SAC Pumpkin Patch Splash

October 24-26, 2025

Held under sanction of USA Swimming, Inc.

Sanctioned by: Arizona Swimming Inc. Sanction #: AZ26-16

Liability: In granting this sanction, it is understood and agreed that USA Swimming, Inc., Arizona Swimming Inc., City of

Scottsdale, Scottsdale Aquatic Club and all meet officials shall be held harmless from any and all liabilities or claims for damages by reason of injuries to anyone during the conduct of this meet, which includes warm-up

sessions.

Hosted by: Scottsdale Aquatic Club

Location: Cactus Aquatic Center From 101: take Cactus Exit west about two miles NE corner of

7202 E Cactus Cactus Rd., Scottsdale turn right into Cactus Park Scottsdale, Arizona

Meet Director: Courtney Werner 480-951-5368 <u>sacaquaticclub@gmail.com</u>

Meet Referee: Todd Denison (<u>todd@venunet.net</u>)

Course: Outdoor 10-lane 25-yard pool with non-turbulent lane dividers. Colorado start and automatic timing system with

touchpads and 10-lane display board will be used. A separate 25-yard warm-up pool will be available for

continuous warm-up throughout the meet.

Rules Governing Sanctioned Meets

1. Age on the first day the meet will govern for the entire meet.

- 2. Conduct of the sanctioned event shall conform in every respect to current rules of USA Swimming including technical and administrative rules.
- 3. All adults participating in or associated with this meet acknowledge that they are subject to the provisions of the USA Swimming Minor Athlete Abuse Prevention Policy ("MAAPP"), and that they understand that compliance with MAAPP is a condition of participating in the conduct of this competition.
- 4. 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 without the use of the backstroke ledge. 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.
- 5. The competition course has been certified in accordance with 104.2.2C(4) as to pool length. A copy of such certification is on file with USA Swimming.
- 6. The minimum water depth, measured in accordance with Article 103.2.3, is 6 feet, 6 inches at the start end and 4 feet, 2 inches at the turn end.
- 7. Deck changes are prohibited.
- 8. The Arizona Swimming Controlled Meet Warm-up and Safety Guidelines will be posted and enforced.
- 9. No swimmer will be permitted to compete unless the swimmer is a member of USA Swimming. On deck registration is not available at any Arizona Swimming meet.
- 10. The use of audio or visual recording devices, including a cell phone, is not permitted in changing areas, restrooms, locker rooms or other areas as may be designated by the Meet Director/Meet Referee.
- 11. All referees, starters, administrative officials, chief judges, and stroke and turn judges serving in an official capacity in a sanctioned event must be non-athlete members of USA Swimming or members of other FINA member organizations. All meet directors for meets sanctioned by USA Swimming must be members of USA Swimming. Except for coaches accompanying athletes participating under the provisions of 202.9 or USA Swimming's "open border" policy, all persons acting in any coaching capacity in a sanctioned event must be a coach member of USA Swimming.
- 12. Officials and Meet Marshals must sign in and present proof of current membership and/or training respectively, to the Meet Referee prior to the start of each session of competition.
- 13. Coaches must sign in and present proof of current membership at the Clerk of Course prior to the start of each session of competition.
- 14. Meet Marshals shall wear their identifying attire, as provided by the club.
- 15. Swimmers with disabilities are welcome. The swimmer (or swimmers coach) is responsible for notifying the Referee, prior to the competition, of any disability of the swimmer and the requested accommodation. The swimmer/coach shall provide any assistant(s) or equipment (tappers, deck mats, etc.) if required.
- 16. Operation of a drone, or any other flying apparatus, is prohibited over the venue (pools, athlete/coach areas, spectator areas and open-ceiling locker rooms) any time athletes, coaches, officials and/or spectators are present.
- 17. The following medical supervision will be available to athletes participating in the meet: lifeguards and AED device.

