2017 MAPLE CITY CLASSIC

Swim Your Own Age Invitational

December 9-10, 2017

**Sanction:** This meet is sanctioned by USA Swimming and Indiana Swimming. Sanction number: **IN18098**

**Host:** LaPorte Community Swim Club

**Location:** LaPorte High School Natatorium, 602 “F” Street, LaPorte, Indiana 46350

**Facility:** Eight lane, 25-yard pool with non-turbulent lane markers; Colorado electronic timing and display board. The competition course has not been certified in accordance with 104.2.2C(4). Depth at start end is 5ft and 3ft 6 in at turn end. Locker rooms and showers will be available. Diving well is available for warm-up and warm-down only. Ample spectator seating. Please use “F” Street parking lot and entrance.

**Entrance fee** $2.00/person for anyone 13 and over. The Maple City Classic is sponsoring a charity and will be collecting hats and gloves for children and adults. Entrance fee will be waived if purchased new hats and/or gloves are donated.

**Concessions:** Food will be available in designated areas only. Hospitality room for coaches and officials will be provided.

**Rules:** Current USA Swimming and Indiana Swimming rules will govern this meet. USA Swimming Rules 202.5.2 At a sanctioned competitive event, USA Swimming athlete members must be under the supervision of a USA Swimming member coach during warm-up, competition, and warm-down. The Meet Director or Meet Referee shall assist the athlete in making arrangements for such supervision. All coaches and officials will be required to continually display their USA Swimming Credentials in order to gain deck access. The Meet Referee reserves the right to ask for coach credential display and/or deny deck access if the coach does not comply or card is no longer valid/current. **No parents will be allowed on deck.**

Any swimmer entered in the meet, unaccompanied by a USA Swimming member coach, must be certified by a USA Swimming member coach as being proficient in performing a racing start of 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.

In swimming competitions, the competitor must wear only one swimsuit in one or two pieces except as provided in 205.10.1. All swimsuits shall be made from textile materials. For men, the swimsuit shall not extend above the navel nor below the knees, and for women, shall not cover the neck, extend pas the shoulder, nor extend below the knee.

202.4.9 I Except where venue facilities require otherwise, changing into or out of swimsuits other than in locker rooms or other designated areas is **Prohibited.**

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

**202.4.9 J**: 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 Program Operations Vice Chair.​

**Eligibility:** Swimmers must be registered with USA Swimming to be accepted into this meet. Swimmer’s age as of **December 9, 2017** will determine age for the entire meet. Swimmer’s age and USA Swimming number **must** accompany this entry.

**Meet Format:**

Each swimmer is limited to 5 individual events and 1 relay per day. All events will be timed finals. No times (NT) will be accepted, but seeded in the slowest heats along with deck entries.

**Check In:**

This is a **positive sign in** meet. Positive sign-in means, “I’m here, I intend to swim.” To sign in positively, highlight swimmer’s name on the sign in sheets. Sign-in sheets will be posted before the start of warm-ups. The deadline for positive sign-in will be 40 minutes before the scheduled start of the session. At that deadline, the sheets will be removed and no changes or corrections will be accepted. Any swimmer scratched under this rule may present to the referee at least 2 minutes before the start of the slowest heat of the event(s) scratched and request to swim in an empty lane. The referee will honor such requests on a first come, first served basis and only to the extent empty lanes are available.

**Times:**

AM Warm Up: 7:00 A.M. to 7:45 A.M.

Meet Starts at 8:00 A.M.

PM Warm Up: Immediately after the morning session, but not before 12:00 P.M. Meet will start one hour after start of warm-ups, but not before 1:00 P.M.

**Clerk of Course**:

 Eight & Under Events: Standard Clerk of Course will be operated.

All other age groups – No Clerk of Course. Seeded Heat Sheets will be posted immediately before the start of each session. It is the swimmer’s responsibility to appear at the correct starting platform ready to swim in time for the start of his/her heat.

**Deck Entries:** Deck entries will be accepted up the until the meet is full and will be seeded in the slowest heat.

**Awards:** 1st - 8th place: ribbons

 1st – 3rd relays: ribbons

This is a swim your own age meet. Although we reserve the right to combine ages to swim the events, all ages will be scored separately, including OPEN events. Awards are given to the winners in the 7 and under age group, each age up to 14. There will be no awards given for the 15 & Over age groups.

First, second and third place high point trophies will be awarded to a girl and boy in each age group. No high point trophies will be awarded for the 15 & Over age groups. Awards will be given to the coaches at the end of the meet. Awards will not be mailed!

**Scoring:** Individual event:16,13,12,11,10,9,7,5,4,3,2,1

 Relay events: 36,26,24,22,20,18

**Entry Format:** The following must be submitted by the entry deadline:

Hy-Tek Meet Manager file for entries via email (preferred method), or a HYTEK Commlink file for all entries on a 3.5” disk

Team Summary Form and executed release and hold harmless agreement (included in this Packet).

Check for payment of all entry fees made out to: **LaPorte Community Swim Club**

Submit entry times in **SCY**.

Final acceptance of email entries is contingent upon receipt of the Team Entry Form and payment.

Entries should be emailed or mailed to:

Kim Decker, Entry Chair, java.junkie247@yahoo.com

**No phone entries will be accepted.**

**Entry Deadline:** Entries will be accepted starting November 09, 2017**. Entry deadline will be Friday, December 4, 2017.** Teams will be notified if their entry was not accepted. No teams will be broken. Refunds will be given to any team that is turned away due to meet being full. We will extend the deadline if the meet is not full.

