

2016 Odd Age Invitational

Green Valley Aquatic Club

Saturday, July 9, 2016



Distance Events!

**11-Over 200 Free
13-Over 400 Free**

Dear Coach:

The Green Valley Aquatic Club would like to take this opportunity to cordially invite you and your team to enter the Green Valley "Odd Age Invitational." The meet will be held at Green Valley Swim Club in our 8 lane, 25 meter racing pool. Our beautiful grounds provide plenty of space for all participating teams to spread out, relax and enjoy the day.

Team tents are welcome and may be setup in the designated areas located outside the pool fence between 6:00 PM and 9:00 PM on Friday, July 8th or the morning of the meet prior to the start of the event. A variety of foods will be available throughout the day at Gator Bites and Larry the Sno Cone Guy! We will also have a wide variety of swimming gear and related accessories available for purchase from Start to Finish.

The idea behind the "Odd Age Invitational" is to give swimmers, who are the younger ones in their age group, an advantage for one day. It's a perfect opportunity to boost their ego and allow them to be a star for a day. It also pushes the older ones in the age group to swim harder to bring in their fastest time when they are swimming against the older group, especially to qualify for BCSA County Championships.

Don't forget these great events...

200 Free for 11 and over
400 Free for 13 and over
Plus, we'll have Hot Heats again this year!

We are looking forward to being your host and are looking forward to an exciting and enjoyable invitational again in 2016.

Sincerely,

Green Valley Aquatic Club

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GENERAL INFORMATION

Sponsor: Green Valley Aquatic Club
Date: Saturday, July 8, 2016
Location: Green Valley Swim Club's 8 lane, 25 meter pool
Time: Warm-ups 7:00 AM
Meet Start 8:00 AM

Directions: 422 West through Sinking Spring
Right at Sheetz onto Green Valley Road
Entrance to Green Valley Country Club app.1/2 mile on your left

Age Groups: Swimmer's age group determined by their age **on day of event** as follows:
7 & under; 8 & 9 year olds; 10 & 11 year olds; 12 & 13 year olds
13 and over for 400 Free

Entries: (4) Individual Events Cost: \$4.00/individual event
*400 Free entrants required to provide their own timer and lap counter.

Entries Due: Electronic entries are required. E-mail entries to:

Christine Kahn
ckahn14@comcast.net

Checks for e-mailed entries should be received by July 1, 2016, mailed to the below address.

ALL ENTRIES must be received by July 1, 2016 at 7:00 PM.

**Green Valley Odd Age Meet
c/o Christine Kahn
14 Brookfield Avenue
Sinking Spring PA 19608**

ONE check per club, payable to "Green Valley Aquatic Club" should accompany entries by July 1, 2016. **Important: Please DO NOT drop off entries or entry fees at the Green Valley Club House!**

Contacts: Christine Kahn 610-301-9212
Tom Houck 484-529-2529

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Special Rules:

1. One false start allowed. A second false start by the same swimmer will result in a DQ.
2. All starts and turns shall be in accordance with BCSA rules.
3. The IM will be swum in the order of butter, back, breast, free.
4. It is the Coach's responsibility to get swimmers to the heat benches. Swimmers not on the block at the start of an event will forfeit the opportunity to swim that event.

Awards: Electronic timing with watch times as back up is used. Awards are based on the precedence by PIAA Officials. Posted times do not necessarily reflect official place. PIAA Officials' decisions will be final.

Individual Awards: Trophies will be awarded for 1st, 2nd and 3rd place.

Medals will be awarded for 4th, 5th and 6th place.

Ribbons will be awarded for 7th through 12th place.

Scratches: Coaches are asked to send any scratches you know of in advance, via email, so as to open up lanes for deck entries. A scratch meeting will be conducted the morning of the meet promptly at 7:30 a.m. Please send a representative from your team.

Deck Entries: Deck Entries will be accepted if there is an empty lane only. Heats will not be added. Events will **not** be reseeded for deck entries. If coaches have swimmers they intend to deck enter at the meet, they are encouraged to email the entries in advance, if at all possible, to ckahn14@comcast.net. Any empty lanes will be accommodated at the meet directors discretion, on a first come, first served basis.

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Order of Events

Girls	Event	Boys
1	11-Over 200 Free	2
3	7-U 25 Free	4
5	8-9 25 Free	6
7	10-11 50 Free	8
9	12-13 50 Free	10
11	9 & under 100 IM	12
13	10-11 100 IM	14
15	12-13 200 IM	16
17	7-U 25 Back	18
19	8-9 25 Back	20
21	10-11 50 Back	22
23	12-13 50 Back	24
25	7-U 25 Fly	26
27	8-9 25 Fly	28
29	10-11 50 Fly	30
31	12-13 50 Fly	32
33	9 & Under 50 Free	34
35	10-11 100 Free	36
37	12-13 100 Free	38
39	7-U 25 Breast	40
41	8-9 25 Breast	42
43	10-11 50 Breast	44
45	12-13 50 Breast	46
47	13-Over 400 Free Mixed	48