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How to Enter a Swim Meet

California Dolphin Swim Team is a USS year round competitive swim team. It's a part of Alameda County zone 2 in Pacific Swimming. The swim meets are listed on www.swimconnection.com as they become available for online entry. Meets are closing very fast after they are posted online. Please register for meets as soon as they are available.

The following are the instructions for signing up online:

- Log on to <u>www.swimconnection.com</u>
- At the bottom of the page click on "Pacific Swimming"
- At the top of the page click on "Enter Meets"
- Click on the meet that you want to enter
- Click on meet sheet to see all meet information (Go Back)
- Click on "Non-Member"
- Enter the requested information
- Enter your swimmer's USA Swimming Registration. This is usually birthday/first 3 of 1st name/middle initial/first 4 of last name
- Click on "Get Best Times" (if it is your first time, enter a practice time. Ask your coach if you do not know what time to enter)
- Delete the times in the events that you do not want to enter and/or fill in times in events that you do want to enter. See your swimmer's coach for "No Time" entries.
- Click on save and proceed to the payment page.

You will be emailed a copy of the events. Bring this with you to the meet for verification of entry. You will also be emailed a copy of your fee sheet. These fees are used to offset the coasts the host team incurs to run the meet.

Some of higher level swim meets do require qualifying times to register, please check Pacific Swimming Website for all time standard: http://www.pacswim.org/page/times_standards.html, or you may check the meet information sheet in any case for entry into a meet. You can also find all meet information at Pacific Swimming website www.pacswim.org.

Talk to your coach if you have any questions regarding the meet.

Finally, Swim Meets Are Fun! Fun! Fun!!