

<u>Name of Meet</u>	LC MINI MEET CHAMPIONSHIP 2011 Hosted by Bayonne Mermaids-Starfish
<u>Meet Sanction #:</u>	NJS#071411LC
<u>Host Club:</u>	Bayonne Mermaids-Starfish.
<u>Date of Meet:</u>	Thursday July 14 th , 2011. <i>This is an outdoor meet. No make-up date in case of any weather conditions.</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Refunds will be provided if the meet does not start due to inclement weather.</i> • <i>Program and Admission will not be refunded if the meet is called due to weather.</i> • <i>Partial refunds will be given if the meet does not get through the first 5 events.</i> • <i>No scratches will be refunded, if the meet is to be called off.</i>
<u>Location:</u>	Bayonne DiDomenico Municipal Pool; 157 West 16 th St; Bayonne, NJ. A eight lane 50 meter outdoor pool with 7 ft lanes utilizing anti splash lane dividers, Colorado Timing, and computerized results. PLEASE BRING YOUR OWN CHAIR (BEACH, ETC) SINCE NO FACILITIES WILL BE PROVIDED. Parking is available at the DiDomenico Park located at the end of West 16 th St. The depth at the starting end is 9 feet and the depth at the turn end is 4 feet.
<u>Meet Director:</u>	Mohamed Abdelaal Daytime 201-232-0600, Evening 201-232-0600 Mailing address: 885 Broadway PMB 67. Bayonne, NJ 07002 e-mail: mka334@optonline.net
<u>Meet Referee:</u>	Jim O'Neill : e-mail: swimjim1@juno.com
<u>Meet Marshal:</u>	Adel William Daytime 201-889-7570, Evening 201-889-7570 E-mail: Mka334@optonline.net
<u>Entry Coordinator:</u>	BE Smartt Inc. 604 Paxson Avenue, Mercerville, NJ 08619 Entries1@juno.com 609.558.0988
<u>Entry Deadline:</u>	Entries must be received by 3:00PM Thursday, June 30th, 2011 in the hands of the meet director. If you are not emailing your entries, then overnight or express mail is recommended, <i>but waive the signature</i> . It is not necessary to use overnight or express mail to send hard copy and check, which are sent in support of an e-mailed entry.
<u>Entry Amending Process:</u>	According to the Amending Process for NJ Championship Meets, should a swimmer be missing from the entry list or an event, the coach can e-mail the missing information to entries1@juno.com by 6:00 PM Tuesday July 12, 2011. The entry fee for all events entered in this manner is \$10.00 per event (unless the mistake was the host's), and must be paid before the start of the meet according to the Amending Process Guidelines.
<u>Meet Format Waiver:</u>	Meet management has the right to restrict the number of entries due to darkness. The host club has the right to change the format of the meet with the approval of the administrative chairman and age group or senior chairman. These changes would be made for a more efficient swim meet for the swimmers and the host club.
<u>Internet Website Posting:</u>	Meet information, Hy-Tek Event List (HYV.file), and meet results will be posted at www.besmartinc.com and the New Jersey Swimming website. (www.njswim.org)

<u>Meet Requirement Statement:</u>	In order to be eligible for the New Jersey Swimming LC Zone Championship Team or for New Jersey Swimming Athlete Championship Meet Reimbursement, NJ Swimming policy stipulates certain meet participation requirements. As a New Jersey Swimming sanctioned meet, this meet counts towards these participation requirements.
<u>Coaches Eligibility:</u>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All coaches “on the deck” must be members of USA Swimming. • Coaches must show coaching card for entrance to facility. • Coaches must show coaching card before picking up any meet information or scratch sheets.
<u>Swimmer Eligibility:</u>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All swimmers must be members of USA Swimming to enter and compete in this meet. • This is a New Jersey Swimming Championship Meet, and as such only New Jersey Swimming registered athletes may enter and compete in this meet. • The swimmer must be listed on a team’s official entry form to be eligible to participate in this swim meet in any event. • This meet will have events for 8/Unders (awards as specified in the Awards section). • There are no time standards being used in this meet. • Swimmers can swim all four individual events and one relay. • Age for this meet is: July 14th , 2011
<u>Unattached Swimmers:</u>	All transfer swimmer(s) must swim unattached for 120 days from their last attached competition. Swimmers must use an UN- (New Team Alpha Code) as their team affiliation. All Unattached swimmers must be listed on the team’s official waiver entry form.
<u>Meet Format:</u>	<p>This meet will be run in accordance to Current USA Swimming Rules.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • This meet will be run as a time final meet. • This meet will be deck seeded with coaches checking in/scratching all swimmers. When the seeding has been posted, swimmers will report to the blocks on their own. • This meet will use the “no-recall” procedure for false starts • Fly –Over starts will not be used during this meet.
<u>Swimmers Unaccompanied by a USAS Certified Coach:</u>	Any swimmer competing in this 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. If a swimmer is not accompanied by a USA Swimming member coach, then it is the responsibility of the swimmer or the swimmer’s legal guardian to ensure compliance with this requirement.
<u>Meet Schedule:</u>	Facility opens at 4:55. Warm-up starts at 5:00PM, Meet starts at 6:00PM

