

Name of Meet	<h2 style="margin: 0;">Tiger Invitational 2013</h2> <p style="margin: 0;">Hosted by Princeton Tigers Aquatic Club at the DeNunzio Natatorium, Princeton University</p>
Meet Sanction #	<p><i>NJS011913SC</i> In granting this sanction, it is understood and agreed that USA Swimming shall be free from any liabilities or claims for damages by reason of injuries to anyone during the conduct of the event.</p>
Date of Meet	Saturday January 19 th and Sunday January 20 th , 2013
Location	DeNunzio Natatorium (directions included), Faculty Road, Princeton University.
Facility Information	The DeNunzio pool is a 50-meter 8-lane pool with a minimum depth for diving of 9 feet. Two 8-lane by 25 yard courses will be used. (Main pool: 9' at dive end, 12' at turn; Dive pool: 12' at dive end, 17' at turn). There is ample seating for spectators.
Pool Certification Statement	The competition course has not been certified in accordance with 104.2.2C(4). Note that this statement is a required meet announcement statement, and refers to the pre-certification of the pool length measurement in regards to National and World Record swims which may occur in the pool. The fact that this pool is not certified in accordance to 104.2.2C(4) does not impact on the validity of the times achieved in this pool. Times swum at this meet will in fact be entered in SWIMS and are eligible for qualifying for any other USA Swimming sanctioned competition.
Audio/Visual Recording Statement	Use of audio or visual recording devices, including a cell phone, is not permitted in changing areas, rest rooms or locker rooms.
Meet Director	Ellen W Mace— entries1@juno.com 609-558-0988
Team Contact	Luis Nicolao— nicolao@princeton.edu
Meet Referee	Frank Cino— frankcino@yahoo.com
Meet Safety Marshall	Luis Nicolao— nicolao@princeton.edu
Entry Coordinator	Be Smartt Inc— entries1@juno.com , 609.558.0988
Entry Deadline:	<p>Entry Deadline: Saturday January 5th, 2013 at 6pm. E-Mail entry file to: entries1@juno.com. There will be no refunds after the entry deadline except for events that may be scratched from meet by the Entry Coordinator or Meet Director, or as required by NJ Swimming. Entries will be acknowledged within 48 hours of receipt.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All entries will be accepted on a first come basis. • Mail the signed waiver and entry fee check to: Be Smartt, Inc., 604 Paxson Avenue, Mercerville, NJ 08619 • Entry forms, verification forms, waiver release, and fees must be received no later than the first session of the meet where the team competes. • Team entries will be considered accepted when the host club accepts the entries. • Meet Entries will be taken until the meet fills. The host club must stay within the four hour per session rule. • 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.
Meet Format Waiver:	<p>The host club has the right to change the format of the meet with the approval of the sanctioning chair and either the age group or senior chair. These changes would be made for a more efficient swim meet for the swimmers and the host club. Reasons for these changes include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • To allow more swimmers to swim. • To conform to facility capacity limits or for facility safety concerns. • To condense the meet into smaller time period. <p>Some of the changes that may be made include: 1) add a session, 2) limiting heats in distance events, and 3) condense sessions and 4) eliminate relays.</p>
Meet Requirement Statement:	In order to be eligible for the New Jersey Zone Championship Team or for NJ Swimming Athlete Reimbursement for sectional and national level meets, NJ Swimming policy stipulates certain participation requirements. As a New Jersey Swimming sanctioned meet, this meet counts towards those participation requirements.

