

**VOORHEES/MAXFIELD**  
**Long Course Invitational**  
**April 25 – 27, 2008**

- Host:** Topeka Swim Association and the Topeka Public Schools Hummer Sports Park.
- Dates:** April 25-27, 2008
- Sanction:** Missouri Valley Swimming Sanction Number: MV-08-40
- Location:** Capitol Federal Natatorium  
Hummer Sports Park  
530 Tuffy Kellogg Drive  
Topeka, Kansas 66606
- Course:** Pool surface is 50 meters x 25 yards with moveable bulkhead; KDI Paragon Long Reach Competitor starting blocks, Colorado Timing System.
- Meet Type:** Age Group, Open, Timed Finals
- Starting Times:**
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| <u>Friday</u>   | Session 1 Warm-up: 4:00 Meet Starts: 5:00 pm  |
| <u>Saturday</u> | Session 2 Warm-up: 7:30am Meet Starts: 9:00am   |
| <u>Sunday</u>   | Session 3 Warm-up: 7:30am Meet Starts: 9:00am<br>Session 4 Warm-up: one hour after end of session 3<br>Meet Starts: one hour after warm-up begins |
- Rules:** Current USA Swimming Rules and Missouri Valley Swimming Rules will govern the meet. The Missouri Valley Swimming Safety Guidelines and Warm-up procedures will be in effect at the meet. All coaches will be required to show proof of USA Swimming registration when checking in to the meet.
- Current registration for all Missouri Valley Swimming athletes will be verified by the MVS Registration Chair prior to the meet. Those not registered will not be allowed to swim in this meet. Swimmer's age on the first day of the meet determines age for the entire meet. The "no recall" start procedure rule will be in effect. Fly over starts will be used at the discretion of the meet referee.
- Warm-up:** Friday night will have one 40-minute session. Saturday and Sunday AM warm-ups will be split in two 40-minute sessions. PM warm ups will be split into two 30-minute sessions. Teams will be

notified of warm-up schedule by Tuesday, April 22nd. A warm-up schedule will be posted at the pool and contained in each team's coach packet.

Swimmers may not dive into the pool during general warm-up. Any swimmer diving into the pool may be disqualified from one or more events at the discretion of the Meet Referee. Swimmers may dive during a designated sprint warm-up.

**Entries:**

Please submit entries on standard MVS entry forms of Hy-Tek disk, accompanied by Hy-Tek entry summary sheets. All times should be entered in short course yard times only. "No time" entries will be accepted.

The minimum age for Open events is 13 years old.

Entries in the 1500 Free are limited to the 48 fastest women and the 48 fastest men, or combination not to exceed 96 swimmers. Swimmers in the 1500 Free must provide their own timer and counter. The 1500 Free will be swum 2 swimmers to a lane. The women's and men's heats of the 1500 Free may be swum by alternating between women and men. At the discretion of the Meet Referee, women and men may be combined into the same heat. The 400 IM and 400 free are limited to the 40 fastest women and the 40 fastest men, or combination not to exceed 80 swimmers. If entries for the 1500 Free, 400 Free, or the 400 IM exceed the limit a psyche sheet will be sent to all teams, via email, as confirmation of entries by April 21<sup>st</sup>, Monday following entry deadline. Swimmers not making the top 40 fastest times will be allowed to submit an alternate event entry by 5:00 p.m. on Tuesday, April 22<sup>nd</sup>.

**Entry Fees:**

Individual events \$3.50      Late Entries (per event) \$7.00

Make checks payable to **Topeka Swim Association.**

Mail Entries to:      Cindie Molden  
2470 SW Kingsrow Rd.  
Topeka, KS 66614  
785-272-5736  
tsaentries@hotmail.com

E-mailed entries will be accepted. Teams should insure that hard copies and Hy-Tek disks accompanied by payment of fees are received by the entry deadline.

