

Arizona Swimming 8 and Under Championship
Hosted by YMCA Westside Silver Fins
April 10-11, 2010

Held under the sanction of USA Swimming, Inc.

Sanctioned by: Arizona Swimming Sanction Number: AZ10C110R

Liability: In granting this sanction, it is understood and agreed that USA Swimming, Inc., Arizona Swimming, Inc., the YMCA Westside Silver Fins, Southwest Valley Family YMCA and all meet officials shall be held harmless from any and all liabilities of claims for damages by reason of injuries to anyone during the conduct of this meet, which includes all warm-up sessions.

Hosted by: YMCA Westside Silver Fins
Meet Director: Erin Shields 602-469-0400 eshields@vosymca.org
Meet Referee: John Degnan generalchair@azswimming.org

Meet Location: Southwest Valley Family YMCA, 2919 N. Litchfield Rd, Goodyear, AZ 85395

Course: Outdoor, 25 yard, 8/10 lane heated pool, Colorado Start, semi-automatic system for all sessions. A 25-yard warm up pool area will be available for continuous warm-up throughout the meet. The competition course has been certified in accordance with 104.2.2(C).

Eligibility:

1. Open to any current Arizona registered USA Swimming athlete holding a current USA Swimming registration card.
2. All swimmers, coaches, and officials must be registered prior to the competition and present proof of current registration to the Clerk of Course, if requested. No on deck registration will be accepted. All coaches and officials shall wear their current USA Swimming registration in a visible manner.
3. Age on April 10, 2010 will govern for the meet.
4. This is a No Time Standard Meet.
5. Swimmers with a disability are welcome to enter this meet. The coach or entry chairperson must alert the meet director, referee, and entry coordinator as to the need or any special accommodations or seeding arrangements at the time the entry is submitted.

Rules:

1. The current rules of USA competitive swimming will govern this meet.
2. Individual events are pre-seeded, timed final events, except where noted below.
3. Swimmers are limited to 5 individual events per day and 2 relay events per day.
4. Entry times must be the swimmer's best short course times. No converted times may be used for entry.
5. All coaches and officials must be USA Swimming registered prior to the competition and wear current registration in a visible manner.
6. Relay cards must be turned in 45 minutes prior to the start of the session in which they are swum. There is no limit to the number of relays a team may enter. Only two relays from each team will be eligible for awards. We ask that you enter all relays with your individual entries if at all possible to help with time lines and ease meet administration. All athletes are encouraged to participate in both relays each day. "Combined team" relays will be created for athletes who do not fit on their own team relays. Please submit the number of extra athletes your team has for each relay so that we can create those "combined team relays" in a timely manner. See the supplemental meet information for further explanation.
7. The Arizona controlled meet warm-up will be posted and enforced.

Sessions: Session I (Saturday, April 10, 2010): Warm-ups: 8:00 AM Start: 9:00 AM
Session II (Sunday, April 11, 2010): Warm-ups: 8:00 AM Start: 9:00 AM

Entries: All entries must be submitted via email in Hy-tek format. No late entries will be accepted. Meet entries will be due by midnight, Sunday, April 4, 2010.
E-Mail: eshields@vosymca.org

Entry Fees: \$5.00 LSC surcharge
\$3.00 per individual event
\$6.00 for relays
Entry fees are due by the start of the first session, Saturday, April 10, 2010. Payment may be made by cash, check or credit card. Make checks payable to **YMCA Westside Silver Fins**.

Awards: Individual events will be swum as 8 and under events for boys and girls but will be awarded in the following categories:
8 years old boys and girls
7 years old boys and girls
6 years old and under boys and girls
Distinctive ribbons will be awarded for 1st through 16th place for individual events for each of the above categories.

Relays will be swum as 8 and under events for boys and girls.
Traditional ribbons will be awarded for 1st through 8th places for relays events with only two relays per team eligible for awards. All combined team relays will be eligible for awards.

Concessions: There will be a snack bar and swim vendor available at this meet.

Timing: Volunteers will be asked to time for all events.

Parking: Parking availability at the YMCA is restricted. Expect officials, coaches and volunteers to park in lot adjacent to the YMCA (main parking lot). There will be a drop off/ pick up area located near the community entrance of the pool for anyone that is not a coach, official or volunteer. All parents and swimmers must use church parking lot to the east of the YMCA. Please enter the church parking lot using the driveway immediately east of the YMCA parking lot entrance on Thomas. Please do not use the parking lot located on the Northwest corner of the YMCA. It is for the city of Goodyear skate park only.

Session I – Saturday, April 10, 2010
 Warm up: 8:00 AM Start: 9:00 AM

Girls	Time	Event	Time	Boys
1	NT	8 and u 100 Medley Relay	NT	2
3	NT	8 and under 100 Free	NT	4
5	NT	8 and under 25 Fly	NT	6
7	NT	8 and under 50 Breast	NT	8
9	NT	8 and under 25 Free	NT	10
11	NT	8 and under 50 Back	NT	12
13	NT	8 and u 100 “Fun” Free Relay**	NT	14

** Events 13 and 14 will be “fun”, exhibition events in which athletes will be challenged to do a little something extra during their relay! Officials will explain the challenge prior to the start of the event.

Session II – Sunday, April 11, 2010
 Warm up: 8:00 AM Start: 9:00 AM

Women	TIME	Event	TIME	Men
15	NT	8 and u 100 Free Relay	NT	16
17	NT	8 and under 100 IM	NT	18
19	NT	8 and under 25 Back	NT	20
21	NT	8 and under 50 Free	NT	22
23	NT	8 and under 50 Fly	NT	24
25	NT	8 and under 25 Breast	NT	26
27	NT	8 and u 200 “Fun” Free Relay	NT	28

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