WHAT Swimming **Snowball Classic January 2-3, 2016**

Miss Porter's Pool, 88 Garden Street, Farmington, CT 06032

Held under sanction of USA Swimming and Connecticut Swimming, Inc. #S15-58. 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

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Meet Referee:	Mike Wertheimer	michaelwertheimer@sbcglobal.net	860-408-9457
Entry Chair:	Rob Riccobon	whatcoaches@gmail.com	860-985-2818
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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 the events for that session. Coaches must indicate all scratches on these sheets and turn them into the office within one half hour after the beginning of warm-up. If the 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 the entry rules. USA Swimming Rulebook 102.3

FACILITY: The Miss Porter's School Pool is an 8-lane, 25-yard pool. Water depth at start end is: 10 feet. Water depth at turn end is: 5 feet. The competition course has not been certified in accordance with 104.2.2C(4). The facility is equipped with Daktronics Timing and has spectator seating for 250. The spectator area is accessible by stairs or elevator and is located above the competition pool. Changing into or out of swimsuits other than in locker rooms or other designated areas is prohibited.

DISABLED ACCESS: The Miss Porter's School Pool is handicapped accessible with a handicapped locker room. Please contact Miss Porter's Aquatics Director, Katie Riccobon, at 860-409-3711, for more information or special arrangements.

COURSE: SCY

SESSION TIMES: Subject to Change Warm-Up 7:00am Start 8:00am

12:00pm Start 1:00pm WARM-UPS: CT Swimming Warm-Up Procedures will be in effect. AM Session: 7:00am-7:20am (8 lanes) 7:20am-7:40am (8 lanes) 7:40am-7:50am (8 lanes of Specific Warm-Up) PM Session: 12:00pm-12:20pm (8 lanes) 12:20pm-12:40pm (8 lanes) 12:40-12:55pm (8 lanes of Specific 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. 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.

ENTRY LIMITATIONS: Swimmers may enter a maximum of 5 individual events per day/ 10 per meet. Relays do not count toward individual entries.

ENTRY TIMES: Submit entry times in: SCY. If there are no official times for an athlete, please submit estimated times. No Times (NT's) will not be accepted.

DEADLINES: deadline is December 18th, 2015. Mail hardcopy and payment to the entry chairperson at WHAT Swimming, 113 Ballard drive, West Hartford, CT 06119. All entries must be legible and must use full names and registration numbers from USA Swimming registration. Receipt of an e-mailed entry will determine date of entry.

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 whatcoaches@gmail.com. Please check that your team name, address, and contact information are listed December 18th, 2015.

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: \$7.00 for individual events, \$7.00 for distance event, \$10.00 for relays. Manual entries: \$10.00 for individual events, \$10.00 for distance events, \$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: WHAT Swimming, 113 Ballard Drive, West Hartford, CT 06119. Payment must be received by 12/18/15.

CUT PROTOCOL:

If the session is oversubscribed the following protocol will be instituted IN THE ORDER PRESENTED to reduce the timeline to the required length or participation number:

- 1. Athletes aged 6 and Under will be cut from the meet.
- 2. All relays will be eliminated.
- 3. The distance events (500 yards or greater) may be heat limited to the first 6 heats of entries per gender <u>in</u> the order they were received.
- 4. The maximum number of events allowed per day may be reduced by one (1).
- 5. Visiting teams may be cut based on the date/time of the receipt of the final paid entry. If teams are cut, the host reserves the right to offer the available partial entry to the cut teams in the order that entries were received in order to fill the meet.

The host reserves the right to seek approval from Program Operations for additional changes, which may reasonably maximize participation opportunities.

Notification of any cuts or changes will be made to Program Operations and the attending teams as soon as possible and not later than the Monday before the meet.

NOTE: If the host is required to institute the published cut protocol above. All accepted entries at the time that the cut protocol is instituted may be considered final by the host for the purposes of financial responsibility. (i.e. Teams submitting "placeholder" entries will be required to pay for the entries if the cut protocol is required).

RESERVE THE RIGHT TO MAKE CHANGES: In accordance with CSI Policies, 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. The Meet Referee will seek Program Operations approval for changes requiring approval. 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: No

TIMERS, OFFICIALS OR WORK ASSIGNMENTS: Teams will be required to supply timers in proportion to the size of their entry. Qualified officials interested in working the meet, please contact Mike Wertheimer at 860-408-9457. Swimmers will need to provide their own timers/counters for the 500 freetyle and 400 IM. Participating clubs must be notifies 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: No.

