

**LAC ARENA CLASSIC**  
**MEET DATES JULY 2-3,2020**

<b>MEET HOST</b>	LANCASTER AQUATIC CLUB (LAC)		
<b>SANCTION</b>	Held under the sanction of USA Swimming and Middle Atlantic Swimming. <b>Sanction #</b> MA 20167 A MA 20168 TT <i>In granting this sanction, it is understood and agreed that USA Swimming shall be free from any liabilities or claims for damages arising by reason of injuries to anyone during the conduct of this event.</i>		
<b>MEET DIRECTOR</b>	ADRIENE MELLINGER	<b>E-MAIL:</b> meetdirector@lancasteraquaticclub.com	<b>PHONE:</b> 717-572-6430
<b>LOCATION</b>	<b>Pool name</b> MCGINNIS POOL AT FRANKLIN & MARSHALL COLLEGE <b>Street address</b> 929 HARRISBURG PIKE <b>City, state and zip</b> LANCASTER, PA 17604 <b>Day of meet ONLY emergency phone</b> 773-960-3387		
<b>FACILITY DESCRIPTION</b>	This is an <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> indoor <input type="checkbox"/> outdoor pool with 8 lanes for competition, a COLORADO timing system with a 11 line scoreboard and WAVE EATER lane lines. The meet will be conducted in <input type="checkbox"/> SCY <input type="checkbox"/> SCM <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> LCM. Deck seating for 550 and spectator seating for 400. Parking is free adjacent to the pool Hospitality provided for coaches, officials and volunteers Snack bar for spectators will be available.		
<b>POOL CERTIFICATION</b>	The competition course <input type="checkbox"/> has <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> has not been certified in accordance with 104.2.2C(4)		
<b>WATER DEPTH</b>	The depth of the water at the start end of the pool is 9 feet and at the turn end is 4 feet.		
<b>EVENTS</b>	This meet will be conducted in accordance with the attached schedule of events.		
<b>ENTRIES OPEN</b>	APRIL 1, 2020		
<b>ENTRY DEADLINE</b>	JUNE 17, 2020 at 11:59 PM		
<b>ENTRY FEES</b>	Individual Events: <b>\$6.00</b>	Relay Events: <b>\$12.00</b>	Swimmer Surcharge: \$5
<b>ENTRY LIMITs</b>	4 Individual Events per day (excluding relays).	Relays per day	<b>MEET ENTRY LIMIT: 8</b>
<b>ELIGIBILITY</b>	All entrants must be registered members of USA Swimming. Age <b>as of the first day of the meet</b> determines eligibility. This meet is open to 9&OVER USA swimming registered swimmers.		
<b>ON-SITE REGISTRATION</b>	On-site registration (athletes only) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> will <input type="checkbox"/> will not be accepted at this meet.		
<b>ENTRY PROCEDURES</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The Meet Director reserves the right to limit entries, events or heats in order to conform to MA/USA Swimming rules. Swimmers/teams eliminated from the meet due to time or space constraints will be given a full refund.</li> <li>• Entry times must be submitted in the course in which they were achieved. Nonconforming times will be seeded AS NT ENTRIES . NT entries <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> will <input type="checkbox"/> will not be accepted.</li> <li>• Entries must be submitted electronically in a format compatible with MEET MANAGER meet management software.</li> <li>• All entries should be submitted via e-mail, subject YOUR TEAM NAME – MEET NAME entry. Please include the following information in the body of the e-mail: Meet Name, Team Name, Number of Individual Entries, Number of Relay Entries and Team Meet Entry Person's Contact Information</li> <li>• Electronic entry files (TM / TU or equivalent) are required for all entries. Unattached swimmers are encouraged to use Hytek's <a href="#">TM Lite</a> for entry submission. Manual (paper) entries are subject to a \$15 surcharge. Teams with five or more swimmers who submit manual entries are subject to an additional \$25/swimmer surcharge. These fees are due at the time of entry submission. A manual entry form can be found <a href="#">here</a>.</li> <li>• <b>FINAL</b> entry payments and any necessary reports must be mailed or e-mailed to the entry chair by JUNE 26, 2020 Include <a href="#">Meet Entry Summary</a> with payment.</li> </ul>		
<b>MEET ENTRY CHAIR</b>	ADRIENE MELLINGER	<b>PHONE #:</b> 717-572-6430 (no calls before 9:00 AM or after 9:00 PM)	
<b>E-MAIL ENTRY FILES TO</b>	MEETDIRECTOR@LANCASTERAQUATICCLUB.COM		
<b>MAIL CHECKS/ REPORTS</b>	C/S DANA TAYLOR, 2601 IRONVILLE PIKE, COLUMBIA, PA 17512		
<b>CHECKS PAYABLE TO</b>	LANCASTER AQUATIC CLUB		
<b>OPERATIONAL RISK DIRECTOR</b>	PAUL TAYLOR	<b>E-MAIL:</b> paul99dana@aol.com	<b>PHONE:</b> 717-742-7568
<b>OFFICIALS CONTACT</b>	SEAN MELLINGER	<b>E-MAIL:</b> sean.mellinger@gmail.com	<b>PHONE:</b> 717-725-6099
<b>WEATHER/ EMERGENCY INFORMATION</b>	DAY OF MEET, CONTACT ADRIENE MELLINGER 717-572-6430		

