

2020 SVY New Year's Splash

Hosted by the Somerset Valley YMCA
Held under the sanction of USA Swimming

<u>Meet Sanction Info:</u>	NJ Swimming Sanction # - NJS0103205C Any changes of the meet information without the approval of the administrative chairman, age group chairman or senior chairman are a violation of the sanction. 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.		
<u>Date of Meet:</u>	January 3-5, 2020		
<u>Location:</u>	Raritan Valley Community College, 118 Lamington Road, Branchburg, NJ 08876 Phone: 908-526-1200		
<u>Facility Info:</u>	Raritan Valley Community College (RVCC) pool is a 25 yard, 6 lane pool. The pool uses pedestal style starting blocks, non-turbulent lane lines, touch pads, and a fully automatic Colorado timing system. The depth at the starting blocks is approximately 12 feet and the depth at the turning end is 3.5 feet. There is no separate warm-up / warm-down pool. There is ample parking at RVCC in both the front and back of the Athletic building. There is seating for 500 spectators.		
<u>Pool Certification Statement:</u>	The competition course has not been certified in accordance with 104.2.2C(4). This rule requires that pools where World and National records are established need to be certified as to their compliance with pool length requirements of that rule. Times from this meet will be included in SWIMS so long as the swim is one of the standard events recognized by USA Swimming.		
Host Team Contact:	Tim Foley	908.642.2477	Tfole14@yahoo.com
Meet Director:	Tim Foley	908.642.2477	Tfole14@yahoo.com
Meet Referee:	Steve & Roni Sawin Tom Pearce	908-625-9313 908.244.5219	spsawin@aol.com tpearce@optonline.net
Administration Official:	Gary Ward	862-368-8732	gjw321@comcast.net
Safety Marshall:	Gary Ward	862-368-8732	gjw321@comcast.net
Entry Coordinator:	Andrea Marumoto	908-526-0688 x312	SVYMeetEntries@gmail.com
Entries Open:	Friday, December 6th, 2019 at 6 am		
Entry Deadline:	Entries will CLOSE on, Dec 20, 2019. (Or as sessions fill prior to this date.)		
Swimmer Age:	Age for this meet is as of: January 3rd, 2020		
Entry Fees:	Individual Event Fee: \$5.00, Distant Event Fee: \$12.00 Swimmer Surcharge of \$20 (in lieu of admission fees)		
Meet Course:	Short Course Yards (SCY)		
Meet Format:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The meet will be run in accordance with the 2020 USA Swimming Rules. This meet will be run as a timed final meet. Age Groups that will be offered: There will be 10/Under, 11-12, 13-14, 15 and Over, and Open events This meet will be deck seeded with coaches checking in/scratching all swimmers. When the seeding has been posted, swimmers are responsible to report to the blocks. Fly over starts may be used. The Host team must stay within the four hour per session rule. 		
Entry Limits:	Daily: (3) Individual events	Meet: (7) Individual Events	
Checks Payable To:	Make checks payable to: SCYMCA		
Email Entry Files To:	SVYMeetEntries@gmail.com		
Mail Checks/Reports	Andrea Marumoto - 601 Garretson Road, Bridgewater, NJ 08807		

Order of Events

Friday, January 3		
Session 1 – 11/12		
Girls	Event	Boys
1	11-12 200 Backstroke	2
3	11-12 200 Butterfly	4
5	11-12 200 Breaststroke	6
Session 2 – 1000 Free		
7	Open 1000 Freestyle	8

Saturday, January 4		
Session 3 – 12/Under		
Girls	Event	Boys
9	10/Under 200 IM	10
11	11-12 100 IM	12
13	10/Under 100 Butterfly	14
15	11-12 100 Butterfly	16
17	10/Under 100 Backstroke	18
19	11-12 100 Backstroke	20
21	10/Under 100 Freestyle	22
Session 4 – 11/12 200 Free/Open 400 IM		
23	11-12 200 Freestyle	24
25	Open 400 IM	26
Session 5 – 13/Over		
27	13-14 200 Freestyle	28
29	15/Over 200 Freestyle	30
31	13-14 100 Butterfly	32
33	15/Over 100 Butterfly	34
35	13-14 200 Backstroke	36
37	15/Over 200 Backstroke	38
39	13-14 200 Breaststroke	40
41	15/Over 200 Breaststroke	42
43	13-14 50 Freestyle	44
45	15/Over 50 Freestyle	46

