2015 USA Swimming Speedo Sectional Championship at Austin, TX
March 25-29, 2015
Welcome
2015 USA Swimming
Speedo Sectional Championship
Meet Director: Bridgette Rhoades
Meet Referee: David Coddington
Administrative Referee – Don Hougardy (IE)
Asst. Admin Referees – Gloria Schuldt, Herb Schwab, Robert Broyles
Team Lead for Officials – Mike Dilli (CO)
Meet Operations - Warm Up Schedule:
Wednesday: 12:00 Noon – 1:50 PM
Thursday – Sunday:
Warm-up Prelims: 7:00 AM – 8:50 AM
Warm-up Finals: 4:00 PM – 5:20 PM
National Scratch Rules will be followed.
Resolution Desk – across from Dive Tank
Clerk of Course & Admin Referee located here
Scratches from Prelims: Fill out a scratch card Put in Scratch Box at Clerk of Course
Scratch/Intent to Scratch from Finals: See the Administrative Referee at the Resolution Desk
SCRATCH DEADLINES:
Wednesday Events – 15 minutes after the conclusion of this meeting
• Thursday Prelim Events – 2:30 PM today
• Rest of meet: 6:00 PM for the following day’s Prelim events, including relays and positive check-in events
• 5 Day Prelim Timeline – Based on Estimated Heats Only (Pre-Scratch)
• Finals Time Lines in Morning Prelim Heat Sheets
• Sunday 400 Medley Relay – Prelim/Finals Choice
  • Due by Saturday Scratch Deadline
• **Resolution Desk**

Declared False Starts:

• Pre-session – see the Administrative Referee at the Resolution Desk

• During the session – see the Deck Referees

Questions regarding Disqualifications: see the Resolution Desk Admin Referee

**Finals & Awards**

Finals – 4 Heats in the order of D, C, B, A

Parade the A Final heat – report to the ready room at least 10 minutes before the start time for the heat; turn in Bios to the Announcer

Awards: Top 8 Individual Events – Top 3 Relays

Please have athletes dressed in warm-up suits or team apparel

**Pools**

Using Flyover starts for Prelims

All Relays: One pool (Dive tank will be closed)

All event <500 yards: One pool

Distance Freestyle:

Two Pools

1000 Free tonight

  positive check-in required
  Slow-to-fast. All women then all men
  Odd heats/Even heats

500 Free Saturday prelims

  Slow-to-fast. All women then all men
  Odd heats/Even heats

1650 Freestyle on Sunday:

  Positive Check-in required
  Alternating Women and Men using two pools;
  Men’s 2nd fastest heat finishes at 4:00 PM.
  Pre-Scratch Start ~2:00pm.
Swim-offs: NO swim-offs before Finals

Swim-offs will be offered for ties in positions 9-10, 17-18, 25-26, 33-34, and 35-36

Check with the Admin Referee at the Resolution Desk before your athletes leave the venue from Coaches Cell Phone #s are REQUIRED - leave with Admin Referee when checking in for the meet

**Time Trials**

No time trials today

- Sign up at Clerk of Course/Resolution Desk
- Offered for one (1) hour Thursday – Sunday
- Each Day’s Sign-up offered at Start of Warm-up – 7:00 AM
- 1000 Free is the last event on Thursday
- 1650 Free is the last event on Friday

**Section Business Meeting – Friday after Prelims**

- See Robert Broyles for agenda topics
- Location – 2nd Floor Hallway

**REMINDER:**

Changing in or out of swimsuits other than in locker rooms is **prohibited**.

Please remind your swimmers of this USA Swimming rule (202.4.9i) change.

**Awards**

Champion’s coach presents the awards

- Top 8 Individual
- Top 3 relays

Awards for today’s events: First thing tomorrow night

- 1000’s and 800 Free Relays

All other events:

- Immediately following the event
- Swimmers go to the awards podium before warm-down.

