



2023 YMSC Half Dome Haven - Fall “A2 Format” Meet

Hosted by Yosemite Marlins Swim Club

October 7, 2023

Held under the sanction of USA Swimming / CCS
Sanction #S19223JO

- Time:** Warm-up: 7:30a.m. – 8:45a.m. Meet Start: 9:00a.m.
- Location:** **BAKER SWIM COMPLEX**
Yosemite High School 50200 High School Road (Road 427), Oakhurst CA 93644. Hwy 99 to North on HWY 41 towards Yosemite National Park. Right on Road 426, Left at School Road, Right at Yosemite High School marque.
- Facility:** 25m x 25yd pool with an additional small shallow warm-up area. The main competition pool has a minimum depth of 7 feet. The competition course has not been certified according to articles 104.2.2 C (4) USAS rules and regulations. There is a large deck area with some provided shade. **Propane Heaters are prohibited.**
- Use of audio or visual recording devices, including a cell phone, is not permitted in changing areas, restrooms or locker rooms. For Athlete Protection, Central California Swimming prohibits the use of photography and audio or visual recording devices, including a cell phone, behind the starting blocks throughout the meet. 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. Deck changes are prohibited.**
- Format:** This is a timed-finals, short course yards, age group meet. The competition will be modified to fit the “4-hour rule.” In order to achieve this, swimmers entered in 4 events may need to scratch one of their entered events. If this is necessary, teams will be notified within 72 hours of the meet start time to make those changes to their entry file.
- Warm-Up:** All warm-ups must be supervised by a current USAS registered coach. If a swimmer does not have a coach at the meet, he/she must report to the Meet Referee for lane and coach assignment. Dive and pace lanes will be assigned at the discretion of the Meet Referee. **Swimmers must use “3-point” entries when entering the water for warm-up and warm-down.**
- Rules:** Current USAS and CCS rules will apply. All swimmers must be 2023 USAS registered. This meet will be **PRE-SEEDED** with events seeded in heats running **FASTEST TO SLOWEST** according to submitted times. This is a **timed finals** swim meet. All swimmers must compete in their age group as determined by their age on the day of the meet. **Swimmers may compete in up to 4 individual events per day. No deck entries will be allowed.**

TECHNICAL SUITS: No technical suits shall be worn by any 12 & Under athlete member in competition at any sanctioned, approved, or observed CCS Meet. This includes any suit with bonded or taped seams regardless of its fabric or silhouette or any suit with woven fabric extending past the hips. (Note: Woven Fabric – A suit with woven fabric and sewn seams that does not extend below the hips is permitted. Knit fabric – A suit with knit fabric and sewn seams not extending below the knees is permitted). [CLICK HERE](#) for the USA Swimming FAQ page regarding technical suits and 12&Under athletes.

Swimmers in events 41/42 (500 free) or 43/44 (1650 free) need to provide their own timers and lap counter; lap counting devices will be provided. The 1650 freestyle event will be run fastest to slowest, in alternating heats, between female then male.

*****Events may be combined regardless of age or gender at the discretion of the Meet Referee*****

Proof that all coach and official membership requirements are met, as of the dates of competition, shall be presented upon request by the Meet Referee. Proof may be in the form



of a USAS coach or official membership card, and/or through the USA Swimming app.

Unaccompanied Athlete:

All USAS athlete members must be under the supervision of a USAS member coach during warm-up, competition, and warm-down. Swimmers who do not have a USAS registered coach at the swim meet should report to the Deck or Meet Referee for lane and coach assignment. It is the swimmers responsibility to make such arrangements prior to the start of the meet. 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.

Entries:

All entries must be submitted electronically. To submit TeamUnify or Hy-Tek Team Manager entries, send the entry file and meet entry report as attachments to tmkudela@gmail.com. Unattached swimmers affiliated with CCS may enter this meet on the CCS website, as long as the swimmers are currently registered for their USA Swimming membership via the new SWIMS 3.0 system.

CCS Outreach swimmers who are entered in this meet will have their fees deducted by the Host Club. The Home Club or responsible individual of the Outreach swimmer is responsible for communicating with the Host Team of his/her roster and fees that need to be deducted. Names of the athletes who are receiving the Outreach incentive may be kept confidential at the discretion of the athletes' Home Club.

Entry Fees:

\$4.00 per individual event and \$15.00 surcharge per swimmer. Full payment (single team check) for a team entry must be postmarked within 48 hours of the email entry, or there must be accepted communication that payment will be allowed to be brought to the meet and given to the Clerk of Course before the start of the first event. If payment for any athlete is not accounted for before the start of the meet, that athlete will not be allowed to compete in the meet. **Entry fees are non-refundable. Full payment must accompany all entries. There will be a bank fee for all returned checks.**

Please make all checks payable to Yosemite Marlins Swim Club. No Refunds.

Mail Fees to: Yosemite Marlins Swim Club
P.O. Box 222
Ahwahnee, CA 93601

Entry Deadline:

All Entries must be received by Saturday, September 30th @ 11:59 p.m. No late entries will be accepted unless special circumstances are granted by the Meet Director with accompanying late fee.

Eligibility:

All swimmers must be 2023 or 2024 USAS registered within 36 hours of the start of the swim meet. Any athlete not registered by this deadline will be removed from the meet by the Admin Official. All entrants' membership will be verified through the USA Swimming database. All registered swimmers are welcome regardless of team and/or LSC affiliation.

Awards:

There will be 1st – 8th place ribbons given only for 12yrs and Under events.

Officials:

Meet Referee: TBD

Administrative Official: TBD

All available USA Swimming member certified officials are welcomed and encouraged to work at this meet. As the number of certified officials allows, interested parents/trainees are also welcome to shadow working officials for education and/or mentoring.

Meet Director:

Tammy Kudela

For more information, please contact Tammy Kudela (559)213-3304 or tmkudela@gmail.com

Concessions & Hospitality:

A food truck will be available. Snack Bar availability TBD. Hospitality will be available for



coaches and officials.

**Order of Events
Saturday, October 7, 2023**

Girls	Age	Event	Boys
1	8&Un	25 Free	2
3	10&Un	50 Free	4
5	11-12	50 Free	6
7	13&O	50 Free	8
9	8&Un	50 Breast	10
11	10&Un	100 Breast	12
13	11-12	100 Breast	14
15	13&O	100 Breast	16
17	8&Un	50 Fly	18
19	10&Un	100 Fly	20
21	11-12	100 Fly	22
23	13&O	100 Fly	24
25	8&Un	25 Back	26
27	10&Un	50 Back	28
29	11-12	50 Back	30
31	11&O	200 Back	32
33	8&Un	100 IM	34
35	10&Un	100 IM	36
37	11-12	100 IM	38
39	13&O	200 IM	40
41	9&O	500 Free	42
43	11&O	1650 Free	44

It is understood and agreed that USA Swimming, YMCA, and YUSD shall be free from any liabilities or claims for damages arising by reason of injuries to anyone during the conduct of the event.

