



2014 Christmas Invitational

The Aquatic Center at Palo Alto College



Meet Name: Christmas Invitational

Meet Date(s): December 19-21, 2014

Venue: The Aquatic Center at Palo Alto College
1400 W. Villaret Blvd.
San Antonio, TX 78224

Facility: Two eight lane competition courses
DAKTRONICS starting and timing systems
Scoreboard with full heat and event display

Course Certification The competition course is compliant, but not certified, in accordance with USA Swimming Rule 104.2.2(C).

Cell phone restrictions: The presence and / or use of cell phones, and any other equipment capable of producing photographic or video images, in locker rooms is strictly and specifically prohibited at all times
There are no exceptions to this prohibition
Violators are subject to disqualification from the meet, disbarment from the facility and arrest.

Meet Format: Prelims Finals in Short Course Yards
All events will be seeded by time.
Time trials after Saturday morning session only
No proof of time required
The Meet has been sanctioned by USA Swimming as and Observed Meet. All swims conforming to USA Swimming rules will be eligible for entry into USA SWIMS date base.

Score We will score the meet to 24th place on individual races, and Relays will be scored: 40-34-32-30-28-26-24-22-18-14-12-10-8-6-4-2 with no B relay scoring higher than any A relay.

Entry Deadline: December 15, 2014 12:00 pm

General Entry

Procedures: Entries must be submitted by Hy-Tek Commlink File or disk
Hard copy must accompany
Entries may be submitted ONLY via e-mail
Swimmers may compete in nine (9) events, of which no more than four (4) may be individual events. The 1650 free will be seeded with 1000 free times. Enter best times of the season. The fastest heat of the men's & women's 1650 will swim in the Championship Finals Session at 4:00 p.m.

Team: Each team is limited to 18 scoring participants. Divers count as 1/3 unless they swim an event; then they will then count as a full participant. Teams with more than 18 will be allowed to enter exhibition competitors. We will seed exhibition swimmers into finals if lanes are available.

Relays: All participants are eligible for relays. The relay swimmers are declared at the starting blocks. However, the first swimmer must be designated on the relay card and must swim first. Teams will be allowed to enter more than one relay, but we will score A and B relays only.

Diving: We will offer 1 Meter, 3 Meter and Platform Diving in this meet. The format will be 6 optional' s (into 5 vol-untaries – for those interested in 11 dives)

Final Heats: The meet committee, which is made up of each team's head coach, will vote at the coaches meeting if additional heats should be added. But at this time, we will swim 3 Heats at night, Bonus, Consoles, and Finals. I think most are open to the idea of adding a 4th heat in the 50 and 100 FREE.

E-Mail Entries: Entries in Commlink Format only, must be sent to: (waveswim@sbcglobal.net)
The Commlink File must be renamed to clearly identify the entering team, shorter is better.
Athletes included in improperly identified Commlink Files (Cfile0X.cl2 or zfile00X.zip) will not be entered into the meet and any entry fees will not be refunded.
Athletes WILL NOT be entered into Meet Manager if the Meet Entry Report (hard copy) is not received.

Entry Fees: \$200 per gender team
Checks payable to: (PAC)

Heat Sheets: (\$10)

Gate: (\$15 for all session pass) \$6 for each session

Administration:	Entries Chair Angela Woodard 14010 Old Tree San Antonio, TX,78247 210-408-7946 waveswim@sbcglobal.net	Meet Director: Adrian Montoya 1400 W. Villaret Blvd. San Antonio, TX 78224 210-486-3800 amontoya12@alamo.edu	Meet Referee: Ray Pearce 14010 Old Tree San Antonio, TX 78247 210-326-7332 poolsbyray@aol.com
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Concessions: No outside food will be permitted. Concessions will be available for the duration of the event.

Warm-ups: Will be sent out along with the psych sheet prior to the first day of competition

Bus Parking: All swimmers may be dropped off in the front but all busses need to park in Lot 8.

**Daily
Schedule:**

Friday Dec 19^h Prelim start: 10:00 AM
Friday Dec 19^h Final start: 6:00 PM

Saturday Dec 20th Prelim start: 10:00 AM
Saturday Dec 20th Final start: 6:00 PM

Sunday Dec 21st Prelim start: 10:00 AM
Sunday Dec 21st Final start: 5:00 PM

Warm up start 8:00 AM for Prelim's and 4:00 PM for Finals except Friday will start at 3:00 PM

Timers: The host team will attempt to provide backup timers for this meet
Volunteers will no doubt be needed

Officials: All currently certified and in training officials are cordially invited to participate.
Please report to the Meet Referee at least 30 minutes prior to the scheduled start time of any session to receive your assignments
The wearing of name tags is strongly encouraged
Uniform for timed final sessions will be white over khaki (shorts allowed).
Uniform for preliminary sessions (in a prelim/final meet) are white over khaki (preferred no shorts)
Uniform for final sessions are blue over khaki (no shorts) - unless we decide to do something fun.

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Order of Events

Distances are in (yards)

Friday Prelims

Warm Up 8:00 am Meet Start 10:00 am

Finals

Warm Up 4:00 pm Meet Start 6:00 pm

Women's Event #	Event	Men's Event #
1*	Diving 1-m W / 3-m M	2*
3	200 Free Relay	4
	10 Minute Break	
5	500 Free	6
7	200 Ind. Medley	8
9	50 Free	10
	20 Minute Break	
11	400 Medley Relay	12

Saturday Prelims

Warm Up 8:00 am Meet Start 10:00 am

Finals

Warm Up 4:00 pm Meet Start 6:00 pm

Women's Event #	Event	Men's Event #
13*	Diving 3-m W / 1-m M	14*
15	200 Medley Relay	16
	10 Minute Break	
17	400 Ind. Medley	18
19	100 Butterfly	20
21	200 Free	22
23	100 Breaststroke	24
25	100 Backstroke	26
	20 Minute Break	
27	800 Free Relay	28

Sunday Prelims

Warm Up 8:00 am Meet Start 10:00 am

Finals

Warm Up 3:00 pm Meet Start 5:00 pm

Women's Event #	Event	Men's Event #
29*	Platform Diving	30*
31	1650 Free	32
33	200 Backstroke	34
35	100 Freestyle	36
37	200 Breaststroke	38
39	200 Butterfly	40
	20 Minute Break	
41	400 Free Relay	42

* Diving will be held between Prelim's and Finals