



## John Bruce Memorial Entry Packet

October 24-26, 2008 - Sanction # OH3085

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In Cooperation with Swiminc, Inc

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Dear Coaches, Parents, and Swimmers:

On behalf of the Worthington Swim Club, it is our pleasure to invite your club to participate in The John Bruce Memorial Open, on October 24-26. The meet is named in honor of our beloved coach, John Bruce, who passed away shortly before Thanksgiving, 1999.

Enclosed is the schedule of events. **This year the meet will be 4 sessions: Friday night, Saturday morning, Saturday afternoon, and Sunday morning.** Saturday afternoon will be a short session including 25's for 8-Unders and 50's for 10-Unders.

Please look over the enclosed information. **Please email entries to our Entry Chair, Phil Stanger, on or BEFORE Tuesday, October 14, 2008.**

We are excited to welcome you to the 2008 John Bruce Memorial Open. We plan to make this a great kick-off to the new swim season for everyone. If you have questions about this individual meet, please don't hesitate to contact the meet director or meet managers listed below. Psyche Sheets and other updates can be found at the Worthington Swim Club web site:

[www.worthingtonswimclub.org](http://www.worthingtonswimclub.org)

Sincerely,

**Tim McGhee, Meet Director**

[meet\\_director\\_wor\\_swim\\_club@yahoo.com](mailto:meet_director_wor_swim_club@yahoo.com)

(614) 430-3743

**Phil Stanger, Entry Chairman**

[ebd6000@sbcglobal.net](mailto:ebd6000@sbcglobal.net)

(614) 256-7445

**Bernard Vrancken, Head Coach/ Co-Meet Director**

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## LOCATION:

C. David Howell Worthington Pools Complex, 400 West Dublin Granville Road (State Route 161), Thomas Worthington High School Campus, Worthington, OH. The facility has a 6-lane, 25-yard pool with a fully automated Colorado touch pad timing system and readout.

## DIRECTIONS:

Exit Route 315 at Route 161. Proceed east on Route 161 from Route 315 crossing the Olentangy River. The Thomas Worthington High School athletic fields will be on the left. Turn left (north) at the traffic light at the athletic fields. The Natatorium is just east of the football field.

## ENTRY DEADLINE AND PROCEDURES:

**ALL Entries must be received by the entry deadline, 9:00pm on Tuesday, October 14, 2008. In addition, the ENTRY SUMMARY and USA SWIMMING MEMBERSHIP VERIFICATION forms and a check for entry fees must be postmarked by Friday, October 17.**

## ENTRY FEES:

Individual Events:	\$4.00 per individual event
Ohio Swimming Travel Fund:	\$1.00 per swimmer
Championship Meet Facility Charge:	\$1.00 per swimmer
Late Entry/Deck Entry Fee Individual Event:	\$5.00 per individual event

Make checks payable to: **Worthington Swim Boosters**

## Mail fees and entries to:

**Phil Stanger**  
**6000 Olentangy River Road**  
**Worthington, OH 43085**  
**(614) 256-7445**  
[ebd6000@sbcglobal.net](mailto:ebd6000@sbcglobal.net)

[www.worthingtonswimclub.org](http://www.worthingtonswimclub.org)

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## THE FOLLOWING SHALL APPLY TO ALL SWIMMERS AND ENTRIES:

