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| Name of Meet | <h2 style="color: red;">LC Last Chance 2012</h2> <p style="color: red;">Hosted by Bayonne Mermaids Starfish</p> |
| Meet Sanction # | NJS071312LC In granting this sanction, it is understood and agreed that USA Swimming shall be free from any liabilities or claims for damages by reason of injuries to anyone during the conduct of the event. |
| Date of Meet | <u>Friday evening, July 13th, 2012</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ This is an outdoor meet. No make-up date in case of weather conditions. ▪ Refunds will be provided if the meet does not start due to inclement weather. ▪ Program and Admission will not be refunded if the meet is called due to weather. ▪ Partial refunds will be given if the first five events are not swum. ▪ No scratches will be refunded, if the meet is called off. |
| Location | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Bayonne DiDomenico Municipal Pool, 157 W 16th St, Bayonne NJ. |
| Facility Information | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ The DiDomenico Municipal Pool is a 50 meter, 8-lane pool with 7' lanes using anti-splash lane dividers, and Colorado timing. The depth at the starting end is 9' and the depth at the turn end is 4' ▪ Spectators must bring their own seats—beach chairs, folding chairs etc. The facility does not have spectator seating. |
| Pool Certification Statement | The competition course has not been certified in accordance with 104.2.2C(4). Note that this statement is a required meet announcement statement, and refers to the pre-certification of the pool length measurement in regards to National and World Record swims which may occur in the pool. The fact that this pool is not certified in accordance to 104.2.2C(4) does not impact on the validity of the times achieved in this pool. Times swum at this meet will in fact be entered in SWIMS and are eligible for qualifying for any other USA Swimming sanctioned competition. |
| Audio/Visual Recording Statement | Use of audio or visual recording devices, including a cell phone, is not permitted in changing areas, rest rooms or locker rooms. |
| Meet Director | Ellen Mace 609.558.0988 entries1@juno.com |
| Meet Referee | Jim O'Neill swimjim1@juno.com |
| Team Contact | Ahmed Abdelaal - Coach-Ahmed@bmsnj.org - (201)566-2299 |
| Meet Marshal | Adel William mka334@optonline.net |
| Entry Coordinator | BE Smartt, Inc will be the Entry Coordinator, <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ E-Mail address: entries@juno.com ▪ 1.609.558.0988 ▪ Best time to call after 8:0pm and weekends |
| Entry Deadline | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ All entries must be electronic entries in Hy-tek format. ▪ Entry forms, verification forms, waiver release, and fees must be received no later than 5:00pm, Friday June 29th, 2012 ▪ Mail entry summary, signed waiver and check to: BE SMARTT INC., 604 Paxson Avenue, Mercerville, NJ 08619 ▪ Email Entries to: entries1@juno.com ▪ If you are mailing your associated forms via overnight or express mail, it is recommended that you <i>wave the signature.</i> ▪ NO DECK, FAX OR PHONE ENTRIES WILL BE ACCEPTED. |
| Meet Format Waiver | Meet management has the right to restrict the number of entries due to darkness, and to conform to the New Jersey Swimming 4-hour session rule. |



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| Internet Website Posting | <p>The meet website will be: www.besmarttinc.com</p> <p>Pre-Meet Information posted on website.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Meet announcement ▪ Hy-Tek Events list (HYV.file) ▪ List of Teams whose entries have been received. ▪ Warm-up Schedule and Team Warm-up Assignments. ▪ Timing assignments. <p>Post-Meet Information posted on website.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Downloadable Results (HY3.zip file) ▪ Printable Results |
| Meet Requirement Statement: | In order to be eligible for the New Jersey Zone Championship Team or for NJ Swimming Athlete Reimbursement for sectional and national level meets, NJ Swimming policy stipulates certain participation requirements. As a NJ Swimming sanctioned meet, this meet counts toward those participation requirements. |
| Coaches Eligibility | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ All coaches “on the deck” must be members of USA Swimming. ▪ Coaches must show coaching card for entrance to facility. |
| Swimmer Eligibility | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ All swimmers must be members of USA Swimming to enter and compete in this meet. ▪ All swimmers must be listed on a team’s official entry form to be eligible to participate in this swim meet in any events. ▪ There are no time standards in this meet. <p>Unattached Swimmers:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ All transfer swimmer(s) must swim unattached for 120 days from their last attached competition. Swimmers must use an UN- (New Team Alpha Code) as their team affiliation. ▪ All Unattached swimmers must be listed on the team’s official waiver entry form. |
| Meet Age | <p>Age Groups that will be offered.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • This meet will have mixed 11 & Older and 11 & Older single gender events. <p>Age at Meet</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Age for this meet is as of: Friday July 13th, 2012 |
| Event Limits | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ New Jersey Swimming allows swimmers to swim three individual events per day. |
| Swimmers Unaccompanied by a USAS Certified Coach | Any swimmer entered into this meet must be certified by a USA Swimming member coach as being proficient in performing a racing start or they must start each race from within the water. If a swimmer is unaccompanied by a USA Swimming member coach, It is the responsibility of the swimmer or the swimmer’s legal guardian to ensure compliance with this requirement. |
| Meet Format | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ This meet will be run in accordance to current USA Swimming Rules. ▪ This meet will be run as a time final meet. <p>Seeding Procedures</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ This meet will be deck seeded with coaches checking in/scratching all swimmers. When the seeding has been posted, swimmers will report to the blocks on their own. |
| Meet Schedule | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ The facility will open at 3:55pm. Warm-up starts at 4:00pm, Meet starts at 5:05pm. ▪ This meet will have one session |

