

**Indian Wells Valley Dolphins Swim Team**  
**42nd Annual Bjorlund Invitational**  
**Ridgecrest, CA, 17-18 May 2008**  
**USA Swimming Approval #A0108AK**

**Facilities:** Sgt. Pinney Memorial Pool, 205 South Warner St., is owned and operated by the City of Ridgecrest. It is a 25-yard, 6 lane outdoor pool, with a small warm-up/cool-down area, showers/change/restrooms (M&F), concession stand, adjacent shade trees and grass.

**Directions:** From Bakersfield area: 58 East, then 14 North, then 178 East (Inyokern Road) into Ridgecrest. Turn right (south) on China Lake Blvd (2<sup>nd</sup> signal). Turn right (west) on Ridgecrest Blvd. Turn left (south) on Warner (1<sup>st</sup> left). Pool is on the right (west side of Warner St).  
From Bishop/Mammoth area: 395 South, then 178 East (Inyokern Road) into Ridgecrest. Continue to pool as described above.

**Date & Time:** Saturday & Sunday, 17-18 May 2008. Meet begins at 9:00 a.m. on Saturday and 8:30 a.m. on Sunday. A coaches & officials meeting will be conducted one-half hour before the start of each day of the meet.

**Meet Director:** Ray Hoffmann (760) 499-1415

**Entries:**

1. Only one swimmer per entry form.
2. Entry fees for individual events will be \$2.50 per event.
3. Payment by entire team is preferred to separate payments for individual swimmers.
4. Please provide all information requested on enclosed entry form to Whitmore Pool by Thursday, May 8.

**Deadline:** Entries must be received by Thursday, May 8, 2008. Exceptions for late entries will be considered on a case-by-case basis and may not be included in the meet program.

**Rules:**

1. 2008 USA Swimming rules will apply.
2. Heats will be seeded based on best-entered yard times.
3. Swimmers must compete in the age group based on their age on May 17, 2008. Masters swimmers are welcome to enter in the 15 & over age group but are not eligible for awards.
4. Meet will be deck seeded using a master check-in system. Swimmers in the first 4 events must check in by 8:30 a.m. on Saturday, and 8:00 on Sunday. Swimmers in other events must check in no later than one hour prior to the estimated start of their first event based on the projected timeline in the meet program. Swimmers 8 & under will be corralled by Clerk of Course.
5. All events are timed finals.
6. Swimmers are limited to five individual events and one relay on Saturday, and four individual events and one relay on Sunday.
7. Open events are open to swimmers of all ages and provide opportunities for younger swimmers to receive official times in longer events. Scoring in Open events is **NOT broken out by age group**, so younger swimmers in these events will likely receive fewer points than if they compete in their age group events.
8. Relay rules: 1) Mixed relay teams may not be all girls or all boys. 2) A maximum of two boys may be on relay teams. 2) Up to 2 relay team members may be moved up one age group. 3) Relay entries with swimmers from more than one team are acceptable but are not eligible for awards.

**Timers:** Lanes will be assigned to teams based on the number of swimmers entered. Please provide sufficient timers to fill the assigned lanes when requested by the head timer on the day of the meet.

**Officials:** Officials are welcome to attend and encouraged to volunteer their services to work the meet. Please check-in with the Meet Referee on the day of the meet. If an insufficient number of officials are present to run the meet, a ten-minute break will be taken every two hours.

**Awards:** Individual Events - Medals will be awarded for 1st through 3rd places and ribbons will be awarded for 4th through 12th places in each age group.

- Age groups will be swum together and awarded separately. Each line on the event list represents one set of awards.
- Some events are awarded in 1-year age groups and others in multiple-year age groups. See the event list for details.
- Swimmers 13-18 will receive awards **by request only**. Contact the awards table for your awards, or request awards when you check in with Clerk of Course.
- Swimmers 19-and-over are not eligible for awards in any event.

Relay Events – Ribbons will be awarded for 1<sup>st</sup> through 6<sup>th</sup> places in each age group for relays. Note that NO MEDALS are awarded for relays.

Individual High Point - High point awards will be awarded to boys and girls winners in age groups: 6 and under, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13-14, and 15-18.

Team High Point - Team trophies will be awarded for 1st through 3rd place.

Participant Awards - Swimmers not placing in any event will receive participant ribbons. Please contact Clerk of Course.

Scoring: Individual Events - 7, 5, 4, 3, 2, 1 points for 1<sup>st</sup> through 6<sup>th</sup> place, respectively. High point scoring will be based on placement in the event age group as shown in the event list (each line in the event list represents 1 set of points and awards).

Relay Events – 14, 10, 8, 6, 4, 2 points for 1<sup>st</sup> through 6<sup>th</sup> place, respectively.

Warm-up: Teams will be assigned warm-up lanes.

On Saturday, warm-up for Ridgecrest teams will be from 7:00 to 7:50. Warm-ups for other teams will be: 10 & under from 7:50 to 8:15, and 11 & up from 8:15 to 8:45.

On Sunday, warm-up for Ridgecrest teams will be from 6:30 to 7:20. Warm-ups for other teams will be: 10 & under from 7:20 to 7:45, and 11 & up from 7:45 to 8:15.

Concessions: A concession stand will be open to provide breakfast, lunch, drinks, and snacks.

Misc: Self-contained RVs may park overnight across the street from the swimming pool, in the Kerr-McGee Community Center parking lot. Please park only on the west side of the parking lot near the pine trees.

