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## Chair's Corner by Jody Welborn

Spring is almost here and the pool is about to heat up!
There is lots of swimming ahead and there is a great motivational tool on-line. A USMS Fitness committee event invites all swimmers to "Go the Distance". Track your yardage, reach the milestones, and get ready to swim fast.
The Association Championships at the remodeled Aquatic Center in Bend, Oregon are right around the corner. This is a great venue and the meet is a blast! Swimming, competing with your workout group, and socializing, what could be more fun? Bring your teammates and burn up the water. And don't forget the Awards banquet with keynote speaker Tom Landis.

But the Association Championships are not the end of fast swimming in the Northwest for 2007. Take your training base north, and compete at the USMS Short Course Yard National Championships in Federal Way, Washington. The facility is fantastic and the atmosphere is electric. This swim meet is not to be missed.
This is a great time to swim in Oregon. We have good facilities, wonderful coaches, terrific teammates, energetic volunteers and some of the best competitions in the country right around the corner. Celebrate swimming! Participate! Swim fast! But, most of all, have fun!

Remember, | Swimming is for Life |
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We had clinics! Dennis Baker put on an outstanding "Fly" clinic for 50 OMS Swimmers and Karlyn Pipes-Neilsen and Eric Neilsen put on an outstanding "Freestyle" clinic. OMS swimmers are getting ready for Associations and Nationals.


The Lincoln City Masters continued their tradition of hosting a new year's swim on Sunday, Jan. 21 when this group gathered to swim a combined total of 2,007 laps. Pictured, from left, are Kelly Howard (Lincoln City), Paul Rushfeldt (Lincoln City), Mark Zook (Salem), Kara Kimberling (Lincoln City), Lori Hollingsworth (Lincoln City's mayor), Jeff Bertuleit (Newport), Laurie Kilbourn (Portland), Stephanie Reid (Lincoln City), Ron Cobb (Portland) and Gail Kimberling (Lincoln City). Not pictured are Laurie Weber (Neskowin) and Paul Katen (Lincoln City). The swimmers ranged in age from 25 to 63 and averaged 167 lengths, or about 2.5 miles, each. It took this group about an hour and a half to complete their new year's goal with the help of lap counter Chelsea Kosbab.

As we enter the 2007 SCY season, here are the Swimmers whocurrently hold the most Oregon SCY individual records (asof1/18/2007): Compiled by Stehpen Darnell
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Gilbert Young
Herb Eisenschmidt
Steve Johnson
Allen Stark
Bill Zolna
Jeff Stiling
Curtis Taylor

## Mixing It Up with Cross-Training

Swimmers can often be accused of thinking that swimming is everything. In the 70 's, the prevailing thought was the more miles, the better. While technique requires mileage to become ingrained, we can benefit from a number of forms of cross-training to improve our general fitness. These days, elite swimmers do a range of cross- or dry-land training, with swimming mileage often quite reduced when compared with the past. We masters swimmers can probably benefit as well!
Repeating workouts again and again can keep you from moving beyond a certain level of conditioning. In swimming, there is a risk of overuse injuries, particularly in the rotator cuff muscles. In addition, while our esteemed coaches work hard at mixing up the workouts so they are interesting, at times we need a mental break from following the black line.
Cross-training is simple - it done by adding a different type of exercise to your physical activity routine. For a well-balanced and effective routine, you should include the different components of fitness - aerobic endurance, strength, flexibility and balance. It may be that a generalized workout can provide you with this, or you may like to do specific activities to target each of these components.
We all have our favorite alternative to swimming for aerobic conditioning. However, we may want to assess what we want to get out of our training, as depending on the exercise, there may be ways to be more efficient with our training. In general, with aerobic conditioning we are trying to improve our cardiac function, our ability to utilize specific energy pathways, and our ability to handle the metabolites from the exercise. How do we train this in swimming? We use specific work/rest intervals at a particular heart rate range, depending on what stage of the training cycle we are at. Needless to say, the same principles exist for our alter-

