**Private Club League Championships**

Sponsored by:

**Belleair Country Club**

Sanctioned by:

**Florida Swimming of USA Swimming # xxxx**

**“In granting this approval it is understood and agreed that USA Swimming shall be free and held harmless from any liabilities or claims from damages arising by reason of injuries to anyone during the conduct of the meet”**

CONDITION OF SANCTION: 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 swimmers legal guardian to ensure compliance with this requirement. The competition course has been certified in accordance with USA-S 104.2.2(C). Changing into or out of swimsuits other than in locker rooms or other designated are is not appropriate and is prohibited. 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 spectator are present. Exceptions may be granted with prior written approval by the USA-S Vice President of Program Operations.

TYPE OF MEET: Closed meet

 25 Yard Short Course

 6 and under Timed finals, Relay Timed finals

 8 & U, 10 & U, 11-12, 13-14 and 15-18 prelims, finals and consolation finals

DATE AND TIME: Saturday, May 28th

 Prelims: Warm up 8:30am, 9:30am start

 (6 and under events timed finals)

 Finals: Warm ups for finals will begin at 3:30pm on Saturday.

 Finals will begin at 4:30pm on Saturday

LOCATION: North Shore Pool

 901 North Shore Drive NE, St. Petersburg, FL 33701

POOL SPECS: Certified 50 meter, outdoor pool with a maximum of 10 long course racing lanes. A depth of 4 feet at start and turn ends of the pool and non-turbulent lane lines. Constant warm down lanes available.

TIMING EQUIPMENT: Colorado Timing System with scoreboard

ELIGIBILITY: Open to registered 2021 USA Swimming athletes who are members of invited summer teams in good standing with the Private Club League. On deck registration will not be allowed

SEEDING: Use 25 yard times. Conversions, using the formula in the current Florida Swimming Handbook, may be used for entry and seeding purposes. Prelim and timed final events will be swum slowest to fastest. Prelim events will be seeded in 8 lanes and finals/timed final events will be seeded in 8 lanes. Final events will be swum fastest to slowest. Where events can be combined the meet host, with the concurrence of the Meet Referee, will combine those events and heats before meet program is published.

SCRATCHES: Prelims: No penalty for scratches on the block.

 Finals: Any swimmer who competes in a preliminary heat and qualifies in the top 16 as originally seeded, must swim in that events final or consolation final; or must submit their intention to scratch from that event within 30 minutes of the announcement of qualifiers. Swimmers may reverse their intention to scratch and choose to be seeded for finals if they do so within 30 minutes of their last event of the day. Any swimmer seeded in a final who fails to swim that event will be barred from the next **individual** event in which the swimmer is scheduled to swim, unless excused by the Meet Referee because of illness or emergency. The Meet Referee must be notified prior to the event taking place. Coaches are encouraged to scratch swimmers seeded in the top 24 if not returning for finals. If there is an open lane in the Championship finals, the fastest qualifier in consolation finals will be offered that lane. Designated alternates wishing to swim in open lanes in consolation finals must check in with the deck referee and stand at the starters table ready to swim when the swimmers are called to the blocks. Only the starter may call for alternates.

ENTRY LIMITS: Limited to 3 individual events and two relays per swimmer. Each team may enter only one relay team per relay event. Over entries will automatically be dropped when they exceed the limit.

MIXED RELAYS: You can only swim a mixed relay if you can’t fill a boys or girls relay in that age group. You can’t swim your gender/age group relay and a mixed relay for that age group. You can only swim two relays per age group. Mixed combinations (1boy 3 girls) or (1 girl 3 boys) or (2 boys 2 girls)

ENTRY FORM: Non-electronic or non-Hy-tek compatible entries incur an additional fee of $50. All current USA swimming registration numbers, including those of realy-only swimmers, must be included in entry file, recap form must be signed by a current USA swimming member. Entries submitted in Hy-tek CL2 format are preferred. A signed hard copy printout is acceptable as proof of entry. Entries will be accepted via electronic mail attention Eva Gronke at swimresultsbytrg@aol.com. Disk or email entries must be accompanied by a backup hard copy of the entry. Corrupted, unreadable, or incorrectly formatted files must be corrected within 24 hours of notification. Electronic mail confirmation will be sent upon receipt of file. List all attending coaches and contact phone numbers in the body of the email, which serves as proof of entry.

