

Name of Meet:	2019 4th Annual Blizzard Blast Invitational		
Date of Meet:	December 13 - 15, 2019		
Meet Sanction:	Held under the sanction of USA Swimming issued by SC Swimming: SC2059SCY		
Host Club:	South Carolina Swim Club		
Meet Director:	Sara Cavallon	somethingtocelebrate@yahoo.com	843-697-7008
Team Rep:	Meredith David	mdavid@swimscsc.com	856-745-9213
Meet Referee:	Steve Savage	savages@musc.edu	843 693 1473
Meet Entries to:	Victoria & Billy Culbertson	Meet.support@sportstiming.com	843-628-5486
Safety Marshal:	Molly Hubbard	mhubbard@tompsc.com	843-856-2536
Facility:	<p>Mount Pleasant Recreation R.L. Jones Pool 391 Egypt Rd, Mount Pleasant, SC 29464.</p> <p>Indoor 6-lane 25-yard pool with Competitor non-turbulent lane lines. Limited bleacher seating is available. Spectators may bring chairs to use on the outside patio and grass areas as well as the gymnasium. Chairs, food and coolers are not permitted on the pool deck. Food not permitted in the gymnasium.</p> <p>The water depth of the competition course is 8 feet measured from one (1) meter to five (5) meters at the starting end of the course and 3.5 feet measured from one (1) meter to five (5) meters at the turn end of the course). The competition course has not been certified in accordance with 104.2.2C (4).</p> <p>Operation of a drone, or any other flying apparatus, is prohibited over the venue (pools, athlete/coach areas, spectator areas and open ceiling locker rooms) any time athletes, coaches, officials and/or spectators are present.</p>		
Rules:	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Meet to be conducted in accordance with the current USA Swimming and SC Swimming Rules and Regulations and information herein. 2. The Meet Director reserves the right to adjust the warm-up times & start times. 3. The total number of eligible swimmers per meet is set at 400 swimmers. The Meet Director reserves the right to limit events, heats, number of swimmers per team, or to adjust the format to conform with the 4 hour provision for 12 and Under sessions in accordance with Rule 205.3.1F 4. Entries will be accepted on a first come, first served basis. Once we reach the total number of eligible swimmers for the meet no other entries will be accepted. 5. In accordance with USA Swimming there will be a designated swimmer area. This area will be clearly marked and is only open those swimming in the meet. Parents are not to enter nor sit in this area. We ask that parents sit on bleacher side of the pool, outside on the patio, or in the gymnasium. 6. SWIMWEAR: Swimmers 10 years old and younger are not permitted to wear "Technical" suits at this meet. 7. Use of audio or visual recording devices, including a cell phone, is not permitted in changing areas, rest rooms or locker rooms. Use of these devices is also not allowed behind the starting blocks. 8. Deck changing is prohibited by USA Swimming and South Carolina Swimming. A first offense will result in the disqualification of the offending swimmer from the next scheduled event. The second offense for the same swimmer will result in the disqualification from the remainder of the meet. 		

Athlete Eligibility:	<p>This meet is open to all swimmers currently registered with USA Swimming. All USA Swimming registration numbers will be verified with the SC LSC registration database. Age is to be determined on the first day of the meet.</p> <p>USA Swimming registrations will not be accepted on deck.</p> <p>Any swimmer entered in the meet must be certified by a USA Swimming member coach as being proficient in performing a racing start or must start each race from within the water. When unaccompanied by a member coach, it is the responsibility of the swimmer or the swimmer or the swimmer's legal guardian to ensure compliance with this requirement.</p>
Entry Fees:	<p>\$4.00 per individual event \$18.00 pool/facility fee per swimmer \$2.00 SCLSC Travel Fund/Program fee per swimmer \$2.00 SCLSC Sports Development fee per swimmer \$2.00 out-of-state SCLSC Travel Fund/Program fee \$7.00 per event for Deck/Late entries</p> <p>Make checks payable to SCSC. Entry fees are non-refundable. The Clerk of Course will accept deck entries for open lanes only. Payment for all deck entries is due before the end of warm-ups to Clerk of Course.</p>
Entry Limit:	<p>Athletes may enter up to 2 events on Friday and 3 individual events per day on Saturday and Sunday. The daily event maximum(s) maybe amended based on timeline and total number of athletes competing, at the sole discretion of the host team's Meet Director.</p>
Meet Format:	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. This is a timed finals meet and will be limited to the first 400 swimmers. 2. Deck entries will be accepted and are \$7 per event. All deck entries must be submitted no later than 30 minute before the start of the session. Swimmers will be entered into open lanes in existing heats on a first come first serve basis. In the event of a significantly oversubscribed session, the Meet Director reserves the right to not accept deck entries. 3. Warm-up procedures: Team lane assignments will be made for each session. All SCLSC and USA Swimming safety guidelines will be enforced. In order for swimmers to warm-up a USA Registered coach must be present. If a coach cannot attend warm-up for his or her team please contact the meet host. 4. Positive Check-in: The Meet Director will determine if positive check-in will be required for all events in order to conform to the 4 hour rule. Positive check-in is required for the 400 IM, 500 Free and 1000 Free. 5. Seeding/Scratches: All Open Events will be seeded by gender with no age separation. The 400 IM, 500 free, and 1000 free will be deck seeded, require positive check-in. The events will be swum co-ed with fastest to slowest swimmers. Meet host reserves the right to limit the 1000 Free, 400 IM and 500 free to conform to the meet timeline. Swimmers must provide timers for the 1000 free, 400 IM, and 500 free. If they so choose, swimmers can provide a counter for the 1000 free and 500 free. <p>A swimmer that misses their assigned heat will not be entered into another heat of that event unless circumstances are beyond the swimmer's control as determined by the meet referee and the swimmer may be allowed to swim.</p>

