

Highland Hurricanes Snowflake SYOA Invite February 1st & 2nd 2008

- SANCTION:** This meet is sanctioned by USA Swimming and Indiana Swimming. Sanction Number IN08170
- HOST:** Highland Hurricanes Swim Club, Inc.
- LOCATION:** Highland High School, 9135 Erie Street, Highland, Indiana 46322.
- FORMAT:** Current USA Swimming and Indiana Swimming rules will govern this meet. *USA Swimming Rules 202.3.2 - 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 shall assist the athlete in making arrangements for such supervision.*
- ENTRY DEADLINE:** Entries will be accepted starting Wednesday, January 2nd, 2008. Entry deadline will be 10 p.m. on Friday, January 18th, 2008. **NO TELEPHONE ENTRIES.** We will extend the deadline if the meet is not full. The preferred method for entries is a Hy-Tek Meet Manager file for entries on 3.5" disk with hard copies. **EMAIL ENTRIES WILL BE ACCEPTED.** E-mail the entry file to: hhsmeetdirector@sbcglobal.net. The email entry must be followed up by a hard copy of the entry information, and submission of the hard copy prior to the final date would be appreciated. Entries will be accepted primarily in the order that they are received, but the number of officials provided by a club will also be considered. No teams will be broken, but entries will be limited to keep within the 4-hour rule. We will notify teams being turned away by phone or e-mail within 72-hours after the meet entry deadline, or 72- hours after meet becomes full, whichever comes first.
- ENTRY CHAIR:** Submit entries to: **Highland Hurricanes Swim Club, P.O. Box 9357, HIGHLAND, INDIANA 46322, Email: hhsmeetdirector@sbcglobal.net**
- MEET DIRECTOR:** Chris Ray email: hhsmeetdirector@sbcglobal.net
- FEES:** **\$1.50 per swimmer Indiana Swimming Athlete Surcharge**, \$2.00 per Individual Event, & \$5.00 per Relay Team. Fees must accompany entry forms. Please make **ONE** check payable to **HHSC**. Entry fees for scratched events and limited distance events are non-refundable. **Deck Entries will be allowed if the meet is not full and the swimmer is already entered in the meet** (\$4.00 per individual entry, &10.00 per relay entry). Please report to the computer table to submit and pay for deck entries **before positive-check-in ends**. A receipt will be given to the person deck entering and it must be kept to verify entry.

**ENTRY
FORMAT:**

The following must be submitted by the entry deadline:

- Hy-Tek Meet Manager file for entries (on 3.5" diskette). A printed copy of the entry must also accompany the diskette. All times must be completed to the hundredth of a second. NT times will be accepted;
- Team Roster with each swimmer's current USA Swimming number. This can be done in Team Manager as a report. Unattached swimmers must be entered independently of attached swimmers;
- Completed team summary report (included in this packet);
- Completed relay entry sheet (included in this packet) this can be done in TM;
- Executed release and hold harmless agreement (included in this packet);
- **Officials Volunteer Sheet;**
- 1 check for payment of all entry fees made payable to **HHSC**

IMPORTANT REMINDERS

- **Data on disk must be consistent with the data on the print out(s).**
- **Unattached swimmers must be entered independently of attached swimmers.**
- **Teams not submitting entries on diskette or email entry file will be charged a \$50 Administration Fee.**

**ENTRY
LIMITATIONS:**

Swimmers will be limited to 5 individual events and 2 relays per day. Entries will be limited to keep within the 4-hour rule; however, no teams will be broken.

ELIGIBILITY:

Swimmer(s) must be registered with USA Swimming to be accepted into this meet. Age as of **February 1, 2008** will determine the swimmer's age for the entire meet. USA Swimming registration numbers must accompany the entry.

CHECK-IN:

This is a **POSITIVE SIGN-IN MEET**. Positive sign-in means, "I'm here. I intend to swim." To sign-in positively, circle the swimmer's name on sign-in sheets. Sign-in sheets will be posted 30 minutes before the start of warm-ups for each session. The **deadline for positive sign-in will be 30 minutes before the scheduled start for each session.** At that deadline, the sheets will be removed from the table and no changes or corrections will be accepted. Any swimmer scratched under this rule may present to the Referee at least 2 minutes before the start of the slowest heat of the missed event and request to swim in an empty lane. The Referee will honor such requests on a first come, first serve basis and only to the extent empty lanes are available.

SCRATCH RULE: The Indiana Swimming "Scratch Rule" will not be in effect for this meet.

CLERK OF COURSE:

This invitational will be seeded (i.e., cardless) for all age groups. For swimmers 9 years and older, lane and heat assignments will be posted at various points around the pool and hallways. For swimmers 8 years and under, a standard clerk of course will be operated during the Friday session and the Saturday morning session. However, positive sign-in is a requirement for all age groups. We highly encourage coaches to cover check-in, scratch and meet procedures with their new swimmers and parents. **Absolutely no parents will be allowed on the pool deck.** This is a requirement of USA Swimming.

