

**NEPTUNE SWIMMING
PACIFIC SWIMMING SENIOR SHORT COURSE QUAD MEET
DART, NBA, PLS, SRN
OCTOBER 23, 2021**



SANCTION: Held under USA/Pacific Swimming Sanction No. **21-197**

In granting this sanction it is understood and agreed that USA Swimming shall be free from any liabilities or claims for damages arising by reason of injuries to anyone during the conduct of the event.

An inherent risk of exposure to COVID-19 exists in any public place where people are present. COVID-19 is an extremely contagious disease that can lead to severe illness and death. According to the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, senior citizens and individuals with underlying medical conditions are especially vulnerable.

USA Swimming, Inc., cannot prevent you (or your child(ren)) from becoming exposed to, contracting, or spreading COVID-19 while participating in USA Swimming sanctioned events. It is not possible to prevent against the presence of the disease. Therefore, if you choose to participate in a USA Swimming sanctioned event, you may be exposing yourself to and/or increasing your risk of contracting or spreading COVID-19.

BY ATTENDING OR PARTICIPATING IN THIS COMPETITION, YOU VOLUNTARILY ASSUME ALL RISKS ASSOCIATED WITH EXPOSURE TO COVID-19 AND FOREVER RELEASE AND HOLD HARMLESS USA SWIMMING AND PACIFIC SWIMMING AND EACH OF THEIR OFFICERS, DIRECTORS, AGENTS, EMPLOYEES OR OTHER REPRESENTATIVES FROM ANY LIABILITY OR CLAIMS INCLUDING FOR PERSONAL INJURIES, DEATH, DISEASE OR PROPERTY LOSSES, OR ANY OTHER LOSS, INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO CLAIMS OF NEGLIGENCE AND GIVE UP ANY CLAIMS YOU MAY HAVE TO SEEK DAMAGES, WHETHER KNOWN OR UNKNOWN, FORESEEN OR UNFORESEEN, IN CONNECTION THEREWITH.

NOTICE: By entering this meet, the Athlete or his/her guardian consents to the publication, via electronic, print or other media, information and/or imagery related to their participation at this meet. Such information and imagery may include, but is not limited to, photographs, video, web casting, television, psych sheets and live meet results. **The results of this meet may be posted in real time on Meet Mobile.**

USE OF AUDIO AND VISUAL: Photography and video recording from behind the blocks or starting areas is prohibited unless prior permission is granted by the Meet Referee. Use of any audio or visual recording devices, including but not limited to film and digital cameras, cell phones and tablets, and Google Glass is not permitted in changing areas, rest rooms or locker rooms. Violation of this recording prohibition may result in ejection from the swimming pool facility by the Meet Referee or his/her designee.

MEET PERSONNEL:

<i>Meet Referee: Bill Sargis</i>	<i>Head Starter: Peter Winkler</i>
<i>Meet Marshal: Tyler Denzie</i>	<i>Admin Official: Kian Tavakoli</i>
<i>Meet Director: Dan Greaves</i>	greaves_d@msn.com

LOCATION: Ridgway Swim Center, 455 Ridgway Ave, Santa Rosa, CA

DIRECTIONS: 101 north, College Ave exit. Left on Glenn St. Right on Ridgway Ave. Pool is located at 455 Ridgway Ave. Santa Rosa, CA 95401

COURSE: OUTDOOR 25 YARD pool with up to 6 lanes available for competition. An additional 2 lanes will be available for warm-up/cool down throughout the competition. The minimum water depth for the shallow end course, measured in accordance with Article 103.2.3, is 12' at the start end and 4.5' at the turn end. The competition course has not been certified in accordance with Article 104.2.2C(4).

TIME: Saturday, October 23: warm ups 8:00am; meet starts at 9:00am.

RULES:

- Current USA and Pacific Swimming rules and warm-up procedures will govern the meet. A copy of these procedures will be posted at the Clerk-of-Course.
- All applicable adults participating in or associated with this meet, acknowledge that they are subject to the provisions of

the USA Swimming Minor Athlete Abuse Prevention Policy (“MAAPP”), and that they understand that compliance with the MAAPP policy is a condition of participation in the conduct of this competition.

- All events are timed finals.
- All events will swim fast to slow.
- Athletes may compete in **MAXIMUM 3** events per day.
- If local conditions warrant it the Meet Referee, with the concurrence of the Meet Director, may require a mandatory scratch down. Immediate cash refunds will be made for any mandatory scratches.
- **All Coaches and Officials must wear their USA Swimming membership cards in a visible manner.**
- The local facilities’ guidelines, restrictions and interpretation of the local public health guidelines shall be followed at this meet. All applicable Sonoma County, City of Santa Rosa, and State of California Public Health requirements for protection against COVID-19 will apply. The Meet director and Meet Referee may remove any individual who does not comply.

UNACCOMPANIED ATHLETES: Any USA Swimming Athlete-Member competing at the meet must be accompanied by a USA Swimming Member-Coach for the purposes of Athlete supervision during warm-up, competition and warm-down. If a Coach-Member of the Athlete’s USA Swimming Club does not attend the meet to serve in said supervisory capacity, it is the responsibility of the Athlete or the Athlete’s legal guardian to arrange for supervision by a USA Swimming Member-Coach. The Meet Director or Meet Referee may assist the Athlete in making arrangements for such supervision; however, it is recommended that such arrangements be made in advance of the meet by the Athlete’s USA Swimming Club Member-Coach.

