UMAC Masters v. DCAC Masters Dual Meet

February 27, 2016

Hosted by UMAC-Terrapin Masters at the University of Maryland – College Park

Sanctioned by United States Masters Swimming

Through Potomac Valley Masters Swimming

Sanction #Pending

Come Swim in the First UMAC DCAC Dual Meet! This one will feature our Longer Distance events. Swim up to five individual events and three relays. This will be a very low pressure high fun meet in a FAST Pool!

Meet Director: Wyatt Bradbury

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Meet Location: University of Maryland

 Eppley Recreation Center

 1115 Eppley Recreation Center

 College Park, MD 20742

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Schedule: Session 1 – February 27th, 2016

Estimated warm up 3:30p. Competition will start no earlier than 15 Minutes after the completion of the UMAC V. NCAP Germantown Dual Meet. Time subject to change with updates to the UMAC v. NCAP Germantown Timeline

 \*continuous warm up/cool down will take place in the 10 lane, 25 yard adjacent pool

Eligibility: Participants must be a UMAC Masters or DCAC Registered Swimmer and at least 18 years of age as of February 27, 2016. Swimmers turning 18 after the meet entry deadline and by February 27, 2016, must enter the meet by the meet entry deadline and register for USMS at the venue on February 27.

Age Groups: Age for the meet is determined as of Dec. 31, 2016, except for 18-year-olds, who must be 18 by February 27, 2016. Age groups for individual events: 18–24, 25–29, 30–34, 35–39 … (five year increments as high as necessary). Relay events: 72–99, 100–119, 120–159, 160– 199, 200–239, 240–279, 280–319, 320–359, 360–399 … (40-year increments as high as necessary). The aggregate age of the four relay team members determines the age group.

Warm up Procedures: Swimmers must enter the pool feet first in a cautious and controlled manner. No diving or backstroke starts will be allowed, except in designated sprint lanes. One or two lanes shall be designated as one-way sprint lanes during the pre-meet warm-up sessions in the competition pools only. Any swimmer who acts in an unsportsmanlike or unsafe manner within the swimming venue may be considered for appropriate action or penalty by the referee (rule 102.13.3). Pull buoys, kickboards, fins, hand paddles, and snorkels are not allowed in the competition or warm-up pools.

Entries: Club entries will be accepted by email. Submission of entries by email must include the following files: the Hy-Tek Commlink II file, The Team Manager Meet Entry Report files (one by SWIMMER and one by EVENT). The name and phone number of the Club representative submitting the email must be included. Clubs submitting by email may submit entries to wbradbur@terpmail.umd.edu, in the subject heading type, "UMAC / DCAC Dual" with the club's initials substituted in place of the asterisks.

Meet Directors are requested to acknowledge receipt by return e-mail within 24 hours. Clubs submitting entries that do NOT receive an acknowledgement should contact the Meet Director by other than e-mail to confirm receipt.

Fees: There is $15 surcharge for each swimmer in this meet. Neither cash nor telephone entries will be accepted. Credit cards and checks are accepted; please contact Natalie Taylor at nferdina@umd.edu for processing.

Entry Deadlines: **No later than 5:00p, February 25, 2016 through Teamunify or Club Entries Emailed to Meet Director.**

Awards: There will be a team award given to the team with the most points. Administrators for both teams will confer on an appropriate award. There will also be awards for the high point winner of each gender.

Seeding: Swimmers will be seeded slowest to fastest, regardless of age or gender.

Positive Check-in: There will be no positive check in for this meet.

Other: Heats may be combined based on space and time requirements at the discretion of meet officials.

Top 10 & Record times: The length of the competition course is in compliance and on file with USMS in accordance with articles 105.1.7 and 107.2.1, but as a bulkhead course, is subject to length confirmation. Eligibility of times for USMS Top 10 and records will be contingent on verification of bulkhead placement.

Order of Events

400 Medley Relay

500 Freestyle

100 Breast

200 Back

100 Free

200 Fly

1650 Free

200 Individual Medley

400 Freestyle Relay

100 Back

200 Breast

100 Fly

200 Free

400 Individual Medley

500 Crescendo Relay