1. All swimmers must be registered athletes of USA Swimming. In order to comply with USA Swimming regulations, all swimmers must be registered as athletes with USA Swimming before competing.
2. Each contestant may enter a total of four (4) individual events per day.
3. Submit short course times for seeding.
4. Swimmer's age on October 24, 2008 will determine the eligibility for the age division.
5. A swimmer competing as "unattached" may not be entered as a member of a relay team.
6. Deck entries will be permitted at the discretion of the Meet Director and only if space permits on a first come, first served basis. Deck entries will close 30 minutes prior to the start of the session in which the event will be swum. The Meet Director reserves the right to limit the number of entries.
7. All 400 and 500-yard individual events will be deck seeded with the first heat comprised of the slowest times entered and the last heat comprised of the fastest times entered. **Swimmers must check-in for deck-seeded events.** Check-in for all deck-seeded events will close 45 minutes prior to the start of the session in which the even will be swum.
8. All events which are less than 400 yards in length will be pre-seeded with the first heat of each event comprised of the SLOWEST times entered and the last heat comprised of the FASTEST times entered.
9. All coaches will be required to sign-in prior to each session and present their USA Swimming Coaching Membership Card to a Meet Director. Coaches are required to wear their Membership Card in a visible place on their person in order to be on deck.
10. The Meet Director reserves the right to limit the 200, 400, and 500-yard events to the fastest four (4) heats.
11. Swimmers in 400 and 500-yard events must supply their own timer and lap-count person.
12. Swimmers with Disabilities
  - Enter the swimmer on Hy-Tek or the paper entry form
  - Provide advance notice of any necessary accommodations
  - List in the email with the Hy-Tek entry (or on paper) the swimmer's name, entry times, strokes/distances, days/sessions, and how the swimmer prefers to be seeded. Swimmers with a disability will be seeded with the same age group in either the same distance race or a longer distance race (i.e., 50 free during 100 free).

Qualifying time standards at regular season meets are waived for swimmers with a disability. Ohio Swimming Championship meets: swimmers with a disability may enter if they qualify in at least one event for the US Paralympic National Championships. At the Central Zone meet, four swimmers with a disability are welcome on the Ohio Zone Team without meeting the time standards. More information is available under 'Adapted' on the Ohio Swimming website.

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## AWARDS:

- Ribbons will be awarded for places 1-12 in individual events and 1-6 in relays for the 10 & under, 11-12, and 13-14 age groups.
- Heat ribbons will be awarded in the 10 & under and 11-12 age groups.
- Qualifying ribbons will be awarded for state meet qualifier times

## FINAL RESULTS:

Complete results and Hy-Tek results files will be put on the Worthington Swim Club website, [www.worthingtonswimclub.org](http://www.worthingtonswimclub.org), within 24 hours after the final results are complete. One hard copy of the final results will be sent only if a written request is submitted with the entries.

## WARM-UP:

Swimmers must enter the water with one hand in contact with the pool except under coaches' supervision in lanes specifically set aside for diving at prescribed times. During warm-up sessions each team will be assigned a specific lane for that warm-up period only. **We reserve the right to make changes to the warm-up procedure if it becomes necessary for the safety of the swimmers. Please include an email address so we can notify you if things need to be changed.**

## HOTEL INFORMATION:



Holiday Inn Worthington (Off 270, High St. / Rt. 23 exit)  
Worthington Swim Club Preferred Hotel (Closest hotel to meet and team friendly)  
Mention Worthington Swim Club (Code S08) and the meet your team is attending to get preferred discounted rates (\$99) (up to 4 persons per room).  
Main Phone 614-436-0700  
Direct Phone 614-885-3257 (for group reservations)  
Fax 614-536-5318  
Visit Online at [www.holidayinn.com/worthingtonoh](http://www.holidayinn.com/worthingtonoh)

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## ORDER OF EVENTS

### FRIDAY PM – WARMUP: 4:50pm-5:50pm - START 6:00pm

GIRLS	AGE	EVENT	BOYS
1	13-Over	400 Individual Medley *	2
3	10-Under	200 Freestyle	4
5	11-Over	500 Freestyle *	
	13-Over	500 Freestyle *	6

\* MAY BE LIMITED TO FASTEST SEEDED 4 HEATS GIRLS & 4 HEATS BOYS OR 8 HEATS FOR BOTH COMBINED.

11-Over Age group will be scored separately as 11-12, 13-14 and 15-Over.

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Boys 11-12 500 Yds. Freestyle offered at UA Golden Bear.

