



NEW YORK SHARKS FEBRUARY INVITATIONAL SWIM MEET

At Felix Festa Middle School
Saturday, and Sunday, February 5th – 6th, 2011

METRO SANCTION #110205

Invited Teams: New Jersey Waves (NJ), Morris County Swim Club (NJ), New Jersey Race Club (NJ), Greenwich YMCA Swim Club (CT), Madison YMCA (NJ), Zeus Swim Club (CT), New Paltz Hawks (AD) and All Metro Swim Clubs

Invitational Meet Announcement

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- SANCTION:** Held under the sanction of USA Swimming/Metropolitan Swimming, Inc., # **110205**
- LOCATION:** **FELIX FESTA MIDDLE SCHOOL, 30 PARROTT ROAD, WEST NYACK, NY 10994**
- FACILITY:** Felix Festa is an indoor, 8 lane, 50 meter pool with a bulkhead. The meet will be run in 25 yard course in the deep end of the pool. The shallow end will be open for continuous warm-up throughout the meet. There is seating for 700 spectators in the balcony. A Colorado fully automatic timing system with an 8 lane read-out board will be used.
The pool **HAS BEEN** certified in accordance with Article 104.2.2C (4)
- SESSIONS:** Session #1: 11-12 and 15 and Over Age Group – 7:30 AM Warm Up, 8:30 AM Start
Session #2: 10 and Under and 13-14 Age Group – 1:00 PM Warm Up, 2:00 PM Start
Session #3: 11-12 and 15 and Over Age Group – 7:30 AM Warm Up, 8:30 AM Start
Session #4: 10 and Under and 13-14 Age Group, 1:00 PM Warm Up, 2:00 PM Start
- FORMAT:** This is a Time Final Event
The 11 and Over 500 Free will be limited to a total of 6 heats.
The meet will be deck seeded
- 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 **February 5, 2011** 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:** All Athletes are limited to enter 3 events per session.
11 and Over 500 Free will be limited to a total of 6 heats
Deck entries will not be accepted
NT's will not be accepted
Entries are by invite and will be entered in the order received as space allows.
Hy-Tek Email entries will be accepted. An Entry Summary with a signed waiver must be sent to the office for entries to be considered by January 21, 2011.
- U.S. Mail Entries/Payment to: **NYSA, C/O Denise Byrne, 32 Fitzgerald Court, Monroe, NY 10950**
Email Entries/Confirm Entry Receipt: **nysharksoffice@gmail.com**
If sending express mail, please sign the waiver on the front.
- DEADLINE:** Entries must be received by : **January 21, 2011**
- 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 **\$\$3.00** per individual event must accompany the entries.
Make check payable to: **NYSAquatics**
Payment must be received by **February 3, 2011** 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 with assigned lanes for the first 40 minutes. Sprint lanes and General Lanes will be available for the remaining 10 minutes. Lane assignments will be distributed along with the scratch sheets for each session.

- 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:** **Awards for all 8 & Under, 10 & Under, 11-12, 13-14, and 15 & Over Individual events will be presented medals for 1st through 3rd, and ribbons for 4th through 8th places**
Awards will be given to 8 & Under and 9-10 in all 10 and Under events.
Awards will be given to 11-12, 13-14 and 15 & Over in the 400 IM and 500 Freestyle.
- OFFICIALS:** **Meet Referee: Tina Ficarelli, mommiefic@yahoo.com**
Officials wishing to volunteer should contact Meet Referee by January 21, 2011
- MEET DIRECTOR:** **Denise Byrne, nysharksoffice@gmail.com, 845-548-4772**
Robert Ficarelli
Tina Ficarelli
- 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 **NY Sharks Swim Club, NYSAquatics, Clarkstown Central School District, Felix Festa Middle School**, Metropolitan Swimming Inc., USA Swimming Inc., their agents or representatives for any injury occurring as a result of the meet.
- ADMISSION:** **Admissions are \$5.00**
Programs are \$4.00
- MERCHANTS:** **SWIM NEW JERSEY for all your swimming gear!**
NY Sharks Concession Stand for your convenience.
- PARKING:** **There is free unlimited parking around Felix Festa Middle School. Cars parking on PARROTT ROAD WILL BE TICKETED AND TOWED. All cars must be in designated parking spaces or they will be ticketed by the Clarkstown Police Department.**
- DIRECTIONS:**
- **MapQuest:**
<http://www.mapquest.com/maps?city=West+Nyack&state=NY&address=30+Parrott+Road&zipcode=10994>
 - **From New Jersey:**
 - 1) Take the Garden State Parkway North or Interstate 287 North.
 - 2) Either highway joins the New York State Thruway (Interstate 87). Follow signs for New York State Thruway South toward Tappan Zee Bridge.
 - 3) Exit New York State Thruway at exit 13N (Palisades Parkway North)
 - 4) Exit the Palisades Parkway at Exit 10.
 - 5) Follow to the end of the ramp and make a right at the light onto Germonds Road.
 - 6) Take Germonds to the next light and cross over Route 304.
 - 7) Go straight on Germonds Road.
 - 8) Head straight onto Parrott Road.
 - 9) Felix Festa Middle School is on the left. Pool entrance and parking area is in the back of the school by the tennis courts.
 - **Alternate From New Jersey:**
 - 1) Take the Palisades Parkway North from Fort Lee (instead of the Garden State Parkway or

Interstate 287).

2) Take Exit 10 from the Palisade Parkway and follow directions #5 above.

