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THE BARBADOS AMATEUR SWIMMING ASSOCIATION PRESENTS THE 21ST ANNUAL AQUATIC CENTRE INTERNATIONAL INVITATIONAL

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The Barbados Amateur Swimming Association extends a cordial invitation to you to participate in The 21st Aquatic Centre International Invitational to be held in Barbados at the Aquatic Centre, Wildey, from Friday, May 25th to Sunday, May 27th, 2012.

1..POOL SPECIFICATIONS: 8 LANE 50 M POOL WITH 25 M WARM DOWN POOL.

2...SCHEDULE:

Saturday, May 19th Technical Meeting 4:00 PM (Aquatic Centre)

Thursday, May 24th: ARRIVAL OF TEAMS

Friday, May 25th Opening Ceremony at 5:00 PM

--- Parade of teams----

Friday, May 25th Session 1: 5:20 PM Saturday, May 26th Session 2: 9:00 AM Sunday, May 27th Session 3: 8:30 AM

Sunday, May 27th Closing Ceremony-Presentation of Awards

3...COMPETITION RULES:

The competition will be conducted in accordance with FINA Rules 2009-2013 in force at the start of the competition.

Fina rule SW 4.4 shall be applied.

The start will be 'over the top' in the freestyle, breaststroke, butterfly and individual medley events.

3.1.. **AGE GROUPS**:

- Individual events & relays -

8 & UNDER, 9 – 10, 11-12, 13-14, 15 & OVER

The Swimmer's age on December 31st, 2011 will determine the age group in which he/she is eligible to participate.

In the open events the minimum age is 11 years old.

3.2...REGISTRATION & ENTRIES:

Each Club must submit a letter of sanction to the Meet Director from its Federation indicating that participating swimmers and clubs are in good financial standing. Competitors must be registered swimmers with the Federation of the Country sanctioning their participation.

Entries may be made on the accompanying ENTRY FORMS in EXCEL FORMAT or in Hytek and sent via email to: basa@caribsurf.com. All entries must be returned to the Barbados Amateur Swimming Association by Saturday, May 12th 2012, the deadline date before 12:00 Noon. Entry form and summons will also be posted on the BASA website.

The following rules shall apply to all entries:

- 1.. There is no limit to the number of swimmers which a Club can enter in an individual event. However only the two highest placed swimmers in a particular Club will score team points.
- 2.. Each Club may enter multiple teams per relay event but only 2 relay teams per club will score team points. Each Club will designate the scoring relay teams as teams A & B. Team C & over will not be eligible for team points.
- 3.. There shall be no restrictions on the number of events in which an individual competitor may participate.
- 4.. Heats will be announced and swimmers missing their respective heat will not be allowed to take part in that event.
- 5.. There will be no heats or preliminaries. All events are timed finals.
- 6...The pool will be open 90 minutes before each session for warm-up.
- 7...The warm up routine will be an open lane format with sprinting taking place In lanes 1 & 8 starting from the north end of the pool (end closest to the 25 M pool) 30 minutes before the end of the warm up period. Pace laps will take place in the inner lanes.
- 8... Swimmers competing in relay events must be registered in the meet.
- 9... Ad hoc deck entries will not be accepted.
- 10.. Swimmers must report to the waiting area at least 4 heats before the event in which he/she has been entered. If the swimmer is not in the waiting area by the designated time a decision may be taken that the swimmer has scratched the event.

11. All scratches after the Technical Meeting on Saturday, May 19th will be charged the penalty fee of US\$4.00 or Bds \$8.00.

Exhibition Swims:

All requests for exhibition swims must be submitted along with the main entries by the deadline date of Saturday, May 12, 2012. Such requests must be clearly marked 'exhibition' and submitted at the end of the main entries within the age group and on the same entry form. Exhibition swims will only be allowed for swimmers entered in the meet.

Time Trials:

All requests for time trials must be submitted each day before the start of The day's session on the prescribed form indicating the following: Name Of Swimmer, Sex, Age, Club affiliation, event and the approximate time the time trial is required to take place. Swimmers requesting time trials who are not entered in the meet must pay US 10.00 (Bds 20.00) for each event requested.

3.3...Entry fees:

Entry fees are as follows:

- (a) US\$10.00 per swimmer up to 5 events.
- (b) US\$ 2.00 for each additional event
- (c) There is no entry limit
- (d) US \$ 5.00 per relay team # 1
- (e) US \$ 8.00 per relay team # 2 & over
- (f) US \$4.00(Bds \$8.00) per scratch and/or failure to swim an event in which entered,)after the Technical Meeting, Saturday, May 19th, 2012.

