



2019 Speedo Sectionals – Phoenix, Arizona * Schedule & Important Reminders

Coaches,

Thank you for your support of the 2019 Speedo Sectional Championships in Phoenix, AZ. Please find below important schedules and reminders:

1. Section Meet Schedule

MEETING SCHEDULE	
General Meeting	Wednesday, March 20 at 4:30 PM in Hospitality Room at pool
Officials' Meetings	One hour before the start of each session
Section Business Meeting	Friday, March 22 – immediately after the time trial session.

COMPETITION SCHEDULE	PRELIMINARIES	FINALS
Thursday – Sunday March 21-March 24	Warm-Up: 7:00 AM – 8:50 AM Competition: 9:00 AM	Warm-Up: 4:00 PM – 5:20 PM Competition: 5:30 PM

The pool will be open for supervised warm-- up on Wednesday, March 20th from 7:30 AM to 7:30 PM.

2. **Registration & Team Check-In Reminders:**

All swimmers, coaches, and officials participating in this competition must be currently registered for 2019 with USA Swimming.

- All swimmers, coaches, and officials should be prepared to present their USA Swimming ID Card or Deck Pass as proof of their registration to the Meet Referee, the Meet Director, or their designee at any time.
- All entered swimmers, certified coaches, and team managers listed on the Summary Entry Form will receive a meet-specific credential, which will serve as a deck pass, and is to be displayed to access the competition deck and team areas.

Wednesday, March 20: The Registration Desk will be located under the red tent on deck at the pool and will open at 3:30 pm. Registration will remain open through the end of Supervised Warm-Ups, at 7:30 pm. Current coaching credentials from a coach listed on a team's Summary Entry Form must be shown in order to obtain a team's packet.

Thursday - Sunday, March 21st – 24th: Registration will be located under the red tent at Clerk of Course at the pool. Clerk of Course will open at 15 min prior to the start of warm-ups each day, and will remain open through the conclusion of each session's competition.

3. **Positive Check In & Scratch Deadlines for Thursday's Events:**

The Scratch Box will close 15 minutes after the conclusion of the Wednesday's General Meeting. Exact Time TBA

- Swimmers in Thursday's 200 Medley Relay and 200 Free Relay must check in no later than 15 minutes after the conclusion of the Wednesday's General Meeting in order to be seeded.
- Swimmers in Thursday's 1000 Freestyle who do not check in will be down-seeded to the slowest entry time. Check in for the 1000 Free is 15 minutes after the conclusion of the General Meeting on Wednesday. Swimmers who do not intend to swim this event must scratch.
- In addition to physical check-in, email check-in will be accepted for these events only, and the above deadline applies. Check-in may be done by emailing Meet Director Sandy Lee: slee@phoenixswimclub.org

4. **Coaches' & Officials' Social:** Friday Night, immediately following the conclusion of Finals, at * Helton Brewing 2144 E. Indian School Road, Phoenix, AZ 85016 details in coaches packets.

5. **Preliminary Psych Sheet & Unofficial Timeline** – An updated Psych Sheet will be distributed via email following the close of Late Entries on Sunday, March 17th. The Unofficial Timeline will be distributed via email on Tuesday, March 19th and should only be used for planning purposes ONLY and not for when an event will begin or end.

6. **Team Areas** - Please confine all team areas to inside the pool fence. There should be no one setting up north of the pool in the grass area or close to the new gym. The areas outside the pool fence are off limits to our swim meet guest. There will be a police officer as well as roving

meet marshals to help us enforce these rules. Please respect the PCDS campus by leaving it as nice as you found it, so that we can continue to host swim meets.

7. **Parking** – Please respect our neighbors and DO NOT park on 40th Street, on Colter St. or in the commercial lot to the south of the pool. There will be ample parking at the front of the school on Stanford Drive, and it is just a short walk east of Stanford and then south on 40th Street to the pool. There will be a map for additional parking posted on our website. There will be a police officer on Duty to enforce the parking rules. The officer will have cars towed that park on the neighborhood streets or in the commercial lot.
8. **Officials’ Information** - We will cone-off spaces in the PCDS Aquatic Center parking lot for OFFICIALS ONLY. Please show respect to our officials by not using those spaces. We appreciate the countless hours of volunteer time that they give to our swimmers. The least we can all do is to provide them a parking space. There will be police officers on duty to enforce this. Those who park in the wrong place may be towed.
9. **Lane Timing Assignments Preliminary Session** - **Please check in at the Clerk of Course by 8:20 a.m. each day.**

GIRLS’ POOL PRELIMS

Lane 1	Lane 2	Lane 3	Lane 4	Lane 5	Lane 6	Lane 7	Lane 8	Lane 9	Lane 10
PSC	PSC	PSC	RIO	SAC	MAC	ANY	ANY	ANY	ANY
PSC	PSC	PSC	RIO	SAC	MAC	ANY	ANY	ANY	ANY

BOYS’ POOL PRELIMS

Lane 1	Lane 2	Lane 3	Lane 4	Lane 5	Lane 6	Lane 7	Lane 8
PSC	PSC	PSC	RIO	SAC	MAC	ANY	ANY
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We ask that teams attending provide as many timers as needed during the preliminary sessions. Please remember that many teams travel without parents or chaperones. Timers are needed for all lanes regardless of lane assignments and your help is greatly appreciated.

Please let us know if you have any questions or concerns - we look forward to seeing you soon!

Sincerely,
 Sandy Lee
 Meet Director
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