

<b>Name of Meet</b>	<b>Peddie Polar Splash Mini-Meet</b> Hosted by Peddie Aquatics Association at the Peddie School, Hightstown NJ
<b>Meet Sanction #</b>	<b>NJS121512SC</b> 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.
<b>Date of Meet</b>	<b>Saturday, December 15th, 2012</b>
<b>Location</b>	<b>Peddie School, 180 E Etra Rd, Hightstown NJ 08520</b>
<b>Facility Information</b>	The Peddie Aquatic Facility pool is a 25-yard, 8-lane pool with anti-turbulent lane-dividers and a Colorado timing system. The depth at the starting end is 7' and the depth at the turn end is 6.5'.
<b>Pool Certification Statement</b>	The competition course has been certified in accordance with 104.2.2C(4). The copy of such certification is on file with USA Swimming.
<b>Audio/Visual Recording Statement</b>	Use of audio or visual recording devices, including a cell phone, is not permitted in changing areas, rest rooms or locker rooms.
<b>Meet Director &amp; Team Contact</b>	<b>Charlie Dragon – <a href="mailto:cdragon@peddie.org">cdragon@peddie.org</a></b> <b>Wendy MacCarthy – <a href="mailto:wmacCarthy@peddie.org">wmacCarthy@peddie.org</a></b>
<b>Meet Referee(s)</b>	Paul Welsh - <a href="mailto:paul_welsh@gbtpa.com">paul_welsh@gbtpa.com</a>
<b>Meet Safety Marshall</b>	Cathy Signorin
<b>Entry Deadline:</b>	<p><b>Entry Deadline: December 1<sup>st</sup>, 2012 at 6pm. E-Mail entry file to: <a href="mailto:entries1@juno.com">entries1@juno.com</a></b></p> <p>If the meet doesn't fill by the entry deadline, the meet director may, at his discretion, accept entries beyond the stated deadline.</p> <p>There will be no refunds after the entry deadline except for events that may be scratched from meet by the Entry Coordinator or Meet Director, or as required by NJ Swimming. Entries will be acknowledged within 48 hours of receipt.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• All entries will be accepted on a first come basis.</li> <li>• <b>Entry forms, verification forms, waiver release, and fees must be received no later than the first session of the meet where the team competes.</b></li> <li>• Team entries will be considered accepted when the host club accepts the entries.</li> <li>• Meet Entries will be taken until the meet fills. The host club must stay within the four hour per session rule.</li> <li>• It is not necessary to use overnight or express mail to send hard copy and check, which are sent in support of an e-mailed entry.</li> </ul> <p><b>Checks should be made payable to Peddie Aquatic Association</b> <b>Checks and waivers should be sent to</b> <b>Greg Wriede</b> <b>Head Coach</b> <b>The Peddie School</b> <b>201 South Main Street</b> <b>Hightstown NJ 08520</b></p>
<b>Meet Format Waiver:</b>	<p>The host club has the right to change the format of the meet with the approval of the sanctioning chair and either the age group or senior chair. These changes would be made for a more efficient swim meet for the swimmers and the host club. Reasons for these changes include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• To allow more swimmers to swim.</li> <li>• To conform to facility capacity limits or for facility safety concerns.</li> <li>• To condense the meet into smaller time period.</li> </ul> <p>Some of the changes that may be made include: 1) add a session, 2) limiting heats in distance events, and 3) condense sessions and 4) eliminate relays.</p>



