Sharks 12 & Under Mini-Meet December 15, 2012 at Union College

Sanction:	Held under the sanction of USA Swimming, Inc. and Adirondack Swimming Inc., Sanction # AD13-007 Carolyn Manor, General Chairman		
Host:	Schenectady-Saratoga Swim Club		
Place:	Union College, Alumni Gym, Schenectady, NY Short Course 25 Yard Pool, 8 lanes, continuous warm-up pool Colorado Automatic Timing and Beeper The competition course has not been certified in accordance with 104.2.2C(4).		
Pool Depths:	Start End 1 meter = 4'0", 5 meters = 4'3" Turn End 1 meter = 7'0", 5 meters = 6'9"		
Time:	Session 1 - 10 & undersWarm Ups at 9:00Session 2 - 11-12sWarm Ups at 1:15Specific Warm Up instructions will be posted to the	PM Meet Starts at 1:45 PM	
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Meet Director:Kara Haraden 518-365-6516 hondamen@aol.comMeet Marshall:Bruce Rowledge 518-374-7854 bruce@rowledge.comMeet Referee:JoAnn Faucett 518-399-0494Meet Entry Coordinator:Patty Rowledge 518-374-7854 prowledg@nycap.rr.com

Entry Rules:

The eligibility of an athlete will be determined by his or her age on December 15, 2012. Rules from the current USA Swimming Technical Rules will be in effect. Entries must be prepared using Hy-Tek or compatible Software and submitted via email to Patty Rowledge at <u>prowledg@nycap.rr.com</u>. Team entries must be received by **Monday**, **December 3**, 2012, 5:00PM. Deadline for **AD LSC** teams for priority placement is **Friday**, **November 30**, 2012, 5:00PM. Please be certain you receive a reply to your email with entries ... follow up if you do NOT receive a reply.

All events will be timed finals for 8 & under, 9-10 and 11-12 age groups. Swimmers may enter and swim up to **5 individual events plus 1** relay. One individual event should be identified in Hy-Tek Team Manager as a bonus event. (Teams using Team Unify must submit an entry report with their entry file, Meet Manager does not import the bonus marker from Team Unify.) The attempt will be to limit each session to as close to **2.5** hours as possible. In the event the meet is oversubscribed, the bonus event will be cut first. If the meet is still oversubscribed, the meet director will work with the meet referee to determine a resolution in the best interest of the swimmers. The entry fees for any events that are cut will be refunded. If you have any questions or need any help please contact Patty Rowledge at 518-374-7854 prowledg@nycap.rr.com. Teams will be notified if any cuts occur due to the oversubscription of the meet.

USA Swimming Registration:

All swimmers must be currently registered with USA Swimming, Inc. Registrations may be obtained from your club registrar.

ALL Swimmers MUST be Registered, with the AD Registrar, by the Meet Entry Deadline.

All Adirondack Meets are reconciled for current USA Swimming Registration.

Unregistered swimmers will be removed from the meet and a \$25.00 Fine Imposed. (<u>Click Here for More Information</u>) Unattached athletes may obtain forms and instructions from the Adirondack Swimming Web Site <u>www.adirondackswimming.org</u> Direct registration questions to the Adirondack Registrar, Kathleen Furman, 518-384-0223 or <u>kfurman@adirondackswimming.org</u>

NOTE: ALL ATHLETES ATTENDING ANY SANCTIONED MEET, MUST BE UNDER THE DIRECT SUPERVISION OF A CURRENTLY RESGISTERED AND CERTIFIED, USA SWIMMING COACH MEMBER. IF YOU ARE AN UNATTACHED ATHLETE, OR YOUR COACH WILL NOT BE ATTENDING THE MEET, YOU AND/OR YOUR COACH, MUST CONTACT THE MEET DIRECTOR OR AN ATTENDING COACH, IN ADVANCE, TO MAKE ARRANGEMENTS FOR AN ATTENDING COACH TO ASSUME RESPONSIBILITY FOR YOU. 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. **These are USA Swimming Rules, there are no exceptions.**

Swimming Events:

All events will be swum as timed finals. Fly over starts will be in use. The meet will be pre-seeded.

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. Note: A specific warm-up schedule will be posted to the Adirondack Swimming website.(www.adirondackswimming.org_click the "Meets" tab for schedule)

Bull Pen:

Swimmers who are 8 and under are expected to line up in the bull pen area for the 25 yard events only.

Timers:

Clubs will be required to provide timers based upon their number of entries. Lane assignments will be posted to the Adirondack Swimming website (<u>www.adirondackswimming.org</u>) and in the meet program.

Deck Entries:

Adirondack Swimming has agreed to allow Deck Entries at AD Meets under the following conditions;

1. Deck Entries are NOT Allowed during Championship Meets

2. Athlete must be USA-S Registered and show Proof of Registration (those already in meet have been confirmed as registered). Acceptable forms of Proof of Registration are: USA-Swimming ID or USA-Swimming Club Portal Current Team Listing.

If athlete cannot prove USA-S Registration, Adirondack accepts Deck Registration, to UN-AD (unattached) at a fee of \$108. DECK REGISTRATIONS WILL NOT BE MADE WITH ANY TEAM ASSOCIATION, PLEASE DO NOT ASK.

