

**2008 NT COR Winter Classic “A” Meet
Hosted by City of Richardson Swim Team
December 5, 6 and 7, 2008
Sanction # 047-08**

Facility and Directions:

Loos Swimming Center, located on Spring Valley Road approximately on mile North of I-635 and one-quarter mile west of the Midway Road intersection. The facility has two indoor 25 yard eight lane pools. Fully automatic Colorado Timing System will be used.

Meet Schedule:

Day	Warm-up	Meet Start
Friday, December 5	Finals: Session I: 3:45 – 4:30pm Session II: 4:30 – 5:15pm	5:30pm
Saturday, December 6	Prelims: Session I 7:15 – 7:45am Session II 7:45 – 8:15am Session III 8:15 – 8:45am Finals: 4:30 – 5:15pm	9:00am 5:30pm
Sunday, December 7	Prelims: Session I 7:15 – 7:45am Session II 7:45 – 8:15am Session III 8:15 – 8:45am Finals: 4:00 – 4:45pm	9:00am 5:00pm

Final warm-up assignments will be posted on the City of Richardson Swim Team website, www.corswim.org by December 1, 2008 and will be included in the Meet Program.

Warm-up Procedures:

North Texas Swimming safety guidelines and warm-up procedures will be in effect at this meet. (Ref. NT Policies and Procedures, 10/27/2007, Section VII Meet Administration, Paragraphs 7.3 and 7.4).

Guidelines:

General Warm-up (30 minutes)

☞ All lanes to be used for general warm-up.

☞ **NO DIVING**

Specific Warm-up (last 15 minutes)

☞ Lanes 1 and 8 Push/Pace Circle swimming only, **NO DIVING**

☞ Lanes 2,3,6 & 7 Racing Starts Swimming one direction only. Exit far end of pool.

☞ Lanes 4 & 5 General Warm-up Circle swimming only, **NO DIVING**

At the discretion of the Meet Referee, coaches may be allowed to control their own lanes for warm-ups; at the end of the last warm-up, an additional 10 minutes of racing starts and push/pace may be allowed; and the center well area (between the bulkheads) may be used for coach supervised warm-ups for 10 & under.

Sanction and Liability:

This meet will be held under the sanction of USA Swimming, Inc. **“IN GRANTING THIS SANCTION AND BY ANY PERSON’S PARTICIPATION IN THE MEET IT IS UNDERSTOOD AND AGREED THAT USA SWIMMING, INC., NORTH TEXAS SWIMMING, INC., ALL MEET OFFICIALS, AND THE CITY OF RICHARDSON SWIM TEAM SHALL BE FREE FROM ANY AND ALL LIABILITIES OR ANY CLAIMS FOR ANY DAMAGES, EVEN IF SUCH LIABILITIES OR CLAIMS ARE DUE TO THE NEGLIGENCE OF SUCH ORGANIZATIONS, ARISING BY REASON OF INJURIES TO ANYONE DURING THE CONDUCT OF THE MEET.”**

Rules:

2008 USA Swimming rules and regulations will govern the meet. North Texas Swimming, Inc. safety guidelines and warm-up procedures will be in effect at this meet.

Meet Operations:

Timed Finals: All Friday night events, 1650 Free and all relays are timed final events. The timed final events will be deck-seeded. **POSITIVE CHECK-IN IS REQUIRED FOR DECK-SEEDED EVENTS INCLUDING ALL RELAYS; FAILURE TO CHECK-IN WILL RESULT IN THE COMPETITOR BEING SCRATCHED FROM THE EVENT.**

See Check-in Section for check-in times for individual and relay events. The deck-seeded events will be listed in the heat sheet in psych sheet format.

Prelim/Finals: All remaining events besides those mentioned above will be conducted on a prelims and finals basis. These events will be pre-seeded. Flyover starts will be used in prelim and/or timed final events when appropriate.

Combined Swims: The 11-12 and 13-14 400 IM, the 10&U and 11-12 500 Free, and the 13-14 and 15&O 1650 Free will compete together but will be scored separately.