CONCESSIONS: Yes

HOSPITALITY FOR COACHES AND OFFICIALS: Yes

PARKING: Parking is available on the west side of the pool. Overflow parking is on Garden Street and the Grist Mill Lot. Only park in designated areas. No parking on the medians or grass.

DIRECTIONS: The Miss Porter's School Pool is located at 88 Garden Street, Farmington, CT 06032

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 2nd traffic light onto Garden Street

Continue through the stop sign.

Pool will be on your right (brick building- 88 Garden Street)

Session: 1 WHAT Snowball Classic

Day of Meet: 1 Starts at 08:00 AM Heat Interval: 15 Seconds / Back +15 Seconds

Round		Event	Entries	Heats	Starts at
Finals	1	Girls 500 Freestyle	0	0	08:00 AM
Finals	2	Boys 500 Freestyle	0	0	08:00 AM
Finals	3	Girls 11-12 200 Medley Relay	0	0	08:00 AM
Finals	4	Boys 11-12 200 Medley Relay	0	0	08:00 AM
Finals	5	Girls 15 & Over 200 Medley Relay	0	0	08:00 AM
Finals	6	Boys 15 & Over 200 Medley Relay	0	0	08:00 AM
Finals	7	Girls 11-12 100 Freestyle	0	0	08:00 AM
Finals	8	Boys 11-12 100 Freestyle	0	0	08:00 AM
Finals	9	Girls 15 & Over 100 Freestyle	0	0	08:00 AM
Finals	10	Boys 15 & Over 100 Freestyle	0	0	08:00 AM
Finals	11	Girls 11-12 50 Backstroke	0	0	08:00 AM
Finals	12	Boys 11-12 50 Backstroke	0	0	08:00 AM
Finals	13	Girls 15 & Over 100 Backstroke	0	0	08:00 AM
Finals	14	Boys 15 & Over 100 Backstroke	0	0	08:00 AM
Finals	15	Girls 11-12 100 Breaststroke	0	0	08:00 AM
Finals	16	Boys 11-12 100 Breaststroke	0	0	08:00 AM
Finals	17	Girls 200 Breaststroke	0	0	08:00 AM
Finals	18	Boys 200 Breaststroke	0	0	08:00 AM
Finals	19	Girls 11-12 50 Butterfly	0	0	08:00 AM
Finals	20	Boys 11-12 50 Butterfly	0	0	08:00 AM
Finals	21	Girls 200 Butterfly	0	0	08:00 AM
Finals	22	Boys 200 Butterfly	0	0	08:00 AM
Finals	23	Girls 11-12 100 IM	0	0	08:00 AM
Finals	24	Boys 11-12 100 IM	0	0	08:00 AM
Finals	25	Girls 15 & Over 200 IM	0	0	08:00 AM
Finals	26	Boys 15 & Over 200 IM	0	0	08:00 AM
Finals	27	Girls 11-12 400 Freestyle Relay	0	0	08:00 AM
Finals	28	Boys 11-12 400 Freestyle Relay	0	0	08:00 AM
Finals	29	Girls 15 & Over 400 Freestyle Relay	0	0	08:00 AM
Finals	30	Boys 15 & Over 400 Freestyle Relay	0	0	08:00 AM
		Finish Time			08:00 AM

