



1st Annual Sprint Meet SCY

Art Downey Aquatic Center

4725 Southview Ln, Edina, MN 55424

Saturday, October 20, 2018

For everyone who ever thought a 200 was a distance event.

We present the 1st annual Short Course Yard Sprint Meet!

Format: 25s, 50s and 100s only with 200 Free and 200 Medley Relays. Events with lengths of 25s are not eligible for USMS Top 10 or Minnesota LMSC State records, however, they are recorded at the USMS national level and your individual rankings can be viewed at: <https://www.usms.org/comp/meets/toptimes.php>

Timers: Multiple stop watches and timers will be needed to record times for 25 yard events. Therefore, we are asking swimmers to assist when they are not swimming with timing and to volunteer any friends or family who would be willing to assist during the meet. Please notify randy.schlichting@hotmail.com if you have anyone willing to volunteer:

Schedule:
Deck Registration – 1:00PM - 1:30PM
Warmup Period – 1:00PM - 1:50PM
Events – 2:00PM - 5:00PM (approximately)

Meet Sanction: 308-S006

Meet Director: Shannon Swartz (ShannonSwartz@comcast.net)

Information: Must be a USMS registered member or pay the special “One-Event” fee.

Entry Type	Early Bird	Normal Rate*	Day of Meet**
Deadline	October 10, 11:59PM	October 17, 11:59PM	October 20, 1:30PM
USMS Member	\$15	\$20	\$25
One-Event Fee	\$35	\$40	N/A

*In order to prepare event seeding and psych sheets, registration is suspended from this date and time until the day of the meet.

** A swimmer may pay the annual USMS registration fee of \$54 and enter on the day of the meet for a total fee of \$79. No one-event registrations are available on the day of the meet.

Registration: Participants may enter a maximum of 6 individual events. Entry fees are non-refundable. Online entries are paid by credit card to ClubAssistant.com Events. Deck entries on the day of the meet are limited to new or existing USMS members. Deck entries to be paid by check or cash only. No credit cards on day of meet.

Positive Check-in: Positive check-in is not required for this meet.

Participant Waiver and Release of Liability Assumption of Risk and Indemnity Agreement

For and in consideration of United States Masters Swimming, Inc. ("USMS") allowing me, the undersigned, to participate in any USMS sanctioned or approved activity, including swimming camps, clinics, and exhibitions; learn-to-swim programs; swimming tryouts; fitness and training programs (including dryland training); swim practices and workouts (for both pool and open water); pool meets; open water competitions; local, regional, and national competitions and championships (both pool and open water); and related activities ("Event" or "Events"); I, for myself, and on behalf of my spouse, children, heirs and next of kin, and any legal and personal representatives, executors, administrators, successors, and assigns, hereby agree to and make the following contractual representations pursuant to this Waiver and Release of Liability, Assumption of Risk and Indemnity Agreement (the "Agreement").

1. I hereby certify and represent that (i) I am in good health and in proper physical condition to participate in the Events; and (ii) I have not been advised of any medical conditions that would impair my ability to safely participate in the Events. I agree that it is my sole responsibility to determine whether I am sufficiently fit and healthy enough to participate in the Events.
2. I acknowledge the inherent risks associated with the sport of swimming. I understand that my participation involves risks and dangers, which include, without limitation, the potential for serious bodily injury, sickness and disease, permanent disability, paralysis and death (from drowning or other causes); loss of or damage to personal property and equipment; exposure to extreme conditions and circumstances; accidents involving other participants, event staff, volunteers or spectators; contact or collision with natural or manmade objects; dangers arising from adverse weather conditions; imperfect water conditions; water and surface hazards; facility issues; equipment failure; inadequate safety measures; participants of varying skill levels; situations beyond the immediate control of the Event organizers; and other undefined, not readily foreseeable and presently unknown risks and dangers ("Risks"). I understand that these Risks may be caused in whole or in part by my own actions or inactions, the actions or inactions of others participating in the Events, or the negligent acts or omissions of the Released Parties defined below, and I hereby expressly assume all such Risks and responsibility for any damages, liabilities, losses or expenses that I incur as a result of my participation in any Events.
3. I agree to be familiar with and to abide by the Rules and Regulations established by USMS, including any safety regulations. I accept sole responsibility for my own conduct and actions while participating in the Events.
4. I hereby Release, Waive and Covenant Not to Sue, and further agree to Indemnify, Defend and Hold Harmless the following parties: USMS, its members, clubs, workout groups, event hosts, employees, and volunteers (including, but not limited to, event directors, coaches, officials, judges, timers, safety marshals, lifeguards, and support boat owners and operators); the USMS Swimming Saves Lives Foundation; USMS Local Masters Swimming Committees (LMSCs); the Event organizers and promoters, sponsors and advertisers; pool facility, lake and property owners or operators hosting the Events; law enforcement agencies and other public entities providing support for the Events; and each of their respective parent, subsidiary and affiliated companies, officers, directors, partners, shareholders, members, agents, employees, and volunteers (individually and collectively, the "Released Parties"), with respect to any liability, claim(s), demand(s), cause(s) of action, damage(s), loss or expense (including court costs and reasonable attorneys' fees) of any kind or nature ("Liability") which may arise out of, result from, or relate in any way to my participation in the Events, including claims for Liability caused in whole or in part by the negligent acts or omissions of the Released Parties.
5. I further agree that if, despite this Agreement, I, or anyone on my behalf, makes a claim for Liability against any of the Released Parties, I will indemnify, defend and hold harmless each of the Released Parties from any such Liabilities which any may be incurred as the result of such claim.

I hereby warrant that I am of legal age and competent to enter into this Agreement, that I have read this Agreement carefully, understand its terms and conditions, acknowledge that I will be giving up substantial legal rights by signing it (including the rights of my spouse, children, heirs and next of kin, and any legal and personal representatives, executors, administrators, successors, and assigns), acknowledge that I have signed this Agreement without any inducement, assurance, or guarantee, and intend for my signature to serve as confirmation of my complete and unconditional acceptance of the terms, conditions and provisions of this Agreement. This Agreement represents the complete understanding between the parties regarding these issues and no oral representations, statements, or inducements have been made apart from this Agreement. If any provision of this Agreement is held to be unlawful, void, or for any reason unenforceable, then that provision shall be deemed severable from this Agreement and shall not affect the validity and enforceability of any remaining provisions.

Signature: _____

Date: _____