

MEET NOTES  
2013 PVS SC JUNIOR CHAMPIONSHIPS  
GEORGE MASON UNIVERSITY  
MARCH 7-10, 2013

**Pool set-up and assigned lanes:**

**Preliminary Course:** Will be held in the fixed wall to fixed wall course which has been certified in accordance with USA Swimming Rules and Regulations Article 104.2.2(C).

**Finals Course:** The finals will be held in a bulkhead course that has not been certified in accordance with 104.2.2(C).

**Warm-ups:** Meet Director has determined that Open Warm-ups will be used. Sprint and Pace Lanes will be used during the second half of the warm-up sessions. There will be continuous warm-up/cool-down lanes open throughout the meet.

**Positive Check-in:** Timely check-in is required for participation in positive check-in events. For those who have checked in for a positive check-in event, been seeded, and fail to compete, the swimmer will be barred from their next event unless excused by the meet referee prior to the occurrence of the swim.

**Scratch Policy Notes:** For pre-seeded events, there is no requirement to scratch preliminaries if a swimmer is not competing in it, and a no show has no penalty. NOTE please for all preliminaries (and Finals), there is no clerk of course used for this meet and the presumption is that every swimmer will appear timely for their race and respond timely to the whistle start chirps and Starter commands. Failure to do so at the time the heat is closed by the deck referee will result in a Rule 101.1.5 disqualification for that race as a deliberate delay of meet. There will be no additional penalty.

Finals – Will be run under the auspices of the PVS Championships and Meet Referee Mike Rubin.

Additional Notes, as needed, will be provided to coaches and officials during the meetings on Thursday evening and on Friday morning.

Thanks and we hope everyone has a great meet.

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