



**2011 Montana Swimming Junior B-C
Short Course Swimming Championships
February 19-20, 2011
Great Falls, Montana**

Sanction Number – 0805

LOCATION: The meet will be held at the Great Falls High School Bison Pool. This pool is a 6 lane, 25-yard pool with an adjacent warm-up pool. The High School is located on 19th St. So. and 5th Ave. So.

SAFETY REGULATIONS: Montana Swimming safety guidelines and warm-up procedures will be in effect, each coach is responsible for informing swimmers of the provisions of the safety code before attending the meet. A safety marshal will be on deck during the meet. No glass containers are allowed on the deck or in the locker rooms. The adjacent warm-up pool may only be used for warm-up or warm-down. All swimmers must be under the supervision of a USAS member coach during warm-up, competition, and warm-down. Swimmers competing at the meet without their coach in attendance will be assigned to a coach in attendance at the meet or the swimmer may ask when entering to be assigned to a specific coach. There is no diving allowed in the warm-up pool.

RACING STARTS: *“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. ”*

RULES: 2010-2011 USA Swimming and Montana Swimming rules will govern the meet. This meet is sanctioned by USA Swimming and Montana Swimming. Timing will be Colorado Timing System and/or two manual watches.

AGE GROUPS: 8&U, 10&U, 11-12, 13-14, 15-16, and 17-21. 8 & Under Swimmers may swim in either the 8 & Under or the 10 & Under age group, but not both. All combined and mixed events will be awarded and scored separately by age group and male/female. Age on February 19th shall determine the swimmer’s age for the meet.

EXCEPTION: Any swimmer who ages up to a higher age group between February 19 and February 26 may enter the events in that higher age group as long as they have not achieved a BB time in any event in any course in that higher age group. This swimmer must then swim all events in that higher age group for the meet. They may not swim both age groups.

All events will be Timed Finals.

ELIGIBILITY: All swimmers must be registered athletes with USA Swimming and Montana Swimming for 2011. Swimmers that qualify for Montana Short Course Championship Meet with a “BB” or faster time in any course (Yards, LCM or SCM) since January 1, 2009 are ineligible to compete in any events at the Junior B - C Short Course Swimming Championship Meet in which they have a “B” time or greater. They may enter any events that they do not have a “B” time or greater in. Swimmers age 8 & under may compete in any 8 & under event that they **do not** have a state qualifying time in any course.

Time Trials: There will be a separate Time Trial held at the conclusion of the meet events on both Saturday and Sunday for swimmers that are not entered in the 2011 Montana Swimming Junior B-C Short Course Swimming Championships and have/have not attained a qualifying time for the 2011 Montana State Short Course Championship. Swimmers may enter a maximum of 4 events each day. See the attached list for events and order that will be offered at the Time Trials, **NOT ALL STATE MEET EVENTS WILL BE OFFERED.**

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ENTRIES: Each swimmer may compete in a maximum of eight (8) individual events for the entire meet with a maximum of four (4) individual events per day. Each swimmer will be seeded according to their fastest submitted times. **NO Time entries will not be accepted.**

No deck entries will be allowed. There will be no minimum waiting period between events. Please consider this when entering swimmers in consecutive events.

Please include a team entry report sorted by athlete name from Team Manager. When e-mailing, please include these reports in Word or RTF. The entry Summary, Waiver, and USA Swimming Registration Confirmation Sheet must be filled out, signed and returned with the entries and reports. Swimmers will not be allowed to swim until the fees are paid and required paper work is turned in.

Please note: Exception swimmers who are aging up between Feb. 19th and February 26th will need to place their entries on the Master Entry Form provided. Please do not include them on your team entry file.

DEADLINES: Entries must be received no later than Thursday, February 10th. Phone in entries will be accepted until Monday, February 14th by 6:00 PM to Tobi Magruder at 406-268-0462 if no answer leave a message and your call will be returned. Entries should be e-mailed to the meet registrar: Tobi Magruder at fiddlinmama@live.com
Paperwork and fees should be mailed to: **FAST, PO BOX 1504, Great Falls, MT 59403**

ENTRY FEES: An entry fee in the sum of \$35.00 for each individual swimmer must be must be paid with the entries. Checks should be made payable to the **Falls Aquatic Swim Team**. There will be no refunds.

