

Minnesota Short Course 14 & Under State Championships  
(All Zones) with Time Trials  
Thursday, Friday, Saturday, & Sunday - March 15-18, 2012  
Rochester Recreation Center

**Sponsored By: Med-City Aquatics**

**Sanctioned By: Minnesota Swimming, Inc. and USA Swimming, Inc.**

**Meet Sanction Number: MN12W – 01 – 10Y**

**Time Trial Sanction Number: MN12W – 01 – 115Y**

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**Safety Coordinator: Jeff Chida**

**Team Coaches: Billy Howard, Sue Bass, Logan Petzold, Kris Koepp**

**Club Officials: Natalie Kuramoto, Jill Schimke, Scott Young, Jim Dervin**

**Officials: MSI Qualified Officials**

**Team President: Robert Taraba**

**Registration Chair: Cassy Shapley, 1001 Highway # 7, Hopkins, MN 55305 (952)988-4184**

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**Meet Type:** This is a 3 1/2 day Prelim/Finals for 11-12, 13-14 and Timed Finals meet for 9-10 and 8 & Under swimmers with Champ times from all zones including Minnesota's out state swimmers.

**Purpose:** To encourage and promote competitive swimming among age group swimmers.

**Pool Location:** Rochester-Olmsted County Recreation Center Natatorium

21 Elton Hills Drive, Rochester, MN 55901

Telephone # for emergency use only: (507) 281-6167

**Directions:** Approaching Rochester from the South or North on US Highway 52 take the 19th Street Northwest Exit. If you are coming from the North, take a left turn (East) off the ramp onto 19<sup>th</sup> Street. After crossing the highway bridge, go straight at the stop light onto Elton Hills Drive. Follow the winding Elton Hills Drive to just before the intersection with Broadway (0.8 mile). The Rec Center is on the left prior to the Broadway intersection. If you approach from the South, exit at 19<sup>th</sup> Street. Turn right off the ramp onto 19<sup>th</sup> street. Go straight at the light onto Elton Hills Drive. Follow Elton Hills Drive similarly. Entrance to the pool on competitive days is on the WEST side.

**PARK ONLY ON THE WEST SIDE OF THE FACILITY PLEASE.**

## Time Schedule

### 11-12 and 13-14

Thursday March 15	Finals warm-up pool opens 3:30 PM, Meet Start: 5:00 PM
Friday March 16	Prelims warm-up pool opens 7:00 AM, Meet Start: 8:30 AM
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Saturday March 17	Prelims warm-up pool opens 7:00 AM, Meet Start: 8:30 AM
Saturday March 17	Finals warm-up pool opens 4:00 PM, Meet Start: 5:30 PM
Sunday March 18	Prelims warm-up pool opens 7:00 AM, Meet Start: 8:30 AM
Sunday March 18	1650 Finals start at 12:30 PM
Sunday March 18	Finals warm-up pool opens 4:30 PM, Meet Start: 5:00 PM

### 9-10

Friday March 16	Finals warm-up pool opens 3:00 PM, Meet Start: 4:30 PM
Saturday March 17	Finals Warm-up pool opens 12:30 PM, Meet Start: 2:00 PM
Sunday March 18	Finals warm-up pool opens 1:30 PM, Meet Start: 2:00 PM

### 8 and Unders

Saturday March 17	Finals Warm-up pool opens 12:30 PM, Meet Start: 2:00 PM
Sunday March 18	Finals warm-up pool opens 1:30 PM, Meet Start: 2:00 PM

**Facility:** Eight lane, 50 meter indoor pool with a bulkhead that separates the pool into two eight-lane 25 yard courses. The pool is equipped with lane lines and backstroke pennants. Slanted starting blocks are 29 inches above the water surface. The pool depth at the starting end is 16 feet, rising to 7 feet at the bulkhead. Host team reserves the right to start from both ends if needed.

**Course Certification:** The competition course has not been certified in accordance with 104.2.2C(4).

**Continuous warm-up will be available in the shallow-end 25-yard course unless it is being used for competition. Use of the warm-up pool will be restricted to swimmers warming-up and warming down. The NO DIVING rule will constantly be in effect in the warm-up pool. No horseplay will be permitted.**

**Timing:** Electronic timing system with backup buttons and watches, horn start and touchpads at the start end of the pool.

