Important Information regarding the National Scratch Rule

- This meet is an Officials’ Qualifying Meet; therefore, the National scratch procedures (207.11.6) will be observed. The scratch box will be at the head table on Thursday, June 14 and throughout the meet. Scratch deadline for Thursday’s events: 15 minutes after the conclusion of the General Meeting on Thursday, June 14, 2018. Scratch deadline for all subsequent days’ events 30 minutes after the time established for the start of the finals sessions. The money for scratched events is NOT refundable. Those who will not arrive by a scratch deadline may email their scratches and/or positive check-ins to Sarah Tobin, lesdentries@gmail.com, by the relevant scratch deadlines. Bring an acknowledgement to the email with you to the meet in case of any issues.

- General Meeting - Coaches should plan to arrive on time for the General Meeting, Thursday, June 14 at 3:30 p.m. Coaches are responsible for all business conducted at this meeting and should send a representative if unable to attend personally.

- Swimmers who do not scratch and are seeded in an event who subsequently fail to compete in the event will be barred from the remaining events of that day, and must do a positive check in for remaining days’ events before they are seeded.

- All relays and Individual events 400 meters and longer require a positive check in. Check in sheets for relays and individual events 400 meters and longer will be at the scratch table.

- Swimmers can compete in three individual events on Friday, Saturday and Sunday. If a swimmer is entered in more than three events on these days, please make sure to scratch prior to the scratch deadline.