

**2012**  
**MARYLAND SWIMMING CHAMPIONSHIP MEET**  
**MARCH 1<sup>ST</sup> – 4<sup>TH</sup>, 2012**

**Officials Qualifying Meet / USA Swimming Sanction #: MD11/12-021**

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**Lejeune Hall**

**United States Naval Academy – Annapolis, Maryland**

**SPONSORED BY:** Maryland Swimming, Inc.

**HOSTED BY:** All Teams of the Maryland Swimming LSC.

**SCHEDULE:**           **THURSDAY MARCH 1<sup>ST</sup>, 2012**  
Timed Finals Warm-ups: 4:45 PM  
Start: 5:45 PM

**FRIDAY & SATURDAY MARCH 2<sup>ND</sup> & 3<sup>RD</sup>, 2012**  
Prelims Warm-ups: 6:45 AM  
Start: 8:15 AM  
Finals Warm-ups: 4:30 PM  
Start: 5:30 PM

**SUNDAY MARCH 4<sup>TH</sup>, 2012**  
Prelims Warm-ups: 6:45 AM  
Start: 8:15 AM  
Finals: (1650 final heats) Warm-ups: 3:30 PM  
Start: 4:15 PM  
Finals: (All other events) Warm-ups: 4:30 PM  
Start: 5:30 PM

NOTE: Warm-up and Start times may be adjusted based on entries received.

**HEALTH GUIDELINES:** All meets in Maryland Swimming are guided by the Maryland Department of Health and Mental Hygiene as posted on the Maryland Swimming Website. This not only applies to [Viral Gastroenteritis](#) but other infectious diseases as well. The Meet Staff has authority to inform and protect coaches and swimmers from a potential outbreak of illness. Any participants or spectators who exhibited symptoms of illness within 24 hours prior to and/or during the event are encouraged to withdraw from competition and/or leave the venue as a safety precaution.

## **FACILITIES: Lejeune Hall – United States Naval Academy**

- Indoor 50 Meter Pool W/movable bulkhead
- Competition side is 10 lanes, 25 yards
- Competition course has not been certified in accordance with 104.2.2c(4)
- Minimum water depth, measured in accordance with Article 103.2.3 is: 8 foot constant depth
- Colorado Timing System will be used
- Warm-up/Warm-down area will be available the entire meet
- 10 Lanes will be used for the Thursday timed finals session
- 10 Lanes will be used for the Fri, Sat & Sun Prelims sessions
- 8 Lanes will be used for the Fri, Sat, & Sun Finals sessions

## **ELIGIBILITY:**

- Each swimmer must be a 2012 USA/Maryland registered swimmer. The meet is closed to swimmers outside the Maryland Swimming LSC.
- Age as of March 01, 2012 shall apply for the entire meet.
- Swimmers must be equal to or faster than the Qualifying Times listed for each event. Times must have been achieved in a short course pool between March 3, 2011 and the entry deadline for this meet.
- Qualifying Times must have been achieved in a USA Swimming sanction/approved/observed meet.
- **Qualifying Time Exception: If a swimmer qualifies for just the 1000 free or just the 1650 free they may enter the other (1000 free or 1650 free) event if they have not achieved the qualifying time for the event within the qualifying period.**
- **The time entered for that event should be at the qualifying time if never swum or a verifiable time outside of the qualifying period if swum before.**

## **QUALIFYING PERIOD:**

The qualification period is from March 3, 2011 through the entry deadline for this meet. No times achieved outside of this time period may be used to qualify for this meet. **The Qualifying Times must have been achieved in a short course yard pool. Converted times will not be accepted.**

## **ENTRY LIMITS:**

Swimmers may enter/swim a maximum of 8 individual events in the meet, not to exceed 3 events per day. Teams may enter one relay team per relay event. Swimmers may swim in one relay per day.