**Meet Lane Timing Needs:** A motion was passed on 10/20/1998 that states: "During all MSI regularly bid, sanctioned events, visiting clubs will provide timers as necessary for the duration of the competition. The meet will not begin until the timing needs have been met. The host club may not place requirements on any individual team to participate at any specific level."

If your club would like to help out on a specific time or day, please contact the Meet Director.

**Closed Meet:** The Minnesota State Swimming Championships are open to any Minnesota registered athlete. Swimmers who are registered in LSC'S other than Minnesota are not eligible to swim.

**Proof of Times:** All events entered must have verifiable times (from a sanctioned or approved USA Swimming Meet or Time Trial) meeting the MN TSE for that specific event. Proof of these times must accompany your entries. MSI suggests you use the "proof of time" option offered in Hy-Tek's Team Manager.

**Meet Format:** All 8 & Under, 9-10 events are timed finals, 11-12 and 13-14 are prelim/finals with the top 16 advancing to finals. The 1650, 1000 and 500 Free, 400 IM and all Relays are finals events. All swimmers must report to their blocks for the start of their heat. The 1650, 1000 and 500 Free will require a positive check-in and are deck seeded. All other events are pre-seeded. The 500 Free and all relays will have the top 8 seeds swimming in the finals session. All relays will be swum as described in the Relay section of this information.

**Entries:** All entries must be completed by the entering club or individual who will be solely responsible for the accuracy of the entry. Please call the entries person for directions if you need to hand deliver.

Entries must include Hy-Tek (or compatible) Team Manager proof of times or they will NOT be accepted. (Teams would have until the Wednesday Deadline to send in the proven copy of their entry)

- 1) Procedure for swimmers who do not achieve the time standard :
  - i) Swimmers time will be checked by the host team (host team will keep penalty money).
  - ii) If time is not proven, \$100.00 penalty will be paid to the host team. (Proof of time must come from the meet where the time was achieved, as stated on the team's or individual's meet entry.)
  - iii) The host team's swimmers will be checked by ASCA-MN and host teams will pay ASCA-MN.
  - iv) When a swimmer uses high school times as proof and does not achieve the time standard, the swimmer will have until the end of the meet to prove their time. Proof times will be accepted from "official meets" which, for high school would include any meet with verifiable results signed by the official in charge of that meet.

**Entry Limitations:** Age of a swimmer is determined by their age on the first day of the State Meet.

<b>Event Limits:</b>	13 & 14	3 individual events/day	7 event maximum + 2 time trials
	11 & 12	3 individual events/day	7 event maximum + 2 time trials
	9 & 10	4 individual events/day	8 event maximum including time trials
	8 & Under	4 individual events/day	6 event maximum including time trials

Relays do not count against limits.

### Qualifying Criterion for State Champs for swimmers who *age-up* between A/B Finals and State

Swimmers are allowed to swim the events from their old age group in which they HAD champ time(s), in their new age group, provided:

- They age up in between the starting dates of A/B Finals (March 2, 2012) and State (March 15, 2012).
- They are either 8 becoming 9, or 10 becoming 11 or 12 becoming 13
- They have champ time(s) in their old age group before A/B Finals (March 2, 2012).

Champ times made for the younger age group at A/B Finals **may not** be entered in State under this provision.

This affects only those events in which a swimmer had champ times (old age group) and do not now have champ times (new age group). These swimmers will not be counted in the MSI formula concerning number of relays allowed at State based on number of champ swimmers. Swimmers being entered under this new criterion must note this on the hard copy of the entry sheet. All seed times must be in either short course yards (seeded first), long course meters (seeded next) or short course meters (seeded final).