- Entry Limit:** Each swimmer is limited to five (5) events per day. The meet will be limited to the first 650 swimmers received. Teams will not be split.
- Entry Deadline:** Entries must be received by Wednesday, April 16, 2008, and will be prioritized by postmark. All appropriate fees must accompany entries.
- Eligibility:** All swimmers must be 2008 athlete members of USA Swimming, Inc. The age of the swimmer as of the first day of the meet will determine his/her age for the entire meet.
- Seeding:** With the exception of the 1500 Free, 400 IM, and 400 Free, the meet will be pre-seeded by Hy-Tek Meet Manager. The 1500 Free, 400 IM, and 400 Free will be deck seeded fastest to slowest, alternating heats of women and men. The 1500 Free and 400 Free check-in will be available until no later than 30 minutes prior to the start of the appropriate session at the clerk of course, while the 400 IM check-in will be available until the completion of the 400 Freestyle events. A swimmer who fails to scratch and does not swim the event will be scratched from the swimmers next event.
- Deck Entries:** Deck entries will be accepted provided there are empty lanes in the event on a first come/first serve basis. Deck Entries will be \$7.00 per event. Deck entries must be received a minimum of 30 minutes prior to the start of the session. Deck entries will not be accepted without payment to the Clerk of the Course.
- Scratches:** The Missouri Valley Scratch Rule will be in effect.
- Officials:**
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| <u>Referee:</u>         | Dave Carpenter        | 785-271-1518 |
|                         | dccarpenter@cox.net   |              |
| <u>Meet Director:</u>   | Jill Alderman         |              |
|                         | jalderman@tctelco.net |              |
| <u>Safety Marshall:</u> | TBD                   |              |
- Awards:** There will be a prize awarded to the top point earner for the 11-12 boys, 11-12 girls, 10 and under boys and 10 and under girls for cumulative points earned. Ribbons will be awarded for 1<sup>st</sup> through 8<sup>th</sup> place in the 11- 12 age group events and the 10 and under age group events.
- Heat Sheets:** Meet programs will be available for \$8.00

**Final Results:** A copy of the results will be sent to all teams. Those teams submitting entries on Hy-Tek disks will receive results on disk at the end of the meet. Final results will be posted on the Missouri Valley Swimming website and may include the swimmer's name, age, times and USA Swimming number.

**Concessions:** Concessions will be available during the meet.

**Directions:** (From I-70 take the MacVicar Exit. Go south on MacVicar to 6<sup>th</sup> Ave. and turn right (west). Take 6<sup>th</sup> Ave. about 200 yards and turn right on Center Dr. The pool is on the corner of 6<sup>th</sup> and Center Drive.)

<b>Hotels:</b>	Holiday Inn Holidome 605 SW Fairlawn Rd Topeka, KS 66606	Holiday Inn Express & Suites 901 SW Robinson Topeka, KS 66606
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## Order of Events

**Friday**      Session 1      Warm-up: 4:00 pm      Meet Starts: 5:00 pm

Girls	Event	Boys
1	Open 50 Free .	2
3	Open 1500 Free	4

**Saturday**      Session 2      Warm-up: 7:30 am      Meet Starts: 9:00am

Girls	Event	Boys
5	Open 100 Breast	6
7	Open 200 Back	8
9	Open 100 Free	10
11	Open 200 Fly	12

10 Min. Break

15	Open 400 Free	16
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1 hour break

\*\* Pool will be open for warm-up during this time\*\*

17	Open 200 Breast	18
19	Open 100 Back	20
21	Open 200 Free	22
23	Open 100 Fly	24
	10 Min. Break	
25	Open 400 IM	26

**Sunday**      Session 3      Warm-up: 7:30am      Meet Starts: 9:00am

27	12 & Under 50 Breast	28
29	12 & Under 100 Back	30
31	12 & Under 50 Free	32
33	12 & Under 100 Fly	34
	10 Min. Break	
35	12 & Under 200 IM	36

Session 4      Warm-up: 1:00pm      Meet Starts: 2:00pm

37	12 & Under 100 Breast	38
39	12 & Under 50 Back	40
41	12 & Under 100 Free	42
43	12 & Under 50 Fly	44
	10 Min. Break	
45	12 & Under 400 Free	46