The penalty must be paid before the swimmer is eligible to swim in other Events in this meet or in subsequent BASA organised meets. Each Club is required to submit to the BASA Office the name of their scratch fee Coordinator, i.e the person from whom the scratch fee will be collected on behalf of the Club.

Entry fees must accompany entries. Participating Clubs from overseas are required to pay entry fees on arrival. Team entry reports will be emailed or faxed to the respective Clubs in the case of overseas clubs and placed in Club boxes in the case of local clubs. All participating clubs are asked to indicate any discrepancies re team listing by Wednesday, May 16th, 2012 before 6:00 PM. If no acknowledgement of errors is received by this date the Association will assume that the entry report was correct. The psyche sheet will be emailed to overseas clubs. Overseas clubs are asked to submit their scratches via email or fax by Saturday, May 19, 2012 before 4:00 PM.

4 ...AWARDS:

- 4.1 Medals will be awarded to the first three (3) swimmers in each event. Ribbons will be awarded from 4th to 8th place in each event to the junior swimmers: 8 & under & 9-10.
- 4.2 The team scoring the highest overall points shall be the winning team and shall have its name inscribed on the Aquatic Centre International Trophy. A replica of this trophy will be given to the team to take home.
- 4.3 Trophies will be awarded to the second and third placed teams. Team points will be aggregated in each age group and relay events.
- 4.4 Additionally a trophy will be awarded to the highest placed team within the OECS group.
- 4.5 Team trophies will be presented following the last event and ribbons and Medals will be given to the team delegates.
- 4.6 Trophies will be awarded in each age group category to the top two swimmers with the highest aggregate of points using the team aggregation system. Relay points will not be taken into consideration in this category of award.

SCORING:

Scoring shall be as follows:

First Place -9 points Second Place -7 points Third Place -6 points Fourth Place -5 points 4 points Fifth Place -Sixth Place -3 points Seventh Place-2 points Eighth Place -1 point

Please note: Double points for relays.

5...TECHNICAL OFFICIALS:

The Barbados Amateur Swimming Association in conjunction with the affiliated Swim Clubs in Barbados will provide the Officials for the competition. Overseas clubs are invited to submit the names of any qualified persons willing to serve as Timers / Judges during the meet.

All meet officials are required to check in with the Meet Referee and Chief Timer one hour before the start of the competition.

Refreshment will be served to Meet Officials during the Competition.

6..TECHNICAL MEETING:

A Technical meeting will be held at the Aquatic Centre, Wildey, St Michael on Saturday, May 19th, 2012 at 4:00 PM to consider the following:

- 1) Scratches will be accepted without penalty at this meeting. All scratches must be submitted on the prescribed form, signed by the Head Coach or authorised Club Official.
- 2) Overseas Clubs are required to email scratches before 4:00 Pm on Saturday, May 19th, 2012

Coaches of teams from overseas with queries or problems are asked to approach the Meet Director/Meet Referee during the warm up period before the Opening Ceremony on Friday, May 25th, 2012.

7... IURY OF APPEAL:

The Jury of Appeal, comprising three disinterested persons, to adjudicate all appeals against a Referee's rejection of a protest will be formed out of the Association's Technical and Main Council Committees. All protests to the Referee's decision must be submitted to the Referee in writing within 30 minutes after the event, signed by an authorised Club Official and accompanied by US \$25.00. If the protest is upheld the fee will be returned to the Club Official.

8...REFRESHMENT:

Food and drink will be available on the premises, throughout the meet.

9...CONTRIBUTIONS TO SWIMMING:

Daily Session wrist band -BDS\$10.00 or US\$5.00 (Adults 11 yrs & over) Children: 10 years and under (daily wristband) – Bds \$ 4.00. US \$2.00

Heat Sheet daily -BDS\$4.00 or US\$2.00

Printed results: (Full)-BDS\$20.00 or US\$10.00

10...ACCOMMODATION

1)Sea Foam Haciendas

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Email: seafoam@caribsurf.com

3) Coconut Court Hotel 246-427-1655/427-1656

Fax: 246-429-8198

Email: ccourt@sunbeach.net

Website: www.coconut-court.com

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2) Dover Beach Hotel 246-428-8076 fax: 246-428-2122

Email:resdover@caribsurf.com website:www.doverbeach.com

4) Rostrevor Apt Hotel 246-428-9298 Fax:246-428-7705

(5) PomMarine Hotel

Tel: 246-228-5389; Fax: 246-228-

Email:pommarine@sunbeach.net

6) Plum Tree Club-Rockley Golf Course

246-435-7606;246-435-9345

Fax: 246-435-8282; Toll free: 1-866-978-5007: email:

plumtree@rockley.com.bb

Website: www.rockley.com.bb

7) Worthing Court Hotel 246-435-7910/427-0785

Barbados Beach Club Maxwell Coast Road

Fax: 246-435-7374 email:holidays@barbadosbeachclub.com Or Fax reservation to: 246-425-8905

