

GREENSBURG YMCA FIFTEENTH ANNUAL AUTUMN INVITATIONAL
Saturday, November 18, 2006

We are pleased to extend to you and your Team an invitation to participate in the Fifteenth Annual Greensburg YMCA Annual Autumn Invitational on Saturday, November 18, 2006. The Meet is open to all Novice (ages 8 & under), Cadet (ages 9 & 10), Prep (ages 11 & 12), Junior (ages 13 & 14) and Senior (ages 15 & over) age-group swimmers. The swimmer's age-group is determined by the swimmer's age on November 18, 2006.

SCHEDULE:

7:45 to 8:30 a.m.----Warm-ups for Novice and Cadet Swimmers (A more exact schedule will be emailed to each team)
8:40 a.m.-----Competition for Novice and Cadet Swimmers
12:15 to 12:55 p.m.--Warm-ups for Preps, Juniors & Seniors (A more exact schedule will be emailed to each team)
1:00 p.m.-----Competition for Prep, Junior and Senior Swimmers

EVENTS:

All events will be timed finals using a Daktronic timing system with touch pads. A complete list of events is enclosed. You will note that four (4) events are listed as "Open" events for the afternoon schedule. For these events, any Prep, Junior or Senior may compete. It will also be noted that for both the Novice and Cadet and again for the Prep, Junior and Senior Divisions there are "Mixed Relays". For the "Mixed Relays" each relay team may consist of all male or all female or any combination thereof. For the morning session, a Mixed Relay Team may be made up of any combination of Novice and Cadet swimmers. For the afternoon session, a Mixed Relay Team may be made up of any combination of Prep, Junior or Senior swimmers.

SEEDING:

Seeding will be done by "Seed Time" or "Entry Time", slowest to fastest, regardless of the sex or the age of the swimmer. Results will show places in each Division for both male and female. The Meet will be preseeded and Coaches or their representatives may pick up their Team's Prep, Junior and Senior entry cards. Novice and Cadet swimmers will be "seeded" on the pool deck at the shallow end of the pool.

POINTS:

Points will be credited to "Teams" as follows:

First Place	11 Points	Fourth Place	7 Points	Seventh Place	3 Points
Second Place	9 Points	Fifth Place	6 Points	Eighth Place	2 Points
Third Place	8 Points	Sixth Place	5 Point	Ninth Place	1 Point

For Relays, the point value for each place will be doubled.

AWARDS:

Trophies will be awarded to the top three finishers in each event for both male and female in each Division and medals will be awarded to places fourth through ninth in each event for both male and female in each Division. Overall Team Trophies will be awarded to the top three (3) teams, male and female combined scores.

ENTRY FEE:

The entry fee for the Greensburg YMCA Autumn Invitational is \$3.00 per event. Each swimmer will be permitted to swim in a maximum of four (4) individual events plus one (1) relay event. Due to the growth of our Invitational, we will limit entries to the first 550 individuals. Entries over 550 will be returned with all monies to the respective team(s). Checks should be made payable to the "Greensburg YMCA". Completed entry forms and checks should be mailed to: Mark E. Barnhart 505 E. Pittsburgh St. Greensburg, PA 15601. Teams with five (5) or more swimmers must submit entries on a Hy-Tek Team Manager or Comlink Disk with an attached hard copy or pay a \$25 surcharge. **THE ENTRY DEADLINE IS WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 1.** Any questions, should be directed to: Mark Barnhart at 724-834-1422 or at mbarnhar@verizon.net.

GREENSBURG AUTUMN INVITATIONAL SCHEDULE

7:45 to 8:30 a.m.-----Novice and Cadet Division Warm-ups

An exact schedule will be mailed to each team at a later date!

Order of Events for Novice and Cadet Division Swimmers:

- Event #1 - 100 Yard Mixed Medley Relay*
- Event #2 - 25 Yard Breaststroke
- Event #3 - 100 Yard Individual Medley
- Event #4 - 50 Yard Backstroke
- Event #5 - 25 Yard Freestyle
- Event #6 - 50 Yard Butterfly
- Event #7 - 50 Yard Freestyle
- Event #8 - 25 Yard Backstroke
- Event #9 - 50 Yard Breaststroke
- Event #10 - 100 Yard Freestyle
- Event #11 - 25 Yard Butterfly
- Event #12 - 100 Yard Mixed Freestyle Relay*

12:15 to 12:35 p.m.----Prep, Junior & Senior Division Warm-ups

An exact schedule will be mailed to each team at a later date!

Order of Events for Prep, Junior and Senior Division Swimmers:

- Event #13 - 200 Yard Mixed Medley Relay*
- Event #14 - 50 Yard Freestyle
- Event #15 - 200 Yard Individual Medley
- Event #16 - 100 Yard Backstroke
- Event #17 - 200 Yard Breaststroke**
- Event #18 - 100 Yard Butterfly
- Event #19 - 200 Yard Freestyle
- Event #20 - 100 Yard Freestyle
- Event #21 - 50 Yard Backstroke
- Event #22 - 100 Yard Breaststroke
- Event #23 - 200 Yard Butterfly**
- Event #24 - 50 Yard Butterfly
- Event #25 - 200 Yard Backstroke**
- Event #26 - 50 Yard Breaststroke
- Event #27 - 200 Yard Mixed Freestyle Relay*
- Event #28 - 400 Yard Individual Medley**

*Any Novice or Cadet may participate in the morning relay events and any Prep, Junior or Senior may participate in the afternoon relay events. **A relay team DOES NOT not have to consist of all swimmers from a single division** (for example, in the afternoon a relay may consist of any combination of Preps, Juniors and Seniors). **Likewise, all relay teams may consist of any combination of males or females.**

**Any person may swim in these "Open" Events. There will be no distinction in age groups other than calling the Division "Open".