Sunday, January 5		
Session 6 – 12/Under		
Girls	Event	Boys
47	10/Under 200 Freestyle	48
49	11-12 100 Freestyle	50
51	10/Under 100 Breaststroke	52
53	11-12 100 Breaststroke	54
55	10/Under 50 Freestyle	56
57	11-12 50 Freestyle	58
59	10/Under 100 IM	60
Session 7 – 11/12 200 IM/Open 500 FR		
61	11-12 200 IM	62
63	Open 500 Freestyle	64
Session 8 – 13/Over		
65	13-14 100 Freestyle	66
67	15/Over 100 Freestyle	68
69	13-14 200 Butterfly	70
71	15/Over 200 Butterfly	72
73	13-14 100 Breaststroke	74
75	15/Over 100 Breaststroke	76
77	13-14 100 Backstroke	78
79	15/Over 100 Backstroke	80
81	13-14 200 IM	82
83	15/Over 200 IM	84

Meet Schedule:

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Friday, January 3rd, 2020		Warm-up	Start
Session #1	11-12 IMX Events	4:30p	5:25p
Session #2	Open 1000 Freestyle	TBD	TBD
Saturday, January 4th, 2020		Warm-up	Start
Session #3	12/Under	7:00a	8:20a
Session #4	11/12 200 Free/Open 400 IM	TBD	TBD
Session #5	13/Over	TBD	TBD
Sunday, January 5th, 2020		Warm-up	Start
Session #6	12/Under	7:00a	8:20a
Session #7	11/12 200 IM/Open 500 Freestyle	TBD	TBD
Session #8	13/Over	TBD	TBD
All Session Warm-up & Start times will be determined once entries are received.			

Scoring:	This meet will not be scored.
Awards:	There are no awards.
Starts:	Fly-over starts may be used.
Admissions and Programs:	Admission fee: \$20.00 per swimmer surcharge.
Concessions:	Will be provided by the Host Team.
Vendor:	Metro Swim Shop will be on site Saturday and Sunday.
Entry Information:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> All entries will be on first come basis via E-MAIL ONLY with "2020 New Year's Splash" in the subject line. Meet entries will be taken until the meet is full. Sessions must stay within the "4 hour session rule". Teams WILL receive an e-mail confirmation within 48 hours. If you do not, consider your entries as NOT received. Mail the entry fee summary, signed waiver/meet verification form and check to: Dan Roth - 601 Garretson Road, Bridgewater, NJ 08807 It is not necessary to overnight or express mail your signed waiver/meet verification form or check which are sent in support of the e-mailed entry.
Entry Times:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Entries will not be accepted with "NT". All entry times must be in SCY (Short Course Yards); converted times are permitted. If the meet is not full one week prior to the entry deadline, the host club may accept additional entries as time allows on a first come first served basis.
Relays:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> NO relay events offered
Distance Events & Heat Limits:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Host team reserves the right to Heat Limit any events in sessions 1 through 8, in order to meet the session timelines. Sessions 4 and 7 will be limited to 2 hours each. Events will be swum fastest to slowest; alternating girls and boys. Host team reserves the right to seed as a mixed event or heat if a mixed seeded event permits additional athletes the opportunity to swim. Psych sheets will be posted and e-mailed to clubs no later than Jan 2nd, 2020. Swimmers need to provide their own counters for distance events in sessions 2 and 7 and timers in session 2. Swimmers below the "heat limit" number will have the option of changing to another event of the meet; otherwise they will have their entry fee refunded.
Swimmer Eligibility:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> All swimmers must be USA-S registered in order to enter and compete in the meet. No swimmer will be permitted to compete unless the swimmer is a member of USA Swimming as provided in Article 302. All swimmers must be listed on a team's official entry form to be eligible to participate in this swim meet in any events. All transfer swimmers must swim unattached for 120 days from their last attached competition. Swimmers must use an UN-(new swim team alpha code) as their team affiliation. All unattached swimmers must be listed on the team's official waiver entry form. NJ Swimming completes a registration check a few days prior to the meet and all ineligible swimmers will be notified at that time via the team contact. There are no qualifying times for this meet. All swimmers 18 & Over at the meet start date must have met the USA Swimming Athlete Protection Training requirement. Failure to complete it will result in an athlete's inability to swim in this meet.