Or Telephone 246-428-9900

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11.. TRANSPORTATION:

Boyce's Transport Johnsons' Tours B'Dos Ltd

Tel: 246-425-1103; 246-426-5181; Fax 246-429-3528

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CLUBS OR NATIONAL FEDERATIONS REQUIRING ASSISTANCE WITH ACCOMMODATION OR TRANSPORTATION PLEASE CONTACT THE BASA OFFICE AT TEL #246-429-7946, FAX: 246-436-2272 A OR VIA EMAIL AT basa@caribsurf.com

Information on the Aquatic Centre International maybe found on The BASA website www.swimbarbados.com

(Please see below for the order of events for the 21st Aquatic Centre International)

The 21st Annual POWERADE **Aquatic Centre International Invitational**

Barbados, May 25 - May 27, 2012 **Order of Events**

** Female events precede male events.

Warm up: 3:30 - 4:45 PM

Event No.	<u>Sessi</u>	on 1	FRIDAY, MAY 24th , 5:20 PM
1 & 2	Open	400 Free	
3 & 4	8 & Under	50 M Back	
5 & 6	9 - 10	50 M Back	
7 & 8	11 - 12	50 M Back	
9 & 10	13 - 14	50 M Back	
11 & 12	15 & Over	50 M Back	
13 & 14	8 & Under	200 M I.M	
15 & 16	9 - 10	200 M I.M	
17 & 18	11 - 12	200 M I.M	
19 & 20	13 - 14	200 M I.M	
21 & 22	15 & Over	200 M I.M	
23 & 24	8 & Under	4x50 M Medley	Relay
25 & 26	9 – 10	4x50 M Medley	Relay
27 & 28	11 – 12	4x100 M Medle	ey Relay
29 & 30	13 - 14	4x100 M Medle	ey Relay
31 & 32	15 - Over	4x100 M Medle	ey Relay

Warm up: 7:30 – 8:45 AM				
Event No.	Sessi	ion 2	SATURDAY, MAY 26th, 9:00 AM	
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33 & 34	Open	400 M I.M		
35 & 36	8 & Under	100 M Free		
37 & 38	9 – 10	100 M Free		
39 & 40	11 – 12	100 M Free		
41 & 42	13 - 14	100 M Free		
43 & 44	15 & Over	100 M Free		
45 & 46	8 & Under	50 M Breast		
47 & 48	9 – 10	50 M Breast		
49 & 50	11 – 12	50 M Breast		
51 & 52	13 - 14	50 M Breast		
53 & 54	15 & Over	50 M Breast		

Event No. Session 2 SATURDAY, MAY 26th, 9:00 AM (cont'd) **INTERMISSION (30 MINUTES)**

55 & 56	Open	200 M Fly	
57 & 58	8 & Under	200 M Free	
59 & 60	9 – 10	200 M Free	
61 & 62	11 - 12	200 M Free	
63 & 64	13 - 14	200 M Free	
65 & 66	15 - Over	200 M Free	
67 & 68	11 – 12	100 M Back	
69 & 70	13 - 14	100 M Back	
71 & 72	15 & Over	100 M Back	
73 & 74	Open	200 M Breast	
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75 & 76	11 - 12	100 M Fly	
77 & 78	13 - 14	100 M Fly	
79 & 80	15 & Over	100 M Fly	
81 & 82	8 – Under	4x100 M Free l	Relay
83 & 84	9 - 10	4x100 M	Free Relay
85 & 86	11 - 12	4x100 M	Free Relay
87 & 88	13 - 14	4x100 M	Free Relay
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15 & Over

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Sunday, May 27th, 8:30am Warm up: 7:00 - 8:15 AM Session 3

4x100 M

Free Relay

Open	800 M Free
Open	1500 M Free
8 – Under	50 M Fly
9 - 10	50 M Fly
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11 – 12	50 M Fly
13 - 14	50 M Fly
15 & Over	50 M Fly
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Open	200 M Back
8 & Under	50 M Free
9 – 10	50 M Free
11 – 12	50 M Free
13 – 14	50 M Free
15 & Over	50 M Free
11 – 12	100 M Breast
13 – 14	100 M Breast
15 & Over	100 M Breast
8 & Under	4x50 M Free Relay
9 – 10	4x50 M Free Relay
11 - 12	4x50 M Free Relay
13 – 14	4x50 M Free Relay
15 & Over	4x50 M Free Relay
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12...PRESENTATION OF AWARDS