

OMNI 1500 Freestyle
June 20, 2014
Yale University – Payne Whitney Gymnasium
70 Tower Parkway – New Haven, CT 06520

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EVENTS

IMPORTABLE MEET EVENTS

	Name	Email	Phone
Meet Director:	Tim Wise	Tim.wise@yale.edu	203 432 1498
Meet Referee:	Don Galluzzi	Don.galluzzi@att.net	201 306 6631
Entry Chair:	Tim Wise	Tim.wise@yale.edu	203 432 1498
Safety Chair:	Kevin Norman	Kevin.norman@yale.edu	203 436 8909
Officials Contact:	Tim Wise	Tim.wise@yale.edu	203 432 1498

WEBSITE: <http://www.omniswimming.org/>

POOL EMERGENCY NUMBER: 203 – 432 - 2480

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-Final.

SCRATCH PROCEDURES: Scratches will be due 20 minutes after warm up begins.

FACILITY: The Practice Pool is a 5 -lane, 50 meter pool. Water depth at start end is: 12 feet. Water depth at turn end is: 4 feet. The competition course has not been certified in accordance with 104.2.2C(4). Manual timing will be used. Limited seating is available on the 4th floor balcony. Swimmers and spectators should bring their own chairs.

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

DISABLED ACCESS: Handicapped parking is available in front of Payne Whitney. The practice pool deck and spectator area are handicapped friendly. Contact the meet director for more information

COURSE: LCM.

SESSION TIMES: 5:00 pm warm up – 5:40 start

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

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. 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 compete in 1 event including time trials.

ENTRY TIMES: Submit entry times in: LCM. If a swimmer does not have an official time please submit estimated times. No Times (NT) will not be accepted.

DEADLINES: Deadline is June 13, 2014. Mail hardcopy and payment to the entry chairperson: Tim Wise – 85 Merriman Road, Wethersfield, CT 06109. All entries must be legible and must use full names and registration numbers from USA Swimming registration. Entries will be accepted on a first come – first serve basis until the meet is full; entry date will be date entry is received, regardless of delivery method.

CONNECTICUT-ONLY DEADLINE: CT deadline May 20, 2014. CT clubs meeting this deadline will be entered before out of state clubs. Entry date will be date entry is received, regardless of delivery method.

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 tim.wise@yale.edu. Please check that your team name, address, and contact information are listed correctly in this file. Payment is expected before the meet begins. Clubs will be notified that their entry has been received within 48 hours via email confirmation. If you do not receive confirmation within 48 hours please contact the meet manager to verify that the entry has been received. Clubs will be notified of their acceptance into the meet no later than June 13th.

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: \$10.00 for individual events. Manual entries: \$15.00 for 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 Omni Swim Club and mail to: Tim Wise – 85 Merriman Road, Wethersfield, CT 06109. Payment must be received by 06/20/14.

CUT PROTOCOL: Teams will be notified of entry acceptance within 48 hours of entry arrival. Clubs will be notified of changes no later than Monday before the meet. Entries will be accepted on a first come first serve basis.

RESERVE THE RIGHT TO MAKE 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.

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. Use of audio or visual recording devices, including a cell phone, is not permitted in changing areas, rest rooms or locker rooms.

PHOTOGRAPHY AND VIDEO RECORDING:

Meet Management has the full authority to restrict any and all photography and visual recording at the meet. Photography or video recording (using cameras, video cameras, iPads, cell phones, etc) from the deck is prohibited by all individuals other than participating Coach and Athlete Members unless prior authorization from the Meet Referee or his/her designee has been granted. Flash photography is prohibited during the start of any heat, including whenever any swimmer is stepping up or standing on a block for the purpose of the start of a heat.

Additionally, the following “Non-Camera Zones” shall be enforced:

- Photography or video recording and the use of audio or visual recording devices, including a cell phone, is not permitted in changing areas, rest rooms or locker rooms.
- Photography or video recording (using cameras, video cameras, iPads, cell phones, etc) is not permitted in the area immediately behind the starting blocks at either end of the racing course(s) while they are in use for “race starting purposes” during competition and warm-ups.
- Additional "Non-Camera Zones" may be designated by Meet Management.

Any individual failing to abide by these rules may be ejected from the facility and be subject to a Code of Conduct violation at the discretion of Meet Management.

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: Swimmers will be required to provide their own timer and lap counter. Participating clubs must be notified of work assignments by the Wednesday before the meet. Officials who contact the meet director before the Wednesday before the meet will be given credit towards their teams work assignment.

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

PARKING: is available in front of and behind the Payne Whitney Gymnasium.

DIRECTIONS: Take Exit 3 off of I - 91 (Trumbull Street). Go straight through three lights, at the fourth light take left (Prospect). At the next light take right (Grove street). Follow road through one light and Payne Whitney is straight ahead. Practice Pool is located on the third floor.

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Session Report

Session: 1 Friday Afternoon

Day of Meet: 1 Starts at 05:40 PM Heat Interval: 20 Seconds / Back +15 Seconds

Round	Event	Entries	Heats	Starts at
Finals	1 Women 13 & Over 1500 Freestyle	0	0	05:40 PM _____
Finals	2 Men 13 & Over 1500 Freestyle	0	0	05:40 PM _____
	Finish Time			05:40 PM _____