

Invitational Meet Announcement



2009 AGUA NYC Open  
Saturday-Sunday November 7-8, 2009  
Sanction #091114

**Invited Teams:** All teams from Metropolitan, New Jersey, Connecticut, Middle Atlantic and New England LSCs. Teams outside of this region may contact the Meet Director to request an invitation.

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**SANCTION:** Held under the sanction of USA Swimming/Metropolitan Swimming, Inc., #091114

**LOCATION:** Asphalt Green AquaCenter- York Ave. & 91<sup>st</sup> Street

**FACILITY:** Prelims: 1 x 7-lane 50-meter pool plus 1 x 50-meter lane separated by double lane lines designated for Continuous warm up/warm down. Finals: 1 x 8-lane 25-yard pool for competition, with 2 x 20-yard lanes for continuous warm up/warm down.

The pool **has been** certified in accordance with Article 104.2.2C (4)

**SESSIONS:** **Saturday and Sunday LCM Prelims -- 8:00 AM Warm Up / 9:00 AM Start**  
**Saturday SCY Finals -- 2:45 PM Warm Up / 3:30 PM Start**  
**Sunday SCY Finals -- 2:15 PM Warm Up / 3:00 PM Start**

**FORMAT:** The AAA times for the 15-16 age group from the 2009-2012 National Age Group Motivational Times will be used as qualification times for this meet. The meet will be Long Course Meters for Prelims and Short Course Yards for Finals. 20 swimmers return from Prelims: The Bonus Final will have 8 swimmers (13<sup>th</sup>-20<sup>th</sup>), the Consolation Final 6 swimmers (7<sup>th</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup>), the Super Final 4 swimmers (3<sup>rd</sup>-6<sup>th</sup>), and Ultra Final 2 swimmers (1<sup>st</sup>-2<sup>nd</sup>) in all events except the 1000 Freestyle. All swimmers in finals will score points.

The 800 Meter Freestyle events will swim fastest to slowest in prelims alternating Women and Men and may be limited to the top 21 entrants (3 heats) in order to fit into the time allotted. The top 8 qualifiers from Prelims will swim the 1000 Yard Free in Finals as first event. This event will be scored 1<sup>st</sup> – 8<sup>th</sup>.

**BONUS EVENTS** -- Swimmers will be permitted to enter bonus. There will be no bonus event time standards (coaches, please use discretion). Bonus events will be awarded as follows:

1 qualifying time = 1 bonus event  
2 qualifying times = 2 bonus events  
3 qualifying times = 3 bonus events  
4 qualifying times = 2 bonus events  
5 qualifying times = 1 bonus event

**Deck seeding will be used at this meet. Scratches are due 30 minutes before the start of the prelim sessions.**

**ELIGIBILITY:** Open to all Invited USA Swimming/Metropolitan Swimming Inc. registered swimmers. All swimmers participating in this meet must be registered by the first day of the meet. Age on **11/07/09** will determine age for the entire meet.

**DISABILITY SWIMMERS:** Swimmers with disabilities are encouraged to attend. Contact the meet director if you need special consideration. The athlete (or the athlete's coach) is also responsible for notifying the meet referee of any disability prior to the competition.

**ENTRIES:** Swimmers will be limited to 3 events per day for a total of 6 events for the entire meet. Seeding will be by long course meter times only (please convert your own times if necessary). **Entries will be accepted on a "first-come, first-served." Hy-Tek entries only, please.**

U.S. Mail Entries/Payment to: **Brian Brown, Meet Director, Asphalt Green, 555 East 90<sup>th</sup> Street, New York, NY 10128. Please select the signature waiver option if sending by courier service.** Email Entries/Confirm Entry Receipt: [MeetDirector@asphaltgreen.org](mailto:MeetDirector@asphaltgreen.org)

**DEADLINE:** Entries must be received by : **October 30, 2009**

An email confirming receipt of entries if you provide an email contact. Please contact Meet Director if you do not receive such a report within 2 days of your original email.

**ENTRY FEE:** An entry fee of **\$4.00** per individual event must accompany the entries. Make check payable to: **Asphalt Green, Inc.** Payment must be received by **October 30, 2009** for email entries. Payment must be included with all mail entries. Failure to pay entry fees by this deadline could result in teams being barred from the meet.

**WARM-UP:** **General Warm-up**

**SCRATCHES:** Coaches will be given scratch sheets upon check-in for each session. All scratches are due no later than 30 minutes prior to the start of the session. Coaches are asked to indicate clearly individual events scratches and which swimmers will not be participating in the session.

**COACHES:** In accordance with Metropolitan Swimming Inc. Policy, only those coaches who display current, valid USA Swimming credentials will be permitted to act in a coaching capacity at this meet. Coaches who do not possess these credentials will be required to leave the deck area.

**AWARDS:** Individual events: Medals 1<sup>st</sup>-2<sup>nd</sup> and Ribbons 3<sup>rd</sup>-6<sup>th</sup>; Individual Female and Male High Point Awards; Overall Team Awards: 1<sup>st</sup>-3<sup>rd</sup> place trophy.