Adaptive Provisions:	USA Swimming rules and regulations provides "guidelines for officiating swimmers with disabilities" and any athlete who needs any of these adaptations should provide the Referee with a note stating their name, their specific need, and a list of events in which they need assistance prior to the start of each session's competition. If necessary, this information may be provided by the swimmer's coach or guardians. NJ swimming will provide all swimmers with disabilities a chance to swim in events for which they have qualified (met the time standards of the meet).
Host Club Responsibilities:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Host Club will provide a single timer in each lane throughout the meet except session 2. • Swimmers need to provide their own counters for distance events in sessions 2 and 7. • The Host Club will provide two back-up timers for each session. • The Host Club will have stopwatches available for timing volunteers. • The Host Club will create a warm-up schedule and a timing assignment schedule that will be fair and equitable to all participating teams. The warm-up and timing schedules will be e-mailed to all participating teams and will be posted on www.svynj.org no later than one week prior to the start of the meet. • Host Team is responsible for marshalling their own swimmers
Participating Club Responsibilities:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Participating clubs must help with timing assignments in each lane for all sessions except 2. • Swimmers need to provide their own counters for distance events in sessions 2 and 7. • Timing assignments will be e-mailed to participating clubs and posted on the swim meet website (www.svynj.org), no later than 1 week prior to the meet. • Participating club parents must stay off the pool deck except for timing assignments. • Participating teams are responsible for marshalling their swimmers • Participating clubs are requested to provide as many USA-S certified officials as possible.
Officials Conduct & Eligibility:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Swimming officials from participating teams should contact the meet referee, Tom Pearce, tpearce@optonline.net with the sessions when they are able to help. • Current USA-S certification is required for all officials and the Meet Referee may check cards. • All officials must wear the standard white and blue uniform. • Officials will be required to work the entire session. • This meet is conducted according to current USA Swimming Rules, and in adherence to the USA-S Minor Athlete Abuse Prevention Policy (MAAPP). • Make sure all interactions with athletes are observable and interruptible.
Coaches Conduct & Eligibility:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • This meet is conducted according to current USA Swimming Rules, and in adherence to the USA-S Minor Athlete Abuse Prevention Policy (MAAPP). • Make sure all interactions with athletes are observable and interruptible, including any meetings you have in between races or sessions. • As a reminder, coaches are not allowed to massage any athlete, even if you are a licensed massage therapist. This includes all massages, rubdowns, stretching, physical manipulation, injury rehabilitation, and the use of electronic or instrument assisted modalities such as stim treatment, dry needling, and cupping. • All coaches "on the deck" must be currently registered coach members of USA Swimming. Verification can be in the form of a current USA Swimming membership card or Coaches Pass available thru the USA swimming Deck Pass App. • Coaches must show their USA swimming coaching card or Coaches Pass for entrance to facility. All Coaches must have some form of USA coaching credential verification with them at all times.
Meet Format Waiver:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • This meet will be run in accordance with current USA Swimming Rules. • The host club has the right to change the format of the meet with the approval of the sanctioning Chairman and either the Age Group or Senior Chairman. • These changes would be made for a more efficient swim meet for the swimmers and the host club. • Reasons for these changes include: 1) To allow more swimmers to swim, 2) To conform to facility capacity limits, 3) To condense the meet into smaller time frame. • Some of the changes that can be made: 1) change estimated start times, 2) combine sessions and 3) limit the number of swimmers.