<b>Meet Requirement Statement:</b>	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 New Jersey Swimming sanctioned meet, this meet counts towards those participation requirements.
<b>Coaches Eligibility:</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• All coaches “on the deck” must be currently registered coach members of USA Swimming.</li> <li>• Coaches must show coaching card for entrance to facility.</li> <li>• All coaches must have coaching cards visible at all times while on deck.</li> </ul>
<b>Internet Website Posting:</b>	<p>Internet location for all meet information: <a href="http://www.peddieaquatics.com">www.peddieaquatics.com</a> Pre-Meet Information posted on website.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Meet Information will be posted on the website.</li> <li>• Downloadable Hy-Tek Events list (.HYV file) will be posted on the website.</li> <li>• List Teams whose entries have been received.</li> <li>• List Updated meet schedule.</li> <li>• List Warm-up Schedule and Team Warm-up Assignments.</li> <li>• List Timing assignments.</li> </ul> <p>Post-Meet Information posted on website.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Downloadable Results (Zipped .CL2 &amp; .HY3 files) for TM</li> <li>• Printable meet results (.PDF file)</li> </ul>
<b>Swimmer Eligibility:</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• All swimmers must be members of USA Swimming to enter and compete in this meet.</li> <li>• 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.</li> <li>• There will be age group events for various age groupings of 8 and under swimmers (see Order of Events).</li> <li>• <b>There will be no qualifying times for this meet.</b></li> <li>• New Jersey Swimming Policy allows swimmers to enter and compete in <b>FOUR (4) individual events</b> per day.</li> <li>• Swimmers may compete in one relay per day.</li> <li>• Age for this meet is calculated as of: <b>December 15th, 2012</b></li> </ul>
<b>Swimmers Unaccompanied by a USAS Certified Coach:</b>	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. If a swimmer is not accompanied by a USA Swimming member coach, then it is the responsibility of the swimmer or the swimmer’s legal guardian to ensure compliance with this requirement.
<b>USAS Deck Change Policy Statement:</b>	Except where venue facilities require otherwise, changing into or out of swimsuits other than in locker rooms or other designated areas is not appropriate and is prohibited.
<b>Meet Format:</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• This meet will be run in accordance to current USA Swimming Rules.</li> <li>• This meet will be run as a timed final meet.</li> <li>• This meet will be deck seeded with coaches checking in/scratching all swimmers. Swimmers will report to the marshalling area for organizing heats and lanes and escorted to the blocks.</li> </ul>
<b>Facility Schedule</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The building opening time will be 1:00pm.</li> <li>• Warm-up will begin at 1:30pm.</li> <li>• Meet Start at 2:15pm.</li> </ul>
<b>Warm-up Procedures</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Warm-ups will be run under New Jersey Swimming Warm-up and Safety Guidelines. Warm-ups will include general warm-up lanes, sprint lanes, and pace lanes.</li> <li>• Swimming equipment is <b>not allowed</b> in the competition pool during all warm-up sessions. This includes kick boards, hand paddles, and pull buoys.</li> <li>• All swimmers are entitled to a fair and comparable warm-up. All teams <b>must</b> receive the same opportunities for warm-up lanes, sprint lanes, and pace lanes.</li> <li>• All swimmers must enter the pool feet first from the starting end of the pool.</li> <li>• New Jersey Swimming officials will monitor warm-ups.</li> <li>• All general warm-up lanes will swim in a counterclockwise direction.</li> <li>• There will be a 45 minute warm-up period.</li> </ul>



