



**2013 Del Valle USMS 1-mile National Championship  
& 2.5km Open Water Swims**  
**Sunday, June 9, 2013 Lake Del Valle, Livermore, California**  
**PMS/USMS, Inc., Sanction # 383-W001**



**Location of Event**

The Del Valle Regional Park, Livermore, CA., is located on Del Valle Road off Mines Road. From I-580 take the North Livermore Av exit and head south 3.9 mi (North Livermore Av will become South Livermore Av). Turn right onto Mines Road. Go 3.5 miles and continue straight on Del Valle Road (Mines Road turns left). Drive 4 miles over the hill to the park entrance (there is a parking fee). After the entrance go right and park near the lake.  
[www.ebparks.org/parks/delval.htm](http://www.ebparks.org/parks/delval.htm)



**Race Start/Cutoff Times**

The 1.0 -mile swim begins at 8:30 A.M. and the 2.5km swim begins at 10:00 A.M. Race start times are approximate. Cutoff times are 50 minutes for the 1.0-mile swim and 90 minutes for the 2.5km swim. Registration is from 6:45 to 9:15 A.M. Registration for the 1.0 mile race will close at 8:00AM. Swimmers will be seeded in waves fast to slow. "No Time" entries will be seeded in the slowest wave. Wetsuits will be seeded in a separate wave. The waves will be denoted by different color caps and start 5-10 minutes apart. **Elite Wave:** There will be an elite wave which will allow the top 20 USA - Age Group swimmers to swim with the first USMS wave creating a more competitive race for all.

**Awards:**

**USMS 1-Mile National Championship** - Medals will be given to the first 10 finishers in each sex/age in the Category 1 (non-wetsuit division) (19-24, 25-29, etc). **Only swimmers in Cat. I are eligible for the National Championship.** National Championship patch for age group winners. **2.5km Swim** - Medals will be given to the first 3 finishers in each sex/age in the non-wetsuit division (19-24, 25-29, etc). **Category 2 (Wetsuit Division):** Medals will be given to the first 3 men and the first 3 women in the wetsuit division in each race. Wetsuits will be allowed in a separate wetsuit division and be given official times. Preliminary results for both races will be posted on site 30 min after the last swimmer in the 2.5km race finishes. Official results will be posted on [www.trivalleymasters.com](http://www.trivalleymasters.com) and [www.pacificmasters.org](http://www.pacificmasters.org)

**Conditions/Safety**

Expected water temperature: 67-73 degrees. Each course is patrolled by safety craft. Participants should be adequately trained for open water swims of this length. Previous experience in similar water conditions is highly recommended. All swimmers must wear the provided swim cap and follow all USMS rules. **Warm-up in designated roped in swim area only—swimming outside of this area for warm up will result in disqualification.**

**ALL SWIMMERS MUST REGISTER AND SIGN WAIVER**

Register Online at [www.trivalleymasters.com](http://www.trivalleymasters.com)

**Contact Information** Race Director: Bill McCracken, [mccracmiller@pacbell.net](mailto:mccracmiller@pacbell.net), (925) 216-7918



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Last Name \_\_\_\_\_ First Name \_\_\_\_\_ MI \_\_\_\_\_ **USMS#** \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_  
 E-Mail \_\_\_\_\_ Club \_\_\_\_\_  
 Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_ Age (on 6/9/13) \_\_\_\_\_ Circle Gender M W

**Emergency Contact:**  
 Name \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship: \_\_\_\_\_ Contact # \_\_\_\_\_

Estimated 1650/1500 (mile) time for waves seeding \_\_\_\_\_ (A blank time entry will be placed in the 2<sup>nd</sup> or 3<sup>rd</sup> wave). We will randomly check the USMS database to validate times. Please be accurate.

**Select races:**  Both  1.0mi  2.5km *Pre-race* \$35 for one; \$45 for both \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
 (Online processing fee waived prior to 5/24/13)  
**Wet-suit:**  Yes  No *Race day registration:* \$50 for one; \$60 for both \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
**T-shirt – Circle size:** **S M L XL** *Pre-order:* T-shirt \$10 \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
**All Sales Final. No Refunds.** Total \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**\*\*\*\*\* Attach or Enclose USMS Card with Entry \*\*\*\*\***

**Online processing fee of \$4.00 waived on all online entries prior to 11:59PM on 5/24/13.**

**Online registration closes 11:59PM on 6/7/13**

**Mail entries must be received by 5/31/13:**

**Mail form with check to: Tri Valley Masters, Attn: DV13, P.O. Box 5116, Pleasanton, CA 94566**

Membership in United State Masters Swimming (USMS) is required to participate in this event for liability insurance purposes. To register with USMS, see the USMS website <http://www.usms.org/req>. You may also obtain USMS membership on race day.

**PLEASE READ CAREFULLY AND SIGN BELOW:**

"I, the undersigned participant, intending to be legally bound, hereby certify that I am physically fit and have not been otherwise informed by a physician. I acknowledge that I am aware of all the risks inherent in Masters swimming (training and competition), including possible permanent disability or death, and agree to assume all of those risks. AS A CONDITION OF MY PARTICIPATION IN THE MASTERS SWIMMING PROGRAM OR ANY ACTIVITIES INCIDENT THERETO, I HEREBY WAIVE ANY AND ALL RIGHTS TO CLAIMS FOR LOSS OR DAMAGES, INCLUDING ALL CLAIMS FOR LOSS OR DAMAGES CAUSED BY THE NEGLIGENCE, ACTIVE OR PASSIVE, OF THE FOLLOWING: UNITED STATES MASTERS SWIMMING, INC., USA-SWIMMING, THE LOCAL MASTERS SWIMMING COMMITTEES, PACIFIC SWIMMING THE CLUBS, HOST FACILITIES, EBRPD, MEET SPONSORS, MEET COMMITTEES, OR ANY INDIVIDUALS OFFICIATING AT THE MEETS OR SUPERVISING SUCH ACTIVITIES. In addition, I agree to abide by and be governed by the rules of USMS for Open Water Events: In addition, I specifically acknowledge that I am aware of all the risks inherent in open water swimming and agree to assume those risks."

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