WHAT Swimming 10 & under Spring Showcase May 10, 2014

Miss Porter's Natatorium 88 Garden Street, Farmington, Connecticut 06032

Held under sanction of USA Swimming and Connecticut Swimming, Inc. #L14-9. In granting this sanction it is understood and agreed that USA Swimming and Connecticut Swimming, Inc. shall be free and held harmless from any liabilities or claims for damages arising by reason of injuries to anyone during the conduct of the event.

EVENTS IMPORTABLE MEET EVENTS

	Name	Email	Phone
Meet Director:	Rob Riccobon	whatcoaches@gmail.com	860-985-2818
Meet Referee:	Mike Wertheimer	michaelwertheimer@sbcglobal.net	860-408-9457
Entry Chair:	Rob Riccobon	whatcoaches@gmail.com	860-985-2818
Safety Chair:	Linda McClure	Lmcclure11@msn.com	860-205-5784
Officials Contact:	Mike Wertheimer	michaelwertheimer@sbcglobal.net	860-408-9457

WEBSITE: www.whatswim.org

POOL EMERGENCY NUMBER: 860-409-3650 (Miss Porter's Security)

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: Coaches will receive a scratch sheet for the meet in their information packets listing all of their swimmers and events for that session. Coaches must indicate all scratches on these sheets and turn them in to the office within one half hour after the beginning of warm-up. If a scratch sheet is not received by that deadline all swimmers will be considered **NOT** to be scratched and will be seeded in their entered events, except that any over-entered swimmers will be scratched from their last event(s) until they are in compliance with entry rules.

FACILITY: : The Miss Porter's Pool is an 8-lane 25 yard facility with Daktronics Timing, limited deck space and spectator seating of 250. Parking can be found on the west side of the building (handicapped parking spaces available) and designated parking on Garden Street. The competition course has not been certified in accordance with 104.2.2C (4). Changing into or out of swimsuits other than in locker rooms or other designated areas is prohibited.

DISABLED ACCESS: The Miss Porter's Pool is handicapped accessible with a handicapped locker room. Please contact Katie Riccobon, 860.306.2512 for more information and special arrangements.

COURSE: SCY

SESSION TIMES: Subject to Change 8:10am Warm-up 9:30am Start

WARM-UPS: CT Swimming Warm-Up Procedures will be in effect. 8 lanes will be used for the first three warm-up sessions: 1-8:10am-8:20am; 2-8:20am-8:40am; 3-8:40am-9:00am

A specific warm-up session will be held following the general warm-up session from 9:00am-9:20am.

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 <u>prior</u> to competition. Adapted athletes may direct questions to <u>Mark Kinne</u>, Adapted Athlete Committee Chair.

EVENT INFORMATION: Heat Winner Ribbons; Musical Heats; Prize Table

ENTRY LIMITATIONS: Swimmers may enter a maximum of 5 individual events per day. In the event of over-subscription the meet director will contact the participating clubs asking for a resubmission of the entry with four events.

ENTRY TIMES: Submit entry times in: SCY

DEADLINES: Deadline is May 2nd, 2014. Please send entry via email. No hardcopy necessary unless using 'snail' mail only. If hand writing, all entries must be typed or printed legibly, and must use full names and registration numbers from USA Swimming registration Mail hardcopy, if necessary, and payment to the entry chairperson:

WHAT Swimming 113 Ballard Drive West Hartford, CT 06119 (860) 985.2818 whatswim@gmail.com

Receipt of email will determine date of entry.

CONNECTICUT-ONLY DEADLINE: May 1st, 2014. Receipt of email will determine date of entry). 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 whatswim@gmail.com Please check that your team name, address, and contact information are listed correctly in this file. Receipt of email will determine date of entry.

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 \$10.00 for relays. Manual entries: \$10.00 for individual events and \$15.00 for relays. 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 WHAT Swimming and mail to: Rob Riccobon, 113 Ballard Drive, West Hartford, Ct 06119. Payment must be received by 05/02/14.

CUT PROTOCOL: CT teams whose entries are received by the CT deadline will be entered first, after which all other teams will be entered on a first-come, first-served basis. If a session is over-subscribed first 7/Unders, followed by relays, and then all fourth events will be cut. If the time line estimate still exceeds four hours teams will be cut based on date of receipt. Clubs will be notified of cuts no later than Monday before the meet.

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.

RELAYS: Yes. There are no relay limitations. All relay swimmers must be officially entered in 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 and \$14.00 for relays. 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: All teams will be required to provide timers in proportion to the size of their team entry. Timer assignments will be emailed to all teams prior to the meet. It is the responsibility of each team representative or coach to make sure that their timers report for the timers meeting and remain in place throughout the session. If timers need to be relieved, it is their team's responsibility to provide a replacement timer. Participating clubs will be notified of work assignments by the Monday before the meet.

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: Yes

CONCESSIONS: Yes

HOSPITALITY FOR COACHES AND OFFICIALS: Yes

PARKING: Parking is available on the west side of the pool. Overflow designated parking is on Garden Street. Only park in designated spaces and street marked parking areas. No parking on medians.

DIRECTIONS:

- Take Exit 39 from Interstate 84 (east or west).
- Go straight through the traffic light onto Route 4 West (Farmington Avenue).
- Continue through the blinking light.
- Turn left at the 2nd traffic light onto Garden Street.
- Continue straight through the stop sign. Pool will be on your right

WHAT 2nd Annual 10 & Under Spring Showcase - 5/10/2014 Session Report

Session: 1 10 and Under Session

Day of Meet: 1 Starts at 09:30 AM Heat Interval: 45 Seconds / Back +15 Seconds

Round		Event	Entries	Heats	Starts at
Finals	1	Girls 10 & Under 100 Freestyle Relay	0	0	09:30 AM
Finals	2	Boys 10 & Under 100 Freestyle Relay	0	0	09:30 AM
Finals	3	Girls 10 & Under 50 Butterfly	0	0	09:30 AM
Finals	4	Boys 10 & Under 50 Butterfly	0	0	09:30 AM
Finals	5	Girls 8 & Under 25 Butterfly	0	0	09:30 AM
Finals	6	Boys 8 & Under 25 Butterfly	0	0	09:30 AM
Finals	7	Girls 10 & Under 50 Backstroke	0	0	09:30 AM
Finals	8	Boys 10 & Under 50 Backstroke	0	0	09:30 AM
Finals	9	Girls 8 & Under 25 Backstroke	0	0	09:30 AM
Finals	10	Boys 8 & Under 25 Backstroke	0	0	09:30 AM
Finals	11	Girls 10 & Under 50 Breaststroke	0	0	09:30 AM
Finals	12	Boys 10 & Under 50 Breaststroke	0	0	09:30 AM
Finals	13	Girls 8 & Under 25 Breaststroke	0	0	09:30 AM
Finals	14	Boys 8 & Under 25 Breaststroke	0	0	09:30 AM
Finals	15	Girls 10 & Under 50 Freestyle	0	0	09:30 AM
Finals	16	Boys 10 & Under 50 Freestyle	0	0	09:30 AM
Finals	17	Girls 8 & Under 25 Freestyle	0	0	09:30 AM
Finals	18	Boys 8 & Under 25 Freestyle	0	0	09:30 AM
Finals	19	Girls 10 & Under 100 Medley Relay	0	0	09:30 AM
Finals	20	Boys 10 & Under 100 Medley Relay	0	0	09:30 AM
		Finish Time			09:30 AM