Coaches Eligibility:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> All coaches "on the deck" must be currently registered coach members of USA Swimming. Coaches must show coaching card for entrance to facility. All coaches must have coaching cards visible at all times while on deck.
Internet Website Posting:	<p>Internet location for all meet information: http://www.besmartinc.com Pre-Meet Information posted on website.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Meet Information will be posted on the website. Downloadable Hy-Tek Events list (.HYV file) will be posted on the website. List Teams whose entries have been received. List Updated meet schedule. List Warm-up Schedule and Team Warm-up Assignments. Psych sheets for heat-limited events. List Timing assignments. <p>Post-Meet Information posted on website.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Downloadable Results (Zipped .CL2 & .HY3 files) for TM Printable meet results (.PDF file)
Swimmer Eligibility:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> All swimmers must be members of USA Swimming to enter and compete in this meet. 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. There will be 10 & Under, 11-12, 13-14 and 15 & Over events. There will be no qualifying times for this meet. New Jersey Swimming Policy allows swimmers to enter and compete in three individual events per day. Swimmers may compete in one relay per day. Age for this meet is calculated as of: Saturday January 19th, 2013
Swimmers Unaccompanied by a USAS Certified Coach:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Any swimmer entered in the 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.
USAS Deck Change Policy Statement:	Except where venue facilities require otherwise, changing into or out of swimsuits other than in locker rooms or other designated areas is not appropriate and is prohibited.
Meet Format:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * This meet will be run in accordance to current USA Swimming Rules. * This meet will be run as a timed final meet. * This meet will be run using two pools. Pools will be divided by age groups once all entries are received and a time-line established. This information will be sent via e-mail to participating teams and posted on the meet website www.besmartinc.com. * 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.
Facility Schedule	* The building opening time is no earlier than 6:55am Saturday & Sunday.

MEET SCHEDULE:

Saturday, January 19 th		Warm-up	Start
Session 1 & 2	12 & Under Girls and Boys Events	7:00am	8:05am
Session 3 & 4	All 500 Freestyles	TBA *	Warm-Up + 35 minutes
Session 5 & 6	13 & Over Girls and Boys Events	TBA *	Warm-Up + 65 minutes
Sunday, January 20 th		Warm-up	Start
Session 7 & 8	12 & Under Girls and Boys Events	7:00am	8:05am
Session 9 & 10	All 400 IMs	TBA *	Warm-Up + 35 minutes
Session 11 & 12	13 & Over Girls and Boys Events	TBA *	Warm-Up + 65 minutes

* Warm-ups for the sessions each day after the first will be determined when entries are received and a timeline developed. They will be published on www.besmartinc.com and sent to coaches of participating teams.

Warm-up Procedures	<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, sprint lanes, and pace lanes. • Swimming equipment is not allowed in the competition pool during all warm-up sessions. This includes kick boards, hand paddles, and pull buoys. • All swimmers are entitled to a fair and comparable warm-up. All teams must receive the same opportunities for warm-up lanes, sprint lanes, and pace lanes. • All swimmers must enter the pool feet first from the starting end of the pool. • New Jersey Swimming officials will monitor warm-ups. • All general warm-up lanes will swim in a counterclockwise direction. • There will be two 30-minute warm-ups divided by teams. • For the 500 freestyle and 400 IM, there will be one 30-minute warm-up session. This warm-up may be in one of the pools while the other pool is still in session.
Entry Times	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • New Jersey Swimming does not allow 'NT' or 'No Time' to be used as an entry time. • All entry times must be in short course yards.
Check-In	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All check-in sheets must be turned into the scoring table 35 minutes before the start of each session. 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 their name and the event number circled with "SCR" next to the circle. • Failure to follow this procedure may result in the swimmer(s) being scratched from the session.
Starts	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 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 posted in the pre-meet information e-mailed to coaches.
Distance Events:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The 400 yard IM and 500 yard Freestyle events will be run slowest to fastest. • The 400 yard IM and 500 yard Freestyle events may alternate women and men. Heats may be combined to consolidate a heat. • Swimmers in these events are responsible to supply their own timer and person to count.
Heat Limited Events	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The 400 yard IM and 500 yard Freestyle may be limited to the fastest 8 heats per event, depending on the timeline developed after entries are received. Swimmers whose seed times place them below the heat limitation will have the option to pick another event or remain in the event and possibly compete because of day-of-meet scratches. Swimmers who do not switch events and do not compete in the heat-limited event will have their entry fee refunded within one week of the meet. Psych sheets will be posted on the meet web site no later than one week before the meet start.
Scoring:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Team Scoring will not be kept.
Awards:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Medals will be awarded for the top three swimmers in each individual event. • Medals will be awarded to the top 3 relays in each relay event.
Entry Fees:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Individual Entry Fee: \$4.00 • Relay Entry Fee: \$8.00 • Make checks payable to: Princeton Tigers Aquatics Club • Host club has the right to scratch teams/swimmers for lack of payment of entry fees, lack of completed and signed waiver forms. • Special Notice: All entries fees must be paid no later than Session Check-in of the first session the team is entered in. If a team fails to make payment by that time all their swimmers may be scratched, at the discretion of the Host Team.
Admissions and Programs:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Admission will be \$7.00 per session. • Either heat sheets for each session will be available for \$4 or a two-day program will be available for \$10.00
Results:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Results will be e-mailed to teams participating in the meet. • Results will be posted on the meet website.