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Minnesota host teams must use Hy-Tek or SDIF compatible software to run swim meets. Those teams using disk entry must use Hy-Tek or SDIF compatible software (Team Manager) to enter this meet. There will be no disks sent out to clubs. Please include a PRINTED AND PROOFED copy of your COMMLINK REPORT, along with your disk as well as the fees calculation form. Minnesota clubs entering this meet must use Hy-Tek or SDIF compatible disk entry unless your club is on record with MSI that you cannot comply with the disk entry requirement. Clubs outside of the state of Minnesota may use Hy-Tek or SDIF compatible to enter this meet or may use the entry form included with this entry.

**RELAYS: To enter a relay at this meet teams must have one swimmer in the age group (by gender) who is entered and swims in at least one individual event at the meet.**

1. All swimmers must be registered members of the club they are swimming with. No unattached swimmers may swim on a relay, nor can there be an “unattached relay” entered in an event.
2. All swimmers must be listed on the club entry sheet or disk in an individual event, or as a “relay only” or “relay alternate” swimmer.
3. A club may enter more than one relay in any event (except 800 Free Relay\*) only if the number of swimmers they have with champ times exceeds any multiple of four plus one additional swimmer with a champ time and all those swimmers are entered in the meet. (To enter two (2) relays, you must have five (5) champ swimmers, to enter three (3) relays, you must have nine (9) champ swimmers). If an 8 & under is used to create an additional relay, that swimmer must compete on that relay.

All relay swimmers must meet the requirements 1-3 above.

Swimmer’s name, ID# and ages must be put on relay cards.

A swimmer may not swim the same relay in two different age groups, e.g. swimmers that participate in both the Senior and Age Group Championship meets cannot swim the same relay on both weekends. Example: A swimmer competing on a 200 Free relay in the Age Group meet cannot swim in the Senior 200 Free Relay.

All relays are timed finals. For the 200 & 400 Free and Medley Relays the fastest seeded heat of each 11-12 and 13-14 age group will swim in the Finals session. The remaining relays will swim in the Prelim session, scored and awarded from the final results.

**\*Entries for the 800 Free Relay are as follows:**

1. Each club is limited to one 800 Free Relay by gender (subject to participant formula).
2. Require qualifying aggregate time equal to four times the 'A' standard for the 200 Freestyle for each age group/gender.
3. Aggregate provable times of actual relay participants must meet the qualifying aggregate time.

Age	Female		Male	
	SCY	LCM	SCY	LCM
13-14	8:59.19	10:11.19	8:25.59	9:37.59

**ENTRY DUE DATE: An Email copy of your entry including all proof of times is due Wednesday, March 7th, 2011 by 2:00PM. You will receive an e-mail reply as confirmation. If you DO NOT receive a reply within 24 hours, call the entries chair (507-273-7670).**

**Fees:** \$2.50 per entrant listed on the entry sheet, including “relay only” swimmers, \$5.00 per individual splash, \$20.00 per relay entered. Summary cost per calculation sheet. Swimmers listed as relay alternates only do not have a fee. Checks payable to: **MED-CITY AQUATICS**

**Full Payment (mailed or hand delivered) of ALL Meet Entry Fees is required prior to the 1<sup>st</sup> session in which a club has swimmers.  
No swimmer on the club shall participate until the club is paid in full.**

**Time Standards:** 2009-2012 MSI time standards as published on the MSI website will be used. A swimmer must have a CH time or faster to enter the meet. The time must have been achieved since January 1, 2011 and be verifiable. The meet will be seeded with conforming times first and non-conforming times thereafter. The order will be short-course yards, long course meters, short course meters.

**Awards:** Individual Events: 1st - 8th place medals. Relay Events: 1st - 8th place medals. Awards will be presented to the top 8 finishers in each event at award ceremonies during the meet. Certificates will be given to the Top 3 High Point swimmers in each age group and sex. High Point State Championship and Runner-up plaques will be awarded separately for male and female teams in the following age groups: 8 & U, 10 & U, 11-12 and 13-14. An Age Group Championship Trophy will be awarded to the top team. At the completion of both Senior and 14 & Under State Championship meets, team totals will be combined and Team High Point Banners will be awarded to the Top 5 teams in A, AA & AAA Divisions.

