

December 17-18, 2022 Sanction # 221200

<u>Invited Teams:</u> APEX, ASAP, BAD, BKR, CAS, CENT, CFB, COL, COND, FAST, GAEL, GATE, HAA, HES, HS, LGAC, LIAC, LIE, MAKO, MCBY, MPNY, NCAC, NYCP, NYCC, NYSA, NFS, PAC, PATS, QNS, RED, RA, RIST, SAC (NJ), SHY, SMC, SWAG, TSC, WAG, WEST, YFD.

Additional teams who would like an invitation to this meet are asked to contact Justin Alsobrooks at <u>justina@justintiming.com</u>



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**SANCTION** Held under the sanction of USA Swimming/Metropolitan Swimming, Inc., # 221200

LOCATION APEX Aquatics Center, Lehman College

250 Bedford Park Boulevard West Bronx, NY 10468

FACILITY 8 lanes x 25 yards competition course with Daktronics timing system and

**scoreboard.** Pool **has not** been certified in accordance with Article 104.2.2C (4). Water depth from end of pool in shallow end is: 13' at 1 meter / 12' at 5 meters Water depth from end of pool in deep end is: 7' at 1 meter / 7' at 5 meters

SESSIONS Saturday, December 17 - 12 & under - 8:00 AM Warm Up / 9:00 AM Start

Saturday, December 17 - 13 & over - 1:00 PM Warm Up / 2:00 PM Start Sunday, December 18 - 12 & under - 8:00 AM Warm Up / 9:00 AM Start Sunday, December 18 - 13 & over - 1:00 PM Warm Up / 2:00 PM Start

FORMAT Timed finals. Deck seeding will be used. To safeguard the timeline, 8&U athletes

may only swim 50 Yard events and 100 Yard Free/100 Yard Individual Medley.

**ELIGIBILITY** Open to all USA Swimming/Metropolitan Swimming Inc. registered swimmers.

All swimmers participating in this meet must be registered by the first day of the

meet. Age on **December 17, 2022** will determine age for the entire meet.

**DISABILITY** Swimmers with disabilities are encouraged to attend. Contact the Meet Director if

**SWIMMERS** you need special consideration. The athlete (or the athlete's coach) is also

responsible for notifying the meet referee of any disability prior to the competition.

ENTRIES Swimmers may enter up to 4 events per session. Entries in Hy-Tek format only.

U.S. Mail Payment to: Innovative Aquatics, c/o Scott Bartleson

80 Walters Ave.

Staten Island NY 10301

Email Entries/Confirm Entry Receipt: entries@justintiming.com

DEADLINES

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Metro LSC Team entries must be received by **November 21**, **2022** to be given preference over non-Metro LSC Teams. Entries will be processed as received in a first-come/first-

PROCEDURES served fashion. Non-Metro LSC Team entries must be received by November 28, 2022 and will be processed as received after the Metro LSC deadline.

> An email confirming receipt of entries will be sent if you provide an email contact. Please contact Justin Alsobrooks entries@justintiming.com if you do not receive such a report within 2 days of your original email.

**TIME TRIALS** Time Trials will not be available at this meet.

ENTRY FEES Entry Fee -- \$7.00 per individual event must accompany the entries. Athlete Surcharge - \$10 per athlete must accompany the entries.

> Make check payable to: Innovative Aquatics Payment must be received by December 5, 2022 for email entries. Payment must be included with all mail entries. Failure to pay entry fees by this deadline could result in teams being barred from the meet.

WARM-UP Warm-up and Timing Assignments will be sent out Wednesday before the meet. Swimmers will be given a fair and comparable warm-up.

**SCRATCHES** Coaches will be given scratch sheets upon check-in for each session. All scratches are due no later than 30 minutes prior to the start of the session). Coaches are asked to clearly indicate entire session and individual event scratches.

**COACHES** In accordance with Metropolitan Swimming Inc. Policy, only those coaches who display current, valid USA Swimming credentials will be permitted to act in a coaching capacity

at this meet. Coaches who do not possess these credentials will be required to leave the

deck area.