STARTING TIME: The meet shall commence at 8:00 am for warm-ups for the 500 free on Saturday and the 1000 free on Sunday. The races will begin at 8:20 am both days. General warm-ups will begin immediately following the distance events each day and no earlier than 9:00 am. Each team should provide an email address so a warm-up schedule can be distributed before the meet.

SCORING: Individual-scoring points will be 16, 13, 12, 11, 10, 9, 7, 5, 4, 3, 2, and 1.

AWARDS: Individual medals will be awarded for 1st through 6th and ribbons for 7th through 12th place. All swimmers who achieve a 'BB' time during the meet will be awarded a *BB Time Achievement Certificate*.

SPIRIT AWARD: A traveling Team Spirit Banner will be awarded to the team showing the best display of team spirit.

DISABLED SWIMMERS: Disabled swimmers are welcome. Please notify the meet referee and the meet manager if you have any special needs by the meet entry deadline. The disabled swimmers will be seeded with the able bodied swimmers and will be accommodated for special requests in seeding if desired.

SCRATCH PROCEDURE: There will be no clerk of course. Heat and lane assignments will appear in the program. Swimmers are responsible for taking their position behind the blocks. Swimmers failing to report for their races will be scratched at the blocks. Coaches should report scratches to the meet referee prior to the start of the meet both days.

PROTESTS: All protests should be given to the meet referee.

OFFICIALS AND TIMERS: All teams will be asked to provide timers during the meet. We also appreciate the help of certified officials from other clubs. There will be an officials meeting and coaches meeting prior to the start of the meet each day.

CONCESSIONS: The Falls Aquatic Swim Team will have a selection of nutritious snacks, meals, and drinks for sale.

SWIM SHOP: There will be an assortment of swimwear and equipment to choose from for your shopping needs.

MEET DIRECTOR: Sussie Thompson
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REGISTRAR: Tobi Magruder
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MEET REFEREE: Merle Gunderson
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SAFETY MARSHAL: Casey Cummings and Crew

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Sunday February 20, 2011

GIRLS		BOYS		GIRLS		BOYS	
1	Mixed 9-21 500 Free			43	11-21 Mixed 1000 Free		
(General warm-ups to follow the 500 Free)				(General warm-ups to follow the 1000 Free)			
3	11-21 200 Back	4		45	9-12 100 IM	46	
5	8&U 50 Back	6		47	8&U 50 Free	48	
7	10&U 50 Back	8		49	10&U 50 Free	50	
9	11-12 50 Back	10		51	11-12 50 Free	52	
11	13-21 50 Back	12		53	13-21 50 Free	54	
13	8&U 25 Free	14		55	8&U 25 Fly	56	
15	10&U 100 Free	16		57	10&U 100 Fly	58	
17	11-12 100 Free	18		59	11-12 100 Fly	60	
19	13-21 100 Free	20		61	13-21 100 Fly	62	
21	8 & U 50 Fly	22		63	8&U 50 Breast	64	
23	10&U 50 Fly	24		65	10&U 50 Breast	66	
25	11-12 50 Fly	26		67	11-12 50 Breast	68	
27	13-21 50 Fly	28		69	13-21 50 Breast	70	
29	8&U 25 Breast	30		71	8&U 25 Back	72	
31	10 & U 100 Breast	32		73	10&U 100 Back	74	
33	11-12 100 Breast	34		75	11-12 100 Back	76	
35	13-21 100 Breast	36		77	13-21 100 Back	78	
37	8&U 100 IM	38		79	10&U 200 Free	80	
39	9-21 200 IM	40		81	11-12 200 Free	82	
				83	13-21 200 Free	84	
41	11-21 200 Fly	42		85	11-21 200 Breast	86	

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2011 Montana Swimming Junior B-C Time Trial

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- 1 Mixed Open 500 Free
- 2 Mixed Open 100 Breast
- 3 Mixed Open 50 Fly
- 4 Mixed Open 200 IM
- 5 Mixed Open 100 Free
- 6 Mixed Open 50 Back
- 7 Mixed Open 200 Breast

- 8 Mixed Open 200 Free
- 9 Mixed Open 100 Fly
- 10 Mixed Open 50 Breast
- 11 Mixed Open 200 Fly
- 12 Mixed Open 100 Back
- 13 Mixed Open 50 Free
- 14 Mixed Open 200 Back

Breaks will be offered between every other events

Swimmers can submit entry by deadline, and may then enter at the time trial each day. Time trials will be deck seeded. Entry fee is \$4.00 per event.

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