one block to the north of 12th Avenue and leads directly to the Neil Avenue Garage and the Aquatic Pavilion. The John Herrick Drive extension is a new road that may not yet appear in your GPS.
- Parking Event parking will be available, at a cost of \$5 per entry, at the Neil Avenue Garage (connected to the Aquatic Pavilion). Please be prepared to pay cash on the way into the garage. Having exact change will help in maintaining the flow of traffic.
- Final Results Complete meet results and Hy-Tek back-up files will be posted on the OSSC website within 24 hours of the conclusion of the meet.
- Meet Officials Meets held at The Ohio State University depend on assistance from USA-S officials. Please provide the names and contact information of any interested officials from your team to Brian Serafy at bkserafy@juno.com by May 19, 2011. Thanks in advance for your help! We will contact those individuals directly.
- Hotel Information Please visit <http://www.osu.edu/visitors/accommodations.php> to secure hotel rooms if needed.
- Restaurants & Entertainment Please visit <http://www.osu.edu/visitors/entertainment.php> for information about nearby dining, shopping and entertainment.
- Columbus Attractions Please visit <http://www.osu.edu/visitors/columbus.php> to learn more about Ohio's state capital.

ORDER OF EVENTS

Saturday Session			Sunday Session		
Girls #	Event	Boys #	Girls #	Event	Boys #
101	Open 400 Free*	102	201	Open 400 IM*	202
103	10 & Under 200 Free Relay*	104	203	10 & Under 200 Medley Relay*	204
105	11-12 200 Free Relay*	106	205	11-12 200 Medley Relay*	206
107	Open 200 Free Relay*	108	207	Open 200 Medley Relay*	208
109	8 & Under 100 IM^	110	209	8 & Under 100 Free^	210
111	10 & Under 200 IM	112	211	10 & Under 200 Free	212
113	11-12 200 IM	114	213	11-12 200 Free	214
115	Open 200 IM	116	215	Open 200 Free	216
117	10 & Under 50 Breast	118	217	10 & Under 100 Breast	218
119	11-12 50 Breast	120	219	11-12 100 Breast	220
121	Open 100 Breast	122	221	Open 200 Breast	222
123	10 & Under 100 Back	124	223	10 & Under 50 Back	224
125	11-12 100 Back	126	225	11-12 50 Back	226
127	Open 200 Back	128	227	Open 100 Back	228
129	10 & Under 50 Fly	130	229	10 & Under 100 Fly	230
131	11-12 50 Fly	132	231	11-12 100 Fly	232
133	Open 100 Fly	134	233	Open 200 Fly	234
135	10 & Under 100 Free	136	235	10 & Under 50 Free	236
137	11-12 100 Free	138	237	11-12 50 Free	238
139	Open 100 Free	140	239	Open 50 Free	240
141	11-12 400 Medley Relay*	142	241	11-12 400 Free Relay*	242
143	Open 400 Medley Relay*	144	243	Open 400 Free Relay*	244

^ Timed final event – all swimmers compete in the *morning prelims* only.

* Timed final event – all swimmers compete in the *evening finals* only.

Swimmers 11 years of age and older are eligible for all Open events.

Events 109, 110, 209, and 210 are timed finals; they are designated as shorter races for 8 & Unders. Swimmers 8 years of age and younger are welcome to compete in the 10 & Under events as well.

Entry Summary Sheet

PLEASE RETURN THIS FORM WITH YOUR ENTRIES

Date: _____

Club Name: _____ Club Code: _____

Team Contact: _____

Daytime Phone: _____

Evening Phone: _____

Email Address: _____

Address for Final Results: _____

Coaches Attending Meet

_____ Swimmers @ \$4.00 per swimmer = \$ _____

_____ Individual Events @ \$5.00 per event = \$ _____

_____ Relays @ \$7.00 per event = \$ _____

Total Amount Remitted = \$ _____

Please enclose check, payable to "The Ohio State University," and mail with entries to:

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(614) 247-7370
thompson.1363@osu.edu

USA Swimming Membership Verification Form

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The undersigned team representative certifies by his or her signature that all athletes participating for or entered by the team in this sanctioned swim meet are currently member athletes of USA Swimming, Inc. The undersigned further certifies that any person appearing on deck in this meet in the capacity of coach is currently a coach member of USA Swimming, Inc.

Team: _____

Printed Name: _____

Signature: _____

Date: _____

Email: _____