Lost and Found – Ray Hoffmann (760) 499-1415

Smoking, glass, and alcohol are prohibited in the swimming venue.

Local Hotels:

Carriage Inn  
901 N. China Lake Blvd  
(760) 446-7910

Springhill Suites by Marriott  
113 E. Sydnor Ave  
(760) 446-1630

Heritage Inn  
1050 N. Norma  
(760) 446-6543

Comfort Inn  
507 S. China Lake Blvd  
(760) 375-9731

Econo Lodge  
201 Inyokern Rd  
(760) 446-2551

Best Western  
400 S. China Lake Blvd  
(760) 371-2300

Motel 6  
535 S. China Lake Blvd  
(760) 375-6866

# Saturday May 17, 2008

Girls Event #	Age	Event Name	Boys Event #
1	15 & over	200 Yard Freestyle	2
1	13 - 14	200 Yard Freestyle	2
3	12	100 Yard Freestyle	4
3	11	100 Yard Freestyle	4
5	10	50 Yard Freestyle	6
5	9	50 Yard Freestyle	6
7	8	25 Yard Freestyle	8
7	7	25 Yard Freestyle	8
7	6 & under	25 Yard Freestyle	8
9	• Open	200 Yard Butterfly	10
11	13 - 14	200 Yard Butterfly	12
13	• 11 - 12	100 Yard Butterfly	14
15	• 9 - 10	100 Yard Butterfly	16
17	• 8 & under	50 Yard Butterfly	18
19	15 & over	100 Yard Backstroke	20
19	13 - 14	100 Yard Backstroke	20
21	12	50 Yard Backstroke	22
21	11	50 Yard Backstroke	22
23	10	50 Yard Backstroke	24
23	9	50 Yard Backstroke	24
25	8	25 Yard Backstroke	26
25	7	25 Yard Backstroke	26
25	6 & under	25 Yard Backstroke	26
27	15 & over	200 Yard Mixed Freestyle Relay	27
29	13 - 14	200 Yard Mixed Freestyle Relay	29
31	• 11 - 12	200 Yard Mixed Freestyle Relay	31
33	• 9 - 10	200 Yard Mixed Freestyle Relay	33
35	• 7 - 8	100 Yard Mixed Freestyle Relay	35
37	6 & under	100 Yard Mixed Freestyle Relay	37
39	• Open	200 Yard Breaststroke	40
41	13 - 14	200 Yard Breaststroke	42
43	• 11 - 12	100 Yard Breaststroke	44
45	• 9 - 10	100 Yard Breaststroke	46
47	• 8 & under	50 Yard Breaststroke	48
49	15 & over	200 Yard Individual Medley	50
49	13 - 14	200 Yard Individual Medley	50
51	• 11 - 12	100 Yard Individual Medley	52
53	• 9 - 10	100 Yard Individual Medley	54
55	• 8 & under	100 Yard Individual Medley	56
57	15 & over	100 Yard Freestyle	58
57	13 - 14	100 Yard Freestyle	58
59	12	50 Yard Freestyle	60
59	11	50 Yard Freestyle	60

- : Awards are for combined age groups. Swimmers are competing against swimmers in other age groups. Note that ages 6&under, 13-14, and 15&over are single age groups for all events and for high point.

Each line represents one set of awards.

# Sunday May 18, 2008

Girls Event #	Age	Event Name	Boys Event #
61	• Open	500 Yard Freestyle	62
63	13 - 14	500 Yard Freestyle	64
65	• 11 - 12	200 Yard Freestyle	66
67	10	100 Yard Freestyle	68
67	9	100 Yard Freestyle	68
69	8	50 Yard Freestyle	70
69	7	50 Yard Freestyle	70
69	6 & under	50 Yard Freestyle	70
71	15 & over	100 Yard Breaststroke	72
71	13 - 14	100 Yard Breaststroke	72
73	12	50 Yard Breaststroke	74
73	11	50 Yard Breaststroke	74
75	10	50 Yard Breaststroke	76
75	9	50 Yard Breaststroke	76
77	8	25 Yard Breaststroke	78
77	7	25 Yard Breaststroke	78
77	6 & under	25 Yard Breaststroke	78
79	15 & over	50 Yard Freestyle	80
79	13 - 14	50 Yard Freestyle	80
81	15 & over	200 Yard Mixed Medley Relay	81
83	13 - 14	200 Yard Mixed Medley Relay	83
85	• 11 - 12	200 Yard Mixed Medley Relay	85
87	• 9 - 10	200 Yard Mixed Medley Relay	87
89	• 8 & under	100 Yard Mixed Medley Relay	89
91	15 & over	100 Yard Butterfly	92
91	13 - 14	100 Yard Butterfly	92
93	12	50 Yard Butterfly	94
93	11	50 Yard Butterfly	94
95	10	50 Yard Butterfly	96
95	9	50 Yard Butterfly	96
97	• 8 & under	25 Yard Butterfly	98
99	• Open	200 Yard Backstroke	100
101	13 - 14	200 Yard Backstroke	102
103	• 11 - 12	100 Yard Backstroke	104
105	• 9 - 10	100 Yard Backstroke	106
107	• 8 & under	50 Yard Backstroke	108
109	• Open	400 Yard Individual Medley	110
111	13 - 14	400 Yard Individual Medley	112
113	• 11 - 12	200 Yard Individual Medley	114
115	• 10 & under	200 Yard Individual Medley	116

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