Relays: Pre-assigned relay cards will be provided to coaches at the Clerk-of-Course. Completed relay cards with names of swimmers in swimming order (including alternates) must be submitted to the Clerk-of-Course before check-in times for relays. All relay swimmers must be entered in the meet with a minimum of one individual event. **In the Senior relays, events 27 & 28 and 75 & 76, each entered team may swim 14&U swimmers, but must swim at least two 15&O swimmers.**

1650 Free: This event will be swum as timed final with the slowest heats swum at the end of Sunday prelims. The fastest 32 female and 32 male swimmers entered will be allowed to swim in this event. Heats will be swum fastest to slowest in their respective assigned pools at the end of Sunday prelims. The fastest heat of the 1650 for both females and males will be run in event order and swum simultaneously in their respective assigned pools during the Sunday evening finals. Swimmers swimming in prelims session in this event must provide their own timers and lap counters. Timers will be provided for swimmers swimming during finals. The psych sheet for this event will be published on www.corswim.org by December 1, 2008. Swimmers must check-in by 5:00pm on Saturday and may indicate preference for evening or morning swim.

500 Free and 400 IM: The 500 Free and the 400 IM will be swum fastest to slowest. Check-in is required 30 minutes prior to the start of the meet.

Pool Assignments: To ascertain that the meet can be run in the most efficient manner, upon receipt of all entries, the Meet Referee and Meet Director will then determine pool assignments for Prelims and Timed Final events. Such assignments will be published on www.corswim.org by December 1, 2008. Saturday and Sunday Final and Consolation events in the evening will be swum in the deep end.

Eligibility:

Swimmer's age as of 12/05/08 shall determine his/her age for the entire meet. A swimmer may enter any event in which he/she has achieved a current National Age Group "A" qualifying Time Standard. Further, a swimmer who has achieved one (1) current "A" time may enter one (1) bonus event; a swimmer who has achieved two (2) current "A" times may enter two (2) bonus events; a swimmer who has achieved three (3) current "A" times may enter any event he/she wishes, up to the daily and meet limit. In all bonus swims, a swimmer must have achieved a current National Age Group "BB" qualifying Time Standard. Qualifying times for 15&O events are the 15-16 "A" NAG Time Standards. No entries will be accepted unless the entrant is a registered athlete member of USA Swimming, Inc. The complete USA Swimming registration number for each individual must be placed on the team entry form. Every club entered as a team in a North Texas Swimming sanctioned meet must be a member of USA Swimming, Inc. ***No deck USA Swimming registrations will be accepted.***

Entry Information:

Limit: A swimmer may only swim two (2) events on Friday and is limited to three (3) individual events plus one (1) relay for each day on Saturday and Sunday.

Entry Time: Entry times must be submitted in 100ths of seconds. **All entry times must be current times, provable in the USA Swimming, Inc. SWIMS database. Penalty for entering with an unproved time will be removal of the swimmer from that event without refund of entry fee. Additionally, lack of proof of time(s) may affect a swimmer's bonus swim(s).**

Entry Forms: Send entries via e-mail. Entry fees are to be postmarked by the entry deadline (11/20/08).

Relay Entries: **Relay entries must be submitted to meet the entry deadline of November 20, 2008.** Relay cards and swimmer names must be submitted to the Clerk-of-Course before check-in times as described under the Check-in Section.

Fees: Individual Events: \$5.00 per event (must be postmarked by entry date).

Relay Events: \$10.00 per relay (must be paid before the event is swum).

Make checks payable to COR Swim Team.

Deadline:

ALL ENTRIES MUST BE RECEIVED NO LATER THAN 6:00PM, THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 20, 2008.

No phone or fax entries will be accepted.

