

Calvin College Invitational  
December 1-3, 2011

## **Facility**

The Venema Aquatic Center is located in the Spoelhoff Athletic Complex. The Pool has 8 (9ft.) lanes for competition, 7 additional lanes for warmup/warmdown, and a diving well with two 1M and two 3M diving boards. There is plenty of space for team seating on deck and room for 500 spectator seats.

## **Entries, Timing and Meet Management:**

The Colorado System 6 timing system and Hy-Tek Meet Manager will be used. Hy-Tek event files will be sent to coaches prior to the meet and results will be posted live on-line at the Calvin College sports page. All coaches must submit entries via Hy-Tek no later than Monday, November 23<sup>rd</sup> at 5:00pm. All results will be posted after each session and will be sent to all coaches after the meet.

## **Events and Schedule:**

1. Start time: Thursday, 6:00pm, Friday and Saturday, 10:00am prelims and 6:00pm finals.
2. The pool will open for warm-up approximately 90 minutes prior to the start of each session in all lanes. 45 minutes before the meet starts, lanes 1, 2, and 3 will be designated as pace lanes, and lanes 6, 7, and 8 will be designated as sprint lanes. The main competition pool will close 10 minutes prior to the start of the meet.
3. The event schedule will follow the attached format.
4. Diving – Prelims (6opt/5vol) will begin at 1:00pm with the top 8 finalists diving their 6 optional list again at night. In Finals, diving will be run concurrently with swimming.
5. Scratch Deadline: For Thursday, scratches need to be sent via email by 12:00pm on December 3<sup>rd</sup>. Scratches for Friday and Saturday need to be turned in to the scoring table before start of the 6:00pm session the preceding day.

## **Entry Procedure:**

1. There is no team limit on entries per event.
2. No swimmer may score in more than 7 total events (with a maximum of three individual events), as per NCAA Championship entry and scoring rules.
3. Swimmers may enter up to three scoring individual events, and all additional entries must be marked as exhibition when meet entries are submitted. Swimmers with the designation “exhibition” will not be allowed to advance to the evening session, nor will they be able to change their status in that event after the entries are submitted.
4. There is no limit to the number of relays a team may enter, but only two relays per team will be eligible to score and any relay team with a swimmer who has exceeded the event limit must be entered as exhibition.
5. Relays will be swum as timed finals in their designated session.

6. Time trials will be swum after each session and coaches must turn in their requests to the scoring table before the start of the last event of the session.
7. 1650 freestyle: Entries must be submitted with their best 1000 time of the year.
8. A psyche sheet will be posted and emailed to all coaches by 5:00pm Monday, November 30.

## Scoring

16 place scoring: Individual: 20-17-16-15-14-13-12-11-9-7-6-5-4-3-2-1

Relay: 40-34-32-30-28-26-24-22-18-14-12-10-8-6-4-2

There will be a C-final (bonus consolation) swum prior to the consolation/final heats

Coaches/Officials Hospitality Room:

A hospitality room will be made available for coaches and officials.

Entry Fee:

\$7/athlete

Visiting Team Information:

\*see attached information sheet

Meet Director:

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## Area Food & Lodging

Hotels (within 5 miles of campus):

- Prince Conference Center at Calvin College, 616-526-7200, Contact: Tracy Strome
  - \$68/night for Calvin College Athletic contests.
- Best Western, 5500 28<sup>th</sup> Street SE, 616949-8400
- Comfort Inn, 4155 28<sup>th</sup> Street SE, 616-957-2080
  - \$65.95/night for Calvin College Athletic contests
- Courtyard by Marriott Airport, 4741 – 28<sup>th</sup> Street SE, 616-954-0500
  - \$69-\$89 for groups of 10 rooms or more
- Hampton Inn & Suites, 5200 28<sup>th</sup> Street, SE, 616-575-9144
- Holiday Inn Select, 3063 Lake Eastbrook Blvd., 616-285-7600
  - \$69/night for Calvin athletic contests
- Ramada Plaza, 3333 28<sup>th</sup> Street, 616-949-9222
  - \$69/night for Calvin athletic contests
- Residence Inn, 2701 East Beltline Ave., 616-957-3699
  - \$79-119/night, studios to two bedrooms for Calvin athletic contests
- Signature Inn, 5500 28<sup>th</sup> Street, 616-949-8400
- Sleep Inn, 4284 29<sup>th</sup> Street, SE, 616-975-9000
  - \$59/night for Calvin athletic contests

### Area Restaurants

<p>Applebee's 4955 28<sup>th</sup> St. 616-364-9492</p>	<p>Old Chicago 3333 28<sup>th</sup> Street 616-940-1111</p>	<p>Pizza Hut 3550 28<sup>th</sup> Street 616-949-4351</p>
<p>BD's Mongolian BBQ 2619 28<sup>th</sup> St. 616-957-7500</p>	<p>Olive Garden 3883 28<sup>th</sup> Street 616-940-1632</p>	<p>Red Robin 3195 28<sup>th</sup> Street 616-957-3911</p>
<p>Blimpies Subs 1810 Breton SE 616-954-1818</p>	<p>On the Border 3195 28<sup>th</sup> Street 616-285-4649</p>	<p>TGI Friday's 3345 28<sup>th</sup> Street 616-957-3911</p>
<p>Chili's 4580 28<sup>th</sup> Street 616-949-5892</p>	<p>Panera Bread 3770 28<sup>th</sup> Street 616-957-1100</p>	<p>Ucello's 2630 E. Beltline 616-954-7590</p>
<p>Jimmy John's 2751 E. Beltline 616-285-4700</p>	<p>Papa John's 6479 28<sup>th</sup> Street 616-954-5500</p>	<p>Subway Subs Several loctions</p>

