

Lake Travis Relay

Saturday, October 8, 2011

Sanction: ASA #OW11-1008

Who: Adults: 18 & older.

What: A six-person open water, approx. 10-12 mile, swimming relay race.

Why:

- For fun
- For competition
- To promote health & fitness
- To promote clean water
- To promote open water swimming

Where: Lake Travis, Texas.

When: Saturday, October 8, 2011 Check-in between 7:30-8:15 a.m.
Start: 8:30 a.m.

How: Six swimmers per team will each complete a 20-minute leg, then a 15-minute leg, then 10-minute legs until their team has completed the designated course. Swimmers will swim in the same successive order throughout the 15-minute leg and the 10-minute legs as they do in the 20-minute leg.

Divisions:

Male: 72-107, 108-239, 240-299, 300+

Female: 72-107, 108-239, 240-299, 300+

Mixed: (3 male swimmers, 3 female swimmers): 72-107, 108-239, 240-299, 300+

Open: 6 swimmers of any combination of gender and age

Solo:

Age Determination of relays: The aggregate of the six swimmers' ages, as of the day of the swim, will determine the relay team's age division.

Eligibility: Open to 2011 American Swimming Association (ASA) registered swimmers in good standing.

ASA Membership: If you are not yet a 2011 A.S.A. registered swimmer, include the A.S.A. 2011 Membership Fee appropriate for this event.

Team Registration: Team affiliation will not affect affiliation for other events or organizations. Swimmers may affiliate with any team for this event. A team must submit "TeamRegistration Form" (no charge) found on membership page at www.AmericanSwimmingAssociation.com.

Rules: 2011 ASA Open Water Rules will govern this event. No fins, snorkels, heart monitors, wristwatches, pull buoys, floats or any other artificial aids permitted. No tech suits. Please familiarize yourself with ASA Rules.

Costume: Only one suit and one cap may be worn. No tech suits. Please make sure you wear an acceptable suit. If you have any doubt as to what suit you will be permitted to wear at this event, please check with the Event Director.

Boats, Cell Phone, Stopwatch: Each team must provide its own escort boat, one stopwatch, and a cell phone. Teams should make boating arrangements early. All teams must have someone 22 years of age or older driving the boat.

Team Identification: All escort boats are to display a banner or sign on the side of their boat with the team name. Banner or sign must be at least poster board size. Please be prepared with zip ties, rope or whatever it takes to display team sign.

Kayakers: While not required, it is recommended that each team have a kayaker accompanying the swimmer in the water in addition to the escort boat. We recommend that the kayaker accompany the swimmer who is beginning his leg while the escort boat picks up the swimmer who is completing his leg.

Awards: Awards for winning team in each division except the Open Division. No awards for Open Division. Overall winning relay team name and team members' names engraved on Lake Travis Relay perpetual trophy. First-finishing Solo Swimmer's name engraved on Lake Travis Relay—Solo perpetual plaque.

Mandatory Captains meeting: Friday, October 7th, at 7pm Division confirmation, team number, team verification, start and finish procedures, boating procedures and instructions, emergency procedures, caps, t-shirts, and more. Captains must check-in by start of meeting.



ENTRY FEES AND DEADLINES:

Entries received by Thursday 9/22/11:

\$50 per swimmer
\$15 per alternate

Late entries accepted if received by Tuesday 9/27/11:

\$60 per swimmer
\$20 per alternate

Entries received 9/28/11 or after (if accepted):

\$75 per swimmer
\$30 per alternate

**Make checks payable to
American Swimming Association, LLC**

and mail Entry Form and applicable fees to:

**Dr. Keith Bell, Race Director
Lake Travis Relay
3101 Mistyglen Circle
Austin, TX 78746**

Questions: 512-327-2260

Solo swim: Individual swimmers may submit entries (See separate solo entry form) for consideration to do a solo swim for the Lake Travis Relay. (A maximum of 10 spots will be available for solo swims.)

Solo swimmers must meet qualification times to assure completion of the event. Please submit your 2k time for review, (maximum 40 minutes for a 2K) and official results for your longest open water swim completed to date. There will be a 6 1/2 hour cutoff finish time for all solo swimmers. If you are not able to complete a 12 mile distance in 6 1/2 hours, please do not enter.

Solo Entry fees: \$110 if received on or before Wednesday 9/28/11, \$125 if received after that but by 10/2/11. Entries received after October 2, 2011 \$150 and subject to availability. Swimmers who, after review, are not accepted for a solo swim will have their entry fees refunded minus a processing fee of \$20.

2010 Lake Travis Relay t-shirts: Each on-time entrant will receive a "2011 Lake Travis Relay" t-shirt. Extra t-shirts can be pre-ordered. We encourage you to consider outfitting your support crew — boat driver, kayaker — in a 2011 Lake Travis Relay t-shirt. See entry form to pre-order

Information subject to change.

All race fees are non-refundable.

FOR UPDATES

Please check the Lake Travis page at
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