FINAL RESULTS:

One complementary copy will be provided to each club entering 5 or more swimmers. Additional copies may be requested.

FACILITY:

6 lane, 25-yard pool with starting blocks. Daktronic timing with two (2) back up timers per lane. Keifer non-turbulent lane markers. Adjacent locker rooms.

COACHES:

Information packets will be distributed to the club coach upon their arrival at the meet. An Officials meeting will be held 30 minutes before the start of each session. Coaches **MUST** constantly display their USA Swimming coach credentials to gain access to the pool deck. The meet referee reserves the right to ask for coach credentials, display and/or deny deck access if the coach does not comply.

SCORING:

We will be scoring the top 12 individual places in the following age groups: 7 & Under, 8 Yr. Old, 9 Yr. Old, 10 Yr. Old, 11 Yr. Old, 12 Yr. Old, 13 Yr. Old, 14 Yr. Old, 15 & Over. 13 & Over swimmers will swim together but will be scored separately. The top 6 relay places be scored in the following age groups: 8 & Under, 9-10 Yr. Old, 11-12 Yr. Old, and 13 & Over. Scoring will be as follows:

Individual events:	16-13-12-11-10-9-7-5-4-3-2-1
Relays:	32-26-24-22-20-18

AWARDS:

- **Individual Events:** We will award ribbons to the first 12 places in each age group.
- **Individual High Point Trophies:** will be awarded to 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place to girls and boys in each age group.
- **Relays:** 1st through 3rd medals.
- **Team High Point Trophies:** will be awarded for 1st, 2nd, and 3rd places.

CONCESSIONS: Refreshments will be available in the Pool Class Room on Friday and Saturday.

NOTES: **ONLY COACHES AND PARTICIPATING OFFICIALS ARE ALLOWED ON THE POOL DECK. NO FOOD IS ALLOWED ON THE POOL DECK. SMOKING IS NOT PERMITTED ANYWHERE IN HIGHLAND HIGH SCHOOL.**

SCHEDULE: (Also see attached Event Lists)

PLEASE NOTE: Highland is on Central Standard Time (i.e., CHICAGO)

	Start Time	Age Group
Friday Warm-ups	5:30 – 5:45 P.M.	8 & Under, 9&10
Friday Warm-ups	5:45 – 6:00 P.M.	11 & Over
Friday Competition	6:30 P.M.	-----
Sat. A.M. Warm-ups	7:00 – 7:20 A.M.	8 & Under
Sat. A.M. Warm-ups	7:20 – 7:40 A.M.	11 & 12
Sat. A.M. Competition	8:00 A.M.	-----
Sat. P.M. Warm-ups	20 minutes, not before 12:00 P.M.	9 & 10
Sat. P.M. Warm-ups	20 minutes not before 12:20 P.M.	13 & Over
Sat. P.M. Competition	1 hr. after P.M. Warm-ups start	-----
Sat. P.M. 1650 Warm-ups	10 minutes Immediately Following Session 3	11 & Over
Sat. P.M. Competition	15 minutes after Warm-ups	11 & Over

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Friday Evening, Session #1 5:30 pm warm-ups 6:30 pm start

Boys	EVENT NAME	Girls
1	8 & Under 100 I.M.	2
3	9-10 200 I.M.	4
5	11-12 200 I.M.	6
7	13 & Over 200 I.M.	8
9	8 & Under 100 Freestyle	10
11	9-10 200 Freestyle	12
13	11-12 200 Freestyle	14
15	13 & Over 200 Freestyle	16

Saturday Morning, Session #2 7:00 am warm-ups 8:00am start

Saturday Afternoon, Session #3 12:00 pm warm-ups 1:00pm start

Boys	EVENT NAME	Girls	-	Boys	EVENT NAME	Girls
17	8 & Under 25 Freestyle	18	-	41	9-10 50 Freestyle	42
19	11-12 50 Freestyle	20	-	43	13 & Over 50 Freestyle	44
21	8 & Under 25 Butterfly	22	-	45	9-10 50 Butterfly	46
23	11-12 50 Butterfly	24	-	47	13 & Over 100 Butterfly	48
25	8 & Under 25 Backstroke	26	-	49	9-10 50 Backstroke	50
27	11-12 50 Backstroke	28	-	51	13 & Over 100 Backstroke	52
29	8 & Under 25 Breaststroke	30	-	53	9-10 50 Breaststroke	54
31	11-12 50 Breaststroke	32	-	55	13 & Over 100 Breaststroke	56
33	8 & Under 50 Freestyle	34	-	57	9-10 100 Freestyle	58
35	11-12 100 Freestyle	36	-	59	13 & Over 100 Freestyle	60
37	8 & Under 100 Freestyle Relay	38	-	61	9-10 200 Freestyle Relay	62
39	11-12 200 Freestyle Relay	40	-	63	13 & Over 200 Freestyle Relay	64

Session Number 4 Warm-ups: Immediately following session #3 SESSION STARTS: Not before 4:00 P.M.