Eligibility:

- 1. Open to any USA swimming athlete holding a current USA Swimming registration card
- 2. This is an Arizona Swimming A/B/C meet, open to all swimmers including NT entries
- 3. This will be a timed final meet.
- 4. Individual events that are 200 yards or less will be pre-seeded.
- 5. The meet will be limited to 500 swimmers, or at the discretion of the meet director to stay within the timeline for each session.
- 6. Entry times should be swimmers' best SHORT COURSE times.

Meet Rules:

- 1. All swimmers are limited to THREE (3) individual events per day, and no more than SEVEN (7) total events for the meet. If an entrant has more than 7 individual events for the meet, or greater than 3 events per day, the highest numbered event will be dropped until the entry limits have been met.
- 2. On Friday, the 10&U 500 Free (events 1-2), 11-12 1000 Free (events 3-4) and the 13&O 1000 Free (events 5-6) require check-in with the clerk of course by 3:30pm. These events will be swum fastest to slowest, alternating heats of girls and boys. Swimmers must provide personnel to count laps. Timers will be provided.
- 3. On Sunday, the 13&O 400 IM (events 63-64) require check-in with the clerk of course by 9:00am. These events will be swum fastest to slowest, alternating heats of girls and boys. These events may be limited to the top 30 entrants, both girls and boys, to control the timeline. Timers will be provided
- 4. Time Trials will not be offered.

Entries:

Teams should submit team entries in a Hytek file by e-mail. Teams sending Electronic entries must submit a HARD COPY with a single team payment.

Entries must be received by Wednesday, October 15, 2025.

The Meet Director reserves the right to limit entries in order to control size and timeline of the meet. Teams whose entries are not accepted will be informed as soon as is practical.

Send entries to: sacaquaticclub@gmail.com

Entry Fees:

LSC Surcharge \$10.00 Individual Events \$6.00

Make checks payable to Scottsdale Aquatic Club. Entry fees are nonrefundable.

Awards:

Ribbons will be awarded for the TOP 8 swimmers in each event for the 8&U, 9-10, 11-12, and 13-14 Age Groups. Certificates will be awarded to swimmers who achieve AZ Swimming "A" times or AZ Swimming "B" times for the first time in that event.

Concessions:

Concessions will be available throughout the meet.

Hospitality will be provided for coaches, officials and other meet workers.

Glass containers are not permitted.

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SESSION 1

Friday, Oct. 24 Warm-up: 3:00pm; Meet Start: 4:00pm

Girls	Event	Boys
1	10&U 500 Free	2
3	11-12 1000 Free	4
5	13&O 1000 Free	6

^{*}Swimmers in the 500 Free and 1000 Free must positively check-in by 3:30pm. Swimmers must provide personnel to lap counter. Timers will be provided.

SESSION 2

Saturday, Oct. 25 W-up 7:30am; Meet Start 8:30am

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Girls	Event	Boys
7	12&U 100 Free	8
9	13&O 100 Free	10
11	10&U 25 Fly	12
13	12&U 50 Fly	14
15	13&O 100 Fly	16
17	12&U 100 Back	18
19	13&O 50 Back	20
21	13&O 200 Back	22
23	10&U 25 Breast	24
25	12&U 50 Breast	26
27	13&O 100 Breast	28
29	12&U 200 IM	30
31	13&O 200 IM	32

SESSION 3

Sunday, Oct. 26 W-up 7:30am; Meet Start 8:30am

Girls	Event	Boys
33	12&U 200 Free	34
35	13&O 200 Free	36
37	10&U 25 Back	38
39	12&U 50 Back	40
41	13&O 100 Back	42
43	12&U 100 Breast	44
45	13&O 50 Breast	46
47	13&O 200 Breast	48
49	10&U 25 Free	50
51	12&U 50 Free	52
53	13&O 50 Free	54
55	12&U 100 Fly	56
57	13&O 50 Fly	58
59	13&O 200 Fly	60
61	12&U 100 IM	62
63	13&O 400 IM*	64

^{*}Check-in for the 400 IM will close at 9:00am. This event will be swum fastest to slowest alternating heats of women and men. Timers will be provided. These events may be limited to the TOP 30 entrants, male and female, to control timeline.