

**2008 Aspen Invitational Swim Meet**  
**June 14-15, 2008**  
**Aspen, Colorado**

**Sanction:** Held under the sanction of Colorado Swimming #2008-054

**Sponsor/Location:** Aspen Swim Club, Aspen Recreation Center, 861 Maroon Creek Road, Aspen, CO 81611 (970) 544-4100

**Facility:** Elevation 8,020 Feet. Indoor, 25 yard, 6 lane pool.

**Timing:** Colorado Timing System 6 with touch pads and 6-lane display board will be used for all events. Back-up timing will consist of one button and two stopwatches. Hy-Tek Meet Manager software will be used.

**Schedule:** Morning Sessions: Warm-up 8:00 AM. Start 9:00AM.  
Afternoon Sessions: Warmup 1:00 PM Start 2:00 PM  
Evening Session (Sat): Session will begin 20 minutes after completion of the Afternoon session.

**Eligibility:**

Open to all swimmers holding a 2008 USA Swimming membership cards. Any swimmer that appears on the CSI exception report without registration must come to the meet prepared to show their card or they will be deck registered before they can enter the water. A surcharge for deck registration will also apply, \$27.00 for year round, \$14.00 for seasonal plus the normal registration fee.

**Entry Limit and Fees:**

Swimmers may compete in a maximum of four (4) individual events and 1 relay per day.

Due to the number of swimmers expected, the meet will be limited to approximately the first 250 swimmers received. Teams will not be split up (this pertains only to entries received at the same time while still under the cap of 250 swimmers.)

**Entry Fees:** \$4.00 per individual entry per swimmer, plus a one time \$6.00 fee per swimmer for pool surcharge. \$ .50 for each entry fee goes to the CSI Fund and \$.15 per event goes to Zone 4.

Make your check (one only per team) payable to: Aspen Swim Club.

**Entry Process:**

All entries must be submitted by e-mail using the Hy-Tek Commlink file. The Entry Chair will confirm e-mail entries.

Teams sending a hand written entry sheet are subject to a \$25.00 fee.

“No Time” or incorrect times will be placed in the slowest heat.

Times for all events should be in SCY.

All entries must be accompanied by a current Colorado Swimming Meet Verification Form. Deck entries will only be accepted at the Meet Referee’s discretion.

All deck entries must present proof of current registration—no exceptions will be made. Please provide the number of coaches who will be attending the meet for Coach Packet preparation.

The meet will be pre-seeded. There will be no re-seeding.

**Entry Deadline:** All entries must be received no later than 6:00 pm, June 7, 2008.

Entry Address: DO NOT SEND ENTRIES TO THE POOL!

Aspen Swim Club  
c/o Elaine Gerson  
716 W. Buttermilk Road  
Aspen, CO 81611  
[emgerson@yahoo.com](mailto:emgerson@yahoo.com)

**Scoring:** The meet will be scored to twelve individual (12) places:  
Individual Events: 16, 13, 12, 11, 10, 9, 7, 5, 4, 3, 2, 1  
Relays will count toward team scores only.  
Relay Events: 32, 26, 24, 22, 20, 18, 14, 10, 8, 6, 4, 2  
Team scores will be kept and announced.

**AWARDS:**

Individual Events: 1<sup>st</sup> – 3<sup>rd</sup> Medals; 4<sup>th</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup> Ribbons

High Point: Swimmers may score in events within their age group. High Point awards will be given for the following top male and female in each age group of 6 & under, 7-8, 9-10, 11-12, 13-14, and 15 & over. High point scores will be calculated as follows:

6 & Under Swimmers: 6& under events only  
7, 8 swimmers: 7-8 events, and 8 & under only  
9, 10 swimmers: 9-10 events and 10 & under only  
11-12 swimmers: 11-12 events and open events only  
13-14 swimmers: 13& over and open events only  
15 & over swimmers: 13 & over and open events only

**Programs/ Concessions:** Programs with heat sheets will be for sale for \$5.00 at the meet. Heat sheets will be provided at no cost to coaches and officials. There will be a concession stand selling food and drink as well as an assortment of swim gear (suits, caps, goggles, etc.).

**Results:** Results will be e-mailed within five (5) days to teams entered in the meet.

**Rules:**

1. Current USA Swimming rules will govern the procedures of the meet.
2. Age as of June 14, 2008 will determine the swimmers' age group for competition. Swimmers may swim in only one age group per event.

3. The Meet Referee will have the final authority on all swimming procedures of the meet.
4. Colorado Swimming, Inc. procedures for warm-up will be observed.
5. Warm-ups may be split depending on final entry numbers.
6. Coaches MUST declare adds/scratches no later than 30 minutes prior to the start of each session.
7. All events will be timed finals.
8. 25 yard events will start from the turn end of the pool and finish at the pads.
9. Only swimmers registered in the meet are allowed to use the warm-up cool-down portions of the facility.
10. At the Referee's discretion, events may be combined by age, sex and/or distance.

