

2011 East Zone Junior Championship

FEBRUARY 11-13, 2011

HAVERHILL, MA

FINAL MEET ANNOUNCEMENT

MEET MANAGER:

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FACILITY

Haverhill High School, Charles C. White Pool

137 Monument Street

Haverhill, MA 01832

SPONSORED BY: The teams of the New England Synchronized Swimming Association

SANCTIONED BY: United States Synchronized Swimming

RULES TO GOVERN: United States Synchronized Swimming 2011 Official Rules

Current East Zone Synchronized Swimming Handbook

*Please see weather policy in EZ Handbook in case of inclement weather.

ELIGIBILITY:

All athletes must be registered USSS Regular Athletes for 2011.

Age: 13 & over by birth year (athlete's birth year 1998 or before)

Preliminaries

The minimum score (effective 09.18.2010)

Solo 60.00, Duet 59.00, Trio 58.00, Team Open

The score must be obtained at a Senior Association, Junior

Association, Regional, Zone or National Meet. Scores earned are valid for the next 2 competitive years.

Semi-Finals

The minimum seed score

Solo 69.00, Duet 68.00, Trio 67.00

The score must be obtained at a Regional, Zone or National meet.

Scores from Association Championships may not be used for seeding. Scores are valid for the next 2 competitive years.

Over Qualifications

Athletes who have earned the following scores are ineligible for participation in that event, for life.

Solo 72.00, Duet 71.00, Trio 70.00

1st place Solo, Duet, Trio & Team in that event at 2010 East Zone Jr. Championship.

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Top 3 places in Team (event only) from the 2010 East Zone Championship.
All finalists from the 2010 East Zone Championship in Solo, Duet and Trio in that event.

*Note: Over-Qualification applies to individual athletes. I.e. An athlete who has achieved an Over-qualification in a particular event may NOT participate in that event at the East Zone Junior Championship again, even if the majority of swimmers in her trio or team are eligible.

ENTRY FORMS: Please see attached.

Form A	Official Entry Form
	➤ Please note athletes who are age 13-15 in the "Comments" column, to assist in the 13-15 All Star Team selection
	➤ Please Attach Proof of USSS Registration, and Proof of qualifying scores
Form B	Entry Fee Summary
Form C	Host Fee summary
Form D	Housing and transportation
Form E	Officials Availability form

ENTRY DEADLINE: January 28, 2010
Use postal form #3817 to verify mailing

Note: If a qualifying competition is held after the entry deadline, please send provisional entries by the entry deadline. Note "Provisional" on Form A. Do NOT send fees for provisional entries. Confirmation of qualification is due by phone or email within 24 hours of the end of the qualifying competition. Confirmation and Fees must be mailed within 72 hours of the end of the qualifying competition.

Mail all fees, Entry Forms A-E, proof of USSS Registration, and proof of scores to Meet Manager:

Veronica Meisser
98 Branch Road
Weare, NH 03281

Email entry Form A to Scoring Chair AND Meet Manager:

Robin Arsenault
41 Lexington Ave
Methuen, MA 01844
marinemutha@verizon.net

Patty Flanagan
pflanagan@ywcaworcester.org

Email or mail one copy of entry Form E to Officials Chair: Joanne Wright

emailjow@yahoo.com
484 Glenalby Road
Tonawanda, NY 14150
(716) 835-1874

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OFFICIALS: Please Return forms D& E by entry deadline

CLUB BANNERS: Please hand in banners at registration.

FEE INFORMATION: Entry Fee: \$7 per person per event
Sponsor fee: \$ 10 per person

FIGURES: Junior Group 1
Kip, Split, Closing 180°
Ibis, Continuous Spin (720°)
Gaviata Open 180
Cyclone

AWARDS: Medals 1st – 3rd, Ribbons 4th – 8th

ALL STAR TEAM SELECTION:

The top eight athletes who are age 13-15 in the current competitive year, from the East Zone Junior Championships figure results , **including Split Test Bonus**, shall comprise the East Zone 13-15 All Star Team.

Athletes will participate in a Right Land Split Test, and a passing score will give the athlete a .25 point bonus added to her Figure score. Please note that this bonus is ONLY for the purpose of determining All Stars.

HOST HOTELS:

SPRINGHILL SUITES
BOSTON-ANDOVER
55 Minuteman Road
Andover, MA 01810
800-287-9400 for reservations
reservations must be made by
1/21/11
2 nights 2/11 - 2/13
Complimentary breakfast
5 King Suites \$79 per night
20 Double Queen Suites \$86 per
night

RESIDENCE INN BOSTON-
ANDOVER
500 Minuteman Road
Andover, MA 01810
800-331-3131 for reservations
Complimentary breakfast
reservations must be made by 1/21/11
2 nights 2/11 - 2/13
25 One Bedroom Studios \$79 night

COURTYARD INN MARRIOTT
BOSTON-ANDOVER
10 Campanelli Drive
Andover, MA 01810
800-321-2211 for reservations
reservations must be made by 1/21/11
2 nights 2/11 - 2/13
Breakfast available for purchase
5 King Rooms \$75 night
20 Double Queen rooms \$75 night

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COMPETITIVE POOL DESCRIPTION:

Length: 25 yards

Width: 36 feet

Depth: 13 feet @ deepest to 3.5 feet @ shallowest

Distance of water from deck level: 12 inches

Type of Pool; Standard 6 lane, deep-shallow

Entry: Deep end, two low diving boards will be lifted but stands can't be removed from deck.

