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**2015-MR-Tina Ficarelli Winter Meet
January 10 & 11, 2015 @Lehman College**

Sanction # 150102

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- SANCTION:** Held under the sanction of USA Swimming/Metropolitan Swimming, Inc., #
- LOCATION:** Lehman College APEX Aquatic Center
250 Bedford Park Boulevard West
Bronx, New York 10468
- FACILITY:** 8 Lane 25 Yard Pool utilizing Daktronic Timing System and Scoreboard
The pool **Has** been certified in accordance with Article 104.2.2C (4) Warm up and cool down lanes available throughout the meet. The competitive course is 7-13 feet deep
- SESSIONS:** Sat & Sun 8:00am Warm up 9:00am Start 2:00pm Warm up 3:00pm Start
- FORMAT:** Timed Finals
Deck Seeding
- ELIGIBILITY:** 15 & Older 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 **Jan 10, 2015** 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 4 Individual events per session. 500 Free & 400 IM events may be limited to 3 heats each. Participants will be selected by time, fastest to slowest. Host team reserves the right to enter its athletes in the 500 Free and 400IM events regardless of time. Swimmers must Provide own timers for 500 Free and 400 IM Events.
Entries are accepted on a first come, first served basis. Entries received after the entry deadline will only be accepted if the meet is not full. Deck Entries are NOT permitted. All Entries must be sent as a Hy-Tek file. Manual Entries WILL NOT be accepted. Mail payment along with Hy-Tek Meet Entry Fee Report and detailed Meet Entry Report.
- U.S. Mail Entries/Payment to: **Patriot Aquatics, PO Box 484, Jefferson Valley NY 10535**
Email Entries/Confirm Entry Receipt: **patriotentries@gmail.com**
Signature Waiver Required for Express Mailed Entries
- DEADLINE:** 1: Metro LSC teams will be given priority on a first come/first served basis. Metro teams entries must be received by **December 26, 2014**.
2: The final entry deadline for this meet is **January 2, 2015**
3: Metro entries received between **Dec 27, 2014** and **Jan 2, 2015** and all entries from other LSC's will be entered in the order they were received, as space allows.
4: **Time updates only after Jan 2 deadline, no further addition/deletion of swimmers**
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. Your entries are deemed not received if you do not get email confirmation.
- ENTRY FEE:** An entry fee of \$4.00 per individual even must accompany the entries.
Make check payable to: **Patriot Aquatics**.
Payment must be received by **Jan 2, 2015** 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:** **General Warm up in effect. Sprint lanes will be available 20 minutes prior to the end of each warm up. Lanes 1 & 8 will remain General warm up during sprints.**

- 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.
- 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:** **Medals 1-3, Ribbons 4-8 for 12 & Under Events. Heat Winner Prizes for 10 & Under Events. Awards for 10 & Under events will be given as follows: 9-10 and 8 & under categories.**
- MEET DIR.:** Bob Vializ 914-497-4716
- OFFICIALS:** **Meet Referee:** Ken Graham (E-mail: ksg@alumni.caltech.edu)
Officials wishing to volunteer should contact Meet Referee by **January 16th.**
- ADMIN OFF:** **Wendy Martinez**
- 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.
- 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.
- 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 rooms.
- DISCLAIMER:** Upon acceptance of his/her entries, the participant waives all liabilities and claims for damages against **The City of New York, Lehman College Apex Aquatic Center, Patriot Swim Team, Metropolitan Swimming Inc., USA Swimming Inc.,** their agents or representatives for injuries to anyone during the conduct of the meet.
- ADMISSION:** **\$5 Adm, \$3 for Programs. Fees are set and collected by Lehman College & are subject to change**
- MERCHANTS:** **Metro Swim Shop. Food and Beverage Concessions**
- PARKING:** **Parking is available for \$5 in The North Lot (alongside the reservoir) Fees are set and collected by Lehman College & subject to change. There is also ample free and metered street parking however be sure to read all signs to avoid costly parking tickets.**
- DIRECTIONS:** **Bedford Park Boulevard between Goulden and Paul Aves.**
BY SUBWAY: Take the IRT #4 (Lexington) or IND 'D' to Bedford Park Boulevard and walk West on Bedford Park Blvd. past Paul Ave. to entrance on south side of street.
BY BUS: FROM WESTCHESTER: (White Plains, Hartsdale, Scarsdale, Yonkers via Central Park Ave.) #20 or #20X or (Yonkers via Getty Square/South Broadway/McClean Ave./Central Park Ave.) #4 to Bedford Park Blvd. Terminus and walk West.
BY CAR: Take Major Deegan Expressway (I-87) to the Van Cortlandt Park South Exit and turn left onto Van Cortlandt Ave. Proceed up the winding hill to Sedgwick Ave. And make left onto Sedgwick and continue uphill. Turn right at Goulden Ave. (keeping Reservoir on right) and go south to Bedford Park Blvd. Proceed two long blocks. Parking lots will be on your right.
Via Saw Mill River Parkway South (it becomes the Henry Hudson Parkway) to Mosholu Parkway exit. Proceed on long exit ramp. At the second traffic light, before the subway underpass, turn right onto Paul Avenue. Go for two long blocks. At Bedford Park Boulevard, turn right. APEX building is on your left. Proceed to traffic light and then turn left onto Goulden. Parking lots will be on your right.

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Saturday Jan 10, 2015 Warm-up 8:00am Start 9:00am

GIRLS	EVENT	BOYS
1	9-10 200 IM	2
3	13-14 200 IM	4
5	10 & Under 50 Breast	6
7	13-14 100 Breast	8
9	10 & Under 100 Back	10
11	13-14 200 Back	12
13	10 & Under 50 Free	14
15	13-14 100 Free	16
17	10 & Under 100 Fly	18
19	13-14 200 Fly	20
21	9-10 500 Free	22
23	13-14 500 Free	24

500's May be limited to 3 heats. Swimmers must provide own timers

Saturday Jan 10, 2015 Warm-up 2:00pm Start 3:00pm

GIRLS	EVENTS	BOYS
25	11-12 200 IM	26
27	15 & Older 200 IM	28
29	11-12 100 Breast	30
31	15 & Older 100Breast	32
33	11-12 100 Back	34
35	15 & Older 200 Back	36
37	11-12 100 Free	38
39	15 & Older 100 Free	40
41	11-12 50 Fly	42
43	15 & Older 200 Fly	44
45	11-12 500 Free	46
47	15 & Older 500 Free	48

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GIRLS	EVENTS	BOYS
49	9-10 200 Free	50
51	13-14 200 Free	52
53	10 & Under 50 Back	54
55	13-14 100 Back	56
57	10 & Under 50 Fly	58
59	13-14 100 Fly	60
61	10 & Under 100 Breast	62
63	13-14 200 Breast	64
65	10 & Under 100 Free	66
67	13-14 50 Free	68
69	9-10 400 IM	70
71	13-14 400 IM	72

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GIRLS	EVENTS	BOYS
73	11-12 200 Free	74
75	15 & Older 200 Free	76
77	11-12 50 Back	78
79	15 & Older 100 Back	80
81	11-12 100 Fly	82
83	15 & Older 100 Fly	84
85	11-12 50 Breast	86
87	15 & Older 200 Breast	88
89	11-12 50 Free	90
91	15 & Older 50 Free	92
93	11-12 400 IM	94
95	15 & Older 400 IM	96

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