Warm-up Procedures:	<p>New Jersey Swimming Warm-up and Safety Guidelines:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Warm-ups will be run under New Jersey Swimming Warm-up and Safety Guidelines. Warm-ups will include general warm-up lanes, sprint lanes, and pace lanes. • All swimmers are entitled to a fair and comparable warm-up. All teams MUST get the same opportunities for general warm-up lanes, sprint lanes, and pace lanes. • All swimmers must enter the pool from the starting end of the pool. • Uniformed and designated meet marshals will monitor warm-ups. • All general warm-up lanes will swim in a counterclockwise direction. • The warm-up sessions will be two 30-minute warm-ups divided by teams. There will be designated sprint lanes the last 5 minutes of each warm-up session. • Warm-up schedules will be e-mailed and posted on the website (www.svynj.org) 1 week prior to the start of the meet.
Check-In:	<p>All check-in sheets must be turned into the control table 30 minutes before the start of each session. Swimmers that are swimming will have a line through their name. Swimmers that are being scratched will have their names circled with a “SCR” next to the circle. Failure to follow this procedure may result in the swimmer(s) being scratched from the session.</p>
No Show Procedure:	<p>Accommodate the swimmer where possible: No penalty will be incurred for an unscratched swimmer who fails to report to the starting blocks for his/her scheduled event. However, the event will be counted toward the swimmer’s maximum allowable swims for that day. The swimmer may be allowed to swim the event in a later heat or a subsequent event if the swimmer is at the starting end of the pool, ready to swim, and an open lane is available. However, the host club will not schedule an additional heat to accommodate the swimmer.</p>
Internet Website Posting:	<p>Meet website address: www.svynj.org</p> <p>Pre-Meet Information posted on website:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Meet Packet / Information • Hy-Tek events list (.HYV file) • Updated Meet Schedule • Team Warm-up and Timing Assignments • Psych sheets for 1000, 500 Freestyle, and 400 IM <p>Days of the Meet Information posted on website:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Real Time Results • Weather / Emergency Updates <p>Post Meet Information posted on website:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Full Meet results <p>This meet will also be available on Meet Mobile</p>
Results:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Results will be emailed to all participating teams. • Result will be posted on the New Jersey website: www.njswim.org • Final results will be available at www.svynj.org before Jan 9th 2020.
USA-S Racing Start Certification Statement:	<p>Any swimmer entered in the meet must be certified by a USA Swimming member-coach as being proficient in performing a racing start or must start each race from within the water. When unaccompanied by a member-coach, it is the responsibility of the swimmer or the swimmer’s legal guardian to ensure compliance with this requirement.</p>
Audio/Visual Recording Statement:	<p>Use of audio or visual recording devices, including a cell phone, is not permitted in changing areas, rest rooms, locker rooms, or behind the blocks.</p>
USA-S Deck Change Policy Statement:	<p>Deck Changes are prohibited.</p>
USA-S Drone Policy Statement:	<p>Operation of a drone, 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.</p>