**AWARDS** Ribbons for 1st-8th in the 10&U, 11-12 divisions - no awards for 13&O.

**OFFICIALS** Meet Referee: Jeff Chu Jcswim01@gmail.com and Allen Wone ssc.allenwone@gmail.com

Officials wishing to volunteer should contact Meet Referee.

**MEET** Scott Bartleson/Justin Alsobrooks - justina@justintiming.com - (732)232-9563 **DIRECTOR** 

AD. OFFICIAL Bill Boyd - (917-903-8964) bill@boydcast.com

#### **RULES**

USA Swimming Rules and Regulations will apply. The USA Swimming Code of **Conduct is in effect for the duration of the meet.** The overhead start procedure may be used at the discretion of the Meet Referee.

#### **SAFETY**

All swimmers must wear footwear upon leaving the pool area.

Metropolitan Safety and Warm-up procedures will be in effect. Marshals will be present throughout warm-ups and competition, and have the authority to remove, with the concurrence of the meet Referee, any swimmer, coach, club, or spectator for failure to follow the safety rules. "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. 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"

#### **MAAPP POLICY:**

All adults participating in or associated with this meet acknowledge that they are subject to the provisions of the USA Swimming Minor Athlete Abuse Prevention Policy ("MAAPP"), and that they understand that compliance with MAAPP is condition of participation in the conduct of this competition.

**DISCLAIMER** It is understood that USA Swimming, Inc., Metropolitan Swimming, Inc., Trident Aquatic Club, New York City Aquatic Club and JUST In Timing shall be free from any liabilities or claims for damages arising by reason of injuries to anyone during the conduct of the event.

#### COVID-19 **WAIVER**

An inherent risk of exposure to COVID-19 exists in any public place where people are present. COVID-19 is an extremely contagious disease that can lead to severe illness and death. According to the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, senior citizens and individuals with underlying medical conditions are especially vulnerable.

USA Swimming, Inc., cannot prevent you (or your child(ren)) from becoming exposed to, contracting, or spreading COVID-19 while participating in USA Swimming sanctioned events. It is not possible to prevent against the presence of the disease. Therefore, if you choose to participate in a USA Swimming sanctioned event, you may be exposing yourself to and/or increasing your risk of contracting or spreading COVID-19.

BY ATTENDING OR PARTICIPATING IN THIS COMPETITION, YOU VOLUNTARILY ASSUME ALL RISKS ASSOCIATED WITH EXPOSURE TO COVID-19 AND FOREVER RELEASE AND HOLD HARMLESS USA SWIMMING AND [THE LSC] AND EACH OF THEIR OFFICERS, DIRECTORS, AGENTS, EMPLOYEES OR OTHER REPRESENTATIVES FROM ANY LIABILITY OR CLAIMS INCLUDING FOR PERSONAL INJURIES, DEATH, DISEASE OR PROPERTY LOSSES, OR ANY OTHER LOSS, INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO CLAIMS OF NEGLIGENCE AND GIVE UP ANY CLAIMS YOU MAY HAVE TO SEEK DAMAGES, WHETHER KNOWN OR UNKNOWN, FORESEEN OR UNFORESEEN, IN CONNECTION THEREWITH.

DECK **CHANGING**  Deck changes are prohibited.

AUDIO/ VISUAL

Use of audio or visual recording devices, including a cell phone, is not permitted in the changing areas, restrooms, locker rooms or behind the blocks. Operation of a drone or any other flying apparatus is prohibited over the venue (pools, athlete/coach areas, **AND DRONE** spectator areas and open ceiling locker rooms) any time athletes, coaches, officials **STATEMENT** and/or spectators are present.

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**POLICY** 

**PHOTOGRAP** Any photographer or videographer, who intends to take pictures at a Metropolitan Swimming Sanctioned meet, must complete and submit a Photographer Registration Form to the Meet Director before commencing Activity. Forms are available on the Metropolitan Swimming website as Well as from the Meet Director.

ADMISSION Admission \$8.00. Psych Sheet and Heat Sheet will be available on Meet Mobile.

MERCHANTS Food concessions; Metro Swim Shop

**PARKING** 

\$5.00 all-day parking at Lehman College Supervised Lot. Street parking and meter parking is also available.

