### 2023 Fall Festival

## October 6-7, 2023

## Held under the sanction of USA Swimming

Sanctioned by: Arizona Swimming Inc. Sanction # AZ24-32R

**Liability:** In granting this sanction, it is understood and agreed that USA Swimming, Inc., Arizona Swimming Inc., Mesa

Aquatics Club, City of Mesa, Mesa Unified School District, and all meet officials shall be held harmless from any and all liabilities or claims for damages by reason of injuries to anyone during the conduct of this meet, which

includes warm-up sessions.

**Hosted by**: Mesa Aquatics Club

Meet Director: Maggie Dana coachmaggie7@gmail.com

Meet Referee: Sandy Whitmeyer slwhitmeyer9@gmail.com

Meet Location: Kino Aquatics Complex 848 N Horne, Mesa, AZ 85203

**Course:** 8 lanes, 25 Yard course, with non-turbulent lane dividers, automatic Colorado start and timing system.

Continuous warm-up will be available throughout the meet.

**Eligibility**: Open to any USA Swimming registered swimmer holding a current USA Swimming registration card

as of the meet entry deadline.

#### **Rules Governing Sanctioned Meets**

- 1. Age on the first day the meet will govern for the entire meet.
- 2. Conduct of the sanctioned event shall conform in every respect to current rules of USA Swimming including technical and administrative rules.
- 3. All adults participating in or associated with this meet acknowledge that they are subject to the provisions of the USA Swimming Minor Athlete Abuse Prevention Policy ("MAAPP"), and that they understand that compliance with MAAPP is a condition of participating in the conduct of this competition.
- 4. Any swimmer entered in the meet must 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 without the use of the backstroke ledge. When unaccompanied by a member-coach, it is the responsibility of the swimmer or the swimmer's legal guardian to ensure compliance with this requirement.
- 5. The competition course has been certified in accordance with 104.2.2C(4) as to pool length. A copy of such certification is on file with USA Swimming
- 6. The minimum water depth, measured in accordance with Article 103.2.3, is 7 feet, 6 inches at the start end and 6 feet, 7 inches at the turn end.
- 7. Deck changes are prohibited.
- 8. The Arizona Swimming Controlled Meet Warm-up and Safety Guidelines will be posted and enforced.
- 9. No swimmer will be permitted to compete unless the swimmer is a member of USA Swimming. On deck registration is not available at any Arizona Swimming meet.
- 10. The use of audio or visual recording devices, including a cell phone, is not permitted in changing areas, restrooms, locker rooms or other areas as may be designated by the Meet Director/Meet Referee.
- 11. All referees, starters, administrative officials, chief judges, and stroke and turn judges serving in an official capacity in a sanctioned event must be non-athlete members of USA Swimming or members of other FINA member organizations. All meet directors for meets sanctioned by USA Swimming must be members of USA Swimming. Except for coaches accompanying athletes participating under the provisions of 202.9 or USA Swimming's "open border" policy, all persons acting in any coaching capacity in a sanctioned event must be a coach member of USA Swimming.
- 12. Officials and Meet Marshals must sign in and present proof of current membership and/or training respectively, to the Meet Referee prior to the start of each session of competition.
- 13. Coaches must sign in and present proof of current membership at the Clerk of Course prior to the start of each session of competition.
- 14. Meet Marshals shall wear their identifying attire, as provided by the club.
- 15. Swimmers with disabilities are welcome. The swimmer (or swimmers coach) is responsible for notifying the Referee, prior to the competition, of any disability of the swimmer and the requested accommodation. The swimmer/coach shall provide any assistant(s) or equipment (tappers, deck mats, etc.) if required.
- 16. 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.
- 17. The following medical supervision will be available to athletes participating in the meet: Lifeguards, Supervisor, AED device, and first aid equipment.

#### **Meet Rules:**

- 1. Conduct of the sanctioned event shall conform in every respect to current rules of USA Swimming including technical and administrative rules and the Minor Athlete Abuse Prevention Policy ("MAAPP").
- 2. This is a NTS ABC timed final meet. Swimmers may enter with a LCM, SCY, or SCM, but no converted times may be used. All events are timed final events.
- 3. No Time Trials will be offered
- 4. May combine events if needed.
- 5. Swimmers are limited to Five (5) individual events max per session and 1 relay per session.

#### **Event Schedule:**

Session 1, October 6, 2023 Warm-up: 4:30 pm, Meet Start: 5:15pm Session 2, October 7, 2023 Warm-up: 8:00 am, Meet Start: 8:45am

Entry Fees: LSC Surcharge: \$8.00

Individual Events: \$6.00 Relay Events: \$12.00

**Entry Deadline:** Entries must be submitted electronically and must be received by September 25th by 5pm

to Maggie Dana at coachmaggie 7@gmail.com

**Awards:** Certificates will be awarded to swimmers who achieve AZ Swimming "A" times or AZ

Swimming "B" times for the first time in that event.

**Concessions:** Limited concessions available.

## **Session I: Friday October 6, 2023**

Warm up: 4:30 PM Meet Start: 5:15 PM

Girls	Event	Boys
1	10/U 200 Free	2
3	11&O 200 Free	4
5	8/U 25 Fly	6
7	10/U 100 Breast	8
9	11/O 100 Breast	10
11	10/U 50 Fly	12
13	11&O 50 Fly	14
15	8/U 25 Back	16
17	10/U 50 Back	18
19	11&O 50 Back	20
21	10/U 100 IM	22
23	11&O 100 IM	24
25	10/U 200 Free Relay	26
27	11/O 200 Free Relay	28

# Session II: Saturday October 8, 2023 Warm up: 8:00 AM Meet Start: 8:45 AM

Girls	Event	Boys
29	10/U 200 IM	30
31	11&O 200 IM	32
33	8/U 25 Free	34
35	10/U 50 Free	36
37	11/O 50 Free	38
39	10/U 100 Back	40
41	11&O 100 Back	42
43	8/U 25 Breast	44
45	10/U 50 Breast	46
47	11&O 50 Breast	48
49	10/U 100 Fly	50
51	11&O 100 Fly	52
53	10/U 100 Free	54
55	11&O 100 Free	56
57	10/U 200 Medley Relay	58
59	11&O 200 Medley Relay	60