

2013 BEAR Invitational
June 15-16, 2013
University of Connecticut

Wolff-Zackin Natatorium, 2095 Hillside Road, Storrs, CT 06269

Held under sanction of USA Swimming and Connecticut Swimming #L13-26

MEET EVENTS

IMPORTABLE MEET EVENTS

	Name	Email	Phone
Meet Director:	Jon Levine	Aquabears@cox.net	860-944-9463
Meet Referee:	Jeff Scobee	jscobee19@gmail.com	
Entry Chair:	Jon Levine	Aquabears@cox.net	860-944-9463
Safety Chair:	Jill Donohue	srdonohue@yahoo.com	860-508-7764

WEBSITE: <http://www.bearswim.com>

POOL EMERGENCY NUMBER: If there is an emergency, please contact campus police at (860) 486-4800.

Meet Type: Sanctioned

MEET CLASSIFICATION: This meet is open to all USA Swimming athletes and clubs.

MEET FORMAT: The meet will be swum as Timed-Finals

SCRATCH PROCEDURES: Scratch sheets for each session will be provided and must be submitted 20 minutes after the start of warm-ups.

FACILITY: The Wolff-Zackin Pool is a 6-lane, 50 meter pool. Colorado timing with six lane display will be used. There is seating for approximately 500 spectators. The competition course has been certified in accordance with 104.2.2c(4). The copy of such certification is on file with USA swimming. Water depth at the start end is 5', and 14' at the turn end.

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

DISABLED ACCESS: Handicapped parking and pool deck access is available behind the pool. Please contact the Meet Director if you need special arrangements.

COURSE: LCM

SESSION TIMES:	Sat./Sun. A.M.	12/under	Warm-up 9:00 A.M.	Start	10:00 A.M.
	Sat./Sun. P.M.	13/over	Warm-up 2:30 P.M.	Start	3:30 P.M.

WARM-UPS: CT Swimming Warm-Up Procedures will be in effect.

ELIGIBILITY: All athletes must be current athlete members of USA Swimming. Age on the first day of the meet shall determine the swimmer's age and age group for the meet. Any swimmer who is entered and is unregistered, will be scratched from the meet until registration is completed. See CT Swimming athlete [registration procedures](#). Registrations will not be processed at the meet. All coaches must present a valid USA Swimming coach card to the Meet Director prior to the commencement of any sanctioned swim meet, and must have this card with them while on deck.

ADAPTED SWIMMING: Any current athlete members of USA Swimming with a disability as defined by USA Swimming Rules and Regulations may enter this meet. If modifications to USA Swimming rules are necessary then the coach or athlete must notify the meet referee of any disability prior to competition. Adapted athletes may direct questions to [Mark Kinne](#), adapted Athlete Committee Chair.

ENTRY LIMITATIONS: Swimmers may enter and compete in 5 events per day.

ENTRY TIMES: Submit entry times in: LCM. No Times are discouraged.

DEADLINES: Entry deadline is May 15, 2013. Mail hardcopy and payment to the entry chairperson: Jon Levine, 4 Northwoods Road, North Granby, CT 06060. All entries must be typed or printed legibly, and must use full names and registration numbers from USA Swimming registration. The date of receipt will be based upon when payment is received by the Meet Manager.

CONNECTICUT-ONLY DEADLINE: CT deadline is May 1, 2013. The date of receipt will be based upon when payment was received by the Meet Manager. CT clubs meeting this deadline will be entered before out of state clubs.

ELECTRONIC ENTRIES: Electronic entries (such as from Hy-Tek Team Manager or other team management software) that are in CL2 or SD3/SDIF format may be emailed as an attachment to the entry chair at Aquabears@cox.net. Please check that your team name, address, and contact information are listed correctly in this file. Payment is expected within 5 days of the submission of the electronic entry, and the "received date" will be the date when the entry fees arrive.

ENTRIES FROM ATHLETES WITH NO CLUB AFFILIATION: Athletes entering this meet independent of a USA Swimming club or coach shall: 1.) be under the supervision of a USA Swimming coach for the duration of the meet. It is the swimmer's responsibility to make arrangements with a USA Swimming member coach prior to the meet. Athletes unaccompanied by a USA Swimming coach will not be permitted on deck. Please contact the Meet Director for assistance. 2) 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. The name of the USA Swimming member coach supervising the athlete and racing certification should be submitted to the Meet Director with the entry.

ENTRY FEES: Electronic entries: \$6.50 for individual events. Manual entries: \$10.00 for all individual events. No refunds will be given for entries that are accepted, or for entries that are rejected due to improper entry

PAYMENT INSTRUCTIONS: Please make checks payable to Aquabears LLC and mail to: Jon Levine, 4 Northwoods Road, North Granby, CT 06060. Payment must be received by May 20, 2013.

CUT PROTOCOL for INVITATIONALS: The Aquabears will limit each session to 4 hours. Events 200 meters and longer may be heat limited. Clubs will be notified of changes no later than Monday before the meet.

Changes: The meet referee reserves the right to make any adjustments to the provisions of the meet announcement deemed necessary to ensure the fair and efficient running of the meet, with prior approval from Program Operations. Clubs will be notified of changes no later than Monday before the meet.

RELAYS: No

SAFETY:

1. Diving will be prohibited during warm-ups except in specifically announced one-way sprint lanes. There will be no diving in the warm-up and warm-down areas at any time
2. No shaving is permitted at the competition site.
3. No glass containers are permitted within the facility.
4. Swimmers must be under the supervision of a coach. If a swimmer arrives at the meet without a coach, the swimmer should notify the referee before he/she warms up. The referee will assign the swimmer to a registered coach for warm-ups.
5. No electronic audio or visual recording devices, including cell phones, are permitted in changing areas, rest rooms, or locker rooms.

