

**CARSON TIGERSHARKS
INTERMOUNTAIN CLASSIC ~ 20TH ANNIVERSARY
PACIFIC SWIMMING LONG COURSE MEET
MAY 22 – 24, 2015**

ENTER ONLINE: <http://ome.swimconnection.com/pc/CARS20150522>



SANCTION: Held under USA/Pacific Swimming Sanction No. **15-057**

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.

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 the Internet.**

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:
Meet Referee: Greg Gephart *Head Starter:* Judy Maynor
Meet Marshal: Gary Kolb *Admin Official:* Karen DeBusk
Meet Director: Becki Boehnke (becki@tigersharks.org); 775-721-6142

LOCATION: Carson Aquatic Facility, 841 N. Roop St. Carson City, NV.

DIRECTIONS: From Business Hwy. 395 go two traffic lights East on Hwy. 50 (E. Williams St.). Turn right on Roop St. and go one block south. Turn left behind the Carson City Community Center. From Reno on Hwy. 395 take exit 39. Turn right and travel west for 0.9 mile. Turn left into Mills Park and the Carson City Community Center. Additional parking is available at the Bank of America at the northwest corner of Roop St. and Hwy. 50 (E. Williams St.).

COURSE: 50 meter heated indoor pool with up to 8 lanes for competition and a 25 yard outdoor pool for warm-up and warm down. Colorado Timing system. The minimum water depth in the competition course as measured in accordance with Article 103.2.3 is at least 5 feet at the start end and 4 feet at the turn end. The competition course has been certified in accordance with 104.2.2C(4). The copy of such certification is on file with USA Swimming. All events except events of 50 meters will start at the start end of the pool and the 50-meter events will start at the turn end.

TIME: FRIDAY SESSION: begins at 4:00 pm with warm-ups from 2:30 to 3:45 pm.

SATURDAY & SUNDAY AM SESSION (13 & O): begins at 8:30 am with warm-ups from 7:00 to 8:15 am.

SATURDAY & SUNDAY PM SESSION (12 & U): begins with warm-ups at the conclusion of the morning session not before 12:30 PM

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 events are timed finals.
- All events will swim fast to slow.
- Swimmers may compete in **2 individual events on Friday and 5 individual events per day on Saturday and Sunday** but cannot exceed 10 events for the meet.
- **All swimmers ages 12 and under should complete competition within four (4) hours.**
- Entries for the Friday Afternoon session will close before the entry deadline if and when the estimated session timeline reaches 4 hours.
- Entries for the Saturday and Sunday morning and afternoon sessions will close before the entry deadline if and when the estimated session timeline reaches 4 hours or the estimated combined timeline of the morning and afternoon sessions reached 8.5 hours.
- 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.

- Swimmers may enter as many events as they wish, but shall check-in for and compete in no more than **5 individual events per day and 10 individual events total**.
- The 800 meter freestyle and 1500 meter freestyle will be swum alternating women and men, fastest to slowest. All swimmers in the 800 and 1500 must provide their own timers and lap counters. To be eligible in order to enter an individual freestyle event of 800M or longer, a swimmer must have previously established an official USA Swimming time in any event 400M/500Y or longer.
- **All coaches and deck officials must wear their USA Swimming membership cards in a visible manner.** All coaches are required to sign in at the meet before the beginning of warm-ups and present their 2015 registration card. Except for coaches accompanying athletes participating under provisions of 202.6 or USA Swimming's "open border" policy, all persons acting in any coaching capacity must show proof of current USA Swimming coach membership.

UNACCOMPANIED SWIMMERS: Any USA-S 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-S Club does not attend the meet to serve in said supervisory capacity, it is the responsibility of the swimmer or the swimmer's legal guardian to arrange for supervision by a USA-S member-coach. The Meet Director or Meet Referee may assist the swimmer 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-S Club Member-Coach.

RACING STARTS: Swimmers must be certified by a USA-S member-coach as being proficient in performing a racing start, or must start the race in the water. It is the responsibility of the swimmer or the swimmer'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 swimmers, 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.
- No animals, except for working service animals, are permitted in the facility.
- **IMPORTANT:** All floor and wall vents must be kept clear at all times to ensure proper air circulation in the facility.
- Closed areas on the pool deck may exist. Cooperation of swimmers, families and coaches is appreciated.
- Changing into or out of swimsuits other than in locker rooms or other designated areas is 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.

ELIGIBILITY:

- Swimmers must be current members of USA-S 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 swimmer with the registration and times database. The meet host will check all swimmer 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.
- Entries with **"NO TIME" will be ACCEPTED (Exception – See rules regarding 800 and 1500 M Freestyle)**
- Disabled swimmers 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.
- Swimmers 19 years of age and over may compete in the meet for time only, no awards. Such swimmers must have met standards for the 17-18 age group.
- The swimmer's age will be the age of the swimmer on the first day of the meet.

ENTRY FEES: \$4.00 per event plus an \$11.00 participation fee per swimmer. Entries will be rejected if payment is not sent at time of request.

ONLINE ENTRIES: To enter online go to <http://ome.swimconnection.com/pc/CARS20150522> to receive an immediate entry confirmation. This method requires payment by credit card. Swim Connection, LLC charges a processing fee for this service, equal to \$1 per swimmer plus 5% of the total Entry Fees. Please note that the processing fee is a separate fee from the Entry Fees. If you do not wish to pay the processing fee, enter the meet using a mail entry. **Entering online is a convenience, is completely voluntary,**

and is in no way required or expected of a swimmer by Pacific Swimming. Online entries will be accepted through Wednesday, May 13, 2015 at 11:59 PM or until a session is full.