**OFFICIALS:** **Meet Referee: Kris Sawicz, [krzysztofs0711@aol.com](mailto:krzysztofs0711@aol.com), (917) 975-9816**  
Officials wishing to volunteer should contact Meet Referee by "[Click and Input Date]"

**MEET DIRECTOR:** **Brian Brown, AGUA Head Coach, 555 East 90<sup>th</sup> Street, New York, NY 10128**  
**[MeetDirector@asphaltgreen.org](mailto:MeetDirector@asphaltgreen.org)**

**RULES:** The current USA Swimming Rules and Regulations will apply. **The USA Swimming Code of Conduct is in effect for the duration of the meet.** The overhead start procedure may be used at the discretion of the meet Referee.

**SAFETY:** Metropolitan Safety and Warm-up procedures will be in effect. Marshals will be present throughout warm-ups and competition, and have the authority to remove, with the concurrence of the meet Referee, any swimmer, coach, club, or spectator for failure to follow the safety rules.

**DISCLAIMER:** Upon acceptance of his/her entries, the participant waives all claims against **Asphalt Green, Asphalt Green Unified Aquatics**, Metropolitan Swimming Inc., USA Swimming Inc., their agents or representatives for any injury occurring as a result of the meet.

**ADMISSION:** Adult Admission (18 & Over): \$4.00 per person. Session Program: \$3.00 per session

**MERCHANTS:** Refreshments will be available and must be consumed in the designated areas only. No food or glass bottles will be allowed on the pool deck or in the spectator area.

**PARKING:** The following garages are available for parking during the meet:  
***The Hamilton*** – 1735 York Ave (90<sup>th</sup> between York & 1<sup>st</sup> Ave) \$10 from 6:00 am - 7:30 pm  
***The Andover*** – 1675 York Ave (88<sup>th</sup> & 89<sup>th</sup> York Ave) \$9.00 from 6:00 am - 7:00 pm weekdays and \$11.00 from 6:00 am - 7:00 pm weekends.

**DIRECTIONS:** **From the North or South take the FDR Drive 96<sup>th</sup> Street exit. Proceed through the lights heading downtown to the light at 92<sup>nd</sup> Street and York Avenue intersection. Pool is located on the left at the following intersection at 91<sup>st</sup> Street and York Avenue.**

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**Saturday, November 7<sup>th</sup> LCM Prelims – Warm Up: 8:00 AM / Start: 9:00 AM / End: 12:15 PM**

Womens #	15-16 Girls AAA Standard	Event	15-16 Boys AAA Standard	Mens #
1	2:14.99	200 Free	2:05.79	2
3	1:08.09	100 Fly	1:02.09	4
5	5:21.39	400 Ind. Med.	4:59.89	6
7	2:30.69	200 Back	2:18.69	8
9	1:19.49	100 Breast	1:13.09	10
11	29.19	50 Free	26.39	12

**Saturday, November 7<sup>th</sup> LCM Prelims (800 Free) – Start: 12:15 PM / End: 2:00 PM**

Womens #	15-16 Girls AAA Standard	Event	15-16 Boys AAA Standard	Mens #
13	9:44.09	800 Free** #	9:11.79	14

*\*\* Events 13 & 14 will be seeded fastest to slowest alternating Women / Men and may be limited to 3 heats (21 entrants) if necessary.*

**Saturday, November 7<sup>th</sup> SCY Finals – Warm Up: 2:45 PM / Start: 3:30 PM**

Womens #	Event	Mens #
113	1000 Free	114
1	200 Free	2
3	100 Fly	4
5	400 Ind. Med.	6
7	200 Back	8
9	100 Breast	10
11	50 Free	12

*# Top 8 qualifiers from the 800 Meter Free Prelims will swim in the 1000 Yard Free Final which will be the first event of the Finals session.*

**Sunday, November 8<sup>th</sup> LCM Prelims – Warm Up: 8:00 AM / Start: 9:00 AM**

Womens #	15-16 Girls AAA Standard	Event	15-16 Boys AAA Standard	Mens #
15	2:33.39	200 Ind. Med.	2:22.89	16
17	1:09.89	100 Back	1:04.79	18
19	4:43.19	400 Free	4:26.09	20
21	2:50.19	200 Breast	2:39.69	22
23	2:29.09	200 Fly	2:18.09	24
25	1:02.89	100 Free	57.89	26

**Sunday, November 8<sup>th</sup> – SCY Finals – Warm Up: 2:15 PM / Start: 3:00 PM**

Womens #	Event	Mens #
15	200 Ind. Med.	16
17	100 Back	18
119	500 Free	120
21	200 Breast	22
23	200 Fly	24
25	100 Free	26

*% Finals will feature 4 heats per event with a Bonus Final (8 swimmers) competing first, followed by a Consolation Final (6 swimmers), a Super Final (4 swimmers), and an Ultra Final (2 swimmers).*