Meet Schedule

| Friday July 13th, 2012 | | Warm-up | Start |
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| Session 1 | All Events | 4:00pm | 5:05pm |



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| <p>Warm-up Procedures</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Warm-ups will be run under New Jersey Swimming Warm-up and Safety Guidelines. Warm-ups will include general warm-up lanes and pace lanes. <p>Entry Into Pool:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ All swimmers must enter the pool from the starting end of the pool. <p>Host Team Monitoring Warm-ups</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Bayonne Mermaid Starfish Meet Marshalls will monitor all warm-ups. ▪ All general warm-up lanes will swim in a counterclockwise direction. <p>Warm-up Schedules</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ There will be a 60-minute general warm-up with the last 15 minutes offering designated sprint lanes. ▪ Should the number of entries warrant, the warm-up will be divided by teams into two 30-minute periods with designated sprint lanes available during the last 10 minutes of each period. ▪ The schedule will be e-mailed to participating coaches at least one week prior to the meet. |
| <p>Entry Times</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ New Jersey Swimming does not allow ‘NT’ or ‘No Time’ to be used as an entry time. ▪ All entry times must be in long course meters. ▪ Converted times from SCY and SCM are acceptable for this meet. |
| <p>Check-In:</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ All check-in sheets must be turned into the scoring table 35 minutes before the start of each session. Swimmers that are swimming will have a line through their names. Swimmers that are being scratched will have their names circled with “SCR” next to the circle. Swimmers scratching a single event will have a line through his/her name and the event number circled with “SCR” next to the circle. ▪ Failure to follow the check-in procedure may result in the swimmer(s) being scratched from the session. |
| <p>Starts</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ The host club will determine if “Fly-over/Over-the-top” starts will be used, after a time-line has been determined. This information will be sent to the participating coaches at least one week prior to the start of the meet. |
| <p>Heat Limits</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ The 400 Freestyle and 400 IM events will be limited to one heat of each gender. ▪ Only the fastest 8 swimmers will swim. ▪ Swimmers below the top 8 will have the option of changing to another event. Psych sheets will be posted on www.besmartinc.com no later than one week before the meet. ▪ Swimmers may stay in those “heat-limited” events with the possibility that scratches or the timeline will allow the opportunity to swim. In either case, if that swimmer is below the “heat limit” number and does not swim, he or she will have the entry fee refunded. ▪ Refunds will be mailed to the team within two weeks of the conclusion of the meet. |
| <p>Scoring</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Team Scoring will not be kept. |
| <p>Awards</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ There will be no awards for this meet. |
| <p>Entry Fees</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Individual Entry Fee: \$5.00 ▪ Make checks payable to: Bayonne Mermaids Starfish Swim Team ▪ See the first paragraph of the announcement for the refund policy. |
| <p>Admission and Programs:</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Admission will be \$5.00. ▪ Cost of Program will be \$5.00. |
| <p>Entries</p> | <p>In accordance with NJS policy, team entries may be submitted by e-mail to entries1@juno.com. (please use Friday Night Lights 2012 in the subject line) All entries must be Hy-Tek program entries as an attached file to an e-mail.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ The meet entry coordinator will respond to e-mails entries within 48 hours. If you do not receive an e-mail response within 48 hours, assume that your email has not been received. It then becomes the sender’s responsibility to make sure that the host club's meet entry coordinator receives the e-mail. If you do not receive an e-mail response, you must contact the entry coordinator by email or phone. ▪ An Entry Summary with a signed NJ Swimming waiver and a check must accompany or follow each entry. ▪ Incomplete entries will not be accepted. ▪ Deck entries will not be accepted. ▪ Teams entered will be posted on the meet website www.besmartinc.com. |
| <p>Results</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Results will be e-mailed to all participating teams after the meet. |



