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**DONNER WINTER INVITATIONAL**

**JANUARY 14-16, 2022**

**SANCTION:**  This meet is sanctioned by USA Swimming and Indiana Swimming.

Sanction number:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**LOCATION:** Charles “Chick” Newell Natatorium

Columbus North High School

1400 25th Street

Columbus, IN 47201

The parking area may be reached from Home Ave, from the west, and Maple Street, from the east. Access to the pool is directly across from the football field through the Bill Stearman Entrance (door 40). Door 36 may also be used on the east side of the facility to gain access.

**FACILITY:** 202.4.9C **-** 25-yard pool, 8-lane course, separate diving well, starting end depth 4 ½ ft., turning end depth 8 ft. with Colorado touchpads, Omnisport 2000 timing system and Daktronics 8 lane scoreboard. Spectator seating is available.

202.4.9 G – The competition course has been certified.

**ELIGIBILITY:** 202.4.9 E & 205.2.2 & 202.4.9 F– Swimmers must be registered with USA Swimming to be accepted into this meet. Age as of January 14th, 2022, shall determine the swimmer’s age for the entire meet.

**RULES:** Current USA Swimming Rules, including the Minor Athlete Abuse Prevention Policy (“MAAPP”), will govern this meet.

202.5.3 – At a sanctioned competitive event, USA Swimming athlete members must be under the supervision of a USA Swimming member coach during warm-up, competition, and warm-down. The Meet Director or Meet Referee may assist in making arrangements for such supervision, but it is the swimmer’s responsibility to make such arrangements prior to the start of the meet.

202.4.9 D – Any swimmer entered in the meet, unaccompanied by a USA Swimming member coach, must be certified by USA Swimming member coach as being proficient in performing a racing start or must start each race from within the water. It is the responsibility of the swimmer or the swimmer’s legal guardian to enter compliance with this requirement.

Coaches **MUST** display their current USA Swimming coach credential or Deck Pass to gain deck access. The Meet Referee and/or meet director reserves the right to ask for coach credential or Deck Pass and/or deny access if coach does not comply or card is no longer valid/current.

In swimming competitions, the competitor must wear only one swimsuit in one or two pieces except as provided in USA Swimming rule 205.101.1. All swimsuits shall be made from textile materials. For men, the swimsuit shall not extend above the navel nor below the knees, and for women, shall not cover the neck, extend pass the shoulder, nor extend below the knee.

202.4.9 H – Use of audio or visual recording devices, including a cell phone, is not permitted in changing areas, rest rooms, or locker rooms.

202.4.9 I – Except where venue facilities require otherwise, changing into or out of swimsuits other than in locker rooms or other designated areas is **prohibited**. Deck changes are prohibited.

202.4.9 J – Operation of drones, 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. Exceptions may be granted with prior written approval by the Meet Director.

**COVID-19** An inherent risk of exposure to COVID-19 exists in any public place where

**RISK** people are present. COVID-19 is an extremely contagious disease that can

**PREVENTION:** lead to severe illness and death. According to the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, senior citizens and individuals with underlying medical conditions are especially vulnerable.

USA Swimming, Inc., cannot prevent you (or your child(ren)) from becoming exposed to, contracting, or spreading COVID-19 while participating in USA Swimming sanctioned events. It is not possible to prevent against the presence of the disease. Therefore, if you choose to participate in a USA Swimming sanctioned event, you may be exposing yourself to and/or increasing your risk of contracting or spreading COVID-19.

By attending or participating in this competition, you voluntarily assume all risks associated with exposure to COVID-19 and forever release and hold harmless USA swimming and Indiana Swimming and each of their officers, directors, agents, employees or other representatives from any liability or claims including for personal injuries, death, disease or property losses, or any other loss, including but not limited to claims of negligence and give up any

claims you may have to seek damages, whether known or unknown, foreseen or unforeseen, in connection with exposure, infection, and/or spread of COVID-19 related to participation in this competition.

**SAFE SPORT** The Minor Athlete Abuse Prevention Policy prohibits Applicable Adults (as **360:** defined) from having one-on-one interactions with minor athletes which are

not within an observable and interruptible distance from another adult. Applicable Adults are required to abide by this policy in full during this meet.

Pursuant to USA Swimming Rules and Regulations and federal law, it is every member’s responsibility to immediately (i.e., within 24 hours) report any incident of child abuse, including physical or sexual abuse, to law enforcement and the U.S. Center for SafeSport. Reporting must occur when an individual has firsthand knowledge of misconduct or where specific and credible information has been received from a victim or knowledgeable third party. A report to the U.S. Center for SafeSport may be made via telephone at 720-531-0340 or online at [www.uscenterforsafesport.org/report-a-concern](http://www.uscenterforsafesport.org/report-a-concern). Various state laws may also require reporting to law enforcement or to a designated child protection agency.