3. Coach makes the request for the entry.

4. All Deck Entries will be allowed at the discretion of a combined decision of the Meet Director and the Meet Referee.

5. Deck Entries are Subject to a \$1.00 Surcharge, Per Entry, which applies to All Entries, Individual or Relays.

Meet Policy:

Use of Audio or Visual Recording Devices, Including a Cell Phone, is not permitted in changing areas, rest rooms or locker rooms. 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. No one will be allowed on the deck except USA-S Registered Officials, 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.

No parents (except timers and meet marshals ON SHIFT) are allowed on deck.

Photographers:

Any photographer or videographer, who intends to take pictures at an Adirondack Swimming sanctioned meet, must complete and submit a Photographer Registration Form to the Meet Director before commencing activity. Forms are available on the Adirondack Swimming website as well as from the Meet Director. Click here for a direct link to the registration form.

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

Disabled Athletes:

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

Services:

Food will be on sale throughout the meet. A meet program will be available which will cover all sessions. A swimming equipment vendor will be selling equipment during the meet. Smoking is NOT permitted in the building. Parents, coaches and swimmers are not to bring glass containers of any kind into the pool area.

DO NOT pack any glass containers when going to any pool.

Officials:

There will be an official's meeting conducted promptly 30 minutes before each session. Attendance is MANDATORY to work the meet. Please sign up in official's room before the start of officials meeting.

Awards:

Individual events ribbons will be awarded for $1^{s} - 8^{th}$ place. Relay events ribbons will be awarded to the 1 - 3 place teams.

Entry Fees:

An entry summary sheet is included to compute your team entry fees. The entry fees are \$3.50 individual event, (this includes the \$.50 travel fund surcharge), and \$6.00 per relay (including the \$1.00 travel fund surcharge). There is also a \$1 per swimmer surcharge. ALL MANUAL ENTRIES, INCLUDING DECK ENTRIES (NON-ELECTRONIC) ARE SUBJECT TOA SURCHARGE OF \$1.00 PER ENTRY, WHICH APPLIES TO INDIVIDUAL OR RELAY ENTRIES.

Entries must be emailed to Patty Rowledge at prowledg@nycap.rr.com.

NO ENTRIES WILL BE ACCEPTED WITHOUT THE REQUIRED FEES.

Mail your hard copies and entry check, payable to "Schenectady-Saratoga Swim Club", to; Patty Rowledge, 21 Haviland Drive Scotia, NY 12302 518-374-7854 Entries will be entered to the meet upon receipt of your check.

Hotel Accommodations:

Holiday Inn Schenectady -Walking distance to Union College 100 Nott Terrace, Schenectady, NY 12308 Phone: 518-393-4141 x 485 ... Fax: 518-377-8400

Sales@hischenectady.com

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Hosted by Schenectady-Saratoga Swim Club December 15, 2012 Union College

Session 1: 10 & Under WARM UPS 9:00 AM – MEET STARTS AT 9:45 AM

GIRLS	<u>EVENT</u>	BOYS
1	8-Under 50 Free	2
3	10-Under 100 Free	4
5	8-Under 25 Fly	6
7	9-10 50 Fly	8
9	8-Under 25 Back	10
11	9-10 50 Back	12
13	8-Under 25 Breast	14
15	9-10 50 Breast	16
17	8-Under 25 Free	18
19	9-10 50 Free	20
21	8-Under 100 IM	22
23	9-10 100 IM	24
25	10-UNDER 200 FREE RELAY	26

<u>Session 2: 11 – 12 year olds</u> WARM UPS 1:15 PM – MEET STARTS AT 1:45 PM

GIRLS	<u>EVENT</u>	BOYS
27	11-12 100 Free	28
29	11-12 50 Fly	30
31	11-12 50 Back	32
33	11-12 50 Breast	34
35	11-12 50 Free	36
37	11-12 100 IM	38
39	11-12 200 FREE RELAY	40

Swimmers May Enter and Swim 5 Individual Events Plus 1 Relay

\$3.50 PER INDIVIDUAL EVENT, \$6.00 PER RELAY EVENT \$1.00 SURCHARGE PER SWIMMER \$1.00 SURCHARGE FOR ALL MANUAL ENTRIES

Ribbons awarded for 1st through 8th place in individual events Ribbons awarded for 1st through 3rd place in relay events

Schenectady-Saratoga Swim Club ENTRY FEE CALCULATION SHEET "Saratoga 12&Under MINI-MEET, December 15, 2012 at Union College"

TEAM NAME:	
CONTACT PERSON:_	
PHONE NUMBER:	
E-Mail ADDRESS:	

Number of Individual Entries	_ X \$3.50 = \$
Number of Swimmers	_ X \$1.00 = \$
Number of Relays	X \$6.00 = \$
Number of Manual Entries	X \$1.00 = \$
Total Entry Fee Due	\$
Total Amount Due and Enclosed	

MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO "Schenectady-Saratoga Swim Club" Patty Rowledge 21 Haviland Drive Scotia, NY 12302 518-374-7854

This form must be returned with Entry Report and Check

ENTRY DEADLINE... Monday, December 3, 2012 BY 5PM

Mail Entry Report, This Form and Check to: *Entries must be sent E-mail to: prowledg@nycap.rr.com *Your team check must be received to have entries added to the meet.