

2009 Durango Spring Invitational Swim Meet
April 18-19, 2009
Durango, Colorado

- Sanction: Held under the sanction of Colorado Swimming #2009-017
- Sponsor/Location: Durango Swim Club Durango Recreation Center
PO Box 1095 2700 Main Avenue
Durango, CO 81302 Durango, Colorado 81301
(970) 769-8396 (970) 375-7300
- Facility: Elevation 6,512 Feet. Indoor, 25 short course meter, 10 lane pool. 8 lanes of competition, 1 lane in competition pool for continuous warm up.
- Timing: Colorado Timing System with touch pads and 8-lane display board will be used for all events with the exception of 25 meter events which will use stop watches for times. Back-up timing will consist of one button and two stopwatches. Hy-Tek Meet Manager software will be used.
- Schedule: Saturday Sessions: Warm-up 11:00 A.M. Start Noon
There will be a 20 minute warm up concluding Session 1 on Saturday.
Session 2 will begin immediately following this warmup.
Sunday Session: Warm-up 8:00 AM Start 9:00 PM
- Eligibility: Open to all swimmers holding a 2009 USA Swimming membership cards. Any swimmer that appears on the CSI exceptions report without registration must come to the meet prepared to show their card or they will be deck registered before they can enter the water. A surcharge for deck registration will also apply, \$27.00 for year round, \$14.00 for seasonal plus the normal registration fee.
- Entry Limit and Fees: Swimmers may compete in a maximum of four (4) individual events **per day**.
- Due to the number of swimmers expected, the meet will be limited to approximately the first 225 swimmers received. Teams will not be split up (this pertains only to entries received at the same time while still under the cap of 225 swimmers.**
- \$18.00 flat entry fee per swimmer.
\$25.00 team surcharge for teams sending hand written entries.
\$.60 for each entry fee goes to the CSI Fund and \$.15 per event goes to Zone 4.
Make your check (one only per team) payable to: Durango Rocky Mountain Swimming (DRMS).
- Awards: In accordance with our agreed Western Slope goals to keep entry fees low, there will no individual awards. Each swimmer will receive a

participation award.

Scoring: The meet will be scored to eight (8) places:
Individual Events: 9, 7, 6, 5, 4, 3, 2, 1
Team scores will be kept and announced. Events will be broken into 8 and under, 9-10, 11-12, 13-14, and 15 and over for scoring purposes.

Entry Process: All entries must be on a master sheet or on Hy-Tek Commlink file. Teams sending a hand written entry sheet are subject to a \$25.00 fee. "No Time" or incorrect times will be placed in the slowest heat. **Times for all events should be in SCM.** All entries must be accompanied by a current Colorado Swimming Meet Verification Form. Please provide the names of coaches who will be attending the meet for Coaches Packet preparation.

Preferred Entry Method: E-mail entries are preferred. Please provide Total Athletes and Total Individual Entries in your e-mail. The Entry Chair will confirm e-mail entries. Confirmed e-mailed entries will not need to send the diskette or Entry Reports. Checks and Meet Verification forms for e-mail entries must be postmarked by Monday April 13, 2009.

Entries by Mail: Please send Team Manager Report of meet entries by swimmer with a cd.

Entry Deadline: All entries must be received no later than 6:00 pm, Monday, April 13, 2009. Entries received after this deadline will be treated as late entries and will be subject to double fees.

Entry Address: John
Durango Swim Club
Post Office Box 1095
Durango, Colorado 81302
jgrad17@netzero.net

DO NOT SEND ENTRIES TO THE POOL! WAIVE SIGNATURE ON EXPRESS MAIL!

Programs/
Concessions: Programs with heat sheets will be for sale for \$5.00 at the meet. Heat sheets will be provided at no cost to coaches and officials. There will be a concession stand selling food and drink as well as an assortment of swim gear (suits, caps, goggles, etc.).

Results: Results will be e-mailed within five (5) days to teams entered in the meet.

Rules:

1. Current USA Swimming rules will govern the procedures of the meet.
2. Age as of April 18th will determine the swimmers' age group for competition. Swimmers may swim in only one age group per event.
3. The Meet Referee will have the final authority on all swimming procedures of the meet.
4. Colorado Swimming, Inc. procedures for warm-up will be observed.
5. Warm-ups may be split depending on final entry numbers.