All athletes aged 18 and older must complete Athlete Protection Training in

order to be a USA Swimming registered member in good standing. Any athlete who turns 18 on or after [OCTOBER 15TH, 2021], who has not completed Athlete Protection Training by the first day of competition, will be prohibited from participating in the competition until such time as all membership requirements are completed. Times achieved by an athlete who turns age 18 on or after [OCTOBER 15TH, 2021], who competes in this USA Swimming sanctioned event without completing this membership requirement, will NOT count for qualification or recognition. This includes participation as a member of a relay.

**FORMAT:** All events will be timed finals, enter in yard times. **All Friday night events may be limited.** Fastest seed times will be the determining factor, with the exception of Donner Swim Club swimmers, who will be allowed to swim regardless of entry time. The number of heats will be determined after receipt of all entries and after reviewing the timeline. Donner Swim Club reserves the right to limit entries in any event in order to adhere to the 4-hour rule for age group swimmers. Clubs with swimmers not accepted will be notified. Refunds will be made to all clubs with swimmers not allowed to compete in any limited events.

Mixed Gender Events may be utilized to maintain the timeline of the session. These mixed events are designated in the schedule of events.

**ENTRIES:** **Swimmers are limited to four (4) individual events and one (1) relay per day.**

Entries must be submitted by email at [**donathensmith@gmail.com**](mailto:donathensmith@gmail.com).

**DEADLINE: Entries will be accepted starting December 13, 2021. Entry deadline will be January 7, 2022.** We will extend the deadline if the meet is not full.

**FEES:**  The entry fee for this meet will be $5.00 per individual event, $8.00 per relay ($2.00 per individual), and an Indiana Swimming Athlete surcharge of $2.00 per swimmer. Make checks payable to Donner Swim Club. Deck entries will be accepted if the meet is not full and at the discretion of the Meet Director. Fees for on-deck entries will be $8.00 per individual event.

**REFUNDS:** In any meet sanctioned by Indiana Swimming other than Championship Meets, the host team shall limit the number of swimmers in any one or more events to maintain a reasonable length of the meet. In the event that entries are limited, **the host club must return the entry fees to the club(s) whose swimmers are not allowed to compete in the specific event(s).**

IF A SWIMMER SCRATCHES AN EVENT OR THE ENTIRE MEET, WE CANNOT SUBSTITUTE ANOTHER SWIMMER IN HIS/HER PLACE. THIS WILL BE CONSIDERED A NEW ENTRY AND WILL BE CHARGED ACCORDINGLY.

**CHECK-IN: ALL SWIMMERS MUST CHECK IN WITH THEIR COACHES PRIOR TO WARM-UPS.** Swimmers who fail to check in will be scratched.

**CLERK OF** A clerk of course will be conducted for 8 & Under swimmers ONLY, who must report to

**COURSE:** the clerk of course when the event is called. ALL other swimmers will report directly to the blocks.

**AWARDS:** Ribbons will be awarded for places 1-16 in individual events for ages 12 & under, and 1st – 8th place for ages 13 & over. Placement ribbons will be given according to the following age classifications: 6 & Under, 7-8, 9-10, 11-12, and 13 & Over. While 6 & Under and 7-8 year old’s will swim together, they will be scored separately.

**ADMISSION:** An admission charge of $5.00 will be assessed upon entry to all spectators school age and

**& HEAT** above for each individual session. All-Day passes are available for $8.00 for all

**SHEETS** spectators school age and above, and an All-Session pass is available for $12.00 for all

spectators school age and above. Admission tickets will be sold on a cash and credit basis. This meet will also be live-streamed at no charge for those unable to attend.

Please use Meet Mobile for access heat sheets for at this time no hard copies will be available (subject to change).

**CONCESSIONS:** Concessions will be available during all sessions, but for limited food items.

**MASK MANDATE:** At this time, the Bartholomew Consolidated School Corporation (BCSC) requires ALL

individuals who enter any part of any facility to wear a face covering to protect against the spread of the COVID-19 virus. As an organization that utilizes the Columbus North High School pool, Donner Swim Club must follow the BCSC protocols. Therefore, any spectator in attendance must follow the mask mandate when inside the facility and inside the pool area. Please help us adhere to the policies established to keep each other safe.

**SCHEDULE: FRIDAY**

Warm-up: 5:00 p.m. **Meet Start:** **6:00 p.m.**

**SATURDAY & SUNDAY A.M. SESSIONS**

Warm-up: 7:00 a.m. **Meet Start: 8:00 a.m.**

**SATURDAY & SUNDAY P.M. SESSIONS**

Warm-up: not before 12:00 p.m. **Meet Start: 1:00 p.m.**

**VOLUNTEER** Donner Swim Club welcomes volunteer official assistance from attending teams. Please

**OFFICIALS:** send names and contact information along with your entry to the Entry Chair of those willing to work. The Meet Referee will contact those interested in assisting.

