

HURRICANE SWIM CLUB'S

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Sunday, October 26th, 2014

- Sanction By:** USA Swimming, Inc. & Maine Swimming, Inc. Sanction #:ME1415-1026
- Hosted By:** Hurricane Swim Club, Inc.
- Meet Director:** Thomas Branch; (C) 207-712-0877; meetdirector@hurricaneswimclub.com
Please direct all questions to the Meet Director.
- Administrative Official:** Thomas Branch; meetdirector@hurricaneswimclub.com
- Meet Referee:** Dave Silk
- Meet Location:** Webber Pool, Husson University, 1 College Circle, Bangor, ME 04401
- Facility:** Webber Pool is a 6 lane 25 yard pool with non-turbulent lane lines, Colorado Timing System, electronic scoreboard with six lane display and a spectators seating for 500. The starting end has a depth of 11.9 feet. The water depth at the end of pool is 3.6 feet. Webber Pool has not been measured to certify under USA-S rule 104.2.2C(4).
- How to Enter:** All entries must be submitted by e-mail using the **Hy-Tek or .sd3** format. If you do not have the ability to use Hy-Tek or Team Unify you can submit a hardcopy of your entries by sending us either an e-mail or mailing it to us by the entry deadline. If you are submitting Hy-Tek or Team Unify entries a hard copy backup is required to be sent by mail or as a PDF by e-mail. All forms must list each swimmer alphabetically and have the swimmers full name (first, middle initial, last) and birth date as they were USA-S registered, current USA-S number, and seed time.
- Entry Deadline:** **Entries must be received no later than 7:59PM on Wednesday, October 22nd, 2014. Late entries will be accepted.**
- Entry Fees:** \$3.00 per Individual Entry
\$3.50 per Individual Paper Entry
- Entry Submission:** E-Mail entry submission:
entries@hurricaneswimclub.com
- Hard copy backup and entry fees:
Hurricane Swim Club, P.O. Box 50, Bangor, ME 04402
- Make checks payable to Hurricane Swim Club (**Note: TEAMS PLEASE SEND ONE CHECK FOR YOUR TEAM'S ENTRIES and send by regular mail, no return receipt, confirmation of receipt will be by e-mail.) Checks must be received within four business days of the entry deadline unless other arrangements are made. Team entries will not be considered official until after the payment is made.**

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- Entry Limits:** Swimmers may be entered in no more than five (5) individual events per session. The Meet Director reserves the right to limit entries in any event in order to stay within a reasonable time limit. If limits become necessary, times will be notified through their club contact. If limits are imposed, all eliminated swims will receive a full refund.
- Eligibility:** This meet is open to any swimmer who is a properly registered member of USA-S before the start of the meet or is a registered member with United States Masters Swimming (USMS). Age is as of October 26th, 2014.
- USA Swimming Registration:** Club athletes may obtain USA-S Registration from your Club Registrar. Unattached athletes may obtain forms and instructions from the Maine Swimming Web Site; www.maineswimming.org. Deck Registrations will be allowed. Registration reconciliation will be done for this meet. **It is each team's responsibility to make sure the entry and registration information for each of their swimmers is accurate.**
- Admission:** \$2.00 per person
- Program:** \$3.00 per program for entire meet.
- Time Trials:** No Time Trials will be offer at this meet.
- Awards:** No Awards will be given out at this meet.
- Safety:** Each participating swimmer must be under the supervision of a USA Swimming certified coach with a current USA-Swimming membership. There will be absolutely no diving into the pool except during sprint lane warm-ups and swim event starts. All entry into the pool is from the deep end only. Non-compliance is justification for disqualification from the meet. Current USA Swimming Safety Rules will be in effect and will be strictly enforced.
- Protests:** A committee will be formed to handle and protests that arise during the meet. The committee will include the meet directors, the meet referee, a coach and an athlete (not from the same team as the originator of the protest).
- Start Times:**
- | | Warm-Up | Start Time |
|------------|-----------------|------------|
| Session 1: | 7:00AM – 7:25AM | 7:30AM |
| Session 2: | 9:00AM - 9:55AM | 10:00AM |
- Start Procedure:** This meet will be conducted using the no Recall false start rule, the whistle command starting procedure and 'Fly-over' starts. All swimmers (except for Backstroke starts) should remain in the water at the completion of their race until the next has begun

