*2002 Maryland Masters Swim Team*

# 25th Annual Winter Meet

University of Maryland, Baltimore County (UMBC) Catonsville, MD

**Saturday, February 23 & Sunday, February 24, 2002**

*Sanctioned by Maryland LMSC for USMS, Inc. – Sanction number 092-004*

## *Meet Information:*

### Location

The University of Maryland, Baltimore County (UMBC) is located off Rt. 95 in Catonsville, MD. It has a modern 8-lane 25-yard pool with a 13x13 diving well. A fully electronic timing system will be used.

### Warm-up Times

The pool will be open for warmup from 10:00 to 10:50 am each day. The meet will start promptly at 11:00 am. The diving well will be available for warm up and warm down throughout the meet.

### Rules

USMS rules will apply. The meet is open to any swimmer at least 19 years of age as of Feb. 23, 2002. ***Age groups are:*** 19-24, 25-29, 30-34, 35-39, …100-104. Age for the meet is determined as of 2/24/2002.

### Number of Events

A maximum of five (5) individual events per day may be entered.

**NO DECK ENTRIES ALLOWED**

### Seeding

Ages and sexes will be combined. Slower heats will be swum first, with the exception of the 400 IM and 500 free. "NT" entries will be seeded in the slowest heat.

### Relay Events

Relays will be deck entered. The relay entry fee is $5.00 per relay. The names and ages of all swimmers must be on the card in the proper order. Relay age groups: 19+, 25+, 35+, 45+, 55+, 65+, 75+, 85+ (Relay age determined by the youngest swimmer).

### Scoring

***Individual Events:*** 7-5-4-3-2-1.
***Relay Events:*** 14-10-8.

### Special Features

***Pentathlon:*** A special award will be presented to the man and woman in each age group who scores the most points in the 5 pentathlon events among the pentathlon entrants. The pentathlon consists of the 5 events of 50 free, 50 back, 50 fly, 50 breast, and 100 IM. All 5 events must be swum in order to qualify for the award.

***High Point:*** A special award will be presented to the man and woman in each age group who score the most points.

***Team:*** Team scores will be tabulated.

### Awards

***Individual events***: Custom Maryland Masters awards will be presented to 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place finishers in each age group. Ribbons for 4th, 5th, and 6th.

***Relays:*** Ribbons will be awarded to each swimmer on the 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place relays.

Unclaimed awards will not be mailed.

### Final Results

Final results will be mailed or e-mailed to all meet entrants. Results will be posted on the Maryland LMSC website.

### Warm-up Procedures

Swimmers must enter the pool feet first in a cautious manner. No diving is allowed at any time in either pool. Racing dives, including backstroke starts, are allowed only in the designated sprint lanes during the pre-meet warm-up sessions.

### Social

The Social is back! It will be held at the Knights of Columbus Hall about 2 miles from the pool. The menu features lasagna. Cost is $13 per person.

### Concessions Souvenir Items, Vendors,

- Limited concessions will be available.
- New custom meet T-shirts may be purchased for $13 and must be ordered in advance with your meet entry.
- Massage therapists will be available.

### Entry Procedures

Use the official entry form. A legible copy of your 2002 USMS registration card must accompany the entry form.

### Entry Fees

$3 per individual event.

$5 meet surcharge.

$2 surcharge for pentathlon entries.

Fees must accompany the entry form and must be paid by check or money order. Refund requests must be received in writing before Feb. 9, 2002.

### Mail Entry and Fees to:

Barbara Protzman, Meet Director
7919 Main Falls Circle
Catonsville, MD 21228
(410) 788-2964 – home
(410) 992-3760 x3320 – work
swimbarb@hotmail.com
(Long distance phone calls returned collect.)

### Entry Deadline

All entries must be received by Feb. 15, 2002. Entries received after this date will be returned to sender. MAIL EARLY. Include a SASE (Self -Addressed Stamped Envelope) for proof of receipt and allow sufficient time for delivery.

### Hotels

Comfort Suites: 410-691-1000
Hampton Inn BWI: 410-850-0600
Courtyard by Marriott: 410-859-8855

### Directions

***From Rt. 95:*** Take the Catonsville exit (Rt. 166/195). Follow the exit over the bridge and bear right onto the campus. The pool is directly ahead of you as you enter campus. Bear right. Turn left on Administration Drive. Park in the two-level garage.