**ENTRY CHAIR:** Sara Donathen-Smith

**donathensmith@gmail.com**

**MEET** Joe Brault Greg Franks

**DIRECTORS:** 812-343-2344 317-440-9514

**donnerpresident@gmail.**com

**ORDER OF EVENTS**

**Warm-up: 5:00 p.m. FRIDAY PM SESSION Meet Starts: 6:00 p.m.**

**GIRLS BOYS**

1 9 & 10 200 yd. IM 2

3 11 & 12 200 yd. IM 4

5 13 & Over 400 yd. IM 6

7 9 & 10 200 yd. Free 8

9 11 -12 500 yd. Free 10

11 13 & Over 500 yd Free 12

**Warm-up: 7:00 a.m. SATURDAY AM SESSION Meet Starts: 8:00 a.m.**

**GIRLS BOYS**

13 13 & Over 200 yd. Free 14

15 8 & Under 50 yd. Free 16

17 13 & Over 100 yd. Back 18

19 8 & Under 25 yd. Back 20

21 13 & Over 200 yd. Fly 22

23 8 & Under 50 yd. Fly 24

25 13 & Over 100 yd. Breast 26

27 8 & Under 25 yd. Breast 28

29 13 & Over 50 yd. Free 30

31 8 & Under 100 yd. IM 32

33 13 & Over 200 Free Relay 34

**Warm-up: 12:00 a.m. SATURDAY PM SESSION Meet Starts: 1:00 p.m.**

**GIRLS BOYS**

35 11 & 12 100 yd. Back 36

37 9 & 10 100 yd. Back 38

39 11 & 12 50 yd. Free 40

41 9 & 10 50 yd. Free 42

43 11 & 12 100 yd. Breast 44

45 9 & 10 100 yd. Breast 46

47 11 & 12 50 yd. Fly 48

49 9 & 10 50 yd. Fly 50

51 11 & 12 200 yd. Free 52

53 12 & Under 200 yd Medley Relay 54

**Warm-up: 7:00 a.m. SUNDAY AM SESSION Meet Starts: 8:00 a.m.**

**GIRLS BOYS**

55 13 & Over 100 yd. Free 56

57 8 & Under 25 yd. Free 58

59 13 & Over 200 yd. Back 60

61 8 & Under 50 yd. Back 62

63 13 & Over 100 yd. Fly 64

65 8 & Under 25 yd. Fly 66

67 13 & Over 200 yd. Breast 68

69 8 & Under 50 yd. Breast 70

71 13 & Over 200 yd. IM 72

73 13 & Over 200 yd Medley Relay 74

**Warm-up: 12:00 a.m. SUNDAY PM SESSION Meet Starts: 1:00 p.m.**

**GIRLS BOYS**

75 9 & 10 50 yd. Back 76

77 11 & 12 50 yd. Back 78

79 9 & 10 100 yd. Free 80

81 11 & 12 100 yd. Free 82

83 9 & 10 50 yd. Breast 84

85 11 & 12 50 yd. Breast 86

87 9 & 10 100 yd. Fly 88

89 11 & 12 100 yd. Fly 90

91 12 & Under 200 yd Free Relay 92

**ENTRY SUMMARY**

**DONNER SWIM CLUB**

Bring this form and check to the admission table at the time of coaches’ sign-in or mail to Donner Swim Club, P.O. Box 1436, Columbus, IN 47202 before January 12, 2022 . Make checks payable to Donner Swim Club.

Team Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Code: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Entry Chair: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Email address: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

COACHES: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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**\*\*You may have one designated spokesperson for your team to talk to the referee. The coach would be the logical person. Please list the name of your spokesperson:**

**\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

RELEASE AND HOLD HARMLESS AGREEMENT:

In consideration of your acceptance of these entries, I, intending to be legally bound, do hereby, for myself, my heirs, executors and

administrators, waive and release any and all claims for damages I or my team may have against USA Swimming and the Indiana

Association, thereof, the Donner Swim Club, Columbus Parks & Recreation, and the Bartholomew Consolidated School

Corporation, their successors, representatives and assignees, for any and all injuries suffered by myself or my team at this meet. It is

understood and agreed that USA Swimming shall be free from any liabilities or claims for damages arising by reason of injuries to

anyone during the conduct of the event.

Executed on this date: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, 2022

Team Representative Signature: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Indiana Swimming Surcharge**: # Athletes \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ X $2.00 each = $\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Number of Individual Event Entries: #** Boys \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ X $5.00 each = $\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

# Girls \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ X $5.00 each = $\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Number of Relay Entries: #** Boys\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ X $8.00 each = $\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Number of Relay Entries: #** Girls\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ X $8.00 each = $\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**TOTAL AMOUNT ENCLOSED = $\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

Result preferences: \_\_\_\_\_\_ Meet Manager Backup (emailed)

\_\_\_\_\_\_ Team Manager .c12 file (emailed)

Email Address to send above to: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_