<p>Host Club Responsibilities:</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The host club will provide a single timer in each lane throughout the meet, except for the distance events (400IM, 500Free) where swimmers will provide their own timers and lap counters. • The host club will have stopwatches available for volunteers helping to time. • The host club will e-mail entry verification back to the participating clubs. • The host club will create a warm-up schedule that will be fair and equal to all teams. • The host club will create timing assignments that are fair and equitable with as many teams participating as possible. • Warm-up schedules and assignments, and timing assignments will be e-mailed to all participating clubs and posted on the website www.besmarttinc.com no later than 1 week before the meet.
<p>Participating Club Responsibilities:</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Participating clubs must help with timing assignments. Timing assignments will be e-mailed to participating clubs and posted on the swim meet website: www.besmarttinc.com 1 week prior to the meet. • Participating club parents must stay off the pool deck except for timing assignments. • Participating clubs should help with officiating whenever possible. List the club contact for club officials on the meet summary.
<p>Concessions:</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Food and drink will be available in the Jadwin Gymnasium, next door to the DeNunzio Natatorium.
<p>Vendor:</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A swim vendor will be at the meet.
<p>Hotels:</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Holiday Inn, 100 Independence Way. 609-520-1200 Ask for special rate • Staybridge Suites, 4375 Route 1. 609-951-0009 Ask for sports group rate • Residence Inn by Marriott, 4225 Route 1. 732-329-9600 Rates include breakfast • Princeton Courtyard by Marriott, Route 1 & Mapleton Rd. 609-726-9100 Rates include breakfast
<p>Directions</p>	<p>Princeton University DeNunzio pool is conveniently located approximately one mile west of Route 1. Turn West onto Route 571 (Washington Avenue). Cross the bridge over Carnegie Lake. At the first light, turn right onto Faculty Road. The pool, followed by the parking lot will be on your left.</p>



NEW JERSEY SWIMMING

2013 Tiger Invitational

Saturday-Sunday January 19th-20th

Waiver

In consideration of the 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, NJ Swimming, Princeton University, Princeton Tigers Aquatics Club, Be Smartt Inc and their staffs for any injuries and/or expenses incurred by me/us at the swim meet, or while on the road to and from the meet. I/we are USA Swimming registered athletes and am/are eligible to compete in all the events I/we have entered.

Meet Verification

I hereby certify that all entered swimmers and coaches listed on the waiver form, for the Princeton Tigers Aquatics Club Tiger Invitational meet on January 19th-20th, 2013 are registered members of 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.

Club Name/Club Code _____

Signature of Coach and/or Parent/Guardian _____

Telephone _____ E-Mail Address _____

Name(s) of Coach(es): _____

Name/E-Mail/Phone Number of person to contact regarding this entry: _____

Name/E-Mail/Phone Number of person to contact regarding timers/officials: _____

Entry Fee Summary:	_____	Individual event entries @ \$4.00 =	\$ _____
	_____	Relay event entries @ \$8.00 =	\$ _____
		Total:	\$ _____

Make checks payable to: Princeton Tigers Aquatics Club

Article 302.4 of the United States 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 _____

Unattached Swimmer _____, Unattached Swimmer _____