Time of Meet:	<p>Friday Warm-up: 4:15 p.m. Friday Meet Start: Not before 5:00 p.m.</p> <p>Saturday/Sunday Morning Warm-up: 7:30 a.m. Saturday/Sunday Morning Meet Start: 8:30 a.m.</p> <p>Saturday/Sunday Afternoon Warm-Up: 12:00 p.m. Saturday/Sunday Afternoon Meet Start: 1:20 p.m.</p>
Entries:	<p>Entries are to be sent to Sports Timing, Inc. Go to www.sportstiming.com, click on upcoming meets and click on the 2019 Blizzard Blast. Complete the form, upload your entry file and click submit. You will receive an email confirmation. If you need to submit updated entry files, you are able to submit a new form and file. Entry questions can be emailed to meet.support@sportstiming.com</p> <p>Entries are due by Tuesday, December 3rd at 5 PM.</p> <p>SC Swimming does not accept deck registrations, all swimmers entered must be registered at time of entry deadline.</p>
Awards:	Prizes Awarded to heat winners
Scoring:	No Scoring
Timing:	Timing and Data Processing will be provided by SportsTiming, Inc. Colorado electronic timing system, with touch pads & plungers, will be used. Stop watches will also be used.
Coaches Eligibility:	Coaches must be coach members of USA Swimming and they must have their credentials visible at all times. Coaches meeting will be announced via email prior to meet.
Other Information:	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Certified officials are welcome to assist with the meet. Please contact: Michael Healy @ mjhealy1@gmail.com 2. Heat Sheets will be emailed out to all participating swimmers before the meet. We will not have heat sheets available for sale at the meet.

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*** Indicates an event that requires a positive check-in**

Friday Afternoon Session – 12&U 400 IM and Open 1000 Free

Warm-up 4:15pm, Meet Start at 5:00 pm

Girls				Boys
1	8&U	25	Breast	2
3*	12&Under	400	IM	4*
5	8&U	25	Fly	6
7*	Open	1000	Free	8*

Saturday Morning Session – 12&Under

Warm-up at 7:30am, Meet Start at 8:30am

9	12&U	200	IM	10
11	11-12	200	Fly	12
13	8&U	25	Back	14
15	9-10	50	Back	16
17	11&12	50	Back	18
19	8 & U	25	Free	20
21	10&U	100	Free	22
23	11-12	100	Free	24
25	8&U	50	Fly	26
27	9&10	50	Fly	28
29	11-12	50	Fly	30
31	8&U	50	Breast	32
33	10&U	100	Breast	34
35	11-12	100	Breast	36
37	11-12	200	Back	38

Saturday Afternoon Session – 13 & Over

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Girls				Boys
39	13-14	50	Free	40
41	15-18	50	Free	42
43	13-14	200	Breast	44
45	15-18	200	Breast	46
47	13-14	100	Back	48
49	15-18	100	Back	50
51	13-14	200	Free	52
53	15-18	200	Free	54
55	13-14	100	Fly	56
57	15-18	100	Fly	58
59*	Open	400	IM	60*

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61	12&U	100	IM	62
63	11-12	200	Breaststroke	64
65	8&U	50	Back	66
67	10&U	100	Back	68
69	11-12	100	Back	70
71	8&U	25	Fly	72
73	10&U	100	Fly	74
75	11-12	100	Fly	76
77	8&U	50	Free	78
79	9-10	50	Free	80
81	11-12	50	Free	82
83	8&U	25	Breast	84
85	9-10	50	Breast	86
87	11&12	50	Breast	88
89	12&U	200	Freestyle	90

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91	13-14	200	IM	92
93	15-18	200	IM	94
95	13-14	100	Breast	96
97	15-18	100	Breast	98
99	13-14	200	Back	100
101	15-18	200	Back	102
103	13-14	100	Free	104
105	15-18	100	Free	106
107	13-14	200	Fly	108
109	15-18	200	Fly	110
111*	Open	500	Free	112*

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Meet Entry Summary Sheet

Team Name: _____ Team Abbreviation: _____

Team Address: _____

City & State _____ Zip _____

Head Coach/ Team Rep: _____

Phone _____ E-mail _____

For Entry Problems Call or E-Mail: _____

Total # of Athletes: _____ X \$2.00 SCLSC Travel Fund/Program Fee =

_____ X \$2.00 Out of State SCLSC Travel

Total # of Athletes: _____ Fund/Program Fee=

Total # of Athletes: _____ X \$18.00 Pool/Facility Fee =

Total # of Athletes: _____ X \$2.00 SCLSC Sports Development Fee =

Total # of Individual Entries: _____ X \$4.00 Entry Fee =

Total Fees Submitted: \$

Make Checks Payable To: SCSC Parent Association

Mail entries to: **South Carolina Swim Club -PA**
PO Box 882
Mount Pleasant, SC 29465-0882
(Please waive signature for overnight deliveries)

WAIVER, ACKNOWLEDGMENT AND LIABILITY RELEASE
I, the undersigned coach or team representative, verify that all of the swimmers and coaches listed on the enclosed entry are registered with USA Swimming.
I acknowledge that I am familiar with the safety rules of USA Swimming and SC Swimming regarding warm-up procedures and that I shall be responsible for the compliance of my swimmers with those rules during this meet.
It is understood and agreed that USA Swimming shall be free from any liabilities or claims for damages arising by reason of injuries to anyone during the conduct of the event. It is further understood that the SC LSC, the South Carolina Swim Club, Park West Pool, and SportsTiming, Inc. shall be free and held harmless from any liabilities or claims for damages arising by reason of injuries to anyone during the conduct of the event.

Signature/Title

Date