**Session 1**  
 THURSDAY, JULY 2, 2020  
 WARMUP 7 AM, MEET START 8 AM

GIRLS	EVENT	BOYS
1	13&OVER 200 BACKSTROKE	2
3	13-14 100 FREESTYLE	4
5	15&OVER 100 FREESTYLE	6
7	13-14 200 IM	8
9	15&OVER 200 IM	10
11	13-14 100 BUTTERFLY	12
13	15&OVER 100 BUTTERFLY	14
15	13&OVER 200 BREASTROKE	16

**Session 2**  
 THURSDAY, JULY 2, 2020  
 WARMUP 12PM, MEET START 1PM

GIRLS	EVENT	BOYS
17	9-12 200 BACKSTROKE	18
19	9-10 50 BREASTSTROKE	20
21	11-12 50 BREASTSTROKE	22
23	9-10 100 BUTTERFLY	24
25	11-12 100 BUTTERFLY	26
27	9-10 50 BACKSTROKE	28
29	11-12 50 BACKSTROKE	30
31	9-10 200 IM	32
33	11-12 200 IM	34
35	9-10 100 FREESTYLE	36
37	11-12 100 FREESTYLE	38
39	9-12 200 BREASTROKE	40

**Session 3**  
 THURSDAY, JULY 2, 2020  
 WARMUP 5 PM MEET START 6 PM

GIRLS	EVENT	BOYS
41	OPEN 1500 FREESTYLE	42
43	OPEN 400 IM	44

**Session 4**  
FRIDAY, JULY 3, 2020  
WARMUP 7 AM MEET START 8 AM

GIRLS	EVENT	BOYS
45	13-14 200 FREESTYLE	46
47	15&OVER 200 FREESTYLE	48
49	13-14 100 BREASTSTROKE	50
51	15&OVER 100 BREASTROKE	52
53	13-14 100 BACKSTROKE	54
55	15&OVER 100 BACKSTROKE	56
57	13-14 50 FREESTYLE	58
59	15&OVER 50 FREESTYLE	60
61	13&OVER 200 BUTTERFLY	62

**Session 5**  
FRIDAY, JULY 3, 2020  
WARMUP 12 PM MEET START 1 PM

GIRLS	EVENT	BOYS
63	9-10 200 FREESTYLE	64
65	11-12 200 FREESTYLE	66
67	9-10 100 BREASTSTROKE	68
69	11-12 100 BREASTSTROKE	70
71	9-10 50 BUTTERFLY	72
73	11-12 50 BUTTERFLY	74
75	9-10 100 BACKSTROKE	76
77	11-12 100 BACKSTROKE	78
79	9-10 50 FREESTYLE	80
81	11-12 50 FREESTYLE	82
83	9-12 200 BUTTERFLY	84