**Scoring:** Individual Event Points: 20-17-16-15-14-13-12-11-9-7-6-5-4-3-2-1. Relay event points: 40-34-32-30-28-26-24-22-18-14-12-10-8-6-4-2. All events will be scored to 16 places. This meet will be scored and combined with the Senior State meet totals for Team High Point Banners.

**Distance Events:** A positive check-in will be required for the 1650, 1000 and 500 Free. Check-in will be required by the event number stated at the coach's meeting. Heats will be swum fastest to slowest, all age groups (within the session) combined, genders alternating separated for score/awards by age group offered at the meet (per legislation dated June 17, 2008). Minnesota Scratch rules will be in effect.

**Time Trials:** Time trials will be offered, time permitting, at a time designated by the administrative referee. Time trials are open only to swimmers in the meet. \$5.00 per event. Sign up will be at the meet administration area. Time trials count toward a swimmers entry limit - See Entry Limitations.

**Concessions:** Will be provided in the gym. Camping is permitted in the gym.

**Meet Information, Rules and Regulations:** All information rules and regulations, including time standards, schedules, orders of events, meet operations and requirements will be in accordance with Minnesota Swimming, Inc. competitive rules and regulations and USA Swimming Rules and Regulations current editions.

**USA Swimming Membership:** All swimmers must be current 2012 registered athlete members of USA Swimming. All coaches must be current 2012 registered non-athlete members of USA Swimming and have certification required to be a USA Swimming Coach. Any club or individual entering a non-USA Swimming registered swimmer will be subject to a \$25.00 fine per event per swimmer.

**Warm-up:** Current MSI and USA Swimming Rules will govern all aspects of the warm-ups and competition. Swimmers and coaches are expected to be acquainted with all rules and obligations. Failure to follow will result in disqualification of swimmer(s) or coach(s) from next individual event or expulsion from the meet. The NO Diving and Slip-In Entry rules will be strictly enforced.

**Racing start certification:** 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.

**Swimmers Without a Coach Present:** 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.

**TIMELINES:** Any timelines provided, whether through the MSI phone line, on the MSI web site, or in the meet program, are for information purposes only. Session start times are only approximations, be aware that sessions may start earlier than published.

**Changes to the Meet Information:** Any changes to the meet information will be discussed, reviewed and voted on at the coaches meeting held each morning before the beginning of the first session of the day. Changes must be approved by a 100% vote of coaches in attendance at the appointed meeting.

**Meet Committee:** A meet committee will be formed by the meet referee. It will consist of at least one official (excluding the meet referee), one coach (not from the host club) and one athlete (not from the host club). Judgment decisions cannot be protested.

**Coach Meeting:** Will take place on a regular basis at the discretion of the meet referee. The meeting will not take place during warm-up or the meet unless an emergency decision must be discussed.

**Additional Information:** No spectators allowed on the pool deck. No swimmers wearing street shoes will be allowed on the pool deck. Coaches and Officials are requested to wear clean tennis shoes. No dancing or stomping on the bulkhead.

Use of audio or visual recording devices, including a cell phone, is not permitted in changing areas, rest rooms or locker rooms.

## 2012 SC State Championship Event Order

Female #	<b>Thursday</b>	Male #
1	13-14 1000 Freestyle*	2
3	13-14 400 IM*	4
5	13-14 800 Freestyle Relay*	6
<b>Friday</b>		
7	9-10 100 Breaststroke	8
9	11-12 100 Breaststroke	10
11	13-14 100 Breaststroke	12
13	9-10 100 Butterfly	14
15	11-12 100 Butterfly	16
17	13-14 100 Butterfly	18
19	9-10 200 IM	20
21	11-12 200 IM	22
23	13-14 200 IM	24
25	9-10 100 Backstroke	26
27	11-12 100 Backstroke	28
29	13-14 100 Backstroke	30
31	11-12 500 Freestyle**	32
33	13-14 500 Freestyle**	34
<b>Saturday AM/PM</b>		
35	11-12 200 Medley Relay**	36
37	13-14 200 Medley Relay**	38
39	11-12 200 Breaststroke	40
41	13-14 200 Breaststroke	42
43	11-12 100 IM	44
45	13-14 100 IM	46
47	11-12 50 Freestyle	48
49	13-14 50 Freestyle	50
51	11-12 50 Breaststroke	52
53	13-14 200 Freestyle	54
55	11-12 200 Freestyle	56
57	13-14 400 Medley Relay**	58
59	11-12 400 Medley Relay**	60
<b>Saturday Afternoon</b>		
101	10 & Under 200 Medley Relay	102
103	8 & Under 100 IM	104
105	9-10 100 IM	106
107	8 & Under 50 Freestyle	108
109	9-10 50 Freestyle	110
111	8 & Under 50 Breaststroke	112
113	9-10 50 Breaststroke	114
115	9-10 200 Freestyle	116