**NO DECK ENTRIES WILL BE ACCEPTED (Ind. or Relay)**

## **BONUS EVENTS:**

Bonus events will be offered for the 11 & 12 and 10 & U age groups. The following guidelines will be used for the bonus events:

- Qualify for 1 or more events, you get 2 bonus events.
- The bonus events may be on any day of the meet.
- Events of 400 yards and longer may not be used as a bonus event (500 FR, 400 IM).

The bonus events must meet the following time standards:

- 50 YD bonus events must be within 1/2 second of the qualifying time for that event.
- 100 YD bonus events must be within 1 second of the qualifying time for that event.
- 200 YD bonus events must be within 2 seconds of the qualifying time for that event.

Note: If the meet becomes oversubscribed the bonus events will be the first entries removed from the meet. The 200 YD bonus events will be eliminated first with the 100 YD and 50 YD bonus events next if necessary.

**PROOF OF TIMES:**

Times will be proven through the SWIMS database. Coaches should be prepared to submit proof of times upon request by the meet director for those times rejected by SWIMS. Failure to prove a time will result in the swimmer being scratched from that event. Any swimmer entered with a falsified or non-provable time will be subject to a \$100.00 fine per occurrence. The HY-TEK proof of times report must be submitted with your entries.

**FORMAT:**

All age groups will swim prelims and finals. The 13-14, and Open age groups will have a consolation heat and a championship heat (16 swimmers) in the finals session. The 11-12 and 10 & U age groups will have a championship heat (8 swimmers) in the finals session. All events are prelim/final events except for the 13 -14/Open 1000 yard free, 1650 free, 11-12/10 & U 500 free and all relays. The 11-12/10& U 500 free will be swum slowest to fastest. The 13-14/Open 1000 free will be combined by gender and seeded by time then separated for the final results. The events will be swum fastest to slowest, alternating womens then mens heats. The 13-14/Open 1650 free will be combined by gender and seeded by time then separated for the final results. The events will be swum fastest to slowest with the TOP 8 seeded girls and TOP 8 seeded boys swimming in the finals session. The 1650 free Top Girls Heat and Top Boys heat will swim as the first events in the Sunday finals session. All remaining heats will swim as the last events in the Sunday prelims session alternating girls fastest heat then boys fastest heat until the conclusion of the heats. The 11-12/10&U 500 Free, 13-14 and Open 1000 free and 1650 Free events will be positive check-in events. Any swimmer positively checking in for those events and fails to compete in the event will be scratched from his/her next individual event. All other events will be seeded with no penalty for not swimming an event in the prelims sessions. All relays will be positive check in events. The top 8 seeded relays will swim in the finals sessions. All relays who end up seeded in the TOP 8 must swim in the finals session or scratch the event. There will be no option to choose AM or PM relays.

**AGE GROUPS:** 10 & Under, 11-12, 13-14, OPEN.

**ENTRY FEES:**

\$7.00 PER INDIVIDUAL EVENT (HY-TEK ENTRIES)

\$14.00 PER RELAY EVENT (HY-TEK ENTRIES)

**ENTRY DEADLINE:**

**All entries must be NO LATER THAN: Friday, February 10 at 6:00 pm. Please email Dottie your entries and place a copy of the email and check in the mailbox on deck.**

**SCORING:**

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

RELAY EVENTS: 40,34,32,30,28,26,24,22,18,14,12,10,8,6,4,2

**AWARDS:**

INDIVIDUAL EVENTS: 1<sup>ST</sup> – 3<sup>RD</sup> DISTINCTIVE AWARDS (10&U; 11/12; 13/14) 4<sup>TH</sup> – 8<sup>TH</sup> MEDALS

RELAY EVENTS 1<sup>st</sup> Place Award (10&U, 11/12, 13/14)

TEAM AWARDS: 1<sup>st</sup> – 5<sup>th</sup>

Participation awards will be given to all swimmers entered in individual events.

