Patriot Meet
September 9-11, 2022

Sanctioned by: Arizona Swimming Inc. **Sanction # AZ23-17**

Liability: In granting this sanction/approval it is understood and agreed that USA Swimming, Arizona Swimming, FAST and all meet officials shall be free from any and all liabilities or claims for damages arising by reason of injuries to anyone during the conduct of the event.

Hosted by: Flying Fish Arizona Swim Team **(FAST-AZ)**

Location: Oro Valley Aquatic Center
23 West Calle Concordia
Oro Valley, AZ 85704
Pool Phone (520) 297-7946

Meet Director: Anthony Ferrara: meets@fastswimteam.com

Meet Referee: Jeremy Mansell: meetref@fastswimteam.com

Course: Outdoor, 25 yard, 8 lane, heated competition pool. Area for warm up/cool down available. Colorado Start & Timing. FAST reserves the right to up the lanes to 10 lanes if needed.

Eligibility: 1. Open to any USA Swimming registered swimmer holding a valid 2022 or 2023 USA Swimming registration card or to any foreign athletes formally invited by USA Swimming.
2. A valid USA Swimming registration must be presented at the Clerk of Course, if requested.
3. This is an ABC Meet.

Rules Governing Sanctioned Meets

1. Age on the first day the meet will govern for the entire meet.
2. Conduct of the sanctioned event shall conform in every respect to current rules of USA Swimming including technical and administrative rules and the Minor Athlete Abuse Prevention Policy ("MAAPP").
3. 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 without the use of the backstroke ledge. When unaccompanied by a member-coach, it is the responsibility of the swimmer or the swimmer's legal guardian to ensure compliance with this requirement.
4. The competition course has been certified in accordance with 104.2.2C(4) as to pool length.
5. The minimum water depth, measured in accordance with Article 103.2.3, is 6 feet 9 inches at the start end and 6 feet 9 inches at the turn end.
6. Deck changes are prohibited.
7. The Arizona Swimming Controlled Meet Warm-up and Safety Guidelines will be posted and enforced.
8. No swimmer will be permitted to compete unless the swimmer is a member of USA Swimming. On deck registration is not available at any Arizona Swimming meet.
9. The use of audio or visual recording devices, including a cell phone, is not permitted in changing areas, restrooms, locker rooms or other areas as may be designated by the Meet Director/Meet Referee.
10. All referees, starters, administrative officials, chief judges, and stroke and turn judges serving in an official capacity in a sanctioned event must be non-athlete members of USA Swimming or members of other FINA member organizations. All meet directors for meets sanctioned by USA Swimming must be members of USA Swimming. Except for coaches accompanying athletes participating under the provisions of 202.9 or USA Swimming's "open border" policy, all persons acting in any coaching capacity in a sanctioned event must be a coach member of USA Swimming.
11. Officials and Meet Marshals must sign in and present proof of current membership and/or training respectively, to the Meet Referee prior to the start of each session of competition.
12. Coaches must sign in and present proof of current membership at the Clerk of Course prior to the start of each session of competition.
13. Meet Marshals shall wear their identifying vests.
14. Swimmers with a disability are welcome. The Swimmer (or swimmers coach) is responsible for notifying the Referee, prior to the competition, of any disability of the swimmer and of the requested modification. The swimmer/coach shall provide any assistant(s) or equipment (tappers, deck mats, etc.) if required.
15. 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.

Meet Rules:

1. Six (6) individual events per day
2. Positive check-in will be required 30 minutes prior to the start of the session for the 1650 Free, 500 Free and the 400 IM.
3. The 1650 Free, 500 Free and 400 IM will be functionally seeded, fastest to slowest, alternating between girls and boys and scored separately by age group. Swimmers in these events need to provide their own timers. Swimmers in the 1650 Free and 500 Free will also need to provide their own personnel to lap count.
4. Time Trials will be held at the discretion of the Meet Ref.

Schedule:

Session I	Friday, September 9	4:30 pm warm-up	5:30 pm start
Session II	Saturday, September 10	8:00 am warm-up	9:00 am start
Session III	Saturday, September 10	12:00 pm warm-up	1:00 pm start (or 1hr after Session II ends, whichever is later)
Session IV	Sunday, September 11	8:00 am warm-up	9:00 am start
Session V	Sunday, September 11	12:00 pm warm-up	1:00 pm start (or 1hr after Session IV ends, whichever is later)

Awards: Ribbons will be given to the top eight: 8&U, 9-10, and 11-12.

Scoring: Individual Events: 9-7-6-5-4-3-2-1, (as per USA Swimming Rule 102.25.3)
11 & over and 10 & under events will be functionally seeded and scored by age groups.

Entry Fees: Individual Events: $6.00/event. LSC surcharge $8.00 /swimmer. Time Trials $9.00/event. Fees are non-refundable. Entry fees are due prior to the beginning of the first session. Make all checks payable to: **FAST**

Entries: All entries must be in a USA SDIF format file (Hy-Tek or Team Unify).
Coaches are encouraged to submit team entries in TM or TU file format by email. Email the entry file **with your team name in the subject line**, accompanied by a Hy-Tek meet entry report to meets@fastswimteam.com no later than 8:00 pm Friday, September 2, 2022. No late entries or deck entries will be accepted.
Entries will be accepted up to the four hour time limit rule/session

SESSION I Friday, September 9, 2022		
Girl	**Event**	**Boy**
1	*11& Over 400 IM	2
3	*Open 500 Free	4

*400 IM & 500 Free requires positive check-in 30 minutes prior to the start of the Session. Swimmers must provide their own timers (2) & personnel to lap count for the 500 Free.

SESSION II Saturday, September 10, 2022		
Girl	**Event**	**Boy**
5	10 & under 100 Free	6
7	8 & under 25 Free	8
2	10 & under 100 IM	10
11	10 & under 50 Fly	12
13	10 & under 100 Breast	14
15	8 & under 25 Breast	16
17	10 & under 50 Back	18

SESSION III Saturday, September 10, 2022		
Girl	**Event**	**Boy**
19	11 & over 200 IM	20
21	11 & over 100 Back	24
23	11 & over 50 Free	24
25	11 & over 50 Fly	26
27	11 & over 200 Fly	28
29	11 & over 100 Breast	30
31	*11 & over 1650 Free	32

*1650 Free requires positive check-in 30 minutes prior to the start of the session. Swimmers must provide their own timers (2) and personnel to lap count.

SESSION IV Sunday, September 11, 2022		
Girl	**Event**	**Boy**
33	10 & under 50 Free	34
35	10 & under 100 Fly	36
37	8 & under 25 Fly	38
39	10 & under 200 IM	40
41	10 & under 100 Back	42
43	8 & under 25 Back	44
45	10 & under 50 Breast	46
47	10 & under 200 Free	48

SESSION V Sunday, September 11, 2022		
Girl	**Event**	**Boy**
49	11 & over 200 Free	50
51	11 & over 50 Back	52
53	11 & over 200 Back	54
55	11-12 100 IM	56
57	11 & over 100 Fly	58
59	11 & over 100 Free	60
61	11 & over 50 Breast	62
63	11 & over 200 Breast	64