

2009 Cortez Leopard Sharks Invitational Swim Meet



DATES: June 5, 6 & 7, 2009

SANCTION: Held under the sanction of USA Swimming sanction number 2009-064

HOSTED BY: Cortez Leopard Sharks Swim Team

LOCATION: Cortez Municipal Pool, 803 E. Montezuma Ave, Cortez, CO 81321

FACILITIES & SERVICES:

- Outdoor, 6-lane, 50 meter, competitive pool. Adjoining “L” section creates a 6-lane, 25 yard area used for short course events and warm-up/cool-down during long course competition. Several shade structures with bleacher seating are available at the pool. All pool rules apply during meet, including **NO SMOKING and NO PETS on deck.**
- Concessions and swim accessories will be available for purchase.
- Camping is allowed in Centennial Park, across the street to the north of the pool. Camping is no longer permitted in the Municipal Pool parking area. Camping is limited to Friday and Saturday nights (June 5 & 6). Pool restrooms and showers will be open during the meet. After hours, a restroom is open in Centennial Park, along with Porta Potties are in the parking lot of the outdoor pool.
- Cortez contains ample lodging, restaurants and privately-owned camping facilities. The entrance to Mesa Verde National Park is only 10 miles from the pool. The world-famous cliff dwellings are about a 45-minute drive from the park entrance. Information on these and other area attractions is available at: www.mesaverdecountry.com. We encourage you to come early, stay late, and enjoy more of what our area offers.

RULES:

- Current USA rules will govern the meet. The meet referee will have the final authority for the conduct of the meet.
- Swimmers may compete in their own age group or in open events.
- This is a timed-final meet with all entries being pre-seeded by the time submitted. Events will be timed using a Colorado Timing Systems Dolphin timing unit with hand held, wireless stopwatches.
- There will be a mandatory heating area for the 8 & under events only. All other swimmers must report to the assigned heat and lane at the proper time.
- Positive check-in to be seeded will be required of all swimmers in the 1500 free, the 400 free and the 400 IM. The 1500 free will be swum fastest to slowest alternating girl’s and boy’s heats. Heats may be combined at the discretion of the meet referee.
- Meet management reserves the right to hold combined heats if needed to preserve the time limit.
- **SCRATCHES, CORRECTIONS AND RELAY DECLARATIONS MUST BE SUBMITTED TO THE CLERK OF COURSE AT LEAST 30 MINUTES BEFORE THE START OF EACH SESSION.**

MEET & WARM-UP SCHEDULE:

Schedule:

Friday	Afternoon:	Warm-up: 12:00pm, Start: 1:00pm
	Evening:	Warm-up: 30 minute warm-up, immediately following afternoon session, but not before 2:30pm.
Saturday	Morning:	Warm-up: 6:45am, Start: 8:00am
	Afternoon:	Warm-up: One-hour warm-up, immediately following morning session, but not before 11:00am.
	Evening:	Warm-up: 30 minute warm-up, immediately following afternoon session.
Sunday	Morning:	Warm-up: 6:45am, Start: 8:00am
	Afternoon:	Warm up: One-hour warm-up, immediately following morning session, but not before 11:00am.

Warm-ups:

- Colorado Swimming Inc., warm-up procedures will be followed. Depending upon the number of entries per session, coaches may be requested to be in charge of their own warm-ups.
- Due to the possibility of inclement weather or other unforeseen delays, there may be reason to establish abbreviated or split warm ups.
- NOTE: Colorado Swimming and USA Swimming require a three-point entry into the water for warm up and cool down. Swimmers not following this rule may be ejected from the meet.
- A warm-up/cool down area will be available during the meet. **ONLY warm-ups and cool-downs are permitted in this section of the pool. NO RECREATIONAL SWIMMING IS AVAILABLE AT THE POOL DURING THE MEET.**

ELIGIBILITY:

- Open to all swimmers holding a 2009 USA Swimming membership card. Any swimmer that appears on the CSI exceptions report without registration must come to the meet prepared to show their card or they must deck register before they can enter the water. A surcharge for deck registration will also apply, \$30.00 for year round, \$15.00 for seasonal plus the normal registration fee. Unattached swimmers are also eligible but may not swim on relays.
- Age as of June 5, 2009 will govern entries and determine swimmer's age group.
- All deck entries must present proof of current registration.