Female #	Sunday AM/PM	Male #
61	11-12 200 Freestyle Relay*#	62
63	13-14 200 Freestyle Relay*#	64
65	11-12 200 Butterfly	66
67	13-14 200 Butterfly	68
69	11-12 50 Backstroke	70
71	11-12 100 Freestyle	72
73	13-14 100 Freestyle	74
75	11-12 200 Backstroke	76
77	13-14 200 Backstroke	78
79	11-12 50 Butterfly	80
81	13-14 400 Freestyle Relay*#	82
83	11-12 400 Freestyle Relay*#	84
85	13-14 1650 Freestyle*	86
<b>Sunday Afternoon</b>		
117	10 & Under 200 Freestyle Relay	118
119	8 & Under 50 Backstroke	120
121	9-10 50 Backstroke	122
123	8 & Under 100 Freestyle	124
125	9-10 100 Freestyle	126
127	8 & Under 50 Butterfly	128
129	9-10 50 Butterfly	130
<b>All 9-10, 8 &amp; Under events are finals</b>		
<b>* 11-12, 13-14 Finals</b>		
<b># Top 8 seeds swimming during finals</b>		

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Fee Calculation Form - return with your entry  
14 and Under State Championship March 15-18 2012

Sanction # **MN12W - 01 - 10Y** Time Trial Sanction # **MN12W - 01 - 115Y**

Your Club: \_\_\_\_\_ Club Abbreviation: \_\_\_\_\_

Coach: \_\_\_\_\_ Coach's Phone #(\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Entries Person: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone # (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Entry Data costs:

\_\_\_\_\_ total Swimmers x 2.50 = \$ \_\_\_\_\_ # of boys = \_\_\_\_\_ # of girls = \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ total Splashes x \$ 5.00 = \$ \_\_\_\_\_ # of boys = \_\_\_\_\_ # of girls = \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ total Relays x \$ 20.00 = \$ \_\_\_\_\_ # of boys = \_\_\_\_\_ # of girls = \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Full summary x \$10.00 (Hard Copy) = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Team Results only x \$ 4.00 (Hard Copy) = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Disk results only x \$2.00 = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

TOTAL DUE = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Make Checks Payable to: Med-City Aquatics. All fees are due with your entry. Return this page with your entry.

**Summaries should be mailed to the following:**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Address \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_

**Who should we contact if we have a problem with your entry? Please Print Clearly & provide an email contact.**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Day Phone #: (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Eve Phone #: (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

*(If you are having a team representative pick up awards, add a place for the name and phone number of this person.)*

Mail entries with check to: Mike Schumacher 4307 56 Street Lane NW Rochester, MN 55901

**The undersigned team representative certifies by his/her signature that all athletes participating in this meet are currently registered athlete members of USA Swimming, Inc. The undersigned further certifies that any person appearing on deck in this meet in the capacity of coach is currently a coach member of USA Swimming, Inc.**

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Printed Name: \_\_\_\_\_

CLUB \_\_\_\_\_ CLUB ABBREV: \_\_\_\_\_  
 ENTRY CHAIRPERSON \_\_\_\_\_  
 ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_ PHONE \_\_\_\_\_

INDIVIDUAL ENTRIES

Swimmer's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_ Sex: \_\_\_\_\_ D.O.B. \_\_\_\_\_  
 USS# \_\_\_\_\_

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RELAY ENTRIES

Event No.							
Team (A/B...)							
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