JACKETS: Awarded to individual event winners in every age group. 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> place individual event winners will have the option to purchase the jacket. (Only 1 jacket per swimmer)

**RULES:**

The 2012 USA Swimming & Maryland Swimming rules will be in effect and shall govern the administration of the meet. USA Swimming and Maryland Swimming Safety Guidelines and Warm-up procedures will be in effect for the entire meet.

- No one will be permitted on the pool deck unless he/she is registered with USA Swimming as an athlete or as a non-athlete working at the meet (USA Swimming registration cards must be displayed at all times). The only exceptions will be for timers and administrative staff assisting with the conduct of the meet.
- **NO ON DECK REGISTRATIONS WILL BE PERMITTED.**
- Swimmers entering a meet must be registered with MSI by the meet entry deadline date. Per Maryland Swimming rules, any club that enters an unregistered athlete will be fined \$100.00 per unregistered athlete.
- The Maryland Scratch Procedures will apply for this meet. A declared false start is not permitted in consolation & championship final heats of preliminary/final events. The Maryland Scratch Procedure may be found on the Maryland Swimming Website ([www.mdswim.org](http://www.mdswim.org)).
- 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.
- **Use of audio or visual recording devices, including a cell phone, is not permitted in changing areas, rest rooms or locker rooms.**

**CONDUCT:**

At the request of the United States Naval Academy, swimmers are not to leave the pool deck without appropriate attire consisting of shoes and sweats (top and bottom) or shirt and pants.

**WORKERS:**

This meet is hosted by ALL TEAMS of the Maryland Swimming LSC. Any Team with swimmers entered in the meet will be required to provide workers. Each Team Manager will be sent their worker assignments once entries have been received. Worker assignments will also be posted on the Maryland Swimming web site ([www.mdswim.org](http://www.mdswim.org)).

Each Club/Swimmer is responsible for supplying your own timers and counters for all events on Thursday evening and for the 1650 Free.

**DIRECTIONS:**

From Baltimore Beltway (I-695): I-97 South to Rt. 50 East to Annapolis. (See directions from Rt. 50 below)

From Washington Beltway (I-95/495): Rt. 50 East to Annapolis. (See directions from Rt. 50 below)

From Maryland Eastern Shore: Rt. 50 West to Annapolis. (See directions from Rt. 50 below)

From Southern MD: Rt. 2 or Rt. 301 North to Rt. 50 East to Annapolis. (See directions from Rt. 50 below)

Exit Rt. 50 at exit 24, Rt.70 South, Rowe Blvd. At the second traffic light turn left at Taylor Avenue. Stay in the right lane and turn right at the dead end, staying to the right. At the first light, turn right again on King George Street. King George Street will take you to Gate 1 of the Naval Academy. Lejeune Hall is 100 meters past Gate 1 on the left.

**PARKING:**

Vehicles without Department of Defense identification stickers are not allowed to drive onto the Academy grounds. You may use public parking areas and walk in thru Gate 1 or Gate 3, or park your vehicle at the Navy-Marine Corps Memorial Stadium Rowe Boulevard (near exit 24 off of RT 50) at a nominal cost and ride the free downtown shuttle bus. The shuttle is not always prompt so allow plenty of extra time if using this option. More information for the City of Annapolis including maps and shuttle schedules can be found on the following link:

<http://www.ci.annapolis.md.us/info.asp?page=3319>

Information about the parking garages and metered parking in Annapolis can be found on the following link: <http://www.ci.annapolis.md.us/info.asp?page=8305>

Gate 1 is the gate closest to the pool (Bottom Right of the map). The Noah Hillman parking garage is the closest garage to Gate 1. There are also metered areas close to Gate 1 as well. There is a 2 hour parking limit for the metered spaces.

**GATE ENTRY:**

Every civilian visitor, over the age of 16, entering the academy should be prepared to show a photograph identification card and have his/her bags searched.

**PARKING PASSES: (COACHES AND OFFICIALS ONLY)**

\*We need your full name, and the make, model, and color of your vehicle along with the license plate number, the state of issuance, and the team that you are associated with.