ENTRY FEE: $4.15 per individual timed final event

 $6.50 for prelims/finals events

 $5.00 per relay entry

 $12.00 facility fee per swimmer

 $2.00 meet program charge

 **NO DECK ENTRIES**

ENTRY DEADLINE: **Entries must be received by Friday, May 21st 2021**

 A check or money order, payable to Belleair Country Club must accompany the entries. By email

 Mail first class, certifies mail, return receipt to:

 Eva Gronke

 3534 Chessington Drive

 Land O Lakes, Florida 34638

 **All entries must be paid in full before Saturday, May 29th**

SCORING: Individual: 20, 17, 16, 15, 14, 13, 12, 11, 9, 7, 6, 5, 4, 3, 2, 1

 Relays: 40, 34, 32, 30, 28, 26, 24, 22

 Individual Events will be scored to 16 places

AWARDS: Individual events:

 1st-3rd Medals, 4th-8th Rosettes, 9th-16th Ribbons

 Relay Events:

 1st-3rd Medals, 4th-8th Ribbons

 Team Awards: 1st-3rd Plaques

 High Point: 1st-3rd awards for girls and boys each age group

RULES: Current USA Swimming Technical rules will govern. Safety Rules, as outlined by USA Swimming, and as recommended by the Head Marshall, will be in effect during all warm-up periods and in all warm-up areas. Fly over starts may be used at the referee’s discretion

TIMERS: Each Club must provide **3 timers** for the morning session and **3 timers** for the finals session. Please submit list of timers with entry forms.

OFFICIALS: Head Referee Brett Ewald

 Admin Official Eva Gronke

 Starter Deanna Kaufman

 Head Stroke & turn

 Safety Marshall Craig Coghlan

IDENTIFICATION: Coaches/officials must visibly display a valid USA membership card at all times while on deck. Coaches and Officials can prove membership through Deck Pass. A current coach member of USA swimming must supervise each swimmer participating in a Florida Swimming sanctioned meet during warm up and competition. An unattached athlete, without a team affiliation and not escorted by a coach member, must check in with the meet referee or head marshal upon arrival at the meet. Such athletes will be assigned to a substitute coach who will supervise the swimmer(s) during warm up and competition.

CAMERA ZONES: Per Florida Swimming Rule 223.13, Meet Management shall designate and inform the public of “Camera Zones” at each swim meet where both still photography and video photography of a race or a competitor in a race may be taken. Acceptable “Camera Zones” may include, but are not limited to the side courses of a pool, team gathering areas, concession area, turn-end of competition course when not in use as a “startend,” etc. Meet Management shall also designate “Non-Camera Zones.” Under NO circumstances will Camera Zones include the area immediately behind the starting blocks at either end of the racing course(s) while they are in use for “race starting purposes” during competition and warm-ups, locker rooms, restrooms, or any other dressing area. Any individual failing to abide by this rule could be subject to the Florida Swimming Code of Conduct violation as defined in Rule 239.2

SMOKING: Smoking of any kind, electronic or ignited is not allowed on the sun deck, stair wells, or immediate parking spaces adjacent to the athlete entries. No smoking in athlete accessed locations.

OFFICIALS MEETING:

COACHES MEETING:

PCL BYLAWS: During the Championship meet, the Private Club League bylaws will be followed and recognized. There will also be a committee if needed to solve any protests, etc…

TEAM REP: Submit with entry form the name of one person, other than the coach, who will check with the referee about any matter pertaining to the meet. The coach and only that person will be recognized.

CHAPERONES: Each team will provide chaperones for their swimmers. A maximum of 2 chaperones per team will be allowed. Only chaperones will be allowed on pool deck with the swimmers. Submit list of chaperones with Master Entry form.

