



**NEW YORK SHARKS  
SHORT COURSE METERS  
RECORD BREAKER  
CHALLENGE**

**At Felix Festa Middle School**

SATURDAY AND SUNDAY  
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METRO SANCTION #130402

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- SANCTION:** Held under the sanction of USA Swimming/Metropolitan Swimming, Inc., #130402
- LOCATION:** Felix Festa Middle School, 30 Parrott Road, West Nyack, New York, 10994
- FACILITY:** Felix Festa is an indoor, 8 lane 50 meter pool with a bulkhead. The meet will in the 25 meter course starting in the deep end of the pool. There is seating for 700 spectators in the balcony. A Colorado fully automated timing system with an 8 lane read-out board will be used. The pool has been certified in accordance with Article 104.2.2C (4)
- SESSIONS:** Saturday 5/18/13, Session #1 – 7:30 AM Warm Up, 8:30 AM Start  
Saturday, 5/18/13 – Session 2 – 1:00 PM Warm Up, 2:00 PM Start  
Sunday, 5/19/13 - Session #3 – 7:30 AM Warm Up, 8:30 AM Start  
Sunday, 5/19/13 Session #4– 1:00 PM Warm Up, 2:00 PM Start
- FORMAT:** This meet will be run as a timed final meet.  
This meet will be deck seeded.
- ELIGIBILITY:** Open to all USA Swimming/Metropolitan Swimming Inc., registered swimmers  
All swimmers participating in this meet must be registered by the first day of the meet.  
Age on **April 27, 2013** will determine age for the entire meet.
- DISABILITY SWIMMERS:** Swimmers with disabilities are encouraged to attend. Contact the meet director if you need special consideration. The athlete (or the athlete's coach) is also responsible for notifying the meet referee of any disability prior to the competition.
- ENTRIES:** Swimmers may enter and compete in three individual events per session. **No NT's will be accepted. The Host Club reserves the right to enter their swimmers with NT's.** All entries will be accepted on a first come basis.  
**TM HyTek entries are preferred.**  
U.S. Mail Entries/Payment to: **NY Sharks Aquatics, C/O Denise Byrne, 32 Fitzgerald Court, Monroe, NY 10950**  
Email Entries/Confirm Entry Receipt: **nysharksoffice@gmail.com**  
**If you are not emailing your entries, then overnight or express mail is recommended, but waive the signature.**
- DEADLINE:**
1. Metro LSC teams teams will be given priority on a first come/first served basis. Teams entries must be received by **April 14, 2013**
  2. The final entry deadline for this meet is **April 20, 2013**
  3. Metro entries received between **April 15** and **April 20, 2013** and all entries from other LSC's will be entered in the order they were received, as space allows.
- An email confirming receipt of entries if you provide an email contact. Please contact Meet Director if you do not receive such a report within 2 days of your original email.
- ENTRY FEE:** An entry fee of **\$4.00** per individual even and **\$10.00** per relay must accompany the entries.  
Make check payable to: **NYS Aquatics.**  
Payment must be received by **April 20, 2013** for email entries. Payment must be included with all mail entries. Failure to pay entry fees by this deadline could result in teams being barred from the meet.

- WARM-UP:** Warm-ups will be run under Metropolitan Swimming Warm-up and Safety Guidelines. Warm-ups will include general warm up lanes and sprint lanes. All swimmers must enter the pool at the starting end of the pool. Saturday and Sunday Morning Warm-ups will be a general warm-up in all lanes. There will be one way sprint lanes and will start 20 minutes before the end of warm-ups (8:10 AM) at the competition end of the pool. Saturday and Sunday Afternoon Warm-ups will be general warm-up in all lanes. There will be one way sprint lanes and will start 20 minutes before the end of warm-ups (1:40 PM) at the competition end of the pool.
- SCRATCHES:** Coaches will be given scratch sheets upon check-in for each session. All scratches are due no later than 30 minutes prior to the start of the session. Coaches are asked to indicate clearly individual events scratches and which swimmers will not be participating in the session. Metropolitan Scratch Procedure for timed finals will apply.
- COACHES:** In accordance with Metropolitan Swimming Inc. Policy, only those coaches who display current, valid USA Swimming credentials will be permitted to act in a coaching capacity at this meet. Coaches who do not possess these credentials will be required to leave the deck area.
- AWARDS:** Luggage Tags will be awarded for each age group in individual events for 1<sup>st</sup> through 3<sup>rd</sup> and ribbons for 4<sup>th</sup> through 8<sup>th</sup> places. Ribbons will be awarded for 1<sup>st</sup> through 3<sup>rd</sup> in Relay events.
- OFFICIALS:** Meet Referee: Mark Amodio – [amodio@vassar.edu](mailto:amodio@vassar.edu) – Cell (914) 456-6791  
Officials wishing to volunteer should contact Meet Referee by May 10, 2013
- MEET DIRECTOR:** Denise Byrne, [nysharksoffice@gmail.com](mailto:nysharksoffice@gmail.com), 845-548-4772  
Mary Lange  
Kathleen Cullinan
- RULES:** The current USA Swimming Rules and Regulations will apply.  
**The USA Swimming Code of Conduct is in effect for the duration of the meet.**  
The overhead start procedure may be used at the discretion of the meet Referee.
- SAFETY:** Metropolitan Safety and Warm-up procedures will be in effect. Marshals will be present throughout warm-ups and competition, and have the authority to remove, with the concurrence of the meet Referee, any swimmer, coach, club, or spectator for failure to follow the safety rules. **Any swimmer entered in the meet 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. When unaccompanied by a member-coach, it is the responsibility of the swimmer or swimmers legal guardian to ensure compliance with this requirement.**
- WATER DEPTH:** USA 2011-202.3.7 “The meet announcement shall include information about water depth measured for a distance of 3 feet 3 ½” (1.0 meter) to 16 feet 5 inches (5.0 meters) from both end walls” 1.0 meter= 4 feet 6 inches, 5 meters = 13 feet.
- DISCLAIMER:** Upon acceptance of his/her entries, the participant waives all claims against **Clarkstown Central School District, Felix Festa Middle School, NYS Aquatics, Inc**, New York Sharks Swim Club, Metropolitan Swimming Inc., USA Swimming Inc., their agents or representatives for any injury occurring as a result of the meet.
- AUDIO VISUAL:** The use of audio or visual recording devices, including a cell phone or tablet device is not permitted in changing areas, rest rooms or locker room.
- DECK CHANGING:** Except where venue facilities require otherwise, changing into or out of swimsuits other than in locker rooms or other designated areas is not appropriate and is prohibited.
- ADMISSION:** Admissions are \$5.00 per session. Programs are \$3.00
- MERCHANTS:** Metro Swim Shop