ENTRY PROCEDURES:

Entry Limits:

- Each swimmer may enter 4 individual events and 1 relay per day. On Saturday, each swimmer may also swim the 1500 Free in addition to 4 individual events and 1 relay.
- FOR DISTANCE EVENTS: Meet management reserves the right to limit the number of entries in the 400 IM, 400 Free and 1500 Free to preserve the time limit. Split lanes may be implemented at the discretion of the Meet Referee. Positive check in to be seeded will be required for the 400 IM and 400 Free before the beginning of warm-ups for Session 2. Positive check in to be seeded for the 1500 Free will be required 30 minutes prior to the beginning of Session 4A. Swimmers are required to provide their own counters and timers for all distance events.

Entry Deadline:

- **Entries must be received by 6:00pm Wednesday, May 27th, 2009.** Late entries and additions will be accepted at the discretion of the Entry Chair and are subject to Late Entry Fees.
- Deck entries must be submitted no later than 1 hour prior to the start of the meet each day. Deck entries will be accepted on a first come first serve basis and if lanes are available. No new heats will be formed or re-seeded.

Entry Procedure:

- Email the Team Manager entry zip file to gpautocrafters@gobrainstorm.net. Include in the body of your email: Total Individual entries, Total Relay entries, and Total Athletes. Also send Team Manager Fee Report including waived fees or adjustments. Email entries will be confirmed.
- Meet verification forms must accompany entries. Please include coaches' names for packets.
- Entries by mail: Send Team Manager entry zip file on CD to Entry Chair, address below.

Gayel Alexander, Entry Chair
gpautocrafters@gobrainstorm.net
P.O. Box 1043
Cortez, Co 81321

- **Make one check per team payable to Cortez Leopard Sharks. Check amount must reconcile with Fee Entry Report.**

Entry Fees:

\$5.00 pool surcharge (one-time fee per swimmer)

Late and/or Deck Entry Fees

\$3.00 per individual event
\$5.00 per relay

\$10.00 per individual event
\$12.00 per relay

For each individual event, a total of .65 cents will be distributed as follows: \$.15 to Western Slope League and \$.60 to CSI.

SCORING:

Scoring will be to 12 places as follows: Individual: 16-13-12-11-10-9-7-5-4-3-2-1. No Points will be given for relays. No team points will be kept. The 1500 Free will not score points toward High Point awards.

AWARDS:

- Individual Events: 1st through 3rd place medals, 4th through 12th place ribbons
- Relays: 1st through 6th place ribbons
- The 1500 Free will award 1st through 3rd place medals for the top three finishers, and 1st through 12th place ribbons for finishers in each age group.
- High Point Awards will be presented to the boy and girl in each age group with the highest total points (see Scoring above for more information). The age groups are: 8 & under, 9 & 10, 11 & 12, 13 & 14, 15 & over. Swimmers will only score high points when swimming in their own age group.

RESULTS:

Results will be emailed to teams as soon as possible after the meet. Paper copies of results will be generated only by coach request. If time permits, results may be available at the end of the meet to teams who provide their own flash drive or CD.

PROGRAMS:

Meet programs with heat sheets will be available for \$5.00. Coaches programs will be provided free of charge.

COACHES/OFFICIALS: All coaches and uniformed officials must display their USA cards when on deck. Current certification is mandatory. A mandatory officials meeting will be held at the start of warm-up for each session, each day of the meet.