***From Rt. 695:*** Take exit 12, Wilkens Ave. west. Turn left at the end of the exit ramp. Turn left into the entrance by the police station. Turn right at the stop sign. Proceed through a traffic light. Turn left at the 2nd stop sign on Administration Drive.

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PRINT NAME AS IT APPEARS ON USMS REGISTRATION CARD. A COPY OF 2002 USMS CARD IS REQUIRED WITH ENTRY.

NAME: _____ _____ _____ SEX: **M** OR **F**
LAST FIRST M. I.

ADDRESS: _____ _____ _____ _____
STREET CITY STATE ZIP

EMAIL: _____ AGE: _____ BIRTHDATE: _____
MONTH/DAY/YEAR

PHONE:( ) _____ ( ) _____ USMS REG. # : _____
HOME WORK

CLUB NAME: _____ CLUB ABBREVIATION: _____

| EVENT NAME | EVENT NO. | ENTRY TIME |
|---|---|---|
| **SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 23, 2002** | | **START 11:00AM** |
| 200 MEDLEY RELAY | 1 | DECK ENTERED |
| 200 FREESTYLE | 2 | |
| 100 BREASTSTROKE | 3 | |
| 50 BACKSTROKE ** | 4 | |
| 200 BUTTERFLY | 5 | |
| 100 FREESTYLE | 6 | |
| 200 BACKSTROKE | 7 | |
| 50 BUTTERFLY ** | 8 | |
| 200 MIXED FREE RELAY | 9 | DECK ENTERED |
| 400 INDIVIDUAL MEDLEY | 10 | |
| **SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 24, 2002** | | **START 11:00AM** |
| 200 FREESTYLE RELAY | 11 | DECK ENTERED |
| 50 BREASTSTROKE ** | 12 | |
| 200 INDIVIDUAL MEDLEY | 13 | |
| 100 BACKSTROKE | 14 | |
| 50 FREESTYLE ** | 15 | |
| 100 BUTTERFLY | 16 | |
| 200 BREASTSTROKE | 17 | |
| 100 INDIVIDUAL MEDLEY ** | 18 | |
| 200 MIXED MEDLEY RELAY | 19 | DECK ENTERED |
| 500 FREESTYLE | 20 | |

** *Pentathlon Events*

**LIABILITY RELEASE:**

I, the undersigned participant, intending to be legally bound, hereby certify that I am physically fit and have not been otherwise informed by a physician. I acknowledge that I am aware of all the risks inherent in Masters Swimming (training and competition) including possible permanent disability or death, and agree to assume all of those risks. AS A CONDITION OF MY PARTICIPATION IN THE MASTERS SWIMMING PROGRAM OR ANY ACTIVITIES INCIDENT THERETO, I HEREBY WAIVE ANY AND ALL RIGHTS TO CLAIMS FOR LOSS OR DAMAGES, INCLUDING ALL CLAIMS FOR LOSS OR DAMAGES CAUSED BY THE NEGLIGENCE , ACTIVE OR PASSIVE, OF THE FOLLOWING: UNITED STATES MASTERS SWIMMING, INC., THE LOCAL MASTERS SWIMMING COMMITTEES, THE CLUBS, HOST FACILITIES, MEET SPONSORS, MEET COMMITTEES, OR ANY INDIVIDUALS OFFICIATING AT THE MEETS OR SUPERVISING SUCH ACTIVITIES. In addition, I agree to abide by and be governed by the rules of USMS.

**SIGNATURE** _____ **DATE** _____

**FEES**

Meet Surcharge (required) .....$ 5

Pentathlon surcharge (if applicable) .$ 2 = _____

Number of Individual Events ____x $ 3 = _____

Social..... ____x $13 = _____

T-Shirts..... ____x $13 = _____

Size(s): M, _____ L, ____ XL____

**TOTAL FEE ENCLOSED** = _____

Payable to: **Maryland Masters Swim Team**

- ☐ Entry form filled out completely?
- ☐ No more than 5 events per day entered?
- ☐ Liability release signed and dated?
- ☐ Fees payable to "Maryland Masters Swim Team" enclosed?
- ☐ Copy of USMS card attached?
- ☐ Entry received by Feb. 15, 2002 deadline?

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