Boys	Event	Girls
65	11 & Over 1650 Yd. Freestyle	66

Events 65 & 66 will be limited to one heat per event (one boys and one girls). Swimmers need to provide their own counter. None of the events will be scored toward individual or team high-point competitions. Events count as part of daily maximum. Warm-ups will begin immediately after P.M. session. Session will start 15 minutes after warm-ups begin.

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Relay Form

Coach: _____ Club: _____ Code: _____

Number of Entries: _____ X \$5.00 per Entry = \$ _____

Event	Event #	Event Seed Time			
		"A" Relay	"B" Relay	"C" Relay	"D" Relay
8 Yr. Old & Under Boys 100 Freestyle Relay	37				
8 Yr. Old & Under Girls 100 Freestyle Relay	38				
11-12 Yr. Old Boys 200 Freestyle Relay	39				
11-12 Yr. Old Girls 200 Freestyle Relay	40				
9-10 Yr. Old Boys 200 Freestyle Relay	61				
9-10 Yr. Old Girls 200 Freestyle Relay	62				
13 Yr. Old & Over Boys 200 Freestyle Relay	63				
13 Yr. Old & Over Girls 200 Freestyle Relay	64				

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TEAM SUMMARY REPORT

THIS SUMMARY REPORT MUST BE COMPLETED AND RETURNED WITH ALL ENTRIES.
PLEASE MAKE CERTAIN TO INCLUDE ALL OF THE FOLLOWING:

- 1) HYTEK file on 3.5" Diskette and a hard printed copy of your Team Entry
- 2) Summary Report (i.e., This Form)
- 3) Completed Relay Entry Form or report from TM
- 4) Release and Hold Harmless Agreement
- 5) Officials Volunteer Sheet
- 6) **One** check for entry fees payable to: **HHSC**

MAIL ENTRIES TO: Highland Hurricanes P.O. Box 9357, Highland, IN 46322

EMAIL ENTRIES TO: hhscreetdirector@sbcglobal.net

CLUB: _____ CLUB CODE: _____

Number of Boys Entered: _____ x\$ 1.50 Indiana Swimming Athlete Surcharge > = \$ _____

Number of Girls Entered: _____ x\$ 1.50 Indiana Swimming Athlete Surcharge > = \$ _____

Number of Boys Individual Entries _____ x\$ 2.00 EACH = \$ _____

Number of Girls Individual Entries _____ x\$ 2.00 EACH = \$ _____

Total Number of Relay Entries _____ x\$ 5.00 EACH = \$ _____

Total Amount Enclosed \$ _____

FINAL RESULTS FORMAT

Please check how you want to receive final results from the host club.

_____ Hard Copy (snail mailed OR .htm file emailed)

_____ Meet Manager Backup (Emailed)

_____ Team Manager .cl2 file (Emailed)

_____ ALL of the above

Email address to send above to: _____

Snail mail address to send above to: _____

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Release and Hold Harmless Agreement

CLUB: _____

In consideration of being permitted to participate in this Swim Meet, Club, and its Swimmers, Coaches, Parents, Members and Volunteers hereby release and forever discharge, USA Swimming, Indiana Swimming, School Town of Highland, the Respective Owners, Trustees, Directors, Officers, Agents, Employees, Members, Successors and assigns of each of them and all other persons or entities in any way connected with sponsoring or holding this Swim Meet, of and from any and ALL Liabilities, Claims, Demands, Actions, Causes of Action, Losses, Damages or Expenses, of whatever kind of character, arising out of or in connection with said Swim Meet and the Facilities and personnel for it. Further, Club and its swimmers, Coaches, Parents, Members and Volunteers shall indemnify and Hold Harmless, USA Swimming, Indiana Swimming, School Town of Highland, the Respective Owners, Trustees, Directors, Officers, Agents, Employees, Members, Successors and assigns of each of them and all other persons or entities in any way connected with sponsoring or Holding this Swim Meet, of and from any and all liabilities, claims, demands, actions, causes of action, losses, damages or expenses, of whatever kind of character, arising out of or in connection with any injury to any person, including Death, or Injury or Damage to any property.

The UNDERSIGNED REPRESENTS that HE/SHE is authorized by the CLUB, and its swimmers, coaches, parents, members and volunteers to execute this RELEASE and HOLD HARMLESS AGREEMENT on behalf of each of them, binding Club, and its swimmers, coaches, parents, members and volunteers to the terms hereof.

Executed this _____ day of _____, 2008.

Signature _____

Printed Name _____

Position _____

*Person who signs this is responsible for any fines imposed on the club

**You may have one designated spokesperson from your team to talk to the referee or Clerk-of-Course. The coach would be the logical person. Please list the name of your spokesperson: _____