<b>Entry Times</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>New Jersey Swimming does not allow 'NT' or 'No Time' to be used as an entry time.</li> <li>All entry times must be in short course yards.</li> </ul>
<b>Relays:</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Coaches must turn in relay cards prior to that relay swimming listing correct swimmers' names in the correct order.</li> </ul>
<b>Starts</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The host club will determine if 'Fly-over/Over-the-top' starts will be used after a time line has been produced. This information will be posted in the pre-meet information e-mailed to the participating teams.</li> </ul>
<b>Scoring:</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Team Scoring will not be kept.</li> </ul>
<b>Awards:</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Medals will be awarded for the top 3 swimmers in each individual event. Ribbons will be awarded for 4<sup>th</sup>-16<sup>th</sup> place.</li> <li>Ribbons will be awarded to the top 3 relays in each relay event.</li> </ul>
<b>Entry Fees:</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Individual Entry Fee: \$4.00</li> <li>Relay Entry Fee: \$8.00</li> <li>Make checks payable to: <b>PEDDIE AQUATICS ASSOCIATION (PAA)</b></li> <li>Host club has the right to scratch teams/swimmers for lack of payment of entry fees, lack of completed and signed waiver forms.</li> <li>Special Notice: All entries fees must be paid no later than Session Check-in. If a team fails to make payment by that time all their swimmers may be scratched, at the discretion of the Host Team.</li> </ul>
<b>Admissions and Programs:</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Admission will be \$5.00 and include a meet program.</li> </ul>
<b>Results:</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Results will be e-mailed to teams participating in the meet.</li> <li>Results will be posted on the meet website.</li> </ul>
<b>Host Club Responsibilities:</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The host club will provide a single timer in each lane throughout the meet</li> <li>The host club will have stopwatches available for volunteers helping to time.</li> <li>The host club will e-mail entry verification back to the participating clubs.</li> <li>The host club will create a warm-up schedule that will be fair and equal to all teams.</li> <li>The host club will create timing assignments that are fair and equitable with as many teams participating as possible.</li> <li>Warm-up schedules and assignments, and timing assignments will be e-mailed to all participating clubs and posted on the website no later than 7 days before the meet.</li> </ul>
<b>Participating Club Responsibilities:</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Participating clubs must help with timing assignments. Timing assignments will be e-mailed to participating clubs and posted on the swim meet website 7 days prior to the meet.</li> <li>Participating club parents must stay off the pool deck except for timing assignments.</li> <li>Participating clubs should help with officiating whenever possible. List the club contact for club officials on the meet summary.</li> </ul>
<b>Hotels:</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Holiday Inn, 100 Independence Way. 609-520-1200 Ask for special rate</li> <li>Staybridge Suites, 4375 Route 1. 609-951-0009 Ask for sports group rate</li> <li>Residence Inn by Marriott, 4225 Route 1. 732-329-9600 Rates include breakfast</li> <li>Princeton Courtyard by Marriott, Route 1 &amp; Mapleton Rd. 609-726-9100 Rates include breakfast</li> </ul>
<b>Directions</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Take the NJ Turnpike to Exit 8, Hightstown/Princeton. Follow Route 33 West to Hightstown.</li> <li>Make a left at the 2<sup>nd</sup> traffic light onto Main Street (the firehouse will be in front of you), then go straight through one traffic light and at Ward Street make a left.</li> <li>Make the first right onto South Main Street. Continue past the Peddie School campus and at Etra Road, make a left.</li> <li>Pass the playing fields and the Athletic Center driveway is on the left.</li> </ul>

**Meet Schedule:**

<b>Saturday, December 15th, 2012</b>		<b>Warm-up</b>	<b>Start</b>
Session 1	8 and Under	1:30 pm	2:15 pm



# Peddie Polar Splash Mini-Meet

## ORDER OF EVENTS

<u>Girls</u> Evt. #	Age Group <u>Event</u>	<u>Boys</u> Evt. #
#1	8 yr. old 100 Free Relay	#2
#3	7 & under 100 Free Relay	#4
#5	8 & under 50 Free	#6
#7	7 yr. old 25 Free	#8
#9	6 & under 25 Free	#10
#11	8 yr. old 25 Fly	#12
#13	7 & under 25 Fly	#14
#15	8 yr. old 25 Breast	#16
#17	7 yr. old 25 Breast	#18
#19	6 & under 25 Breast	#20
#21	8 yr. old 25 Back	#22
#23	7 yr. old 25 Back	#24
#25	6 & under 25 Back	#26
#27	7 yr. old 100 IM	#28
#29	8 yr. old 100 IM	#30





NEW JERSEY SWIMMING

# 2012 Peddie Polar Splash Meet

December 15<sup>th</sup>, 2012

## 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, Peddie School, Peddie Aquatic Association, Be Smartt Inc 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 are USA Swimming registered athletes and am/are eligible to compete in all the events I/we have entered.

## Meet Verification

I hereby certify that all entered swimmers and coaches listed on the waiver form, for the Peddie Aquatic Association Polar Splash Mini meet on **December 15th, 2012** are registered members of 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. Also I acknowledge that deck access is limited to coaches and/or officials working the meet and displaying their credentials.

Club Name/Club Code \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Coach and/or Parent/Guardian \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone \_\_\_\_\_ E-Mail Address \_\_\_\_\_

Name(s) of Coach(es): \_\_\_\_\_

Name/E-Mail/Phone Number of person to contact regarding this entry:

NAME/E-Mail/Phone Number of person to contact regarding timers/officials:

Entry Fee Summary:	_____	Individual event entries @ \$4.00 =	\$ _____
	_____	Relay event entries @ \$8.00 =	\$ _____
		Total:	\$ _____

Make checks payable to: **PEDDIE Aquatic Association**

## Article 302.4 of the United States 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 \_\_\_\_\_

Unattached Swimmer \_\_\_\_\_, Unattached Swimmer \_\_\_\_\_

Unattached Swimmer \_\_\_\_\_, Unattached Swimmer \_\_\_\_\_

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