**Questions?**
## Unofficial Time Line for Preliminaries Sessions
### 2015 USA SWIMMING / SPEEDO SECTIONALS
Western Region Four Corners Short Course Section Championship
Austin, Texas
March 25 - 29, 2015

***PRE-SCRATCH (actual times may vary slightly)***

### Wednesday, March 25, 2015
- **1** W 1000y Freestyle  
  **8** 2:00 PM
- **2** M 1000y Freestyle  
  **9** 2:45 PM
- **Relay Warmups**  
  **3-4** W 800y Freestyle Relay  
  **7** 3:38 PM
  **and M 800y Freestyle Relay**  
  **7** 3:49 PM
- **Wednesday Events End**  
  **4:22 PM**

### Thursday, March 26, 2015
- **5** W 100y Freestyle  
  **15** 9:00 AM
- **6** M 100y Freestyle  
  **11** 9:19 AM
- **7** W 200y Breaststroke  
  **9** 9:33 AM
- **8** M 200y Breaststroke  
  **9** 10:00 AM
- **9** W 200y Backstroke  
  **9** 10:25 AM
- **10** M 200y Backstroke  
  **8** 10:51 AM
- **11** W 200y Butterfly  
  **9** 11:14 AM
- **12** M 200y Butterfly  
  **8** 11:38 AM
- **Relay Warmups**  
  **13 & 14** W 200y Medley Relay  
  **6** 11:58 AM
  **and M 200y Medley Relay**  
  **6** 12:09 PM
- **Thursday Prelims End**  
  **12:29 PM**

### Friday, March 27, 2015
- **15** W 200y Freestyle  
  **16** 9:00 AM
- **16** M 200y Freestyle  
  **14** 9:37 AM
- **17** W 400y Individual Medley  
  **12** 10:08 AM
- **18** M 400y Individual Medley  
  **10** 11:09 AM
- **Relay Warmups**  
  **19 & 20** W 200y Freestyle Relay  
  **6** 11:57 AM
  **and M 200y Freestyle Relay**  
  **12:08 PM**
- **Friday Prelims End**  
  **12:23 PM**

### Saturday, March 28, 2015
- **21** W 100y Backstroke  
  **12** 9:00 AM
- **22** M 100y Backstroke  
  **9** 9:22 AM
- **23** W 500y Freestyle  
  **12** 9:39 AM
- **24** M 500y Freestyle  
  **11** 10:13 AM
- **25** W 100y Breaststroke  
  **10** 10:44 AM
- **26** M 100y Breaststroke  
  **8** 11:01 AM
- **27** W 100y Butterfly  
  **12** 11:15 AM
- **28** M 100y Butterfly  
  **11** 11:32 AM
- **Relay Warmups**  
  **29 & 30** W 400y Freestyle Relay  
  **7** 11:48 AM
  **and M 400y Freestyle Relay**  
  **7** 11:59 AM
- **Saturday Prelims End**  
  **12:29 PM**

### Sunday, March 29, 2015
- **31** W 200y Individual Medley  
  **14** 9:00 AM
- **32** M 200y Individual Medley  
  **12** 9:37 AM
- **35** W 50y Freestyle  
  **13** 10:07 AM
- **36** M 50y Freestyle  
  **9** 10:18 AM
- **Relay Warmups**  
  **37 & 38** W 400y Medley Relay  
  **5** 10:25 AM
  **and M 400y Medley Relay**  
  **5** 10:36 AM
- **Sunday Prelims End**  
  **11:03 AM**

### (Distance Freestyle)
- **33 & 34** W 1650y Freestyle  
  **2:00 PM**
- **Sunday Distance Freestyle End**  
  **4:00 PM**

### SPECIAL NOTES:
Distance freestyles will swim in two pools, odd/even heats. All events <500 yards will swim in one pool.

Awards will generally follow immediately after the event. Wednesday’s awards will be presented on Thursday at the beginning of finals.