NY Sharks Concessions: There will be food concessions with beverages and hot and cold food.

**PARKING:** There is free parking around Felix Festa Middle School. Cars parking on Parrott Road will be ticketed and towed. All cars must be parked in designated parking spaces or they will be ticketed by the Clarkstown Police Department.

**DIRECTIONS:** From Rockland County: NYS Thruway South to Exit 13N for Palisades Parkway North. Take Exit 10 from Palisades Parkway. Turn right at the end of ramp at light onto Germonds Road. Go straight to Parrott Road. Felix Festa Middle School is on the left. Pool entrance and parking is in the back of the school by the Tennis Courts and parking.

From Westchester County: Take Tappan Zee Bridge to the Palisades North (Exit 13N). Follow the directions above.

From New York City: Take George Washington Bridge to Palisades Parkway North to Exit 10.

**SESSION #1: Saturday Morning– Warm-ups: 7:30 AM – 8:30 AM Start**

<b>Girls Evt. #</b>	<b>Age Group Event</b>	<b>Boys Evt. #</b>
#1	10 & Under 50m Freestyle	#2
#3	13-14 - 100m Freestyle	#4
#5	10 & Under 100m Backstroke	#6
#7	13-14 – 50m Backstroke	#8
#9	10 & Under - 50m Breaststroke	#10
#11	13-14 - 100 meter Breaststroke	#12
#13	10 & Under- 100m Butterfly	#14
#15	13-14 - 50m Butterfly	#16
#17	10 & Under – 200m Freestyle Relay	#18
#19	13-14 - 200m Freestyle Relay	#20

**SESSION #2: Saturday Afternoon,- Warm-ups 1:00 PM, 2:00 PM Start**

<b>Girls Evt. #</b>	<b>Age Group Event</b>	<b>Boys Evt. #</b>
#21	11 – 12 50m Freestyle	#22
#23	15 & Over 100m Freestyle	#24
#25	11-12 100m Backstroke	#26
#27	15 & Over 50m Backstroke	#28
#29	11-12 50m Breaststroke	#30
#31	15 & Over - 100 meter Breaststroke	#32
#32	11-12 100m Butterfly	#34
#35	15 & Over 50m Butterfly	#36
#37	11-12 200m Freestyle Relay	#38
#39	15 & Over 200m Freestyle Relay	#40

**SESSION #3: Sunday Morning,- Warm-ups 7:30 AM, 8:30 AM Start**

<b>Girls Evt. #</b>	<b>Age Group Event</b>	<b>Boys Evt. #</b>
#41	10 & Under 100m Freestyle	#42
#43	13-14 - 50m Freestyle	#44
#45	10 & Under 50m Backstroke	#46
#47	13-14 - 100m Backstroke	#48
#49	10 & Under - 100m Breaststroke	#50
#51	13-14 - 50m Breaststroke	#52
#53	10 & Under - 50m Butterfly	#54
#55	13-14 - 100m Butterfly	#56
#57	10 & Under - 200m Medley Relay	#58
#59	13-14 - 200m Medley Relay	#60

**SESSION #4: Sunday Afternoon,- Warm-ups 1:00 PM, 2:00 PM Start**

<b>Girls Evt#</b>	<b>Age Group Event</b>	<b>Boys Evt #</b>
#61	11-12 100m Freestyle	#62
#63	15 & Over 50m Freestyle	#64
#65	11-12 50m Backstroke	#66
#67	15 & Over 100m Backstroke	#68
#69	11-12 100m Breaststroke	#70
#71	15 & Over - 50m Breaststroke	#72
#73	11-12 50m Butterfly	#74
#75	15 & Over- 100m Butterfly	#76
#77	11-12 200m Medley Relay	#78
#79	15 & Over- 200m Medley Relay	#80