Entry fees will be waived (except for the \$5.00 pool surcharge which includes West Slope League fees and CSI Splash fees) for swimmers of parents who officiate at our meet. Please plan to officiate at least one session each day your children swim. **The Team Entry person should note on the Fee Report all swimmers whose fees are being waived and their Parents names that will be officiating during the meet.**

MEET OFFICIALS:

- Meet Director: Michael Quinlan
Quinm23@yahoo.com
- Meet Referee: John Lorimer jlrimier@lornet.com
- Safety Chairman: David VanBibber

SESSION 1: Short Course Friday pm, June 5th

Short Course: Warm-up 12:00 -12:45pm Start: **1:00 pm**

Girls Event #	Event Title	Boys Event #
1	8-under 100 Y Medley-Relay	2
3	8-under 25 Y Fly	4
5	8-under 25 Y Free	6
7	8-under 100 Y Free	8
9	11-12 100 Y IM	10
11	8-under 100 Y IM	12
13	9-10 100 Y IM	14
15	8-under 25 Y Breast	16
17	8-under 50 Y Free	18
19	8-under 25 Y Back	20
21	8-under 100 Y Free-Relay	22

SESSION 2: Long Course Friday pm, June 5th

Long Course: A 30 minute warm-up will follow event #22 but will not begin before **2:30 pm**. The meet will commence when the conversion to the 50 M long course is completed

Girls Event #	Event Title	Boys Event #
23	13-14 400 M Free	24
25	15 & over 400 M Free	26
27	11-12 400 M Free	28
29	13-14 400 M IM	30
31	15 & over 400 M IM	32

SESSION 3: Long Course Saturday am June 6th

Morning session: Warm-up 6:45-7:45am

Start: 8:00am

Girls Event #	Event Title	Boys Event #
33	10-under 200 M IM	34
35	13-14 200 M IM	36
37	10-under 50 M Fly	38
39	13-14 100 M Fly	40
41	10-under 100 M Breast	42
43	13-14 200 M Breast	44
45	10-under 50 M Back	46
47	13-14 200 M Back	48
49	10-under 100 M Free	50
51	13-14 M 100 Free	52
53	10-under 200 Medley-Relay	54
55	13-14 400 Medley-Relay	56

SESSION 4: Long Course Saturday pm, June 6th

Afternoon session: One hour warm-up no earlier than 11:00 am

Distance session: 15 min. warm-up immediately following event #80

Girls Event #	Event Title	Boys Event #
57	11-12 200 M IM	58
59	15 & over 200 M IM	60
61	11-12 50 M Fly	62
63	15 & over 100 M Fly	64
65	11-12 100 M Breast	66
67	15 & over 200 M Breast	68
69	11-12 50 M Back	70
71	15 & over 100 M Back	72
73	11-12 100 M Free	74
75	15 & over 100 M Free	76
77	11-12 200 M Medley-Relay	78
79	15 & over 400 M Medley-Relay	80
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81	Open 1500 M Free	82

SESSION 5: Long Course Sunday am, June 7th

Morning session: Warm-up 6:45-7:45am Start: 8:00am

Girls Event #	Event Title	Boys Event #
83	10-under 50 M Free	84
85	13-14 50 M Free	86
87	10-under 100 M Fly	88
89	13-14 200 M Fly	90
91	10-under 50 M Breast	92
93	13-14 100 M Breast	94
95	10-under 100 M Back	96
97	13-14 100 M Back	98
99	10-under 200 M Free	100
101	13-14 200 M Free	102
103	10-under 200 M Free-Relay	104
105	13-14 400 M Free-Relay	106

SESSION 6: Long Course Sunday pm, June 7th

Afternoon session: one hour warm-up no earlier than 11:00am

Girls Event #	Event Title	Boys Event #
107	11-12 50 M Free	108
109	15 & over 50 M Free	110
111	11-12 100 M Fly	112
113	15 & over 200 M Fly	114
115	11-12 50 M Breast	116
117	15 & over 100 M Breast	118
119	11-12 100 M Back	120
121	15 & over 200 M Back	122
123	11-12 200 M Free	124
125	15 & over 200 M Free	126
127	11-12 200 M Free-Relay	128
129	15 & over 400 M Free-Relay	130