Starfish Splash and Dash June 20, 2015, Niskayuna High School

Sanction: Held under the sanction of USA Swimming, Inc. and Adirondack Swimming Inc., Sanction # AD15-028

JoAnn Faucett, General Chairman

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.

Host: Starfish Swim Club

Place: Niskayuna High School, 1626 Balltown Road, Niskayuna, NY, 12309, Short Course, 25 Yard Pool, 8 Lanes,

Continuous warm-up pool with a Colorado Automatic timing System, starting system and scoreboard system.

The competition course has not been certified in accordance with 104.2.2C(4).

Pool Depths: Depth of Pool at One (1) Meter 13'0" and Five (5) Meters 13'0" from Start End of Pool.

Depth of Pool at One (1) Meter 4'4" and Five (5) Meters 4'8" from Turn End of Pool.

Time: Session 1: WarmUp: 10:30 AM, Meet Start: 11:15 AM

Meet Directors: Steve Hall & Dan Tanski (Coachsteve@albanystarfish.org and Coachdan@albanystarfish.org)

Meet Referee: Jill DeMaria
Meet Entry Coordinator: Molly Chamberlain

Entry Rules:

This Meet is a Closed meet, open to Albany Starfish Members Only.

The eligibility of a swimmer will be determined by his or her age on June 20, 2015

Rules from the current USA Swimming Technical and Administrative Rules will be in effect.

Entries must be submitted electronically, using Hy-Tek, Team Unify or compatible Software and Emailed to the **Meet Entry Coordinator**.

Team entries must be received by the Meet Entry Coordinator by June 16th, 2015

Entry Limit: 5 Individual Entries Per Athlete.

In the event the meet is oversubscribed, the Meet Director may cut Relays in order to achieve the desired timeline. If after removing relays, the meet is still oversubscribed, the Meet Director and Meet Referee will work together to determine how entries are removed, with the best interest of the swimmers in mind.

If the meet is oversubscribed or undersubscribed, Meet and/or Session Start Times may need to be changed. Attending teams will be notified of any changes via email and all changes will be posted to the AD Web Site. All fees paid for cut entries will be refunded.

202.3.2 At a sanctioned competitive event, USA Swimming athlete members must be under the supervision of a USA Swimming member coach during warm-up, competition, and warm-down. The Meet Director or Meet Referee may assist the swimmer in making arrangements for such supervision, but it is the swimmer's responsibility to make such arrangements prior to the start of the meet.

202.3.4A 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

USA Swimming Registration:

ALL Swimmers MUST be USA Swimming Registered, as provided in Article 302, at the time their entries are submitted. Registrations may be obtained from your club registrar. All Adirondack Meets are reconciled for current USA Swimming Registration. Unregistered swimmers will be removed from the meet and a \$25.00 Fine Imposed. (Click Here for More Information)

Unattached athletes may obtain forms and instructions from the Adirondack Swimming Web Site www.adirondackswimming.org
Direct registration questions to the Adirondack Registrar, Ann Korzun, 518-877-6571 or akorzun@adirondackswimming.org

Swimming Events:

All events will be pre-seeded and swum as timed finals. All age groups need to obtain their heat and lane assignment from the heat sheets behind the starting blocks in the pool area. All 25Y events will be swum from the bulkhead to the touchpad.

Warm-Ups:

Because of the large number of injuries occurring across the country during warm-ups, USA Swimming allows no diving into the pool during the warm-up period except in the designated sprint lanes. We ask that you inform your swimmers of this rule and ask them to fully cooperate with the club officials and marshals in charge of the area.

Meet Policy:

Use of Audio or Visual Recording Devices, Including a Cell Phone, is not permitted behind the starting blocks, including any spectator area behind the starting blocks, in changing areas, rest rooms or locker rooms.

Changing into or out of swimsuits other than locker rooms or other designated areas is prohibited.

No one will be allowed on the deck except USA-S Registered Officials and USA-S Registered Coaches with Current Certifications, USA-S Registered Swimmers and Meet Marshalls and Timers on Shift.

All Officials and Coaches are Required to display USA Swimming Credentials (USA Swimming Membership Card) while on deck. If, at an AD Sanctioned Meet, an individual is found on deck, acting in any coaching capacity and is determined to be out of compliance with USA Swimming requirements for coaches, that individual will be removed from the deck and the represented club will be fined \$250.

Any swimmer found in an unauthorized area will be asked to immediately leave the premises. No exceptions. Each team is responsible for supervising its members.

