



**2014-MR-Patriot Distance Meet
Nov 8, 2014 @Beacon HS**

Sanction # 141104

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- SANCTION:** Held under the sanction of USA Swimming/Metropolitan Swimming, Inc., #
- LOCATION:** **Beacon HS Natatorium**
101 Matteawan Rd,
Beacon, NY. 12508
- FACILITY:** **6 Lane 25 Yard Pool utilizing Colorado Timing System and Scoreboard**
The pool **Has Not** been certified in accordance with Article 104.2.2C (4) The competitive course is 4-13 feet deep. **NO SMOKING ALLOWED IN THE BUILDING.** Teams are expected to police and maintain their areas on the pool deck. Athletes, parents and children are restricted to the pool area and spectators stands and are not authorized to be in any other part of the building. Offenders will be ejected from the facility.
- SESSIONS:** **Sat 1pm Warm up 2pm Start**
- FORMAT:** **Timed Finals Events will be run fast to slow, alternating girls/boys**
Deck Seeding All Swimmers must provide their own Timers & Counters
- 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 **Nov 8, 2014** will determine age for the entire meet.
- DISABILITY SWIMMERS:** Swimmers with disabilities are encouraged to attend. Contact the meet director if 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 2 Individual events per session.**
Entries are accepted on a first come, first served basis. Entries received after the entry deadline will only be accepted if the meet is not full. Deck Entries are NOT permitted. All Entries must be sent as a Hy-Tek file. Manual Entries will NOT be accepted. Mail payment along with Hy-Tek Meet Entry Fee Report
- U.S. Mail Entries/Payment to: **Patriot Aquatics, PO Box 484, Jefferson Valley, NY 10535**
Email Entries/Confirm Entry Receipt: **patriotentries@gmail.com**
Signature Waiver Required for Express Mailed Entries
- DEADLINE:** 1: Metro LSC teams will be given priority on a first come/first served basis. Metro teams entries must be received by **Oct 24, 2014.**
2: The final entry deadline for this meet is **Oct 27, 2014**
3: Entries from other LSC's and Metro entries received after **Oct 25** will be entered in the order they were received, as space allows.
An email confirming receipt of entries if you provide an email contact. Please contact Meet Director if you do not receive such a report within 2 days of your original email.
- ENTRY FEE:** An entry fee of **\$4.00** per individual event must accompany the entries.
Make check payable to: **Patriot Aquatics.**
Payment must be received by **Oct 27, 2014** 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:** **General Warm up in effect. Sprint lanes will be available 20 minutes prior to the end of each warm up. Lanes 1 & 6 will remain General warm up during sprints.**

- 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 indicate clearly individual events scratches and which swimmers will not be participating in the session.
- 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:** **Medals 1-3, Ribbons 4-6 for 12 & Under Events.**
- OFFICIALS:** **Meet Referee: Ken Graham (E-mail: ksg@alumni.caltech.edu)**
Officials wishing to volunteer should contact Meet Referee by **NOV 3rd.**
- MEET DIRECTOR:** **Robert Vializ, patriotentries@gmail.com 914 497 4716**
- ADMIN OFF:** Siv Rizzo.
- RULES:** The current 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:** 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
- Except where venue facilities require otherwise, changing into our out of swimsuits other than the locker rooms or other designated areas is not appropriate and is strongly discouraged
- DISCLAIMER:** Upon acceptance of his/her entries, the participant waives all liabilities and claims for damages against **The Beacon City School District, Patriot Swim Team**, Metropolitan Swimming Inc., USA Swimming Inc., their agents or representatives for injuries to anyone during the conduct of the meet..
- AUDIO/VISUAL STATEMENT** **The use of audio or visual recording devices, including a cell phone or tablet device, is not permitted in changing areas, rest rooms or locker rooms. No Photography or Video recording is permissible behind the starting platforms**
- ADMISSION:** **\$5 Admission Fee, \$3 for Programs**
- MERCHANTS:** **Food and Beverage Concessions provided by Patriot Swim Team.**
- PARKING:** **There is ample free parking**
- DIRECTIONS:** **From Interstate 84.**
Take exit 12 and go south on Route 52. Make a right onto Prospect Street, go up the hill and bear left onto Matteawan Road. Go about ¼ mile and make a right into the first entrance for the HS. Aquatic Center is directly in front.
From South.
Take Route 9 north. Make a left onto Route 403. Go to end then make a right onto Route 9D. Take 9D into the City of Beacon. Make a right onto South Chestnut Street and go to end. Make a left onto Verplanck Avenue then make the first right onto Matteawan Road. Continue for about ¼ mile and make a left into the last entrance for the HS. Aquatic Center is directly in front.

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Saturday Nov 8, 2014 Warm-up 1:00pm Start 2:00m

GIRLS	EVENT	BOYS
1	11 & Older 400 IM	2
3	9-12 500 Free	4
5	13 & Older 1650 Free	6

Please Note: Distance Events will be seeded and run Fastest to slowest and will be alternated Girls Boys
ALL Swimmers must provide their own Counters and Timers