Meet Schedule:

Thursday, July 14th, 2011	Warm-up	Start
Thursday	4:55PM	6:00PM

<u>Warm-up Procedures:</u>	<p>New Jersey Swimming Warm-up and Safety Guidelines:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Warm-ups will be run under New Jersey Swimming Warm-up and Safety Guidelines. Warm-ups will include general warm-up lanes, and sprint lanes. • Warm-ups will be a 50-minute general warm-up with the last 15 minutes offering Sprint lanes. • Depending on a large number of entries, the warm-up will be divided by teams into two 25-minute warm-ups with sprint lanes available in the last 10 minutes. This warm-up will be e-mailed at least one week prior to the meet. <p>Entry Into Pool:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All swimmers must enter the pool from the starting end of the pool. • Bayonne Mermaid-Starfish meet marshals will monitor warm-ups.
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<u>Check-In:</u>	All check-in sheets must be turned into the scoring table 30 minutes before the start of the meet. Swimmers that are swimming will have a line through their name. Swimmers that are being scratched will have their names circled with a "SCR" next to the circle. Swimmers scratching a single event will have a line through his/her name and the event number circled with "SCR" next to the circle. Failure to follow the check-in procedure may result in the swimmer(s) being scratched from the session.
<u>Starts:</u>	The host club will determine if 'Fly-over'/'Over-the-top' starts will be used after a time line has been produced. This information will be sent to the participating clubs at least one week prior to the start of the meet.
<u>Scoring:</u>	Team Scoring will not be kept.
<u>Awards:</u>	Awards will be given as follows: - Relay events: Top 3 teams - Freestyle & Backstroke events: Top 8 finishers in 6/unders, 7 yr olds, and 8 yr olds - Breaststroke & Butterfly events: Top 8 finishers in 7/unders, and 8 yr olds
<u>Entry Fees:</u>	Individual Entry Fee: \$6.00; relays \$9.00 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Make checks payable to: BAYONNE MERMAIDS-STARFISH SWIM TEAM • Refunds will be given if there is a rain out of the entire meet.
<u>Admissions and Programs:</u>	Admission – \$5.00 Cost of Program will be \$5.00.
<u>Entries:</u>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • In accordance with NJS policy, team entries may be submitted by E-mail to entries1@juno.com. Subject line to read BMS MINI 2011 • All entries must be Hy-Tek program entries either on a 3 1/2" diskette or as an attached file to an email. • The meet entry coordinator will respond to e-mails entries within 48 hours. If you do not receive an e-mail response within 48 hours, assume that your email has not been received. It then becomes the e-mailer's responsibility to make sure that the host club's meet entry coordinator receives the e-mail. If you do not receive an e-mail response, you must contact the entry coordinator by email or phone or mail in your entries. • An Entry Summary with a signed NJ Swimming waiver and a check must accompany a mailed entry or follow an e-mailed entry. • Accuracy of seed times is essential. Incomplete entries will not be accepted. • Deck entries will not be accepted. No phone or faxed entries will be accepted.
<u>Entry Times:</u>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • New Jersey Swimming does not allow 'NT' or 'No Time' to be used as an entry time. (Note that converted and time trial times are acceptable.) • All entry times must be in long course meters.
<u>Results:</u>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All teams will be sent their results via e-mail after the meet.
<u>Host Club Responsibilities:</u>	The host club responsibilities: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The host club will provide a single timer in each lane through out the meet. • The host club will have stopwatches available for volunteers helping to time. • The host club will e-mail all club entries back to the participating clubs. • The host club will create a warm-up schedule that will be fair and equal to all teams. This warm-up schedule will be e-mailed to all participating clubs no later than one week before the meet. • The host club will create timing assignments that are fair and equitable with as many teams participating as possible. These timing assignments will be e-mailed to all participating clubs no later than one week before the meet.
<u>Participating Club Responsibilities:</u>	Participating Clubs responsibilities: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Participating clubs must help with timing assignments. Timing assignments will be e-mailed to participating clubs one week prior to the meet.