11. Distance Events:

**400 IM**

- a. The 400 IM will be deck seeded.
- b. Positive check-in will be required for the 400 IM.  
Swimmers or their coach must check-in at the Clerk of Course by 2:00 pm on the day of the event.
- c. Swimmers must provide their own timers (2).
- d. There will be a courtesy time standard of 8:00 for the 400 IM.

**500 Freestyle**

- a. The 500 free will be deck seeded.
- b. Positive check-in will be required. Swimmers or their coach must check in at the Clerk of Course by 2:00 pm on the day of the event.
- c. There will be a courtesy time standard of 8:00 for the 500 free.
- e. Swimmers must provide their own timers (2) and counters.

**Coaches/Officials:** All coaches and uniformed officials must display their USA cards when on deck. Current certification is mandatory. We are in need of meet officials. We would appreciate your team contacting Elaine Gerson at 970-925-4638 or [emgerson@yahoo.com](mailto:emgerson@yahoo.com) with the names of qualified people who would be willing to help out at our meet.

A mandatory Officials meeting will be held at the start of warm-up for each session, each day of the meet.

Meet Director: Gordon Gerson	<a href="mailto:gmgerson@comcast.net">gmgerson@comcast.net</a>
Safety Chair: Brooks Bryant	<a href="mailto:aspenyeti@comcast.net">aspenyeti@comcast.net</a>
Meet Referee: Elaine Gerson	<a href="mailto:emgerson@yahoo.com">emgerson@yahoo.com</a>
Entries: Elaine Gerson	<a href="mailto:emgerson@yahoo.com">emgerson@yahoo.com</a>

Disclaimer: USA Swimming, Inc., Colorado Swimming, Inc., Aspen Swim Club and the City of Aspen, all meet officials, volunteers and sponsors shall be held free from liability or claims for damages arising by reason of injuries to anyone during the conduct of this meet.

Special Note: No smoking on the pool deck, in the building, or any area

frequented by swimmers. Any damage to pool property will be grounds for dismissal from the remainder of the meet and the offenders will be held liable to the fullest extent that the law allows.

## EVENTS

### SATURDAY AM – SESSION I

Warm up 8:00 Start 9:00 am

GIRLS	EVENT	BOYS
1	10&U 100 Free	2
3	7-8 25 Free	4
5	6&U 25 Free	6
7	9-10 50 Fly	8
9	8&U 50 Fly	10
11	10 & U 100 Breast	12
13	7-8 25 Breast	14
15	6&U 25 Breast	16
17	9-10 50 Back	18
19	8&U 50 Back	20
21	10&U 200 IM	22
23	10&U 200 Med R	24

### SUNDAY AM – SESSION IV

Warm up 8:00 Start 9:00 am

GIRLS	EVENT	BOYS
57	10&U100 Fly	58
59	7-8 25 Fly	60
61	6&U 25 Fly	62
63	9-10 50 Free	64
65	8&U 50 Free	66
67	10&U 100 Back	68
69	7-8 25 Back	70
71	6&U 25 Back	72
73	9-10 50 Breast	74
75	8&U 50 Breast	76
77	10&U 200 Free	78
79	10&U 200 Free R	80

### SATURDAY PM – SESSION II

Warm up 1:00\* Start 2:00 pm

GIRLS	EVENT	BOYS
25	11-12 50 Back	26
27	13&Up 200 Back	28
29	11-12 200 Back	30
31	13&Up 100 Free	32
33	11-12 100 Free	34
35	13&Up 200 IM	36
37	11-12 200 IM	38
39	13&Up 100 Fly	40
41	11-12 100 Fly	42
43	13&Up 50 Free	44
45	11-12 50 Free	46
47	13&Up 200 Breast	48
49	11-12 200 Breast	50
51	Open 400 Med R	52

### SUNDAY PM – SESSION V

Warm up 1:00\* Start 2:00 pm

### **SATURDAY EVE – SESSION III**

Warm up: immed following Session II

Start – 15” warm up allowed

GIRLS	EVENT	BOYS
53	11&Up 400 IM	54
55	OPEN 500 Free	56

\*Warm up will start 15 minutes after the conclusion of the morning session, but no earlier than 1:00 pm.

GIRLS	EVENT	BOYS
81	11-12 100 IM	82
83	13&Up 200 Free	84
85	11-12 200 Free	86
87	13&Up 100 Breast	88
89	11-12 100 Breast	90
91	13&Up 200 Fly	92
93	11-12 50 Fly	94
95	11-12 200 Fly	96
97	13&Up 100 Back	98
99	11-12 100 Back	100
101	11-12 50 Breast	102
103	OPEN 400 Free R	104