

CLEVEDON & CHARD OPEN MEET
(UNDER A.S.A.LAWS AND TECHNICAL RULES)
AT Hutton Moor Weston Super Mare
Level 3
ON Sunday 27th JUNE 2010

THIS EVENT IS LICENSED (LICENCE NO 3SW0190) BY THE A.S.A. FOR ENTRY INTO COUNTY COMPETITIONS AND CHAMPIONSHIPS

General Conditions

- ◆ Clevedon ASC and Chard & District ASC (The Promoters) reserve the right to reject any entry without giving a reason. By submitting entries on the official entry forms or discs, clubs and competitors accept the rules of this competition.
- ◆ Competitors whose entries are accepted and are subsequently found to have been entered in the wrong event(s),
 - (a) because of incorrect entry information, will be withdrawn from the event(s) and will not have their entry fee(s) refunded; or,
 - (b) because of error by the organizer, will be withdrawn from the event(s) and will at the organiser's discretion and without further obligation or liability by the organizer either i) be entered into the correct event(s) or ii) receive a refund of the relevant entry fee(s)
- ◆ All competitors must be members of an affiliated club, registered with the ASA, and may compete in the name of one club only. It is important that swimmers enter under the exact name by which they are known to the ASA, so that our computer software identifies the correct swimmers.
- ◆ This meet has been designated as Level 3 for County Qualifying Times.
- ◆ Age groups will be:- 9yrs, 10yrs & 11yrs for 50m events; 12yrs, 13yrs, 14yrs and 15yrs/over for 100m events 9/10yrs 11/12yrs, 13/14 yrs and 15yrs/over for the 200m events (including 200m individual medley). **Ages as at 27th June 2010.**
- ◆ The Pool is 25 metres long and the competition will be swum short course. Anti-wave lane devices will be installed and electronic timing/placing will be used whenever possible. Entry times should be those for 25m pools.
- ◆ Swim Meet entries may be managed on a computer. By submitting entries, consent is thereby given, as required under the Data Protection Act 1984, to the holding of personal information on a computer. Personal data, including submitted and recorded times, may be made public during or after the Meet.
- ◆ There will be no entry cards for this Meet. Swimmers must sign in for their races 45 minutes prior to the start of the relevant session. Swimmers signing in after this time will be allocated vacant lanes in the slowest heats, but only if these are available. Anyone withdrawing from an event, having signed in and without prior notification to the Meet Organisers may be deemed to have withdrawn from the rest of the Meet.
- ◆ Only swimmers reporting for their event and officials will be allowed on poolside during the Meet. Coaches in possession of a coach pass are allowed on poolside during warm-ups. Wet swimmers are not allowed in the spectator areas. The small pool may be used at the discretion of the lifeguards, and is for swim down only.
- ◆ In line with child protection policies, any persons wishing to use video or photographic equipment (including mobile phones with photographic facility) are required to sign the authorisation book available at the entry desk and must display a camera pass. Any person not complying will be asked to leave the pool complex. The Meet Organisers may use photographs to display on their website. It is the responsibility of clubs to ensure that the Meet Organisers are notified if any child/parent does not wish their photograph to be taken.
- ◆ Neither the promoters nor Parkwood Leisure accept any liability for any loss or damage to personal belongings.
- ◆ The promoters reserve the right to alter these conditions if necessary, any alterations being announced during the Meet. Any matter not covered by these conditions shall be at the promoters' discretion if not covered by ASA Laws or Technical Rules.

Entries

- ◆ Entries should be made using Hytek entry file via email, together with summary form of entries and cheque to reach the Meet Secretary on or before midnight on **Friday 14th May 2010** – no late entries will be accepted.
- ◆ Please submit times for 25m pool
- ◆ Qualifying and cut off times will be applied to all events. There will be no speeding tickets.
- ◆ The entry fee for each event is £4.50. Entry Information Packs are available from the Meet Secretary Mrs Fiona Bowen, Rose Cottage, Nortons Wood Lane, Clevedon BS21 7AE (Telephone 01275 877412 or email fiona@bowenfamily.me.uk). Entry fees should be paid on **one** consolidated cheque made payable to Clevedon & Chard Open Meet.
- ◆ Coach passes (maximum 4 per club) are available at a cost of £7.50 each and include a programme and a full set of results. Applications for these should be made on the entry form.
- ◆ If the Meet is oversubscribed, entries will be accepted on a 'first come first served' basis but will ensure an equal balance of swimmers across the age groups. A list of rejected swimmers and refund cheque will be sent. There will be no refunds for withdrawals after the closing date.

Prizes

- ◆ All events will be HDW. Awards will be made for the first eight places in each event for the age groups given above. There will be overall trophies for the Top Girl and Top Boy in each age group and also a trophy for Top Club. The trophies will be based on the acquisition of the highest points total throughout the meet (8 points for a 1st place, 7 for 2nd etc). In the event of a tie, the number of first places etc will decide the winner.