DIRECTIONS 250 Bedford Park Boulevard West (between Goulden and Paul Avenues).

BY SUBWAY: Take the IRT #4 (Lexington) or IND 'D' to Bedford Park Boulevard and walk West on Bedford Park Blvd past Paul Ave to entrance on south side of street.

BY CAR: Take Major Deegan Expressway (I-87) to the Van Cortlandt Park South Exit. Go left onto Van Cortlandt Ave. Proceed to Sedgwick Ave. Make left onto Sedgwick. Turn right at Goulden Ave and go to Bedford Park Blvd. Proceed two long blocks. Parking lots will be on right.

Via Saw Mill River Parkway South (becomes Henry Hudson Parkway) to Mosholu Parkway exit. At the second traffic light turn right onto Paul Ave. Go two blocks. At Bedford Park Boulevard turn right. APEX building is on left. Proceed to traffic light; turn left onto Goulden. Parking lot is on the right.



# Metropolitan Swimming Photographer Registration Form

This form must be completed by any photographer (video or still) who intends to take pictures at an Metropolitan Swimming sanctioned meet, and is taking those pictures of anyone other than his or her own child, from any location on deck. Submit the form to the Meet Director prior to commencing activity.

#### THERE WILL BE NO FLASH PHOTOGRAPHY PERMITTED AT THE START.

Name	<del></del>
Phone Number	
Government ID (driver's license preferred) or USA Swir	nming Registration Card:
Type of ID#	
Taking photos of	
On behalf of	
Purpose	
Professional photographers/videographers will be allow Meet Referee, and must adhere to the following guide	
Do not stand on the starting end of the pool, or in the starting end of the pool of the po	starter's box; use of the bulkhead is at the discretion of
Do not stand on the edge of the pool (leave approxima	tely two feet for officials and coaches).
Leave the deck when not actively photographing. Resp	ond immediately to direction from the Meet Referee.
Signature	Today's Date
Meet	Location
Date(s) of meet	



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Swimmers a	ged 12&U <u>only</u> (10&U/11-12 will be sco	red separately
Saturd	ay, December 17 <sup>th</sup> - 8:00 AM WU / 9:00	AM Start
Girls #	Event	Boys #
1	100 Yard IM	2
3	50 Yard Freestyle	4
5	100 Yard Breaststroke No 8&U SWIMERS	6
7	50 Yard Backstroke	8
9	100 Yard Butterfly No 8&U SWIMERS	10
11	200 Yard Freestyle No 8&U SWIMERS	12
	Session #2 - Senior Division	
	Swimmers aged 13&O only	
Saturda	ay, December 17 <sup>th</sup> - 1:00 PM WU / 2:00	PM Start
Girls #	Event	Boys #
13	200 Yard IM	14
15	100 Yard Freestyle	16
17	200 Yard Breaststroke	18
19	100 Yard Backstroke	20
21	200 Yard Butterfly	22
23	500 Yard Freestyle (May be limited to Top 24 entries per event)	24



### December 17-18, 2022 / Sanction # 221200

•	Session #3 - Age Group Division ged 12&U <u>only</u> (10&U/11-12 will be sc y, December 18 <sup>th</sup> - 8:00 AM WU / 9:00	•
Girls #	Event	Boys #
25	100 Yard Freestyle	26
27	50 Yard Breaststroke	28
29	100 Yard Backstroke No 8&U SWIMERS	30
31	50 Yard Butterfly	32
33	200 Yard IM No 8&U SWIMERS	34
35	500 Yard Freestyle  No 8&U SWIMERS  (May be limited to Top 24 entries per event)	36
Sunday	Session #4 – Senior Division Swimmers aged 13&O <u>only</u> y, December 18 <sup>th</sup> – 1:00 PM WU / 2:00 Event	PM Start Boys #
37	200 Yard Freestyle	38
39	100 Yard Breaststroke	40
41	200 Yard Backstroke	42
43	100 Yard Butterfly	44
45	50 Yard Freestyle	46
47	400 Yard IM (May be limited to Top 24 entries per event)	48