

2016 Manta Ray Monster Mash

Hosted by the Metuchen Edison Manta Ray Swim Team
at the Raritan Bay YMCA

Date of Meet:	Sunday October 30th, 2016		
Location:	Raritan Bay YMCA, 365 New Brunswick Ave, Perth Amboy NJ 08861.		
Facility Info:	<p>The Raritan Bay YMCA has a new 10-lane competitive pool with Colorado timing system and spectator balcony seating. The depth of the pool is 7.5 feet at the starting and 5.5 at the turn end.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> No chairs or parents will be allowed in the gymnasium. 		
Pool Certification Statement:	<p>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.</p>		
Host Team Contact:	Tracey Platt/Dawn Smith	meyentries@gmail.com	
Meet Director:	Jim Petrozziello	jim.petrozziello@ymcaofmewsa.org	
Meet Referees:	Richard Tang	meystpa@gmail.com	
Admin Officials:	Jackie Morris, Shari Wiedecker	besmarttinc@gmail.com	
Safety Marshall:	Wayne Espiritu	meystpa@gmail.com	
Entry Coordinator:	Be Smartt Inc	609-558-0988	besmarttinc@gmail.com
Entries Open:	Monday, September 19th, 2016		
Entry Deadline:	Sunday October 16th, 2016 at 6 pm		
Swimmer Age	Swimmer ages for this meet are as of: Thursday December 1st, 2016		
Entry Fees:	Individual Entry : \$5.00, Relay Entry: \$9.00		
Meet Course:	Short Course Yards (SCY)		
Meet Format:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> This meet will be run as a timed final meet. There will be 6 & Under, 7-8, 8 & Under, and 9-10 events. There are no qualifying times for this meet. This meet will be deck seeded with coaches checking in/scratching all swimmers and relays. When the seeding has been posted, swimmers will report to the marshalling area for organizing heats and lanes and escorted to the pool. 		
Entry Limits:	Daily: 3 Individual events 2 Relays	Meet: 3 Individual Events 2 Relays	
Checks Payable To:	MEYSTPA		
Email Entry Files To:	besmarttinc@gmail.com		
Checks/Waivers:	Bring to the first session of the meet where the team is competing.		



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 Facility Opens at 6:45am

Morning Session #1—8 & Under Boys, 9-10 Girls

Warm-up: 7:00am

#	Age Group and Event
#1	Boys 8 & Under 50 Freestyle
#2	Girls 9-10 50 Freestyle
#3	Boys 7-8 25 Freestyle
#4	Boys 6 & Under 25 Freestyle
#5	Boys 8 & Under 50 Backstroke
#6	Girls 9-10 50 Backstroke
#7	Boys 7-8 25 Backstroke
#8	Boys 6 & Under 25 Backstroke
#9	Boys 8 & Under 100 Freestyle
#10	Girls 9-10 50 Freestyle
#11	Boys 8 & Under 50 Breaststroke
#12	Girls 9-10 50 Breaststroke
#13	Boys 7-8 25 Breaststroke

Meet Start: 8:05am

#	Age Group and Event
#14	Boys 6 & Under 25 Breaststroke
#15	Boys 8 & Under 50 Butterfly
#16	Girls 9-10 50 Butterfly
#17	Boys 7-8 25 Butterfly
#18	Boys 6 & Under 25 Butterfly
#19	Boys 8 & Under 100 IM
#20	Girls 9-10 100 IM
5 Minute Break	
#21	Boys 8 & Under 100 Freestyle Relay
#22	Girls 9-10 200 Freestyle Relay
#23	Boys 8 & Under 100 Medley Relay
#24	Girls 9-10 200 Medley Relay

Afternoon Session #2—8 & Under Girls, 9-10 Boys

Warm-up: TBA

#	Age Group and Event
#25	Girls 8 & Under 50 Freestyle
#26	Boys 9-10 50 Freestyle
#27	Girls 7-8 25 Freestyle
#28	Girls 6 & Under 25 Freestyle
#29	Girls 8 & Under 50 Backstroke
#30	Boys 9-10 50 Backstroke
#31	Girls 7-8 25 Backstroke
#32	Girls 6 & Under 25 Backstroke
#33	Girls 8 & Under 100 Freestyle
#34	Boys 9-10 50 Freestyle
#35	Girls 8 & Under 50 Breaststroke
#36	Boys 9-10 50 Breaststroke
#37	Girls 7-8 25 Breaststroke