Disabled Athletes:

Adirondack Swimming welcomes athletes with disabilities. Athletes with disabilities are required to contact the Meet Director at least 2 weeks in advance of the meet so that provisions can be made for any special accommodations.

Entry Fees:

An entry summary sheet is included to compute your team entry fees. The entry fees are \$4.50 per individual event, which includes the \$.50 AD travel fund surcharge, and a \$1 per swimmer surcharge

ALL MANUAL ENTRIES, INCLUDING DECK ENTRIES (NON-ELECTRONIC) ARE SUBJECT TO A SURCHARGE OF \$1.00 PER ENTRY, WHICH APPLIES TO INDIVIDUAL OR RELAY ENTRIES.

Make your entry check payable to "Starfish Swim Club" and mail your check and entry summary sheet to the Meet Entry Coordinator.

Entries will be entered to the meet upon receipt of your check.

Photographers:

Only Professional Photographers or Videographers hired by the host team or Press Photographers, who have been approved in advance by the meet director, will be allowed on deck. A Photographer Registration form must be completed and submitted to the meet director for approval, prior to the meet. Forms are available on the Adirondack Swimming website as well as from the Meet Director.

<u>Click here for a direct link to the registration form.</u>

Swimmer's families, taking photos of their children from the spectator area, are not subject to this policy.

Parents and Professionals, please refer to the "Meet Policy" above for general restrictions pertaining to all photography at Sanctioned meets.

Awards:

Heat Winner Awards will be given.

Scoring:

This meet will not be scored.

Services:

There will be a small concession stand available during the meet.

Officials:

There will be an official's meeting conducted promptly 45 minutes before each session. Attendance is MANDATORY to work the meet. Please sign up in official's room before the start of officials meeting.

If you have any questions please contact the Meet Director or Meet Referee.

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SESSION 1 WARM-UPS 10:30 AM, SESSION BEGINS 11:15 AM

GIRLS	EVENT	BOYS
EVENTS	DESCRIPTION	EVENTS
1	6 – 7 25 Yard Freestyle	2
3 5 7	8 – 9 25 Yard Freestyle	4
5	10 – 11 50 Yard Freestyle	6
7	12 – 13 50 Yard Freestyle	8
9	9 & Under 50 Yard Breaststroke	10
11	13 & Under 100 Yard Breaststroke	12
	5 Minute Break	
13	6 – 7 25 Yard Backstroke	14
15	8 – 9 25 Yard Backstroke	16
17	10 – 11 50 Yard Backstroke	18
19	12 – 13 50 Yard Backstroke	20
21	9 & Under 50 Yard Butterfly	22
23	13 & Under 100 Yard Butterfly	24
	5 Minute Break	
25	9 & Under 50 Yard Freestyle	26
27	13 & Under 100 Yard Freestyle	28
29	6 – 7 25 Yard Breaststroke	30
31	8 – 9 25 Yard Breaststroke	32
33	10 – 11 50 Yard Breaststroke	34
35	12 – 13 50 Yard Breaststroke	36
	5 Minute Break	
37	9 & Under 50 Yard Backstroke	38
39	13 & Under 100 Yard Backstroke	40
41	6 – 7 25 Yard Butterfly	42
43	8 – 9 25 Yard Butterfly	44
45	10 – 11 50 Yard Butterfly	46
47	12 – 13 50 Yard Butterfly	48
	5 Minute Break	
49	9 & Under 100 Yard IM	50
51	13 & Under 100 Yard IM	52
53	9 & Under 200 IM	54
55	13 & Under 100 IM	56

Each Swimmer May Swim A Maximum of 5 Individual Events Per Day \$4.50 Per Individual Event Per Athlete for ALL Athletes \$1.00 Per Athlete Surcharge For Manual Entries, Add \$1.00 Per Entry (individual or relay)

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ENTRY FEE CALCULATION SHEET 2015 Starfish Splash and Dash Starfish Swim Club, Niskayuna High School

TEAM NAME	
CONTACT PERSON	
PHONE NUMBER	
E-Mail ADDRESS	
Number of Individual Entries	X \$4.50 = \$
Number of Swimmers	X \$1.00 = \$
Number of Manual (non-electronic) Entries	X \$1.00 = \$
Total Amount Due and Enclosed	\$

ENTRY DEADLINE.. June 14, 2015

MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO "Starfish Swim Club"

Email your entries to the Meet Entry Coordinator

This form must be returned with Entry Report and Check to the Meet Entry Coordinator:

Molly Chamberlain, coachmolly@albanystarfish.org

Entries will be posted to the meet program upon RECEIPT OF CHECK ONLY
Starfish Swim Club assumes no responsibility for meet close-out due to late entries