NMEG January Distance January 6, 2017

East Lyme Aquatic Center, 30 Chesterfield Rd, East Lyme, CT 06333 map: <u>https://goo.gl/K4tteF</u>

Held under sanction of USA Swimming and Connecticut Swimming, Inc. #S16-57. 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

	Name	Email	Phone
Meet Director:	Rob Bouchey	coach.rob.bouchey@gmail.com	860-691-4681
Meet Referee:	Mike Huffman	dlrmdi@msn.net	
Entry Chair:	Rob Bouchey	coach.rob.bouchey@gmail.com	860-691-4681
Safety Chair:	Nicole Goolsbey	goolsbey4@gmail.com	860-691-4681

WEBSITE: <u>www.nutmegaquatics.com</u>

POOL EMERGENCY NUMBER: 860-691-4681

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: Coaches will receive a scratch sheet for the meet in their information packet when they arrive and check-in for the meet. This will list all of their swimmers and events. Coaches must indicate all scratches or none on these sheets and turn them into the computer table within 20 minutes after the beginning of warm-up.

FACILITY: The East Lyme Aquatic and Fitness Center has an 8- lane, 25 yard short course 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). Colorado Timing system will be used. There is bleacher seating for 120 spectators.

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

DISABLED ACCESS: There is handicap parking in the East Lyme Aquatics Center parking lot (Route 1) and the East Lyme High School Parking lot (Chesterfield/Route 161). All entrances, locker rooms and spectator areas are handicap accessible. For more information and special arrangements please contact Jen Lyman at 203-464-6903.

COURSE: SCY

SESSION TIMES: Single Session: warm-up @ 4:30pm, meet start @ 5:30pm

WARM-UPS: CT Swimming Warm-Up Procedures will be in effect. 8 Lanes available for warm-up. 2 One-Way Start lanes, and 2 Push Pace lanes available at 5:10pm. **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>Connecticut Swimming office</u>.

EVENT INFORMATION: All Events will be seeded Slowest to Fastest running in numerical order.

ENTRY LIMITATIONS: Athletes may enter up to 5 events.

ENTRY TIMES: Submit entry times in SCY. Please estimate entry times, "NT" Entries will not be accepted.

DEADLINES: Deadline is December 30, 2016. Mail hard copy and payment to East Lyme Aquatic and Fitness Center, 30 Chesterfield Road, East Lyme, CT 06333. All entries must be legible and must use full names and registration numbers from USA Swimming registration. The date of receipt will be based upon when the email entry file is received by the entry chair.

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 <u>coach.rob.bouchey@gmail.com</u> Please check that your team name, address, and contact information are listed correctly in this file. Mail hard copy and payment to East Lyme Aquatic and Fitness Center "ATTN: NMEG MEET", 30 Chesterfield Road, East Lyme, CT 06333.

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, \$10.00 for distance events. Manual entries: \$12.00 for individual events, \$12.00 for distance 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 "ELBOE Spec Acct Pool" and mail to: East Lyme Aquatic and Fitness Center "ATTN: NMEG MEET", 30 Chesterfield Road, East Lyme, CT 06333. Payment must be received by 1/2/17.

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:

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 all changes requiring approval. 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. 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.

DRONES: Operation of a drone, or any other flying apparatus, is prohibited over the venue (pools, athlete/coach areas, spectator areas and open ceiling locker rooms) any time athletes, coaches, officials and/or spectators are present. Exceptions may be granted with prior written approval by the USA Swimming Vice President of Program Operations.

RULES: Current USA Swimming rules will govern all competition.

TIME TRIALS: NO

TIMERS, OFFICIALS OR WORK ASSIGNMENTS: Swimmers in the 1650 must provide timer and counter. Participating clubs must 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: None

CONCESSIONS: NO

HOSPITALITY FOR COACHES AND OFFICIALS: YES, limited

PARKING: Ample parking is available in the East Lyme High School parking lot (Chesterfield Road/ Route 161) or in the East Lyme Aquatics & Fitness Center parking lot (Route 1)

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Session Report

Session: 1 Friday Distance

Day of Meet: 1 Starts at 05:30 PM Heat Interval: 15 Seconds / Back +15 Seconds

Round	Event	Entries	Heats	Starts at	Actual
Finals	1 Mixed 1650 Freestyle	0	0	05:30 PM	e05:30 PM
Finals	2 Girls 200 Butterfly	0	0	05:30 PM	e05:30 PM
Finals	3 Boys 200 Butterfly	0	0	05:30 PM	e05:30 PM
Finals	4 Girls 200 Backstroke	0	0	05:30 PM	e05:30 PM
Finals	5 Boys 200 Backstroke	0	0	05:30 PM	e05:30 PM
Finals	6 Girls 200 Breaststroke	0	0	05:30 PM	e05:30 PM
Finals	7 Boys 200 Breaststroke	0	0	05:30 PM	e05:30 PM
Finals	8 Girls 200 Freestyle	0	0	05:30 PM	e05:30 PM
Finals	9 Boys 200 Freestyle	0	0	05:30 PM	e05:30 PM
Finals	10 Mixed 400 IM	0	0	05:30 PM	e05:30 PM
	Finish Time			05:30 PM	e05:30 PM