June 5-7 2020, Hamden, CT

### **PRE-MEET ANNOUNCEMENT**

| SPONSORED BY  | Hamden Heronettes Synchronized Swim Team  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| SANCTIONED BY   | United States Artistic Swimming   |  |  |  |  |  |
| RULES TO GOVERN United States Artistic Swimming 2020 Official Rules<br>Current East Zone Synchronized Swimming Handbook |   |  |  |  |  |  |
| MEET MANAGER  | Patty SimellAnna Montgomery203-671-4623203-535-4520pasaes@sbcglobal.netannamontgomery.hhc@gmail.com   |  |  |  |  |  |
| FACILITY  | Hamden High School<br>2040 Dixwell Ave. Hamden, CT 06514  |  |  |  |  |  |
| POOL SPECS  | <ul> <li>Length: 25 yards</li> <li>Width: 6 lanes</li> <li>Depth 12 feet with gradual slope to 4 feet</li> <li>Entry Deep end looking toward shallow end - spectator seating on left side</li> </ul>  |  |  |  |  |  |
| AIRPORT   | Bradley International Airport Windsor Locks, CT   |  |  |  |  |  |
| EVENTS  | Intermediate: 10&U, 11-12, 13-15 and 16&O Solo, Duet, Mixed Duet, Trio, Team and<br>Figures; 13&O Combo<br>12&Under Age Group: Solo, Duet, Mixed Duet, Team and Figures<br>13&Over Age Group: Solo, Duet, Mixed Duet, Team and Combo (Free routines only) |  |  |  |  |  |

#### **QUALIFICATION FOR ENTRY**

#### Intermediate and 12 & Under Age Group

Intermediate swimmers that have placed 1-3 in Solo, Duet, Mixed Duet and Trio in each Regional Championship.

12&Under Age Group swimmers that have placed 1-3 in Solo, Duet and Mixed Duet in each Regional Championship.

The Team event is open for Intermediate and 12&U Age Group.

The 13&Over Intermediate Combo event is open.

If an Intermediate or 12&U Age Group qualified swimmer cannot attend this Championship, the next place winner may move up and enter the event. Written notice must be given to the runner up routine before the entry deadline for the Championship. If a routine cannot go, after the entry deadline, then a rep from the club must call. If a club fails to notify the runner up, it will be charged \$100/routine to be paid to the zone.

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## 13 & Over Age Group

All free routines that competed at Association or Regional Championship in the current year, but did not qualify for Junior Olympics are eligible to compete.

#### **Eligibility**

An athlete may only enter 3 total events. Free combination routines do not count toward the 3 events.

An athlete may not compete in duplicate events. Example: An athlete can enter 12&Under Age Group Team and 11/12 Intermediate solo. She cannot enter 12&Under Age Group Team and 11/12 Intermediate Team.

#### **HOST HOTELS**

The Best Western Plus and Courtyard Wallingford will provide comp rooms to the East Zone for the scorers and unaffiliated judges based on number of rooms booked under the East Zone block, so please book there if possible.

Best Western Plus North Haven 201 Washington Ave North Haven CT 06473 203-239-6700 119.00 + tax Double queen or king bed Reserve by 5/5/20 with the link below or use the group name: East Zone Synchronized Swimming Block https://www.bestwestern.com/en\_US/book/hotel-rooms.07025.html?groupId=Z15TE9D4

Courtyard Wallingford 600 Northrop Road Wallingford CT 06492 203-284-9400 99.00 + tax for King bed 119.00+ tax for Double queen bed Reserve by 5/5/20 with the link below or use the group name East Zone Championship Synchronized Swim Meet. https://www.marriott.com/event-reservations/reservation-link.mi?id=1574445572718&key=GRP&app=resvlink

Hilton Garden Inn 291 Old Gate Lane Milford Ct 06460 203-783-9988 149.00 + tax per night Double queen or King Bed with Pull out Sofa Reserve by 5/5/20 with the link below or use the group name East Zone Championship http://group.hiltongardeninn.com/EastZoneChampionship

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## **TENTATIVE SCHEDULE**

# Schedule is subject to change based upon tentative and final entries. Routine/Figure competition days may change.

The goal is to avoid having swimmers at the pool all day long on Saturday. To accomplish this there will be Intermediate events on Sunday and Age Group events on Saturday. Please reserve your hotel rooms accordingly. Scheduled event days may change if pre-meet or final meet entries are very different than expected. Thank you for helping the meet hosts in this attempt at keeping the competition day shorter for these younger swimmers.

<u>Friday, June 5</u> Doors open at 3:30pm Intermediate Solos Intermediate Duets

Saturday, June 6 Doors open at 8am Intermediate Figures Intermediate Combos Intermediate Trios Age Group Solos Age Group Duets

Sunday, June 7 Doors open at 7am Intermediate Teams Intermediate Awards Age Group Figures Age Group Combos Age Group Teams Age Group Awards

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| PRE-MEET ENTRY FORM |
|---------------------|
| Due March 31, 2020  |

| NAME OF TEAM                      |                                     |         | REGION |
|-----------------------------------|-------------------------------------|---------|--------|
| NAME OF HEAD COACH/OF             | FICIAL                              |         |        |
| CONTACT PERSON                    |                                     |         |        |
| ADDRESS                           |                                     |         |        |
| CITY                              | STATE                               | ZIP     |        |
| PHONE                             |                                     |         |        |
| Please indicate the number of rou | tines you plan to bring in each car | tegory: |        |

| EVENT         | INT 10&U | INT 11/12 | INT 13/15 | INT 16&O | AG 12&U | AG 13&O |
|---------------|----------|-----------|-----------|----------|---------|---------|
| Figures       |          |           |           |          |         | XXX     |
| SOLO          |          |           |           |          |         |         |
| DUET          |          |           |           |          |         |         |
| MIXED<br>DUET |          |           |           |          |         |         |
| TRIO          |          |           |           |          | XXX     | XXX     |
| TEAM          |          |           |           |          |         |         |
| СОМВО         | XXX      | XXX       |           |          | XXX     |         |

Please indicate the total number of individuals participating in the following areas:

1. Athletes attending

- 2. Coaches attending (CCP 2, Safesport and NCSI Certified)
- 3. Judges attending AND available
- 4. Chaperones attending

Please return completed form by March 31, 2020 to: Patty Simell-<u>pasaes@sbcglobal.net</u> AND Patti Melber-<u>melbers@aol.com</u> THIS FORM MUST BE RETURNED TO RECEIVE FINAL ENTRY MATERIALS

(Safesport and NSCI Certified)