Tech Suit/Swimwear Policy:	<p>Swimwear must conform to USA Swimming Rules:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Rule 102.8. Only swimsuits complying with FINA swimsuit specification may be worn in any USA Swimming sanctioned or Approved competition. “Tech suits” are not permitted at this meet for 12 & under swimmers. “Tech Suits “are defined, as a suit that has Bonded Seams, Kinetic Tape, or Meshed Seams. A list of restricted suit can be found on the NJ Swimming Website; www.njswim.org • Rule 102.8.1E explicitly bans the use of therapeutic elastic tape (e.g., kinesio tape) on any part of the body
Minor Athlete Abuse Prevention Policy (MAAPP)	All applicable adults participating in or associated with this meet, acknowledge that they are subject to the provisions of the USA Swimming Minor Athlete Abuse Prevention Policy (“MAAPP”), and that they understand that compliance with the MAAPP policy is a condition of participation in the conduct of this competition.
Meet Requirement Statement:	In order to be eligible for the NJ Swimming Zone Championship Team or for NJ Swimming Athlete Travel Grants for Sectional and National level meets, NJ Swimming policy stipulates certain participation requirements. As a NJ Swimming sanctioned meet, this meet counts toward those participation requirements.
Hotel:	<p><u>Hyatt House Branchburg</u> 3141 Route 22 East, Somerville, NJ 08876 (908) 704-2191</p> <p><u>Residence Inn By Marriott Bridgewater Branchburg</u> 3241 Route 22 East, Somerville, NJ 08876 (908) 725-9812</p> <p><u>Hyatt house Bridgewater</u> 530 U.S. 22, Bridgewater, NJ, Bridgewater, NJ 08807 (908) 725-0800</p> <p><u>Days Inn Hillsboro</u> 118 Route 206 South, Hillsborough, NJ 08844 (908) 685-9000</p>
Directions:	<p>From North: Start out going east on US-206 E/US Highway 206 S toward US Highway 206 N/US-206 S. Continue to follow US-206 E. Then 10.60 miles Turn right onto Burnt Mills Rd/County Hwy-620. Then 3.94 miles Turn left onto Rattlesnake Bridge Rd/County Hwy-665. Continue to follow County Hwy-665. Then 0.86 miles Take the 1st left onto Campus Dr. Then 0.17 miles Turn slight left. Then 0.05 miles Turn slight left onto Athletic Way. Then 0.39 miles RVCC, 118 LAMINGTON RD.</p> <p>From South: Start out going north on Belle Mead Blawenburg Rd/County Hwy-601 toward Sunset Rd. Continue to follow County Hwy-601. Then 4.40 miles Turn slight left onto US-206 N/US Highway 206. Continue to follow US-206 N. Then 8.52 miles Enter next roundabout and take the 3rd exit onto State Route 28. Then 3.80 miles Turn right onto Campus Dr. North Branch Volunteer Fire Co is on the right Then 0.76 miles Turn slight right onto Athletic Way. Then 0.43 miles RVCC, 118 LAMINGTON RD.</p>



NEW JERSEY SWIMMING

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January 3-5, 2020

Waiver

In consideration of the acceptance of this entry, I/we hereby, for myself/ourselves, my/our heirs, administrators and assigns, waive and release any and all claims against USA Swimming, NJ Swimming, Raritan Valley Community College, and the Somerset Valley YMCA and their staffs for any injuries and/or expenses incurred by me/us at the swim meet, or while on the road to and from the meet. I/we are USA Swimming registered athletes and am/are eligible to compete in all the events I/we have entered.

Meet Verification

I hereby certify that all entered swimmers and coaches listed on the waiver form for the **2020 SVY New Year's Splash** meet on **January 3-5, 2020** are registered members of USA Swimming. All USA Swimming members are correctly entered according to; Article 302.4 of the USA Swimming Rules and Regulations. False Registration: An LSC may impose a fine of up to \$100 per event against a member coach or a member club's representative signing a document which indicates a swimmer is registered with USA Swimming for a meet when that swimmer is not properly registered or eligible to compete for that club. This will be enforced by the LSC and the LSC will be entitled to the fines imposed.

Also I acknowledge that deck access is limited to coaches and/or officials working the meet and displaying their credentials.

Club Name/Club Code _____

Signature of Coach and/or Parent/Guardian _____

Telephone _____ E-Mail Address _____

Name(s) of Coach(es): _____

Name/E-Mail/Phone Number of person to contact regarding this entry:

NAME/E-Mail/Phone Number of person to contact regarding timers/officials:

Entry Fee Summary: _____ Individual event entries @ \$5.00 = \$ _____

_____ Swimmer surcharge @ \$20.00 = \$ _____

Total: \$ _____

MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO: **SCYMCA**

Attn: Dan Roth - 601 Garretson Road, Bridgewater, NJ 08807