Session: 2 WHAT Snowball Classic

Day of Meet: 1 Starts at 01:00 PM Heat Interval: 15 Seconds / Back +15 Seconds

Round		Event	Entries	Heats	Starts at
Finals	31	Girls 10 & Under 200 Medley Relay	0	0	01:00 PM
Finals	32	Boys 10 & Under 200 Medley Relay	0	0	01:00 PM
Finals	33	Girls 13-14 200 Medley Relay	0	0	01:00 PM
Finals	34	Boys 13-14 200 Medley Relay	0	0	01:00 PM
		Break: 3 Minutes:			
Finals	35	Girls 8 & Under 25 Freestyle	0	0	01:03 PM
Finals	36	Boys 8 & Under 25 Freestyle	0	0	01:03 PM
		Break: 3 Minutes:			
Finals	37	Girls 10 & Under 100 Freestyle	0	0	01:06 PM
Finals	38	Boys 10 & Under 100 Freestyle	0	0	01:06 PM
Finals	39	Girls 13-14 100 Freestyle	0	0	01:06 PM
Finals	40	Boys 13-14 100 Freestyle	0	0	01:06 PM
Finals	41	Girls 10 & Under 50 Backstroke	0	0	01:06 PM
Finals	42	Boys 10 & Under 50 Backstroke	0	0	01:06 PM
Finals	43	Girls 13-14 100 Backstroke	0	0	01:06 PM
Finals	44	Boys 13-14 100 Backstroke	0	0	01:06 PM
		Break: 3 Minutes:			
Finals	45	Girls 8 & Under 25 Breaststroke	0	0	01:09 PM
Finals	46	Boys 8 & Under 25 Breaststroke	0	0	01:09 PM
		Break: 3 Minutes:			
Finals	47	Girls 10 & Under 100 Breaststroke	0	0	01:12 PM
Finals	48	Boys 10 & Under 100 Breaststroke	0	0	01:12 PM
Finals	49	Girls 13-14 200 Breaststroke	0	0	01:12 PM
Finals	50	Boys 13-14 200 Breaststroke	0	0	01:12 PM
Finals	51	Girls 10 & Under 50 Butterfly	0	0	01:12 PM
Finals	52	Boys 10 & Under 50 Butterfly	0	0	01:12 PM
Finals	55	Girls 13-14 200 Butterfly	0	0	01:12 PM
Finals	56	Boys 13-14 200 Butterfly	0	0	01:12 PM
Finals	57	Girls 10 & Under 100 IM	0	0	01:12 PM
Finals	58	Boys 10 & Under 100 IM	0	0	01:12 PM
Finals	59	Girls 13-14 200 IM	0	0	01:12 PM
Finals	60	Boys 13-14 200 IM	0	0	01:12 PM
Finals	61	Girls 10 & Under 400 Freestyle Relay	0	0	01:12 PM
Finals	62	Boys 10 & Under 400 Freestyle Relay	0	0	01:12 PM
Finals	63	Girls 13-14 400 Freestyle Relay	0	0	01:12 PM
Finals	64	Boys 13-14 400 Freestyle Relay	0	0	01:12 PM
		Finish Time			01:12 PM

Session: 3 WHAT Snowball Classic

Day of Meet: 2 Starts at 08:00 AM Heat Interval: 15 Seconds / Back +15 Seconds

Round		Event	Entries	Heats	Starts at
Finals	65	Girls 11-12 400 Medley Relay	0	0	08:00 AM
Finals	66	Boys 11-12 400 Medley Relay	0	0	08:00 AM
Finals	67	Girls 15 & Over 400 Medley Relay	0	0	08:00 AM
Finals	68	Boys 15 & Over 400 Medley Relay	0	0	08:00 AM
Finals	69	Girls 11-12 50 Freestyle	0	0	08:00 AM
Finals	70	Boys 11-12 50 Freestyle	0	0	08:00 AM
Finals	71	Girls 15 & Over 50 Freestyle	0	0	08:00 AM
Finals	72	Boys 15 & Over 50 Freestyle	0	0	08:00 AM
Finals	73	Girls 11-12 200 Freestyle	0	0	08:00 AM
Finals	74	Boys 11-12 200 Freestyle	0	0	08:00 AM
Finals	75	Girls 15 & Over 200 Freestyle	0	0	08:00 AM
Finals	76	Boys 15 & Over 200 Freestyle	0	0	08:00 AM
Finals	77	Girls 11-12 100 Backstroke	0	0	08:00 AM
Finals	78	Boys 11-12 100 Backstroke	0	0	08:00 AM
Finals	79	Girls 200 Backstroke	0	0	08:00 AM
Finals	80	Boys 200 Backstroke	0	0	08:00 AM
Finals	81	Girls 11-12 50 Breaststroke	0	0	08:00 AM
Finals	82	Boys 11-12 50 Breaststroke	0	0	08:00 AM
Finals	83	Girls 100 Breaststroke	0	0	08:00 AM
Finals	84	Boys 100 Breaststroke	0	0	08:00 AM
Finals	85	Girls 11-12 100 Butterfly	0	0	08:00 AM
Finals	86	Boys 11-12 100 Butterfly	0	0	08:00 AM
Finals	87	Girls 15 & Over 100 Butterfly	0	0	08:00 AM
Finals	88	Boys 15 & Over 100 Butterfly	0	0	08:00 AM
Finals	89	Girls 11-12 200 IM	0	0	08:00 AM
Finals	90	Boys 11-12 200 IM	0	0	08:00 AM
Finals	91	Girls 15 & Over 200 Freestyle Relay	0	0	08:00 AM
Finals	92	Boys 15 & Over 200 Freestyle Relay	0	0	08:00 AM
Finals	93	Girls 11-12 200 Freestyle Relay	0	0	08:00 AM
Finals	94	Boys 11-12 200 Freestyle Relay	0	0	08:00 AM
Finals	95	Girls 400 IM	0	0	08:00 AM
Finals	96	Boys 400 IM	0	0	08:00 AM
		Finish Time			08:00 AM