RULES: Current USA Swimming rules will govern all competition.

TIME TRIALS: Yes. Time trials will be offered at the discretion of the meet referee if time allows. Time trials are \$10.00 for individual events. Time trial events count toward the total number of event limitations per session. Time trial events are limited to those events published in this meet announcement.

TIMERS, OFFICIALS OR WORK ASSIGNMENTS: Teams will be asked to supply timers in relationship to the size of their entry. Teams supplying names of parents willing to officiate will have their timing assignments adjusted.

DECK ACCESS: Only athletes, coaches, officials, and official meet staff actively participating in the meet are permitted on the pool deck.

SCORING: The meet will not be scored.

AWARDS: No

CONCESSIONS: Yes

HOSPITALITY FOR COACHES AND OFFICIALS: Yes

Directions: <http://www.uconnhuskies.com/facilities/directions.htm>

Parking: Ample parking is available adjacent to the pool in the parking garage.

Session Report

Session: 1 Saturday AM 12/unders

Day of Meet: 1 Starts at 10:00 AM Heat Interval: 15 Seconds / Back +15 Seco

Round	Event	Entries	Heats	Starts at
Finals	1 Girls 12 & Under 50 Freestyl	0	0	10:00 AM
Finals	2 Boys 12 & Under 50 Freestyle	0	0	10:00 AM
Finals	3 Girls 12 & Under 100 Backstro	0	0	10:00 AM
Finals	4 Boys 12 & Under 100 Backstro	0	0	10:00 AM
Finals	5 Girls 12 & Under 50 Breastst	0	0	10:00 AM
Finals	6 Boys 12 & Under 50 Breaststr	0	0	10:00 AM
Finals	7 Girls 12 & Under 100 Butterf	0	0	10:00 AM
Finals	8 Boys 12 & Under 100 Butterfl	0	0	10:00 AM
Finals	9 Girls 12 & Under 200 Freesty	0	0	10:00 AM
Finals	10 Boys 12 & Under 200 Freestyl	0	0	10:00 AM
	Finish Time			10:00 AM

Session: 2 Saturday PM 13/overs

Day of Meet: 1 Starts at 03:30 PM Heat Interval: 15 Seconds / Back +15 Seco

Round	Event	Entries	Heats	Starts at
Finals	11 Girls 13 & Over 100 Butterfl	0	0	03:30 PM
Finals	12 Boys 13 & Over 100 Butterfly	0	0	03:30 PM
Finals	13 Girls 13 & Over 50 Freestyle	0	0	03:30 PM
Finals	14 Boys 13 & Over 50 Freestyle	0	0	03:30 PM
Finals	15 Girls 13 & Over 200 Freestyl	0	0	03:30 PM
Finals	16 Boys 13 & Over 200 Freestyle	0	0	03:30 PM
Finals	17 Girls 13 & Over 100 Backstro	0	0	03:30 PM
Finals	18 Boys 13 & Over 100 Backstro	0	0	03:30 PM
Finals	19 Girls 13 & Over 200 Breastst	0	0	03:30 PM
Finals	20 Boys 13 & Over 200 Breaststr	0	0	03:30 PM
Finals	21 Girls 13 & Over 400 IM	0	0	03:30 PM
Finals	22 Boys 13 & Over 400 IM	0	0	03:30 PM
	Finish Time			03:30 PM

Session: 3 Sunday AM 12/unders

Day of Meet: 2 Starts at 10:00 AM Heat Interval: 15 Seconds / Back +15 Seco

Round	Event	Entries	Heats	Starts at
Finals	23 Girls 12 & Under 100 Freesty	0	0	10:00 AM
Finals	24 Boys 12 & Under 100 Freestyl	0	0	10:00 AM
Finals	25 Girls 12 & Under 50 Backstro	0	0	10:00 AM
Finals	26 Boys 12 & Under 50 Backstrok	0	0	10:00 AM
Finals	27 Girls 12 & Under 100 Breastst	0	0	10:00 AM
Finals	28 Boys 12 & Under 100 Breastst	0	0	10:00 AM
Finals	29 Girls 12 & Under 50 Butterfl	0	0	10:00 AM
Finals	30 Boys 12 & Under 50 Butterfly	0	0	10:00 AM
Finals	31 Girls 12 & Under 200 IM	0	0	10:00 AM
Finals	32 Boys 12 & Under 200 IM	0	0	10:00 AM
	Finish Time			10:00 AM

Session: 4 Sunday PM 13/overs

Day of Meet: 2 Starts at 03:30 PM Heat Interval: 15 Seconds / Back +15 Seco

Round	Event	Entries	Heats	Starts at
Finals	33 Girls 13 & Over 100 Freestyl	0	0	03:30 PM
Finals	34 Boys 13 & Over 100 Freestyle	0	0	03:30 PM
Finals	35 Girls 13 & Over 200 Backstro	0	0	03:30 PM
Finals	36 Boys 13 & Over 200 Backstrok	0	0	03:30 PM
Finals	37 Girls 13 & Over 100 Breastst	0	0	03:30 PM
Finals	38 Boys 13 & Over 100 Breaststr	0	0	03:30 PM
Finals	39 Girls 13 & Over 200 Butterfl	0	0	03:30 PM
Finals	40 Boys 13 & Over 200 Butterfly	0	0	03:30 PM
Finals	41 Girls 13 & Over 200 IM	0	0	03:30 PM
Finals	42 Boys 13 & Over 200 IM	0	0	03:30 PM
Finals	43 Girls 13 & Over 400 Freestyl	0	0	03:30 PM
Finals	44 Boys 13 & Over 400 Freestyle	0	0	03:30 PM
	Finish Time			03:30 PM