E-mail entries as an attached file to lauramaczka@sbcglobal.net

Mail checks to:

Laura Maczka
Meet Director
301 Overcreek, Richardson, Texas 75080
214-732-3754

Late Entries: Swimmers must be entered in the meet by the November 20, 2008 deadline in at least one (1) individual event to be allowed to late enter events. Swimmers that wish to late enter must produce a printout of current times from the USA Swimming, Inc. SWIMS database for the event(s) that they wish to enter. This printout will be retained by the Clerk-of-Course for the meet records. ***THERE WILL BE NO EXCEPTIONS!*** Late entries will be accepted at \$15.00 per individual event until 30 minutes prior to the start of each session. However, late entries for all pre-seeded events and the 1650 Free are available only when there are open lanes in an event. NO new heats will be created. ***THERE WILL BE NO LATE ENTRIES FOR RELAYS.***

Clerk-of-Course will open at 4:00pm on Friday and 7:00am on Saturday and Sunday.

Check-in Procedures:

Pre-seeded events do not require check-in.

Check-in is required for deck-seeded events on Friday, 1650 Free and all relays at the Clerk-of-Course.

Check-in times: Friday: Swimmers must check-in before 5:00pm for all events.

1650 Free: Swimmers must check-in by 5:00pm on Saturday.

Relays: Coaches must check-in and turn in relay cards by 8:00am Saturday for Saturday relay events and by 8:00am Sunday for Sunday relay events.

Final & Consolation Heats: The Saturday and Sunday 13-14 and 15&O evening events will have a consolation and a final heat. The finals will be swum first followed by consolations. 12&U events will have a final heat only.

Scratches: Swimmers are strongly encouraged to advise the Clerk-of-Course of all scratches in order to allow another swimmer to swim. There is no penalty for scratches on the blocks in pre-seeded preliminary heats or in timed finals. Scratches may be made at the Clerk-of-Course at the beginning of the meet. For the Finals and Consolations, those swimmers who qualify and then fail to declare their intention to scratch to the Clerk-of-Course within thirty (30) minutes of the announcement of the finalists for that event, then fail to scratch within thirty (30) minutes of their last event of that session and fail to compete in the event in the finals will be barred from all subsequent competition in the meet.

Timers: All teams are requested to make available one timer for every 10 swimmers entered in the meet. Lanes will be assigned to teams accordingly. Please see the Meet Program for lane assignment for each day.

Scoring: Events will be scored as follows:

Individual: 20-17-16-15-14-13-12-11 (1st to 8th).

9-7-6-5-4-3-2-1 (9th to 16th).

12&U events scoring for places 9 to 16 will be done from prelims.

Relays: 40-34-32-30-28-26-24-22 (1st to 8th).

Relays will be scored on the top 8 places only.

Awards:

Ribbons/Medals: Individual Events: Event 1st to 3rd place, custom medals; 4th to 8th place, ribbons.

Relays: Event 1st to 3rd place, custom medals

High Point Team: Combined team championship

1st place Girls team

1st place Boys team

Small Team Award: 1st place Team Award, combined Girls and Boys – eligible teams are teams having 20 or less swimmers at the meet.

Individual: High Point, Girl Swimmer

High Point, Boy Swimmer

Awards must be picked up during the meet. Awards will not be mailed.

Programs/Heat Sheets: Programs for Prelims will be available for \$10.00 each with two coupons that may be redeemed for Saturday and Sunday Finals heat sheets at no additional cost.

Hospitality: A hospitality area will be provided for coaches and officials.

Officials: This meet has been certified as an N2 and N3 qualifying meet. An application for evaluation is requested prior to the meet. Applications should be emailed to the Meet Director at meetdirector@corswim.org. The application for evaluation is included in the meet information and is also available at www.corswim.org or www.usaswimming.org.