Spectator seating in bleachers on left

VENUE RULES: Will be sent with Final Schedule the week of the meet.

SOUND SYSTEM AVAILABLE: Ocean Engineering underwater with CD player. MP3 and iPod ready.

FOOD CONCESSION: A Concession stand will be available during meet hours.

OFFICIALS & COACHES HOSPITALITY: Food provided for Officials & Coaches

AIRPORT CLOSEST TO COMPETITION: Boston Logan Airport
Manchester (NH) Regional Airport

PARKING:

Ample on-site parking at the High School throughout the weekend.

The pool is in the building to the far right of the school's main entrance (separate building).

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TENTATIVE SCHEDULE

SUBJECT TO CHANGE BASED ON FINAL MEET ENTRIES

Friday		
Doors Open		4:30 PM
Pool Opens	5:00 PM	5:00 PM
Solo Prelim Warm Up	5:10 PM	5:20 PM
Solo Prelim Event	5:20 PM	6:40 PM
Duet Prelim Warm Up (1 st 1/2)	6:40 PM	6:50 PM
Duet Prelim Event 1 st 1/2	6:50 PM	7:40 PM
Duet Prelim Warm Up (2 nd 1/2)	7:40 PM	7:50 PM
Duet Prelim Event 2 nd 1/2	7:50 PM	8:40 PM
Trio Prelim Warm Up (1 st 1/2)	8:40 PM	8:50 PM
Trio Prelim Event 1 st 1/2	8:50 PM	9:35 PM
Trio Prelim Warm Up (2 nd 1/2)	9:35 PM	9:45 PM
Trio Prelim Event 2 nd 1/2	9:45 PM	10:30 PM

Saturday		
Doors Open		7:00 AM
Lap Swim (open)	7:00 AM	7:15 AM
Solo Semifinal Warm Up (1st 1/2)	7:15 AM	7:25 AM
Solo Semifinal Event 1st 1/2	7:25 AM	8:10 AM
Solo Semifinal Warm Up (2nd 1/2)	8:10 AM	8:20 AM
Solo Semifinal Event 2nd 1/2	8:20 AM	9:10 AM
Trio Semifinal Warm Up (1st 1/2)	9:10 AM	9:25 AM
Trio Semifinal Event 1st 1/2	9:25 AM	10:25 AM
Trio Semifinal Warm Up (2nd 1/2)	10:25 AM	10:40 AM
Trio Semifinal Event 2nd 1/2	10:40 AM	11:35 AM
Lunch Break	11:35 AM	12:05 PM
Team Semifinal Warm Up (Top 1st 1/2)	12:05 PM	12:25 PM
Team Semifinal Warm Up (Bottom 1st 1/2)	12:25 PM	12:45 PM
Team Semifinal Event 1st 1/2	12:45 PM	1:45 PM
Team Semifinal Warm Up (Top 2nd 1/2)	1:45 PM	2:05 PM
Team Semifinal Warm Up (Bottom 2nd 1/2)	2:05 PM	2:25 PM
Team Semifinal Event 2nd 1/2	2:25 PM	3:25 PM
Afternoon Break	3:25 PM	3:35 PM
Duet Semifinal Warm Up (1st 1/2)	3:35 PM	3:50 PM
Duet Semifinal Event 1st 1/2	3:50 PM	4:50 PM
Duet Semifinal Warm Up (2nd 1/2)	4:50 PM	5:05 PM

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Duet Semifinal Event 2nd 1/2	5:05 PM	6:00 PM
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*** In recent years we have not needed to have Solo Preliminary Routines. Based on meet entries, the Meet Host, in consultation with the Tech Chair, may adjust the schedule, including changing the day of scheduled events. We will adjust the schedule as soon as we get the entries counted and will notify you.

Sunday		
Doors Open		7:00 AM
Lap Swim (1/2 team)	7:15 AM	7:20 AM
Figure Warm up	7:20 AM	7:40 AM
Lap Swim (1/2 team)	7:40 AM	7:45 AM
Figure Warm up	7:45 AM	8:05 AM
Figure and Split Testing Event	8:15 AM	10:15 AM
Break	10:15 AM	10:45 AM
Team Spacing (pre1 - #3)	10:45 AM	11:00 AM
Team Spacing (#4- #8)	11:00 AM	11:15 AM
Trio, Duet, Solo Warm-up (20 min ea)	11:15 AM	12:15 PM
Public Draw	12:15 PM	12:30 PM
Trio Final Event	12:30 PM	1:10 PM
Duet Final Event	1:10 PM	1:50 PM
Solo Final Event	1:50 PM	2:25 PM
Team Final Event	2:25 PM	3:15 PM
Awards	3:30 PM	3:45 PM