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Warm-ups:

USA Swimming and Maine Swimming safety procedures will be enforced throughout the meet. Warm-ups are subject to the following procedures:

All swimmers shall enter feet first using the sit and slide method at the starting end of the pool.

Sprint lanes will be announced during the warm up period.

The warm-ups sessions may be divided into periods of equal length depending on the number of swimmers entered in each session. Warm-up schedules will be posted on the web site prior to the meet and will be made available to coaches at the meet.

No diving or backstroke starts will be permitted except in sprint lanes, when designated.

The referee may remove anyone from the warm-up for failure to comply with the warm-up rules.

Swimmers without a coach must report to the Meet Director before entering the pool for warm-up in order to obtain a lane assignment.

Meet Policies:

Only certified and meet registered coaches, session officials, registered USA-S, USMS swimmers and Meet Staff will be allowed on deck and No one else will be allowed on deck due to USA Swimming Rules

All USA Swimming Registered Officials and Coaches are required to display USA Swimming Credentials (USA-S Membership Card) while on deck. This is a Maine Swimming, Inc. Policy. **Coaches, Officials must be properly registered and have all certifications up to date in order to be allowed on deck for this meet.** Coach's and Official's registrations will be checked prior to the start of the meet.

Any swimmer entered in the meet, unaccompanied by a USA Swimming member coach, 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. It is the responsibility of the swimmer or the swimmer's legal guardian to ensure compliance with this requirement. Swimmers without a coach will swim with and be supervised by the host club for the entire meet

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- Timers:** **Volunteer Timers** may be needed for this meet. Volunteers will receive a refund on their admission. 1650 free swimmers must provide their own timer.
- Parking:** Free parking is available next to the building. Please park in legal spots.
- Meet Results:** Live Results will be available in Hy-Tek's Meet Mobile app.
- Misconduct:** Any issues of conduct which occur within the meet venue are defined as, but not limited to; violation of safety guidelines, disrespect for meet management personnel, officials, coaches or fellow athletes, theft, vandalizing, or possession of alcohol, tobacco or illegal drugs are subject to removal from the facility and are subject to a MSI Board of Review Hearing. More serious violations may result in legal action by the LSC or local authorities.
- Liability:** Hurricane Swim Club and Husson University shall be free from any liability or claims for damages by reason or injury to anyone during the conduct of the meet.

**CELL PHONES, CAMERAS AND OTHER RECORDING DEVICES
ARE PROHIBITED FROM LOCKER ROOMS, BATHROOMS AND
FROM BEHIND THE STARTING BLOCKS**

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Event Schedule

Session 1: Warm-up: Open 7:00 AM – 7:25 AM Start: 7:30 AM

Events	Event Description	Events
1	13&O 1650 Free	2

Session 2: Warm-up: Open 9:00 AM – 9:55 AM Start: 10:00 AM

Events	Event Description	Events
3	9&O 100 Back	4
5	8&U 25 Breast	6
7	12&U 50 Breast	8
9	9&O 200 IM	10
11	Open 50 Free	12
13	9&O 100 Fly	14
15	8&U 25 Free	16
17	11&O 200 Breast	18
19	12&U 100 IM	20
21	9&O 200 Free	22
23	8&U 25 Back	24
25	12&U 50 Back	26
27	11&O 200 Back	28
29	Open 100 Free	30
31	8&U 25 Fly	32
33	12&U 50 Fly	34
35	11&O 200 Fly	36
37	9&O 100 Breast	38