



**2007 Marlins of Raleigh 8-Under Winter Snowflake Invitational
Ravenscroft School
Raleigh, NC
Hosted by
Marlins of Raleigh
January 26-27, 2008**

- SITE:** A.E. Finley Athletic Center
Ravenscroft School
7409 Falls of the Neuse Road
Raleigh, NC 27615
- PARKING:** Parking will be available in the main lot in front of the building. Please enter through the main entrance.
- DATE:** Saturday and Sunday
January 26-27, 2008
- TIMES:** Warm Ups: Saturday and Sunday 9:00am Meet Start 10:00am
- SANCTION:** Conducted under the Sanction of USA Swimming, Inc., issued by North Carolina Swimming, Inc. NCS Sanction # NC08008
- FACILITY:** Ravenscroft is a six-lane, 25 yard pool, with non-turbulent lane ropes and permanently mounted starting blocks. The minimum depth at the start end of the pool is 12 feet. An automatic timing system and computer results will be used. 25 yard events will start from the blocks. Spectator seating is available in the balcony.
- NOTE: NO FOOD OR DRINK ALLOWED ON DECK. HOWEVER SWIMMERS MAY HAVE A PLASTIC BOTTLE FOR WATER. NO TOBACCO USE ALLOWED IN ANY PART OF THE BUILDING.**
- RULES:** The meet will be conducted in accordance with the current USA Swimming Rules and Regulations and the NCS Official Handbook and the NCS Safety Program, except where rules therein are optional and exceptions are herein stated.

All events will be timed finals.

CLASSIFICATION: 8-Under Meet

ELIGIBILITY: All swimmers must be registered with USA Swimming, Inc.

ENTRIES: Submit entries on disk using Hy-tek CL2 format, by Standard Data Interchange Format (SD3). List swimmers' age as of January 26, 2008. Use best yard times achieved. All swimmers must be registered US Swimming swimmers by your local LSC. Teams using Hy-tek Team Manager COMMLINK-II format or similar team management formats need to set this up as one meet. You can find the Hy-Tek order of events file on the MOR website at marlinsofraliegh.com or at NC Swimming. When Submitting Late Entries, Please note that you may not send a new file. You must send any changes via email to Pam Rocque at bayrtvrs@nc.rr.com in word format.

ENTRY LIMIT: Swimmers may enter 4 events per day. Swimmers who are entered in more than the allowed number of event(s) will automatically be dropped from the event(s) that put the swimmer over the limit. No refunds will be given for incorrect entries.

ENTRY DEADLINE: **Completed meet entries on Hy-Tek or similar team management programs are due January 16, 2008** Entries will not be accepted without Summary Sheet and payment of entry fees. Late entries (including additional events or switching of events for swimmers already entered in the meet) may be accepted at the discretion of the Meet Director, but will not be seeded. **DOUBLE ENTRY FEES WILL BE CHARGED FOR ALL LATE OR CHANGED ENTRIES. Telephone and FAX entries will not be accepted.** Clubs submitting entries in Hy-tek Team Manager COMMLINK-II format, Please send any correspondence relating to entries via e-mail to Pam Rocque at bayrtvrs@nc.rr.com AND Include team name, swimmer, and/or events in question. Please include coachcara45@aol.com on all emails to Pam Rocque.

NCS Individual Events	\$2.00
Out of State Individual	\$2.25
Relay Charge	\$8.00
NCS Travel Surcharge	\$2.00
Facility Charge	\$5.00

Entry fees must accompany entries and are not refundable.

Make checks payable to: MOR

**MAIL ENTRIES &
FEES TO:**

**MOR Snowflake
4900 Waters Edge Dr. Suite 200
Raleigh, NC, 27606**

**Email Entries to: bayrtvrs@nc.rr.com, coachcara45@aol.com,
Please note that there will be no entries accepted without a hard
copy. Emailing your entries is fine as long as they are
accompanied with a hard copy by mail.**

Entries must include:

1. Correct entry fees.
2. Entry forms properly completed.
3. Received by January 16, 2008
4. Do not send entries in a manner which requires signature for delivery.