RACING STARTS: Athletes must be certified by a USA Swimming member-coach as being proficient in performing a racing start or must start the race in the water. It is the responsibility of the Athlete or the Athlete’s legal guardian to ensure compliance with this requirement.

RESTRICTIONS:

- Smoking and the use of other tobacco products is prohibited on the pool deck, in the locker rooms, in spectator seating, on standing areas and in all areas used by Athletes, during the meet and during warm-up periods.
- Sale and use of alcoholic beverages is prohibited in all areas of the meet venue.
- No glass containers are allowed in the meet venue.
- No propane heater is permitted except for snack bar/meet operations.
- All shelters must be properly secured.
- Deck Changes are prohibited.
- Destructive devices, to include but not limited to, explosive devices and equipment, firearms (open or concealed), blades, knives, mace, stun guns and blunt objects are strictly prohibited in the swimming facility and its surrounding areas. If observed, the Meet Referee or his/her designee may ask that these devices be stored safely away from the public or removed from the facility. Noncompliance may result in the reporting to law enforcement authorities and ejection from the facility. Law enforcement officers (LEO) are exempt per applicable laws.
- Operation of a drone, or any other flying apparatus, is prohibited over the venue (pools, Athlete/Coach areas, Spectator areas and open ceiling locker rooms) any time Athletes, Coaches, Officials and/or Spectators are present.
- Spectators will be allowed.

ELIGIBILITY:

- Athletes must be current members of USA Swimming and enter their name and registration number on the meet entry card as they are shown on their Registration Card. If this is not done, it may be difficult to match the Athlete with the registration and times database. The meet host will check all Athlete registrations against the SWIMS database and if not found to be registered, the Meet Director shall accept the registration at the meet (a \$10 surcharge will be added to the regular registration fee). Duplicate registrations will be refunded by mail.
- Meet is open only to qualified athletes registered with **Davis Aquatic Racing Team, North Bay Aquatics, Pleasanton Seahawks and Santa Rosa Neptunes**. Athletes who are unattached but participating with **Davis Aquatic Racing Team, North Bay Aquatics, Pleasanton Seahawks and Santa Rosa Neptunes** are eligible to compete in their designated session.
- Entries with **"NO TIME" will be ACCEPTED.**
- Athletes with a disability are welcome to attend this meet and should contact the Meet Director or Meet Referee regarding any special accommodations on entry times and seeding per Pacific Swimming policy.
- Athletes 19 years of age and over may compete in the meet.
- The Athlete’s age will be the age of the Athlete on the first day of the meet.

ENTRY FEES: A flat fee of \$50 will be charged for all participants. Full payment (single team check) shall be submitted by mail or by hand to Dan Greaves by the start of the meet.

ENTRIES: A Hy-Tek entry file must be submitted by **Sunday, October 17, 2021**. Request a confirmation of receipt to ensure deliver of email/file. Send the meet entry to Dan Greaves at greaves_d@msn.com.

Make check payable to: Neptune Swimming

Mail entry fee to: Dan Greaves

PO Box 317

Santa Rosa, CA 95402

CHECK-IN: The meet shall be pre-seeded. Athletes shall report to the bull-pen area at their scheduled time for each event.

SCRATCHES: Any Athletes not reporting for or competing in an individual timed final event that they have checked in for/entered shall not be penalized.

AWARDS: None.

ADMISSION: Free.

MISCELLANEOUS: No overnight parking is allowed. Facilities will not be provided after meet hours. Facilities will not be provided after meet hours. Spectators will need to remain outside of the pool facility and will not be allowed to set up chairs or personal shade

MINIMUM OFFICIALS: At least four days prior to the start of the meet, meet management (Meet Director and/or Meet Referee) shall contact a representative from each club participating in the meet, and provide a preliminary inventory of the officials that club is required to provide for each session. Each club shall, by the start of the meet, provide to the Meet Director or designee a list of Officials who have agreed to represent that club during each session of the meet. At the meet, meet management shall conduct an inventory of officials, and shall compare the number of athletes entered in each session by each club with the number of officials present representing each club. If meet management certifies that a club has not provided sufficient officials for any session of the meet in accordance with the table below, excluding finals in a prelims and finals meet, the club shall be fined \$100 per missing official per session of the meet.

Club Athletes entered in session	Trained and carded Officials requested
1-10	0
11-25	1
26-50	2
51-75	3
76-100	4
100 or more	5

ORDER OF EVENTS

Athletes will be allowed to swim up to 3 events and 2 relays for the meet.

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Event #	Event	Event #
Women		Men
1	200 MEDLEY RELAY	2
3	1000 FREE	4
5	200 FREE	6
7	100 BACK	8
9	100 BREAST	10
11	200 FLY	12
13	50 FREE	14
BREAK		
15	100 FREE	16
17	200 BACK	18
19	200 BREAST	20
21	500 FREE	22
23	100 FLY	24
BREAK		
25	200 IM	26
27	200 FREE RELAY	28