Meet Director: Laura Maczka meetdirector@corswim.org 214-732-3754
Mike Maczka 214-732-3582

Clerk-of-Course: Nancy Progelhof

Meet Referee: Bob Lang

Administrative Referee: Ann Lang

Officials Evaluator:

Starter: Stephanie Jones

Stroke and Turn Judges: Nancy Saunders, Gina Silver

Schedule of Events:

Friday, 12/05/08				
Girls Event #	"A" Time	Event	"A" Time	Boys Event #
1	2:55.99	10&U 200 IM	2:55.29	2
3*	5:38.09	11-12 400 IM	5:31.99	4*
3*	5:19.59	13-14 400 IM	5:02.39	4*
5	5:14.09	15&O 400 IM	4:49.09	6
7*	6:48.39	10&U 500 Free	6:44.59	8*
7*	6:09.29	11-12 500 Free	6:04.69	8*
9	5:32.99	13-14 500 Free	5:39.39	10
11	5:48.39	15&O 500 Free	5:25.29	12

*Combined swim, shared event # for both age groups, scored separately.

Saturday, 12/06/08				
Girls Event #	"A" Time	Event	"A" Time	Boys Event #
13	1:26.69	10&U 100 Fly	1:25.69	14
15	1:13.59	11-12 100 Fly	1:12.19	16
17	2:28.59	13-14 200 Fly	2:20.79	18
19	2:26.59	15&O 200 Fly	2:14.39	20
21		10&U 200 Free Relay		22
23		11-12 400 Free Relay		24
25		13-14 800 Free Relay		26
27		Senior 800 Free Relay		28
29	1:22.19	10&U 100 Back	1:21.69	30
31	1:14.89	11-12 100 Back	1:12.29	32
33	1:08.69	13-14 100 Back	1:04.89	34
35	1:07.69	15&O 100 Back	1:01.29	36
37	2:36.39	10&U 200 Free	2:31.89	38
39	2:20.19	11-12 200 Free	2:16.59	40
41	2:14.19	13-14 200 Free	2:05.79	42
43	2:11.49	15&O 200 Free	2:00.79	44
45	41.99	10&U 50 Breast	42.49	46
47	37.99	11-12 50 Breast	37.59	48
49	2:47.99	13-14 200 Breast	2:36.29	50
51	2:44.69	15&O 200 Breast	2:30.09	52
53	32.39	10&U 50 Free	31.89	54
55	29.79	11-12 50 Free	28.59	56

57	28.69	13-14 50 Free	26.59	58
59	28.19	15&O 50 Free	25.39	60

Schedule of Events, Cont'd:

Sunday, 12/07/08				
Girls Event #	"A" Time	Event	"A" Time	Boys Event #
61	1:23.19	10&U 100 IM	1:21.29	62
63	2:38.59	11-12 200 IM	2:35.89	64
65	2:31.29	13-14 200 IM	2:21.89	66
67	2:28.39	15&O 200 IM	2:15.69	68
69		10&U 200 Medley Relay		70
71		11-12 400 Medley Relay		72
73		13-14 400 Medley Relay		74
75		Senior 400 Medley Relay		76
77	37.29	10&U 50 Fly	36.69	78
79	32.69	11-12 50 Fly	32.39	80
81	1:08.09	13-14 100 Fly	1:03.39	82
83	1:06.89	15&O 100 Fly	1:00.49	84
85	38.19	10&U 50 Back	38.39	86
87	34.29	11-12 50 Back	33.69	88
89	2:27.29	13-14 200 Back	2:19.49	90
91	2:25.89	15&O 200 Back	2:12.69	92
93*	20:12.19	13-14 1650 Free	19:29.49	94*
93*	19:58.89	15&O 1650 Free	18:47.99	94*
95	1:33.39	10&U 100 Breast	1:32.69	96
97	1:22.19	11-12 100 Breast	1:21.09	98
99	1:17.99	13-14 100 Breast	1:12.29	100
101	1:16.39	15&O 100 Breast	1:09.19	102
103	1:12.29	10&U 100 Free	1:19.79	104
105	1:03.09	11-12 100 Free	1:02.89	106
107	1:02.19	13&14 100 Free	57.99	108
109	1:01.09	15&O 100 Free	55.39	110

*Combined swim, shared event # for both age groups, scored separately.

1650 slowest heats swum at the end of Sunday prelims, final heat swum in event order during Sunday finals.

All 1650 Free swimmers in prelims session must provide their own timer and counter.

Timers will be provided for 1650 Free swim during final session.