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| Host Club Responsibilities | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ The host club will provide a single timer in each lane through out the meet. ▪ The host club will have stopwatches available for volunteers helping to time. ▪ The host club will create a warm-up schedule that will be fair and equal to all teams. This warm-up schedule will be e-mailed to all participating clubs no later than 1 week before the meet. The warm-up schedule will also be posted on the meet web site. ▪ The host club will create timing assignments that are fair and equitable with as many teams participating as possible. These timing assignments will be e-mailed to all participating clubs no later than 1 week before the meet and posted on the meet web site. |
| Participating Club Responsibilities | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Participating clubs must help with timing assignments. Timing assignments will be e-mailed to participating clubs 1 week prior to the meet. ▪ Participating club parents must stay within designated areas away from the pool edges except for timing assignments. ▪ Participating clubs should help with officiating whenever possible. List the club contact for club officials on the meet summary. |
| Concessions | Food and drink will be available. |
| Directions: | <p><i>Directions to Bayonne DiDomenico Municipal Pool:</i> Address: 157 W 16th St, Bayonne NJ NJ Turnpike: Take Exit 14A (Bayonne) and proceed along Ave E to East 16th St. Turn right and continue for 4 blocks. The pool is across the street from the firehouse and children's park. Parking is available at the DiDomenico Park, at the end of West 16th St.</p> |

The Friday Night Swim Meet 2012

Order of Events

Session 1 All events

Event 1 Girls 11 & Over 400 Freestyle

Only the top 8 will swim this event

Event 2 Boys 11 & Over 400 Freestyle

Only the top 8 will swim this event

Event 3 Mixed 11 & Over 200 Butterfly

Event 4 Mixed 11 & Over 100 Backstroke

Event 5 Mixed 11 & Over 200 IM

Event 6 Mixed 11 & Over 100 Breaststroke

Event 7 Mixed 11 & Over 200 Freestyle

Event 8 Mixed 11 & Over 100 Butterfly

Event 9 Mixed 11 & Over 200 Breaststroke

Event 10 Mixed 11 & Over 200 Backstroke

Event 11 Mixed 11 & Over 100 Freestyle

Event 12 Girls 11 & Over 400 IM

Only the top 8 will swim this event

Event 13 Boys 11 & Over 400 IM

Only the top 8 will swim this event



Bayonne Mermaids Starfish Swim Club

LC Last Chance 2012

ENTRY SUMMARY

Team: _____ USA-S Club Code: _____

WAIVER

In consideration of the acceptance of this entry, I/we hereby, for myself/ourselves, my/our heirs, administrators and assigns, waive and release any and all claims against USA Swimming, NJ Swimming, Bayonne Mermaids-Starfish Swim Club and Bayonne DiDomenico Municipal Pool, and their staffs for any injuries and/or expenses incurred by me/us at the swim meet or while on the road to and from the meet. I/we am/are USA-S-registered, and eligible to compete in all of the events I/we have entered.

Signature of Club Official, Coach, and/or Parent or Guardian

Name(s) of Coach(es): _____

E-mail address to send results: _____

Club Mailing Address: _____

Contact Person for entries: _____

Contact Person for Timers & Officials: _____

E-Mail: _____

E-Mail: _____

Phone #: _____

Phone #: _____

Fax #: _____

Fax #: _____

Entry Fee Summary:

Number of Individual Entries: _____ x \$5.00= \$_____

Total Entries & Fees: \$_____

Check amount: \$_____

Make Checks Payable to *Bayonne Mermaids-Starfish*

New Jersey Swimming Inc.

Official Meet Verification Form

Club Name: _____ Club Code: _____

Club E-Mail Address: _____

Head Coach's Name: _____

Club Address: _____



**NEW JERSEY
SWIMMING**

I hereby certify that all swimmers and coaches listed on the entry or hard copy with disk entries, for the **2012 LC Last Chance Swim Meet** to be held on **July 13th, 2012** are registered members of New Jersey Swimming/ United States Swimming. All United States Swimming numbers are correctly listed and, unless otherwise noted, are not required to swim unattached (UN) due to the 120-day transfer rule. Also I acknowledge that deck access is limited to coaches and/or officials working the meet and displaying their credentials.

Signature _____ Date _____
(Signature may not be photocopied)

Article 302.4 of the USA Swimming Rules and regulations:

FALSE REGISTRATION: An LSC may impose a fine of up to **\$100 per event** against a member coach or a member club's representative signing a document which indicates a swimmer is registered with United States Swimming for a meet when that swimmer is not properly registered or eligible to compete for that club. This will be enforced by the LSC and the LSC will be entitled to the fines imposed.

LIST ALL UNATTACHED SWIMMERS:

Unattached Swimmer _____, Unattached Swimmer _____
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