**Session 6**  
FRIDAY, JULY 3, 2020  
WARMUP 5 PM START 6 PM

GIRLS	EVENT	BOYS
85	OPEN 400 FREESTYLE	86
87	OPEN 1000 FREE	88

<b>DECK ENTRIES</b>	Deck Entries <input type="checkbox"/> will not be accepted <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> will be accepted at this meet subject to space availability, and at the discretion of the Meet Director, deck entries will be accepted on the day of the meet, prior to the start of each session, at the cost of \$12 per event. Deck-entered swimmers will compete unofficially; the achieved time is official, but will not score in the meet for points or awards. To enter, please see the Meet DIRECTOR before or during warm-ups. Swimmers not previously entered in the meet must provide proof of current USA Swimming registration.
<b>PROOF OF TIMES</b>	Entry times must be from a sanctioned, approved or observed meet. Proof of time <input type="checkbox"/> is <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> is not required for this meet. Falsification of any entry time may be subject to penalties/fines set by Middle Atlantic
<b>SEEDING</b>	This meet will be DECK-seeded with the exception of the event(s) noted below. (11-12) 200 BACK, 200 BREAST AND 200 FLY; 1500 FREE, 1000 FREE, 400 IM, and 400 FREE WILL ALL BE POSITIVE CHECK-IN EVENTS.
<b>AWARDS</b>	Level A: Medals 1st - 3rd, Ribbons 4th - 6th  Level BB: Ribbons 1st - 6th  Level C: Ribbons 1st - 6th

	AWARDS FOR AGE 9-12 ONLY
<b>SCORING</b>	This is not a scored meet.
<b>PROGRAMS AND ADMISSION</b>	Programs/heat sheets will be sold by <input type="checkbox"/> session <input type="checkbox"/> entire meet. Meet mobile <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> will <input type="checkbox"/> will not be available. Admission is \$6 per session or \$20 for entire meet. Children under 12 admitted free. Volunteers serving in a capacity determined by the Meet Director will be refunded admission cost.
<b>MISCELLANEOUS</b>	<p><b>TIME TRIALS:</b> Time trials will be held at the conclusion of each session, as time permits and at the discretion of the meet referee and meet director. Middle Atlantic time trial policies will be followed. Time trials will count toward the maximum allowable number of events per day.</p> <p>This meet will be entirely deck-seeded. All teams and Unattached swimmers will be provided a check-in sheet for each session of the meet. Check-in sheets must be turned into the scratch table 40 minutes before the start of the session. The meet will then be seeded and heat sheets will be provided for coaches and officials only. The heat sheets will be available for no additional charge via Meet Mobile.</p> <p>Swimmers entered in the 400 Free, 400 IM, 1000 Free and 1500 Free must provide their own timers and lap counters (1000 and 1500). The 400 Free, 400 IM, 1000 Free and 1500 Free events will be swum fastest to slowest. Heats for the 1500 Free will alternate Female and Male. 400 Free and 400 IM will NOT alternate male and female. There will be warmup/cooldown breaks within the distance sessions.</p> <p>Teams will be asked to provide timers for each session based on the number of entries for that session.</p>

SESSION	WARM-UP TIMES	MEET STARTS
1	7:00AM	8:00AM
2	12:00PM	1:00PM
3	5:00PM	6:00PM
4	7:00AM	8:00AM
5	12:00PM	1:00PM
6	5:00PM	6:00PM