**COACHES:**

Please assemble all of the passes that you need for coaches and register them on the following link by Wednesday February 15th at 6:00 PM. Please include one address where we can send all of the passes for each team.

**OFFICIALS:**

Official's passes will be sent to the team's Head Coach unless you supply an alternate address.

\*Coaches and officials are requested to park in the East parking adjacent to Lejeune Hall. To get this parking lot, drive through Gate 1, proceed past Lejeune Hall on your left to the traffic circle. Take a left at the circle. The parking lot is approximately one block on your left.

# SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

*DAY 1*  
*THURSDAY MARCH 1, 2012*  
*SESSION 1*  
*CATY WILL NOT PARTICIPATE DURING DAY 1!*

## DAY 2 FRIDAY MARCH 2, 2012 SESSION 2 FRIDAY PRELIMINIARIES

**WARMUPS: 6:45 AM**

**START: 8:15 AM**

<b>GIRLS</b>	<b>Q-TIME</b>	<b>EVENT</b>	<b>Q-TIME</b>	<b>BOYS</b>
9	2:32.99	11 & 12 200 BACK	2:35.29	10
11	1:13.19	OPEN 100 BREAST	1:06.29	12
13	1:14.79	13 & 14 100 BREAST	1:10.79	14
15	37.19	11 & 12 50 BREAST	37.19	16
17	42.49	10 & U 50 BREAST	42.49	18
19	2:00.49	OPEN 200 FREE	1:50.09	20
21	2:03.99	13 & 14 200 FREE	1:58.99	22
23	1:01.99	11 & 12 100 FREE	1:02.29	24
25	1:11.99	10 & U 100 FREE	1:11.99	26
27	1:02.09	OPEN 100 FLY	56.59	28
29	1:05.09	13 & 14 100 FLY	1:02.09	30
31	31.89	11 & 12 50 FLY	31.89	32
33	37.29	10 & U 50 FLY	37.29	34
35	4:50.49	OPEN 400 IM	4:30.99	36
37	4:59.99	13 & 14 400 IM	4:53.99	38
39	2:32.99	11 & 12 200 IM	2:33.99	40
41	2:55.99	10 & U 200 IM	2:55.99	42
43	NT	OPEN 400 MEDLEY RELAY	NT	44
45	NT	13 & 14 400 MEDLEY RELAY	NT	46
47	NT	11 & 12 200 MEDLEY RELAY	NT	48
49	NT	10 & U 200 MEDLEY RELAY	NT	50

All relays are Timed Finals. The top 8 seeded Relay Teams will swim in the finals session. All remaining relays will swim in the preliminary session. Relays are positive check in events. All Relays must be positively checked in no later than Friday @ 10:00 AM. Relays will be swum as they are seeded. Relays may not be swum in the AM if they are seeded in the 8 fastest lanes.

