

2008 Groundhog Meet

Sunday, January 27th

Harold A. Paulson Pool
Riverton Community Center
1600 Forest Avenue
Portland, ME 04103

- SANCTION:** Maine Swimming, Inc. Sanction number: ME0708-0126
- FACILITY:** Harold Paulson Pool is a 6 lane, 25 meter pool with Colorado Timing System and 6 lane display with seating for 200 spectators. The Riverton Community Center also has a cafetorium that allows the return of the world renowned Porpoise Café.
- FORMAT:** All events will be timed finals. 25 yard swims will be swum from the start end of pool to shallow end with manual timing.
- MEET DIRECTOR** Chas Foehl, 874-4787 or cfoehl@maine.rr.com
- OFFICIALS:** We may need volunteer officials for this meet. Please forward the email and phone numbers of all your team's USA certified officials to cfoehl@maine.rr.com
- ENTRIES:** Meet Entries must be submitted via email:
1) HY-TEK zip file, and
2) attached Entry report in Word format
- If HyTek is not available Team may submit entries via email with swimmer name, USA Registration number, age, events and entry times with yard or meter indicated.
- The deadline for manual entries is 6:00 pm Friday, January 18th
Hy-Tek entries must be received no later than 11:59 pm
Wednesday, January 23rd
No Deck entries will be accepted.
- Send email entries to: bcaton@maine.rr.com
If you have questions about your files or entries you may reach Betty Caton at 878-3614.

- ENTRIES:** Swimmers must be USA-Swimming registered for 2007-08.
Include swimmers' registration number with entries.
Entries must be submitted by team with all competing swimmers included in each entry submission.
- In the event the meet is over-subscribed entries may be cut on the basis of last entry received, first cut.
- Swimmers are limited to 5 (five) individual events per day.
This meet is recommended for swimmers of all ages.
- FEES:** \$2.00 per individual event for HY-TEK entries
There is a \$0.50 surcharge, per event, for non HY-TEK entries.
- PAYMENT:** Please make checks payable to Portland Porpoises Swim Club and mail to Chas Foehl, PPSC, 254 Clifton street Portland Maine 04103 (One check per team, please.)
- SEEDING:** The meet will be pre-seeded and deck entries for individual events will not be accepted.
- RULES:** Current USA Swimming rules with govern all competition.
Decisions by the meet referee will be final.
- SAFETY:** Each participating swimmer must be under the supervision of a USA-Swimming certified coach with a current USA-Swimming membership.
- There will be absolutely no diving into the pool except during sprint lane warm-ups and swim event starts. All entry into the pool is from the deep end only.
- Non-compliance is justification for disqualification from the meet.
Swimmers must enter and exit the pool through the locker rooms.
There is no food allowed in the pool area.
- AWARDS:** Ribbons signifying event and place of finish will be awarded to the top six finishers of each event.
- OTHER:** Food and beverage will be available during the meet at the Porpoise Café.
Swim equipment will also be available for sale.
Programs will be available for \$3.00 per session.
There will be a \$1.00 admission fee for spectators.

Session 1 – Sunday Morning**Warm-Ups 8:00 AM****Start 9:00 AM**

Girl's Event #	Age	Event	Boy's Event #
1	Open	100 Fly	2
3	11 & 12	100 Fly	4
5	Open	100 Breast	6
7	11 & 12	100 Breast	8
9	Open	200 Free	10
11	11 & 12	100 Free	12
13	Open	200 IM	14
15	11 & 12	100 IM	16
17	Open	100 Back	18
19	11 & 12	100 Back	20

Session 2 – Sunday Afternoon**Warm-Ups 1:00 PM****Start 2:00 PM**

Girl's Event #	Age	Event	Boy's Event #
21	8 & Under	50 Free	22
23	10 & Under	100 Free	24
25	8 & Under	25 Fly	26
27	10 & Under	50 Fly	28
29	8 & Under	25 Back	30
31	10 & Under	50 Back	32
33	8 & Under	25 Breast	34
35	10 & Under	50 Breast	36
37	8 & Under	100 IM	38
39	10 & Under	200 IM	40