Meet Start: Warm-up+65 minutes

#	Age Group and Event
#38	Girls 6 & Under 25 Breaststroke
#39	Girls 8 & Under 50 Butterfly
#40	Boys 9-10 50 Butterfly
#41	Girls 7-8 25 Butterfly
#42	Girls 6 & Under 25 Butterfly
#43	Girls 8 & Under 100 IM
#44	Boys 9-10 100 IM
5 Minute Break	
#45	Girls 8 & Under 100 Freestyle Relay
#46	Boys 9-10 200 Freestyle Relay
#47	Girls 8 & Under 100 Medley Relay
#48	Boys 9-10 200 Medley Relay



Meet Schedule

The facility will open at 6:45am

Sunday October 30 th		Warm-up	Start
Session 1	8 & Under Boys 9-10 Girls	7:00am	8:05am
Session 2	8 & Under Girls 9-10 Boys	TBA**	TBA**

**Session start times to be determined when all entries are received.

Scoring:	Team Scoring will not be kept.
Awards:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> There will be no awards.
Starts:	'Fly-over/Over-the-top' starts will be used during this meet.
Admissions and Programs:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Admission will be \$10.00 per session. Heat sheets will be available online at www.besmartinc.com and Meet Mobile. There will be no refunds for admission where events are curtailed or canceled due to circumstances beyond the host team's control.
Concessions:	Food concessions will be available in the lobby.
Vendor:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> A swim vendor will be at the meet.
Entry Info:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 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. Entries will be acknowledged within 48 hours of receipt. All entries will be accepted on a first come basis. 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. Special Notice: All entries fees must be paid no later than Session Check-in. If a team fails to make payment by that time all their swimmers may be scratched, at the discretion of the Host Team.
Entry Times:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 'NT' or 'No Time' may be used as an entry time. All entry times must be in short course yards. Converted times are acceptable.
Swimmer Eligibility:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> All swimmers must be a member of a YMCA team to enter and compete in this meet. All swimmers must be listed on a team's official entry form to be eligible to participate in this swim meet in any event, including relays.
Host Club Responsibilities:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The host club will provide a single timer in each lane throughout the meet. 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.besmartinc.com no later than 1 week before the meet.
Participating Club Responsibilities:	<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.besmartinc.com 1 week prior to the meet. Participating clubs must assign 3 parents each session to act as marshals to bring swimmers to the staging area/gym. 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. Parents are not allowed in the gym.



Coaches Eligibility:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Coaches must show coaching card for entrance to facility. All coaches must have coaching cards visible at all times while on deck. There will be a coaches' hospitality area.
Meet Format Waiver:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> This meet will be run in accordance to current YMCA Swimming Rules. The host club has the right to change the format of the meet. These changes would be made for a more efficient swim meet for the swimmers and the host club. Reasons for these changes include: <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 frame. Some of the changes that may be made: 1) add a session, 2) heat limit distance events 3) condense sessions, and 4) eliminate relays.
Warm-up Procedures:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Teams will be assigned lanes for warm-ups. When more than two teams share a common lane for warm-ups, all teams must agree to a warm-up procedure. If clubs sharing a lane are unable to agree on warm-up procedures, that lane will be a general warm-up lane. 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. 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.
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.
Internet Website Posting:	<p>Internet location for all meet information: http://www.besmarttinc.com</p> <p>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 "heat limited" events psych sheet. List meet schedule, Warm-up Schedule and Team Warm-up Assignments. 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)
Results:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Meet result files for TM will be emailed to all participating teams. Meet results will be posted on the meet website.
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.
USA-S Deck Change Policy Statement:	Deck changes are prohibited.
Hotels:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> N/A



Directions:

- **From West:** Follow I-287 South past NJ Turnpike into US-440 North. Take the NJ-184 exit towards Perth Amboy/Amboy Ave. Continue straight through light and turn right at second light onto Amboy Ave. Follow Amboy Ave. to end, which is the entrance to Raritan Bay YMCA.
- **From North:** Take Garden State Parkway South to US-9 exit to I-287/Woodbridge/Perth Amboy/US-440. Take New Brunswick Ave. exit and turn left onto New Brunswick Ave. Stay on New Brunswick Ave. for approx. 1 mile. YMCA is on right.
- **From South:** Take exit 129 – Woodbridge / I- 287/ Perth Amboy. Follow signs for Amboys. Exit at the Fords/New Brunswick Ave (Perth Amboy) ramp. Make left onto New Brunswick Ave. At the fourth light (corner of Amboy Ave. & New Brunswick Ave) make a right into the Complex parking lot.



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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 Metuchen Edison YMCA, Raritan Bay YMCA, 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 YMCA 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 below for the Metuchen Edison Monster Mash meet on **October 30th, 2016** are registered members of YMCA Swimming. 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 @ \$5.00 =	\$ _____
_____	Relay entries @ \$9.00 =	\$ _____
	Total:	\$ _____

Make checks payable to: **MEYSTPA**