6. Late entries MAY be accepted, at double entry prices, IF there is room in empty lanes - FIRST COME FIRST SERVE. Coaches MUST declare adds/scratches no later than 30 minutes before the start of each session. All deck entries must present proof of current registration—no exceptions will be made.
7. The meet will be pre-seeded.
8. All events will be timed finals.
9. Only swimmers registered in the meet are allowed to use the competition and warm-up cool-down portions of the facility. Anyone wishing to use the water park or any other portion of the Recreation Center must register at the front desk for a daily admission pass.
10. At the Referee's discretion, events may be combined by age, sex and/or distance.

Distance Events: 400 IM

1. The 400 IM will be deck seeded.
2. Positive check-in to swim will be required for the 400 IM. Swimmers or their coach must check in at the Clerk of the Course by 2:00 pm.
3. Swimmers must provide their own timers (2).
4. The 400 IM will swim fastest to slowest, alternating girls and boys with a combined heat possible at the discretion of the referee.
5. There will be a courtesy time standard of 6:45 for the 400 IM.

400 Freestyle

1. The 400 free will be deck seeded.
2. Positive check-in to swim will be required for the 400 free. Swimmers or their coach must check in at the Clerk of the Course by 2:00 pm.
3. The 400 free will swim fastest to slowest, alternating girls and boys, with a combined heat possible at the discretion of the referee.
4. There will be a courtesy time standard of 6:30 for the 400 free.
5. Swimmers must provide their own timers (2) and counters.

Coaches/Officials: All coaches and uniformed officials must display their USA cards when on deck. Current certification is mandatory. Coaches that are in non-compliance will not be allowed on deck. A mandatory Officials meeting will be held at the start of warm-up for each session, each day of the meet.

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Safety Chair: Jackie McCarthy
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 jmccarthy@durango.k12.co.us

Co-Director: Lauren Delle

Meet Referee: John Lorimer
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Disclaimer: USA Swimming, Inc., Colorado Swimming, Inc., Durango Swim Club and the City of Durango, all meet officials, volunteers and sponsors shall be held free from liability or claims for damages arising by reason of injuries to anyone during the conduct of this meet.

Special Note: No smoking on the pool deck, in the building, or any area frequented by swimmers. Any damage to pool property will be grounds for dismissal from the remainder of the meet and the offenders will be held liable to the fullest extent that the law allows.

Officials: We are in need of meet officials. We would appreciate your team contacting John Gadbois at the 970-769-8396 or jgrad17@netzero.net with the names of qualified people who would be willing to help out at our meet.

Order of Events

Session #1 – Saturday, April 18, 2009

Warm up: 11:00 am Racing: Noon

Girls	Age Event	Boys
1	10 & under 50 Freestyle	2
3	11 & over 50 Freestyle	4
5	8 & under 25 Backstroke	6
7	9 & over 100 Backstroke	8
9	12 & under 50 Breaststroke	10
11	11 & over 200 Breaststroke	12
13	8 & under 25 Butterfly	14
15	9 & over 100 Butterfly	16
17	9 & over 200 IM	18

Session #2 – Saturday April 18, 2009

20 minutes after the completion of event 18.

19	OPEN 400 IM	20
21	OPEN 400 Freestyle	22

Session #3 – Sunday, April 19, 2009

Warm up: 8 am Racing: 9 am

23	10 & under 100 Freestyle	24
25	11 & over 100 Freestyle	26
27	8 & under 25 Freestyle	28
29	12 & under 50 Backstroke	30
31	11 & over 200 Backstroke	32
33	9 and over 100 Breaststroke	34
35	8 & under 25 Breaststroke	36
37	12 & under 50 Butterfly	38
39	11 & over 200 Butterfly	40
41	OPEN 200 Freestyle	42

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INDIVIDUAL ENTRY FORM

SWIMMER'S NAME: _____ AGE: _____
 Please Print Clearly Last _____, First _____, M.I. _____

USA SWIMS REGIS. #: _____ TEAM: _____ SEX: M / F

If questions about this entry: E-mail: _____

Telephone: _____

All times must be entered in Short Course Meters.

Event #	Distance	Stroke	Entry Time
_____	50 100 200 400 800 1500	FREE BACK BRST FLY IM	____:____:____
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TOTAL INDIVIDUAL FEES:

\$ 18.00 per swimmer