

Hood River Spring Sprinter Invitational 2009  
A/B/C Short Course Yards Swim Meet  
Saturday, May 16<sup>th</sup>, 2009

HELD UNDER THE SANCTION OF USA SWIMMING

- Sanction Number: TBA
- Sponsor: Hood River Valley Swim Team  
Location: Hood River Aquatic Center  
1301 May Street  
Hood River, OR 97031  
(541) 386-1303
- Meet Referee: David Burton
- Eligibility: Swimmers must be currently registered with USA Swimming. No on deck registration will be allowed. Swimmers must be within the listed age brackets as of May 16, 2009. Swimmers of invited teams are eligible to attend.
- Entry Deadline: Entries must be received by 5:30pm May 9 2009.
- Entry Limit: Swimmers may enter a maximum of **four** individual events in the Spring Sprinter morning session and one relay. Swimmers may enter one individual event in the afternoon session. Meet is limited to the first 225 swimmers.  
Late entries from coaches may be allowed, at the referee's discretion, on a lane-available basis.
- Entry Fees: \$3.00 Oregon Swimming surcharge per swimmer  
\$2.00 Facility use surcharge per swimmer  
\$2.00 per individual event  
\$8.00 relay entry fee  
Please make check payable to the Hood River Valley Swim Team.
- Entry Address: HRVST – Spring Sprinter Invitational  
1603 May Street  
Hood River, OR 97031  
Or e-mail zipped cl2file to [hrvst.coach@gmail.com](mailto:hrvst.coach@gmail.com). *Entry fees, hard copy and signed meet summary form are still due by the deadline.*
- Entries: Submit short course yard times for seeding. No Time Entries will be accepted. Entries may be submitted on the enclosed master entry forms. Hytek Meet Management software will be used and disk entries are appreciated. Please include a paper printout of entries submitted on disc.

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- Format:** Swimmers will be seeded & awards given according to age and time, not sex. Awards will be given for swimmers according to age groups 8 & U, 9-10, 11-12, 13-14, 15 & Over.
- Facility:** Indoor, 10 lane 25 yd by 25 m pool. 7 to 10 lanes will be used for competition depending on number of entries. Parking is available at pool and on adjacent streets. Swim venue includes: Men's & women's locker rooms with access onto pool deck; Open pool deck areas available for swimmers, coaches and officials. Facility is accessible to adaptive swimmers. Colorado Timing System with touchpads and button backup will be used.
- No Coach Present:** For unattached swimmers, or swimmers whose coach is not attending the meet, it is the swimmers responsibility to arrange for a certified coach to be responsible for the swimmer. This must be done BEFORE the swimmer may enter the water for warm-ups or competition. Please see the Meet Director or Meet Referee if assistance is needed, upon arrival at the meet.
- Restrictions:** TOBACCO PRODUCTS OF ANY KIND, ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES AND GLASS CONTAINERS ARE NOT ALLOWED IN THE SWIMMING VENUE. No shaving will be allowed in the venue.
- Times:** Warm-ups for morning session: 8:00am-8:45am  
Timed finals for morning session: 9:00am  
Warm-ups for afternoon session: immediately after Spring Sprinter is concluded.  
Timed finals for the afternoon session will begin approximately 20 minutes after Spring Sprinter has concluded.
- Rules:** Current 2009 USA Swimming and Oregon Swimming Inc. rules will govern this meet.
- Safety:** Current Oregon Swimming Safety Guidelines and Warm-up Procedures will be in effect and strictly enforced. SEE ENCLOSURE.
- Bull Pen:** A bull pen will be provided for all 8 and under swimmers.
- Awards:** Individual and relays - 1-10<sup>th</sup> place ribbons
- Meetings:** Officials meeting will be held at 8:00am. Coaches meeting at 8:45am.
- Meet Director:** David Mears [david-cpa@gorge.net](mailto:david-cpa@gorge.net)
- Officials:** We always appreciate the help of certified officials & trainees from other clubs. If you will be attending this meet, please check in with the meet referee upon arrival. An officials & coaches hospitality room will be provided.

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Timers: Each team will be given timing assignments for the first session.

Distance events: Swimmers in the 500 and 1650 yd Freestyle events in session 2 will be responsible for providing their own timers and counter. The meet referee has the option to swim the 500 and 1650 yd swimmers 2 to a lane if needed.

Concessions: Concessions will be available throughout the swim meet.

Vendor: Shortt Supply will be our swim supply and apparel vendor.