**Heat sheets will be posted on** [**www.fastswimresults.com**](http://www.fastswimresults.com) **no later than 48 hours prior to the start of the meet. These are to be printed and brought to the meet. A $2 charge will applied to each swimmers entry fee. A limited number of heat sheets will be available at the meet for purchase. Coaches, please email all swimmers and parents to make them aware of this.**

WARM UP

PROCEDURES: 8:30am – 9:20am general swimming. Warm up lanes will be assigned to each team.

**Swimmers must enter the water feet first with at least one hand in contact with the pool deck, except when doing a controlled racing start supervised by a coach.**

**NO EQUIPMENT ALLOWED IN THE POOL AT ANY TIME.**

**Lane assignments will be emailed to each coach by Wednesday, May 26th.**

**Private Club League Championships Order of Events**

**Saturday, May 29th 2021**

**Prelims: 8:30am warm up, 9:30am start; Finals: 3:30pm warm up, 4:30pm start**

**EVENT NUMBER AGE GROUP DISTANCE AND STROKE**

1-2 6 & Under\* 25 yd. Freestyle

3-4 8 & Under 25 yd. Freestyle

5-6 10 & Under 50 yd. Freestyle

7-8 11-12 50 yd. Freestyle

9-10 13-14 100 yd. Freestyle

11-12 15-18 100 yd. Freestyle

13-14 6 & Under\* 25 yd. Backstroke

15-16 8 & Under 25 yd. Backstroke

17-18 10 & Under 50 yd. Backstroke

19-20 11-12 50 yd. Backstroke

21-22 13-14 100 yd. Backstroke

23-24 15-18 100 yd. Backstroke

25-26 8 & Under 100 yd. Individual Medley

27-28 10 & Under 100 yd. Individual Medley

29-30 11-12 100 yd. Individual Medley

31-32 13-14 200 yd. Individual Medley

33-34 15-18 200 yd. Individual Medley

35-36 6 &under \* 100 yd. Freestyle Relay

37 6 & Under mixed\* 100 yd. Freestyle Relay

38-39 8 & Under\* 100 yd. Freestyle Relay

40 8 & Under mixed\* 100 yd. Freestyle relay

41-42 10 & Under\* 200 yd. Freestyle Relay

43 10 & Under mixed\* 200 yd. Freestyle Relay

44-45 11-12\* 200 yd. Freestyle Relay

46 11-12 mixed\* 200 yd. Freestyle Relay

47-48 13-14\* 200 yd. Freestyle Relay

49 13-14 mixed\* 200 yd. Freestyle Relay

50-51 Senior\* 200 yd. Freestyle Relay

52 Senior mixed\* 200 yd. Freestyle Relay

53-54 13-14 50 yd. Freestyle

55-56 15-18 50 yd. Freestyle

57-58 8 & Under 25 yd. Breaststroke

59-60 10 & Under 50 yd. Breaststroke

61-62 11-12 50 yd. Breaststroke

63-64 13-14 100 yd. Breaststroke

65-66 15-18 100 yd. Breaststroke

67-68 8 & Under 25 yd. Butterfly

69-70 10 & Under 50 yd. Butterfly

71-72 11-12 50 yd. Butterfly

73-74 13-14 100 yd. Butterfly

75-76 15-18 100 yd. Butterfly

77-78 8 & Under\* 100 yd. Medley Relay

79 8 and Under mixed\* 100 yd. Medley Relay

80-81 10 & Under\* 200 yd. Medley Relay

82 10 & Under mixed\* 200 yd. Medley relay

83-84 11-12\* 200 yd. Medley Relay

85 11-12 mixed\* 200 yd. Medley Relay

86-87 13-14\* 200 yd. Medley Relay

88 13-14 mixed\* 200 yd. Medley Relay

89-90 Senior\* 200 yd. Medley Relay

91 Senior mixed\* 200 yd. Medley Relay

**\*DENOTES TIMED FINAL EVENT**