<b>WARM-UP INFORMATION</b>	<p>USA Swimming and Middle Atlantic Swimming Safety Guidelines and Warm-up Procedures will be in effect for the entire meet. Entry into the pool shall be from the ends, not the sides, and shall be feet first except in designated start/sprint lanes.</p> <p>Warm-up sessions may be divided into periods of equal length depending on the number of swimmers entered into each session. Warm-up schedules will be posted and made available to coaches at the meet.</p> <p>Sprint/ Start lanes will be available at the end of the warm-up period. No diving or backstroke starts will be permitted, except in sprint lanes, when designated.</p> <p>The referee may remove anyone from the warm-up for failure to comply with warm-up rules</p>
<b>ATHLETE PROTECTION (MAAPP)</b>	All applicable adults participating in or associated with this meet, acknowledge that they are subject to the provisions of the USA Swimming Minor Athlete Protection Policy ("MAAPP"), and that they understand that compliance with MAAPP policy is a condition of participation in the conduct of this competition.
<b>DECK PRIVILEGES</b>	<p>Only currently credentialed coaches, USA Swimming registered athletes and essential meet personnel will be permitted on deck. A (non-removable) identification band must be provided to and worn by each non-athlete member of USA Swimming, including coaches and officials, that is on-deck at a sanctioned meet; such identification band shall be issued following a review of that individual's membership/certification credentials and personal photo ID. A new identification band shall be issued for each day of such meet, and the credentials/photo ID must be re-checked if a replacement ID is issued.</p> <p>Swimmers must be under the direct supervision of an USA Swimming Member Certified Coach at all times. Unattached swimmers and attached swimmers attending without a coach are responsible for securing a USA Swimming Member coach who will supervise them while on deck during warm-up, warm down, before, during, or after the meet. Additionally these swimmers must register a contact person with the meet director. This information should be submitted with the entries.</p>
<b>TECH SUIT POLICY</b>	Beginning January 1, 2018, swimmers ten (10) years of age and younger may not compete in a 'Tech suit' at any Middle Atlantic sanctioned meet, including Mini-meets and Developmental meets. This restriction also applies to any swimmer age ten (10) years or younger that is competing in a 'Senior' designated event or other event for which there is no age restriction.

<b>RACING START CERTIFICATION</b>	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 or 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. <b>A copy of the Racing Start Certification Checklist, signed by a USA Swimming member coach, must be given to the referee prior to the start of the meet.</b>
<b>QUALIFYING TIMES</b>	Qualifying Times (if applicable) are shown on the attached Meet Structure
<b>MEET/DECK REFEREE</b>	The meet/deck referee shall be in charge of the meet. Any questions regarding the conduct of the meet should be made directly to him/her. The meet/deck referee has final judgment for <b>any</b> issues that arise that day during the course of the meet.
<b>MEET MARSHALS</b>	Meet Marshals have full authority through the Meet Referee & Safety Director for safety and good order throughout the venue at all times. Swimmers, coaches and spectators may be removed from the deck/venue for non-compliance with procedures or non-cooperation with Marshals' instructions.
<b>RULES:</b>	<p>This meet will be governed by current USA Swimming Rules. Fly-over starts will be used at this meet for all events involving swimmers 9 and over. All swimmers (except for Backstroke starts) should remain in the water at the completion of their race until the next heat has begun.</p> <p>For pools with bulkheads: Any swimmer observed swimming under or through the bulkhead by an Official or Safety Monitor/Marshal at the meet will be disqualified from that swimmer's next individual event or from the remainder of the meet, as determined by the Meet Referee. This policy will be STRICTLY enforced.</p> <p>Smoking and the use of tobacco products are prohibited as is sale and use of alcoholic beverages/</p> <p><b>No unauthorized personnel will be allowed on the pool deck.</b> Coaches, Officials, and designated Meet personnel will only be permitted on deck if they are wearing their approved and current credentials. All other individuals, except swimmers, will be prevented from entering the deck area</p>
<b>DISABLED SWIMMERS</b>	Swimmers with a disability are welcome to enter this meet. The coach or team entry person must alert the meet director and the meet referee as to the need for any special accommodations or seeding arrangements at the time the entry is submitted.
<b>PROTESTS</b>	A Meet Jury will adjudicate any protests including issues of conduct which may occur in the meet venue. All protests must be in writing to the Meet/Deck Referee. The Meet Jury will consist of the Meet Director, an Athlete and a Coach. Additional members including an official may be added for a jury of five. The Meet Referee will act as a mediator
<b>PHOTOGRAPHY</b>	<p><b>Middle Atlantic PHOTOGRAPHY/VIDEOGRAPHY STATEMENT</b></p> <p>In compliance with USA Swimming Rules and Regulations: Use of audio or visual recording devices, including a cell phone, is not permitted in changing areas, rest rooms or locker rooms. Additionally, the use of equipment capable of taking pictures or videos (i.e. cell phones, cameras, PDA's, etc) are banned from behind the starting blocks during the entire meet, including warm up, competition and warm down periods. Unless approved in advance by the MAS Board and stated in the meet announcement, photographers /videographers are not permitted on deck at any time.</p> <p>As an approved exception, USA Swimming-registered and credentialed coaches are permitted to utilize visual recording devices to record their swimmers in the pool for the sole purpose of stroke training subject to the location restrictions of this statement so long as they do not interfere with meet operations. In the event of any disputes regarding video recording, the Referee's decision shall be final and binding. In no case shall coaches be permitted to delegate this role to athletes.</p>
<b>DRONES</b>	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 Vice President of Program Operations of USA Swimming.
<b>DECK CHANGING</b>	Deck changes are prohibited.
<b>DIRECTIONS</b>	<p>FROM BALTIMORE, WASHINGTON AND POINTS SOUTH - Take I-83 to exit 9 East, which becomes Route 30 East. Follow Route 30 East to Lancaster and exit at the Harrisburg Pike exit. Turn right onto Harrisburg Pike and continue 1.5 miles to F&amp;M College. From Harrisburg Pike, turn left at first traffic light. As you enter the parking lot, McGuiness Pool is located in the Alumni Sports and Fitness Center to your left.</p> <p>FROM HARRISBURG, PITTSBURG AND POINTS WEST - Take the PA Turnpike to Harrisburg (exit 19) onto Route 283 towards Lancaster. Exit on Route 30 West and proceed to Harrisburg Pike exit. Turn left onto Harrisburg Pike and continue for 1.5 mile to F&amp;M College. From Harrisburg Pike, turn left at first traffic light. AS you enter the parking lot, McGuiness Pool is located in the Alumni Sports and Fitness Center to your left.</p>