AWARDS:

Individual Events: Ribbons 1st – 6th place.
Relay Events: Ribbons 1st – 3rd place.

WARM-UPS:

There will be two sessions of warm-ups determined after entries are received. The warm-up times will be 25 minutes long in each session and you will be able to do dive starts during your warm-up session in your lanes only.

SAFETY:

There is no diving from shallow end of the pool.
The NCS Safety Program is in effect for this meet. Coaches are advised to closely supervise their swimmers at all times. NO running or horseplay will be tolerated.

**COACHES
MEETING:**

A coaches' meeting will be held at 8:50am January 26, 2008. **Coach's packets will be distributed when the coaches present their USA Swimming Coach membership card. Coaches without a coach membership card will not be allowed on the pool deck.** Coaches are responsible for all the information distributed in the packet and at this meeting

Officials Meeting:

There will be an officials meeting on January 25th at 9:15a.m. in the hospitality Room at Ravenscroft.

MEET DIRECTOR:

Pam Rocque
bayrtvrs@nc.rr.com

Cara Cameron
Coachcara45@aol.com

MEET REFEREE:

Bob Figuers

MEET MARSHALL: Ted Pierson

HEAD SITE

COACH:

Cara Cameron coachcara45@aol.com

HOSPITALITY:

Hospitality will be open to officials, coaches, and meet workers.

**CONCESSIONS
And Apparel:**

MOR will provide concessions in the lobby area as well as have Kast-A-Way swim supply on hand.

**RELEASE
STATEMENT:**

USA Swimming, Inc., North Carolina Swimming, Inc, Marlins of Raleigh, and Ravenscroft School shall be held free and harmless from any and all liabilities or claims for damages arising by reason of injuries to anyone during the conduct of this event.

Saturday, January 26, 2008		
<u>Girls</u>	<u>Event</u>	<u>Boys</u>
1	8-under 200 Free	2
3	8-un 50 Free	4
5	8-un 25 Back	6
7	8-un 100 Back	8
9	8-un 50 Fly	10
11	8-Un 25 Breast	12
13	8-Un 100 Breast	14
15	8-un 100 IM	16
17	8-un 100 Free Relay	18

Sunday, January 27, 2008		
<u>Girls</u>	<u>Event</u>	<u>Boys</u>
19	8-un 25 Free	20
21	8-un 100 Free	22
23	8-un 50 Back	24
25	8-un 100 Fly	26
27	8-u 25 Fly	28
29	8-Un 50 Breast	30
31	8-u 200 IM	32
33	8-un 100 Medley Relay	34

Depending on numbers, we will include a 5 or 10 minute (maximum) break in between each event at the discretion of the Meet Referee and the Meet Director and will be discussed during the coaches meeting if this is needed.

Entry Summary Sheet
 2008 MOR Snowflake Meet
 January 26-27, 2008

Use this form for a summary of entries.

Age Group	Total # of Swimmers	Total # Entries	Total # Relays		Total Entry Fee
8-Un Girls					
8-Un Boys					

Total Fees

Return this summary sheet with entry fees, official rosters and entry forms to:

**MOR Snowflake
 4900 Waters Edge Drive Suite 200
 Raleigh, NC, 27606**

USA Swimming, Inc., North Carolina Swimming, Raleigh Swimming Association North, Ravenscroft School, and other governing bodies of the facilities shall be held free and harmless for any and all liabilities or claims for damages arising by reasons of injuries to anyone during the conduct of this event.

Signature: _____

Coach: _____

Club: _____

Club Abbreviation: _____

Address: _____

Work Phone: _____

Home Phone: _____

Email: _____

Please supply an address in which we can contact the appropriate coach in case of changes or in the case of needing more information:

Email: _____

** A check for all applicable fees are required for this to be a valid entry.