Session: 4 WHAT Snowball Classic

Day of Meet: 2 Starts at 01:00 PM Heat Interval: 15 Seconds / Back +15 Seconds

Round		Event	Entries	Heats	Starts at
Finals	97	Girls 13-14 400 Medley Relay	0	0	01:00 PM
Finals	98	Boys 13-14 400 Medley Relay	0	0	01:00 PM
Finals	99	Girls 10 & Under 50 Freestyle	0	0	01:00 PM
Finals	100	Boys 10 & Under 50 Freestyle	0	0	01:00 PM
Finals	101	Girls 13-14 50 Freestyle	0	0	01:00 PM
Finals	102	Boys 13-14 50 Freestyle	0	0	01:00 PM
Finals	103	Girls 10 & Under 200 Freestyle	0	0	01:00 PM
Finals	104	Boys 10 & Under 200 Freestyle	0	0	01:00 PM
Finals	105	Girls 13-14 200 Freestyle	0	0	01:00 PM
Finals	106	Boys 13-14 200 Freestyle	0	0	01:00 PM
		Break: 3 Minutes:			
Finals	107	Girls 8 & Under 25 Backstroke	0	0	01:03 PM
Finals	108	Boys 8 & Under 25 Backstroke	0	0	01:03 PM
		Break: 3 Minutes:			
Finals	109	Girls 10 & Under 100 Backstroke	0	0	01:06 PM
Finals	110	Boys 10 & Under 100 Backstroke	0	0	01:06 PM
Finals	111	Girls 13-14 200 Backstroke	0	0	01:06 PM
Finals	112	Boys 13-14 200 Backstroke	0	0	01:06 PM 01:06 PM
Finals	113	Girls 10 & Under 50 Breaststroke	0	0	01:06 PM
Finals	114	Boys 10 & Under 50 Breaststroke	0	0	01:06 PM
Finals	115	Girls 13-14 100 Breaststroke	0	0	01:06 PM
Finals	116	Boys 13-14 100 Breaststroke	0	0	01:06 PM
		Break: 3 Minutes:			
Finals	117	Girls 8 & Under 25 Butterfly	0	0	01:09 PM
Finals	118	Boys 8 & Under 25 Butterfly	0	0	01:09 PM
		Break: 3 Minutes:			
Finals	119	Girls 10 & Under 100 Butterfly	0	0	01:12 PM
Finals	120	Boys 10 & Under 100 Butterfly	0	0	01:12 PM
Finals	121	Girls 13-14 100 Butterfly	0	0	01:12 PM
Finals	122	Boys 13-14 100 Butterfly	0	0	01:12 PM
Finals	123	Girls 10 & Under 200 IM	0	0	01:12 PM
Finals	124	Boys 10 & Under 200 IM	0	0	01:12 PM
Finals	125	Girls 13-14 200 Freestyle Relay	0	0	01:12 PM
Finals	126	Boys 13-14 200 Freestyle Relay	0	0	01:12 PM
Finals	127	Girls 10 & Under 200 Freestyle Relay	0	0	01:12 PM
Finals	128	Boys 10 & Under 200 Freestyle Relay	0	0	01:12 PM
		Finish Time			01:12 PM