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Participating club parents must stay within designated areas away from the pool edges except for timing assignments. • Participating clubs should help with officiating whenever possible. List the club contact for club officials on the meet summary.
<u>Concessions:</u>	Food and drink will be available.
<u>Directions:</u>	NJ Turnpike Exit 14A (Bayonne) proceed along Ave. E to East 16 th St. Make a right turn proceed for 4 blocks. Pool is across the street from the firehouse and children's park.

THURSDAY EVENING –
ORDER OF EVENTS:
Warm-Up: 4:55PM. Start Time: 6:00PM

<u>Event #</u>	<u>EVENTS (no qualifying times)</u>
1	Mixed 8 & Under 200 Freestyle Relay (Any four 8/U swimmers for the relay)
2	Girls 8 & Under 50 Freestyle
3	Boys 8 & Under 50 Freestyle
4	Girls 8 & Under 50 Backstroke
5	Boys 8 & Under 50 Backstroke
6	Girls 8 & Under 50 Breaststroke
7	Boys 8 & Under 50 Breaststroke
8	Girls 8 & Under 50 Butterfly
9	Boys 8 & Under 50 Butterfly

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THURSDAY, JULY 14TH, 2011

WAIVER

In consideration of acceptance of this entry, I/we hereby, for myself/ourselves, my/our heirs, administrators and assigns, waive and release any and all claims against USA-Swimming, **The City of Bayonne, Bayonne Board of Education**, and the **Bayonne Mermaids-Starfish Swim Team, Be Smartt Inc** and their staff for any injuries and/or expenses occurred by me/us at the swim meet, or while on the road to and from the meet. I/we are bona fide amateur athletes and eligible to compete in all the events I/we have entered.

NAME OF CLUB: _____

USS CLUB ABBREVIATION: _____

SIGNATURE OF CLUB OFFICIAL, COACH, AND/OR PARENT OR GUARDIAN:

_____ (Print Name)

_____ (Signature)

_____ (Address)

_____ (Telephone)

NAME(S) OR COACH: _____

LOCATION OF CLUB: _____ (City) _____ (State)

NAME/PHONE #/E-MAIL ADDRESS of person to contact regarding this entry:

NAME/PHONE #/E-MAIL ADDRESS OF PERSON TO CONTACT REGARDING TIMERS/OFFICIALS:

NAME/PHONE #/E-MAIL ADDRESS OF PERSON TO RECEIVE FINAL RESULTS:

Meet results via e-mail

--or--

Meet results via disk/hard copy

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ENTRY _____ Individual Event Entries @ \$6.00 \$ _____

_____ Relay Events Entries @ \$9.00 \$ _____

FEE
SUMMARY:

TOTAL ENTRY FEES = \$ _____

MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO: BAYONNE MERMAIDS STARFISH SWIM TEAM

**New Jersey Swimming Inc.
Official Meet Verification Form**

Club Name: _____ Club Code: _____

Club E-Mail Address: _____

Head Coaches Name: _____

Club Address: _____



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I hereby certify that all swimmers and coaches listed on the entry or hard copy with disk entries, for **BMS LC MINI CHAMPIONSHIP** to be held on JULY 14TH, 2011 are registered members of New Jersey Swimming/ United States Swimming. All United States Swimming numbers are correctly listed and, unless otherwise noted, are not required to swim unattached (UN) due to the 120-day transfer. Also I acknowledge that deck access is limited to coaches and/or officials working the meet and displaying their credentials.

Signature _____ Date _____
(Signature cannot be photocopied)

Article 302.4 of the USA Swimming Rules and regulations.

FALSE REGISTRATION: An LSC may impose a fine of up to **\$100 per event** against a member coach or a member club's representative signing a document which indicates a swimmer is registered with United States Swimming for a meet when that swimmer is not properly registered or eligible to compete for that club. This will be enforced by the LSC and the LSC will be entitled to the fines imposed.

LIST ALL UNATTACHED SWIMMERS:

Unattached Swimmer _____, Unattached Swimmer _____

Unattached Swimmer _____, Unattached Swimmer _____

Unattached Swimmer _____, Unattached Swimmer _____

Unattached Swimmer _____, Unattached Swimmer _____