- **From New York City:**

1) Take the George Washington Bridge to the Palisades Parkway North.

2) Take Exit 10 from the Palisade Parkway and follow directions #5 above.

- **From Westchester County Vicinity:**

1) Take the Tappan Zee Bridge. Follow the New York Thruway North (Interstate 87)

2) Exit New York State Thruway at exit 13N (Palisades Parkway North)

3) Take Exit 10 from the Palisade Parkway and follow directions #5 above.

- **From Rockland County:**

1) Take the New York State Thruway South (Interstate 87) to Exit 13N for Palisades Parkway North.

2) Take Exit 10 from the Palisade Parkway and follow directions #5 above.

- **Alternate from Rockland County:**

1) Take the Palisade Parkway South from the Bear Mountain vicinity to Exit 10.

2) Take Exit 10 from the Palisade Parkway and follow directions #5 above.

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 5, 2011

SESSION #1 – 7:30 AM Warm Up, 8:30 AM Start

11-12 and 15 and Over Age Groups

Girls Event #	Age Group Event	Boys Event #
1	15 & Over- 200 yd. Freestyle	2
3	11-12 – 200 yd. Freestyle	4
5	15 & Over 100 yd. Breaststroke	6
7	11-12 – 50 yd. Breaststroke	8
9	15 & Over – 100 yd. Backstroke	10
11	11-12- 100 yd. Backstroke	12
13	15 and Over – 200 yd. Butterfly	14
15	11-12 – 100 yd. Butterfly	16
17	15 & Over -50 yd. Freestyle	18
19	11-12 -50 yd. Freestyle	20
21	11 and Over -400 yd. Ind. Medley	22

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SESSION #2 – 1:00 PM Warm Up, 2:00 PM Start

10 and Under and 13-14 Age Groups

Girls Event #	Age Group Events	Boys Event #
23	13-14 - 200 yd. Freestyle	24
25	10 and Under 100 yd. Freestyle	26
27	13-14 – 100 yd. Breaststroke	28
29	10 and Under – 100 yd. Breaststroke	30
31	13-14 - 100 yd. Backstroke	32
33	10 and Under – 50 yd. Backstroke	34
35	13-14 – 200 yd. Butterfly	36
37	10 and Under- 100 yd. Butterfly	38
39	13-14 – 200 yd. Ind. Medley	40
41	10 and Under – 100 yd. Ind. Medley	42

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SESSION #3 – 7:30 AM Warm Up, 8:30 AM Start

11-12 and 15 and Over Age Groups

Girls Event #	Age Group Events	Boys Event #
43	11-12 – 100 yd. Freestyle	44
45	15 & Over – 100 yd. Freestyle	46
47	11-12 – 100 yd. Breaststroke	48
49	15 & Over – 200 yd. Breaststroke	50
51	11-12 – 50 yd. Backstroke	52
53	15 & Over 200 yd. Backstroke	54
55	11-12 - 50 yd. Butterfly	56
57	15 & Over - 100 yd. Butterfly	58
59	11-12 - 200 yd. Ind. Medley	60
61	15 & Over – 200 yd. Ind. Medley	62
63	11 and Over – 500 yd. Freestyle	64

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SESSION #4 – 1:00 PM Warm Up, 2:00 PM Start

10 and Under and 13-14 Age Groups

Girls Event #	Age Group Events	Boys Event #
65	10 and Under -200 yd. Freestyle	66
67	13-14 – 100 yd. Freestyle	68
69	10 and Under – 50 yd. Breaststroke	70
71	13-14 – 200 yd. Breaststroke	72
73	10 and Under – 100 yd. Backstroke	74
75	13-14 – 200 yd. Backstroke	76
77	10 and Under 50 yd. Butterfly	78
79	13-14 – 100 yd. Butterfly	80
81	10 and Under – 50 yd. Freestyle	82
83	13-14 – 50 yd. Freestyle	84
85	10 and Under – 200 yd. Ind. Medley	86

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WAIVER

In consideration of 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, Clarkstown Central School District, Felix Festa Middle School, Metro Swimming, Swim New Jersey, and the NEW YORK SHARKS AQUATIC TEAM and their Staff** for any injuries and/or expenses occurred by me/us at the swim meet, or while on the road to and from the meet. I/we are bona fide amateur athletes and eligible to compete in all the events I/we have entered.

NAME OF CLUB: _____

USS CLUB ABBREVIATION: _____

SIGNATURE OF CLUB OFFICIAL, COACH, AND/OR PARENT OR GUARDIAN:

_____ (Print Name)

_____ (Signature)

_____ (Address)

_____ (Telephone)

NAME(S) OR COACH: _____

LOCATION OF CLUB: _____ (City) _____ (State)

NAME/PHONE #/E-MAIL ADDRESS of person to contact regarding this entry:

NAME/PHONE #/E-MAIL ADDRESS OF PERSON TO CONTACT REGARDING TIMERS/OFFICIALS:

NAME/PHONE #/E-MAIL ADDRESS OF PERSON TO RECEIVE FINAL RESULTS:

ENTRY _____ Individual Event Entries @ \$3.00 = __ \$ _____

FEE

SUMMARY: _____ Relay Event Entries @ \$8.00 = __ \$ _____

TOTAL ENTRY FEES = __ \$ _____

MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO: NYS AQUATICS

List All Unattached Swimmers:

Unattached Swimmer: _____ Unattached Swimmer: _____

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