**SESSION 3**  
**FRIDAY FINALS**  
**WARMUPS: 4:30 PM      START: 5:30 PM**  
**EVENTS 9 – 50**

**DAY 3**  
**SATURDAY MARCH 03, 2012**  
**SESSION 4**  
**SATURDAY PRELIMINARIES**

**WARMUPS: 6:45 AM**

**START: 8:15 AM**

<b>GIRLS</b>	<b>Q-TIME</b>	<b>EVENT</b>	<b>Q-TIME</b>	<b>BOYS</b>
51	2:38.29	11 & 12 200 FLY	2:38.29	52
53	2:15.99	OPEN 200 IM	2:04.90	54
55	2:21.99	13 & 14 200 IM	2:16.99	56
57	1:10.99	11 & 12 100 IM	1:11.69	58
59	1:21.49	10 & U 100 IM	1:21.49	60
61	26.19	OPEN 50 FREE	23.39	62
63	26.89	13 & 14 50 FREE	25.49	64
65	1:20.59	11 & 12 100 BREAST	1:20.59	66
67	1:33.39	10 & U 100 BREAST	1:33.39	68
69	2:35.79	OPEN 200 BREAST	2:23.89	70
71	2:40.99	13 & 14 200 BREAST	2:33.09	72
73	33.29	11 & 12 50 BACK	33.49	74
75	38.19	10 & U 50 BACK	38.19	76
77	1:03.89	OPEN 100 BACK	58.09	78
79	1:05.89	13 & 14 100 BACK	1:03.29	80
81	2:15.69	11 & 12 200 FREE	2:15.69	82
83	2:36.39	10 & U 200 FREE	2:36.39	84
85	5:21.69	OPEN 500 FREE	4:59.99	86
87	5:29.99	13 & 14 500 FREE	5:19.99	88
89	NT	11 & 12 200 FREE RELAY	NT	90
91	NT	10 & U 200 FREE RELAY	NT	92
93	NT	OPEN 400 FREE RELAY	NT	94
95	NT	13 & 14 400 FREE RELAY	NT	96

All relays are Timed Finals. The Top 8 seeded Relay Teams will swim in the finals session. All remaining relays will swim in the preliminary session. Relays are positive check in events. All Relays must be positively checked in no later than Saturday @ 10:00 AM. Relays will be swum as they are seeded. Relays may not be swum in the AM if they are seeded in the 8 fastest lanes.

**SESSION 5**  
**SATURDAY FINALS**  
**WARMUPS: 4:30 PM      AWARDS CEREMONY: 5:30pm**  
**MEET START: 6:00 PM**  
**EVENTS 51 – 96**

**DAY 4**  
**SUNDAY MARCH 04, 2012**  
**SESSION 6**  
**SUNDAY PRELIMINARIES**  
**WARMUPS: 6:45 AM START: 8:15 AM**

<b>GIRLS</b>	<b>Q-TIME</b>	<b>EVENT</b>	<b>Q-TIME</b>	<b>BOYS</b>
97	5:28.09	11 & 12 400 IM	5:28.09	98
99	2:15.99	OPEN 200 BACK	2:05.59	100
101	2:20.79	13 & 14 200 BACK	2:15.99	102
103	1:11.79	11 & 12 100 BACK	1:11.99	104
105	1:21.59	10 & U 100 BACK	1:21.59	106
107	55.69	OPEN 100 FREE	50.99	108
109	58.09	13 & 14 100 FREE	55.29	110
111	28.29	11 & 12 50 FREE	28.49	112
113	32.39	10 & U 50 FREE	32.39	114
115	2:20.49	OPEN 200 FLY	2:08.99	116
117	2:22.39	13 & 14 200 FLY	2:17.99	118
119	1:11.59	11 & 12 100 FLY	1:11.59	120
121	1:26.69	10 & U 100 FLY	1:26.69	122
123	2:56.29	11 & 12 200 BREAST	2:56.29	124
125	18:26.99	OPEN 1650 FREE	18:00.99	126
127	18:39.69	13 & 14 1650 FREE	18:29.69	128

**NOTE: The OPEN and 13 & 14 1650 Free are Timed Finals events. All 1650 swimmers must positively check in no later than Sunday @ 9:00AM or be scratched from that event. Events 125 & 127 will be combined and swum fastest to slowest with the fastest heat swimming during session 7. All other heats will swim as the last event of the prelim session. Events 126 & 128 will be combined and swum fastest to slowest with the fastest heat swimming as the second event in session 7. All other heats will swim as the last heat event of the prelim session. The 1650 heats will alternate fastest girls heat then fastest boys heat until conclusion of the heats.**

**Swimmers are required to supply their own timers and counters for the 1650 Free.**

**SESSION 7**  
**SUNDAY 1650 FREE FINAL HEATS**  
**EVENTS 125/127 & 126/128**  
**WARMUPS: 3:30 PM            START: 4:15 PM**

**SESSION 8**  
**SUNDAY FINALS**  
**EVENTS 97 – 124**  
**WARMUPS: 4:30 PM            START: 5:30 PM**