### SATURDAY AM – WARMUP: 7:50am-8:50am - START: 9:00am

GIRLS	AGE	EVENT	BOYS
7	11-12	100 Breaststroke	8
9	13-Over	100 Breaststroke	10
11	11-12	100 Backstroke	12
13	13-Over	200 Backstroke	14
15	11-12	50 Freestyle	16
17	13-Over	50 Freestyle	18
19	11-12	100 Individual Medley	20
21	13-Over	200 Freestyle *	22

\* MAY BE LIMITED TO FASTEST SEEDED 5 HEATS GIRLS & 5 HEATS BOYS OR 10 HEATS COMBINED.

13-Over Age group will be scored separately as 13-14 and 15-Over

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## SATURDAY PM – WARMUP: TBD – START: TBD

Warmup and start time will be determined once entries are received.

<b>GIRLS</b>	<b>AGE</b>	<b>EVENT</b>	<b>BOYS</b>
23	10-Under	100 Individual Medley	24
25	8-Under	25 Freestyle	26
27	10-Under	50 Freestyle	28
29	8-Under	25 Backstroke	30
31	10-Under	50 Backstroke	32
33	8-Under	25 Breaststroke	34
35	10-Under	50 Breaststroke	36
37	8-Under	25 Butterfly	38
39	10-Under	50 Butterfly	40
41	8-Under	50 Freestyle	42
43	10-Under	100 Freestyle	44

## SUNDAY AM – WARMUP: 7:50am-8:50am – START: 9:00am

<b>GIRLS</b>	<b>AGE</b>	<b>EVENT</b>	<b>BOYS</b>
45	11-12	100 Freestyle	46
47	13-Over	100 Freestyle	48
49	11-12	50 Backstroke	50
51	13-Over	100 Backstroke	52
53	11-12	50 Breaststroke	54
55	13-Over	200 Breaststroke	56
57	11-12	100 Butterfly	58
59	13-Over	100 Butterfly	60

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## USA Swimming Membership Verification Form & Entry Summary Sheet

**PLEASE RETURN THIS FORM WITH YOUR ENTRIES**

**Meet:** John Bruce Memorial Open  
**Location:** C. David Howell Natatorium, Worthington, OH  
**Dates:** October 24-26, 2008  
**Sanction:** USA Swimming, Inc. Sanction # OH3085

The undersigned team representative certifies by his/her signature that all athletes participating for or entered by the team in this sanctioned swim meet are currently member athletes of USA Swimming, Inc. The undersigned further certifies that any person appearing on deck in this meet in the capacity of coach is currently a coach member of USA Swimming, Inc.

Club Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Club Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Team Contact (Printed Name) \_\_\_\_\_

Team Contact (Signature) \_\_\_\_\_ (Date) \_\_\_\_\_

Daytime Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Evening Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Number of entered swimmers: Boys \_\_\_\_\_ + Girls \_\_\_\_\_ = Total \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Swimmers @ \$2.00 per swimmer = \$ \_\_\_\_\_ (LSC charge)

\_\_\_\_\_ Individual Events @ \$4.00 each = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Total Amount Remitted** = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Attach check to this summary sheet.

Make check payable to **WORTHINGTON SWIM BOOSTERS**

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## OFFICIALS VOLUNTEER SHEET

**PLEASE RETURN THIS FORM WITH YOUR ENTRIES**

The following officials will be available to help you officiate the John Bruce Memorial Open Swim Meet on October 24-26, 2008. Please check any session(s) for which you will be available:

Club Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Club Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Name	Level	Home Phone	Office Phone	Fri PM	Sat AM	Sat PM	Sun AM

Thank you very much for your cooperation.

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<i>CLUB NAME</i>								<i>CELL</i>				<i>HOME</i>			
<i>Swimmer's First Name</i>								<i>Swimmer's Last Name</i>							
<i>14-DIGIT USA #</i>														<i>AGE:</i>	<i>M or F</i>
<i>Event Number:</i>															
<i>Entry Time:</i>															
<i>Swimmer's First Name</i>								<i>Swimmer's Last Name</i>							
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