MAILED OR HAND DELIVERED ENTRIES: Entries must be on the attached consolidated entry form. Forms must be filled out completely and printed clearly with swimmers best time. Entries must be postmarked by midnight, Monday, **May 11, 2015** or hand delivered by 6:30 p.m. Wednesday, **May 13, 2015, and may be rejected if a session is already full.** No late entries will be accepted. No refunds will be made, except mandatory scratch downs. Requests for confirmation of receipt of entries should include a self-addressed envelope.

Make check payable to: Carson Tigersharks

**Mail entries to: Becki Boehnke
PO Box 1876
Carson City, NV 89702**

**Hand deliver entries to: Becki Boehnke
841 N Roop St.
Carson City, NV 89701**

CHECK-IN: The meet will be deck seeded. Swimmers must check-in at the Clerk-of-Course. Close of check-in for all individual events shall be no more than 60 minutes before the estimated time of the start of the first heat of the event. No event shall be closed more than 30 minutes before the scheduled start of the session. Swimmers who do not check in will not be seeded and will not be allowed to compete in that event.

SCRATCHES: Any swimmers not reporting for or competing in an individual timed final event that they have checked in for shall not be penalized. Swimmers who must withdraw from an event after it is seeded are requested to inform the referee immediately.

AWARDS: Individual Events: Ribbons 1st – 8th place for 8 & U, 9-10, 11-12, 13-14, and 15-18 age groups. Swimmers 19 years of age and older will not be eligible to score points or receive awards. High Point and High Point runner up will be awarded to each age group. ALL AWARDS MUST BE PICKED UP AT THE MEET. Each team is asked to designate a team representative to claim awards. NO AWARDS WILL BE MAILED.

SCORING: Individual: 20-17-16-15-14-13-12-11-9-7-6-5-4-3-2-1

ADMISSION: Free. A 3-day meet program will be available for a fee.

SNACK BAR & HOSPITALITY: A snack bar will be available during the meet. Lunch and limited hospitality will be available to all working officials and coaches.

TIMERS: Clubs will be assigned lanes based on the number of swimmers from each club (host club will not be expected to time).

MINIMUM OFFICIALS: Participating clubs are requested to provide at least the following number of certified and carded officials for each session:

Club swimmers 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

EVENT SUMMARY

FRIDAY		SATURDAY			SUNDAY		
11-12	13 & O	10 & UN	11-12	13 & O	10 & UN	11-12	13 & O
200 IM	200 BR	50 BK	50 BK	200 IM	50 FL	50 FL	200 FR
400 FR	400 IM	100 FR	100 FR	100 FR	200 FR	200 FR	100 BK
1500 FR	1500 FR	200 IM	200 BK	200 BK	100 BK	100 BK	100 BR
		100 FL	200 BR	100 FL	100 BR	100 BR	50 FR
		50 BR	100 FL	400 FR	50 FR	200 FL	200 FL
			50 BR			50 FR	800 FR

EVENTS

Friday, May 22, 2015 – PM Session			
Event # Girls	Age Group	Event	Event # Boys
1	13 & Over	200 Breaststroke	2
3	11-12	200 IM	4
5	13 & Over	400 IM	6
7	11-12	400 Freestyle	8
9*	11 & Over	1500 Freestyle	10*
Saturday, May 23, 2015 – AM Session			
11	13 & Over	200 IM	12
13	13 & Over	100 Freestyle	14
15	13 & Over	200 Backstroke	16
17	13 & Over	100 Butterfly	18
19	13 & Over	400 Freestyle	20
Saturday, May 23, 2015 – PM Session			
21	12 & Under	50 Backstroke	22
23	12 & Under	100 Freestyle	24
25	11-12	200 Backstroke	26
27	10 & Under	200 IM	28
29	11-12	200 Breast	30
31	12 & Under	100 Butterfly	32
33	12 & Under	50 Breaststroke	34
Sunday, May 24, 2015- AM Session			
35	13 & Over	200 Free	36
37	13 & Over	100 Backstroke	38
39	13 & Over	100 Breaststroke	40
41	13 & Over	50 Free	42
43	13 & Over	200 Butterfly	44*
45*	13 & Over	800 Freestyle	46
Sunday, May 24, 2015-PM Session			
47	12 & Under	50 Butterfly	48
49	12 & Under	200 Freestyle	50
51	12 & Under	100 Backstroke	52
53	12 & Under	100 Breaststroke	54
55	11-12	200 Butterfly	56
57	12 & Under	50 Freestyle	58

Use the following URL to find the time standards: <http://www.pacswim.org/swim-meet-times/standards>

****All swimmers in the 800 and 1500 must provide their own timers and lap counters. To be eligible in order to enter an individual freestyle event of 800M or longer, a swimmer must have previously established an official USA Swimming time in any event 400M/500Y or longer.***

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 Consolidated Entry Form

Name: Last, First Middle

Club Abbr.	UNATT TEAM ABBR	Club Name
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Age	Date of Birth	Sex M F	LSC – (PC, SN)
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USA-#																
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of entries _____ x \$4.00 = \$ _____
 Participation Fee \$ 11.00
 Total \$ _____

Coach

Swimmer's
Address

Home Phone	Cell Phone
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Email