	<p>FROM PHILADELPHIA, SOUTH JERSEY AND POINTS EAST- Take the PA Turnpike to the Reading-Lancaster exit. Take Route 222 South to Route 30 West. Proceed to Harrisburg Pike exit. Turn left onto Harrisburg Pike and continue for 1.5 miles to F&amp;M College. From Harrisburg Pike, turn left at first traffic light. As you enter the parking lot, McGuiness Pool is located in the Alumni Sports and Fitness Center to your left.</p>
<p><b>ACCOMMODATIONS</b></p>	<p>Lancaster Arts Hotel - 300 Harrisburg Pike Lancaster, PA 1-877-208-5521  Lancaster Marriott Penn Square 25 South Queen St., Lancaster (sales) 1-717-207-4000  Eden Resort- 222 Eden Road, Lancaster 717-569-6444  The Sleep Inn - 310 Primrose Lane, Mountville 717-285-0444  Hampton Inn - 545 Greenfield Rd, Lancaster 717-299-1200  Fairfield Inn - 150 Granite Run Rd, Lancaster 717-581-1800  Hilton Garden Inn - 101 Granite Run Rd, Lancaster 717-560-0880  Main Stay Suites - 314 Primrose Lane, Mountville 717-285-2500  Country Inn &amp; Suites - 2260 Lincoln Hwy East, Lancaster 717-299-4460  Cork Factory Hotel 480 New Holland Ave 717-735-2075  Red Roof Inn 2307 Lincoln Highway East 717-299-9700  Comfort Suites 2343 Lincoln Highway East 717-299-7000  Wingate by Wyndham 2110 Lincoln Highway East 717-299-6604  Homewood Suites 200 Granite Run drive 717-381-4400  Courtyard Lancaster 1931 Hospitality Drive 717-393-3600  Fairfield Inn &amp; Suites by Marriott 2270 Lincoln Highway East 717-295-9100</p>