**Fees:** Individual Events-$4.00 (Deck Entry: $5.00)

Relay Events-$6.00 (Deck Entry: $10.00)

Indiana Swimming Surcharge per athlete-2.00

Entry fees for scratched events are non-refundable. ONLY ONE CHECK FROM EACH

CLUB WILL BE ACCEPTED (do not send individual checks).

**Psych Sheets**: Meet psych sheets will be available for $5.00.

**Final Results:** Please indicate on the Results Preference Form how you would like to receive the final results.

**Inquiries:** Meredithe Carnes, Meet Director, simcarn05@hotmail.com orKim Decker, Entry Chair,

java.junkie247@yahoo.com

**List of Events:**

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| **SESSION I – SATURDAY AM** |
| **GIRLS EVENT #** | **EVENT** | **BOYS EVENT #** |
| **1** | **8 & Under 25 Fly** | **2** |
| **3** | **10 & Under 100 Fly** | **4** |
| **5** | **8 & Under 50 Back** | **6** |
| **7** | **9-10 50 Back** | **8** |
| **9** | **8 & Under 100 Free** | **10** |
| **11** | **9-10 100 Free** | **12** |
| **13** | **8 & Under 50 Breast** | **14** |
| **15** | **9-10 50 Breast** | **16** |
| **17** | **8 & Under 25 Free** | **18** |
| **19** | **10 & Under 200 Free** | **20** |
| **21** | **8 & Under 100 Medley Relay** | **22** |
| **23** | **9-10 200 Medley Relay** | **24** |

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| **SESSION II – SATURDAY PM** |
| **GIRLS EVENT #** | **EVENT** | **BOYS EVENT #** |
| **25** | **Open 500 Free** | **26** |
| **27** | **11-12 100 Breast** | **28** |
| **29** | **13 & Over 200 Breast** | **30** |
| **31** | **11-12 50 Back** | **32** |
| **33** | **13 & Over 100 Back** | **34** |
| **35** | **11-12 100 Free** | **36** |
| **37** | **13 & Over 100 Free** | **38** |
| **39** | **11-12 50 Fly** | **40** |
| **41** | **13 & Over 100 Fly** | **42** |
| **43** | **11-12 200 IM** | **44** |
| **45** | **13 & Over 200 IM** | **46** |
| **47** | **11-12 200 Medley Relay** | **48** |
| **49** | **13 & Over 200 Medley Relay** | **50** |

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| **SESSION IV– SUNDAY AM** |
| **GIRLS EVENT #** | **EVENT** | **BOYS EVENT #** |
| **51** | **8 & Under 100 IM** | **52** |
| **53** | **10 & Under 200 IM** | **54** |
| **55** | **8 & Under 50 Fly** | **56** |
| **57** | **9-10 50 Fly** | **58** |
| **59** | **8 & Under 25 Back** | **60** |
| **61** | **10 & Under 100 Back** | **62** |
| **63** | **8 & Under 25 Breast** | **64** |
| **65** | **10 & Under 100 Breast** | **66** |
| **67** | **8 & Under 50 Free** | **68** |
| **69** | **9-10 50 Free** | **70** |
| **71** | **8 & Under 100 Free Relay** | **72** |
| **73** | **9-10 200 Free Relay** | **74** |

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| **SESSION V – SUNDAY PM** |
| **GIRLS EVENT #** | **EVENT** | **BOYS EVENT #** |
| **75** | **11& Over 400 IM** | **76** |
| **77** | **11-12 200 Free** | **78** |
| **79** | **13 & Over 200 Free** | **80** |
| **81** | **11-12 50 Breast** | **82** |
| **83** | **13 & Over 100 Breast** | **84** |
| **85** | **11-12 100 Back** | **86** |
| **87** | **13 & Over 200 Back** | **88** |
| **89** | **11-12 100 Fly** | **90** |
| **91** | **13 & Over 200 Fly** | **92** |
| **93** | **11-12 50 Free** | **94** |
| **95** | **13 & Over 50 Free** | **96** |
| **97** | **11-12 200 Free Relay** | **98** |
| **99** | **13 & Over 200 Free Relay** | **100** |

**Summary of Entries**

Club Name \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Club Code \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Number of Individual Entries \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ x $4.00 each = \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Number of Relay Entries \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ x $6.00 each = \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Number of Athletes \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ x $2.00 = \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

 (Indiana Swim Surcharge)

**Total amount** **$\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

Club official submitting entry: Coaches:

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**Release and Hold Harmless**

In consideration of being able to participate in this meet, and for other good and valuable

consideration, the undersigned, for himself, his successors and assigns, hereby releases and

forever discharges the host club and Indiana Swimming, and its board of directors, USA

Swimming, and each of their respective officers, agents, employees, members, successors, and

any other persons in any way connected with this meet from any and all liabilities, claims,

demands, actions, or causes of action of whatever kind of character arising out of or in connection

with said event. Further, the undersigned shall indemnify and hold harmless the host club,

Indiana Swimming, and the officers, trustees, agents, employees, and members of the foregoing

and all other persons in any way and claims arising out of or in connection with any injury,

including death, or alleged injury of damage to property sustained or alleged to have sustained in

connection with or to have arisen out of said event.

**Signature of Coach/Club official** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

How would you like to receive your entries?

\_\_\_\_\_Hard Copy (snail mailed or html file e-mailed)

\_\_\_\_\_Meet Manager Back-up (e-mailed)

\_\_\_\_\_Team Manager cl2 file (e-mailed)

\_\_\_\_\_All of the above

Email address for above\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_