native exercise.
Let us consider cycling as an example for cross-training. Cycling is a great way to do some aerobic (and anaerobic) training, as well as increasing leg strength. However, many people think that to go cycling is to go for a nice ride in the country-side. This is ideal if you are after a recovery session, or if you have plenty of time to do some long distance riding, both of which have their place. One problem with cycling is that on the road, your workout is dependent on weather, traffic, road conditions, etc... You might like to contemplate using interval training while on the bike. In the pool, we might do 500-1000 yard intervals. This might equate to 10-20 minute intervals on the bike, aiming for a similar heart rate. Shorter intervals at higher heart rate will train your anaerobic energy systems. Shorter intervals with shorter rest will aid in training your lactate tolerance and anaerobic threshold. For these shorter intervals, consider using a wind-trainer or exercise bike so that you can better control your workload (and not be in danger when fatigued). If these are not an option, find a quiet patch of road or a nice hill climb for some repeats. A general rule of thumb is to use longer rest intervals on the bike than you would with swimming. Using interval training with running/cross country skiing, etc... is also a good way to train efficiently.
Many of us head straight to the gym for strength training. This is certainly a good way to gain strength, but again, there are different types of training depending on whether you want to work on endurance, strength, or power. It is important that if you don't have prior experience, you utilize the services of your gym instructor. Don't let them give you a generic program, but get them to tailor one to your requirements, updating the program every 2-3 months.
You may also want to consider yoga, pilates, or even a number of the different martial arts as cross-training alternatives. Not only do they all have components that work on your strength, but they can help improve your flexibility and balance too. There are also a number of meditative qualities in these disciplines that can be beneficial for stress relief!
It is important to remember that regardless of the exercises you choose to add to your swimming program, you should start a new activity slowly, and gradually build on your routine. Allow enough time at the beginning and end of your workout to warm up and cool down. And consult your doctor before starting a new routine if you have specific health concerns.

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## Tom Landis to Speak at Association Banquet

When Tom Landis started his second swimming career at age 55 , little did he know how far it would take him, and how his competitive nature would suck him farther and farther up the ladder of success. When he turned 60, he dominated his age group, captured all-American rankings in every freestyle event from 50 to 1650, set two world and four national records in the process, and was named as USMS Swimmer-of-the -Year. Now, having just turned 65, he is preparing for another all-out assault on the record book. The level of fitness he achieves through training for competition enable Tom to actively pursue his favorite hobbies, surfing and body surfing on regular trips to the warm waters of Mexico or Australia. Tom lives in Camp Sherman at the base of the Cascades with his lovely wife, Madeleine. Retired, their disparate interests run the gamut from backpacking to ballroom dancing.
There's a little prior history as well. Tom was raised in Southern California and swam as a walk-on at UCLA. He lived down under for several years in his 20's, where he became a star in the famous Australian rough water circuit. Tom then served a 15 -year stint as a history teacher at Fountain Valley High School in Orange County, CA, where he was also a fine swimming and water polo coach. His career took a radical turn when he moved to Brownsville, Sisters, and finally Camp Sherman, where he began farming llamas and leading wilderness llama treks. Tom has
two children living in California and a couple of new grandchildren.
We first noticed Tom when he appeared one day at a COMA practice in 1997. Although his form was a bit rough after a long layoff, it was apparent even then that there was plenty of hidden potential in this bearded wildlooking guy. Little did we know how much! The rest is history, and history still to be made.


## Beautiful Remodeled Facility for Association Banquet



Pam Himstreet, Banquet Coordinatior and George Thayer, Meet Director for the Association Meet recently checked out the newly remodeled Aubrey Glen Golf Course Restuarant, site of the 2007 Banquet. They were favorably impressed and feel it will be an outstanding Banquet this year.
With this top flight Restuarant and Tom Landis as the featured speaker, you do not want to miss the Banquet. Make sure you sign up for it when you send in your entry blank. Entry Blanks are in this issue of the Aqua Master.


## Attitude

Greetings my fellow Oregon Masters. In opening, I must finish the last word that got accidentally cut out of my first article. "Swim", as in finding that perfect cycle and perfect "swim". Now on to one of the most important subjects in swimming and in life.

Attitude by definition: A mental position assumed for a specific purpose. There are so many clichés and sayings about attitude. As I was doing some research for this article I couldn't believe the amount of literature. This would lead one to think that this subject is important, and it is.
Having a good attitude in swim- ming is vital. We work hard His good outlook and confidence completely overall year to prepare for those special races or just gener- $5144 \square 4 \mathrm{him}$. al fitness. The attitude or approach we take to each workout directly effects the success of our goals. We must practice having good spirits everytime we hit the pool. This is a difficult thing to do. The proverbial "life stuff' that I talked about in my last article gets in the way sometimes. We often "bring our day" to practice. As I mentioned in my last article, we often have life or swim cycles. Some are good and some are bad. To think we can absolutely abolish the bad cylces or never bring a bad attitude to practice would be absurd. What we can do is understand that we are in a bad mood. Or, perhaps we are stuck in a bad cycle or often bring in bad attitudes. Once we realize this we can move forward. Having a good attitude in practice is all about choice. When you hit the water let it all go. I think we are lucky to be swimmers because you are jumping into such a different environment. Let the water sweep the day away. Choose to be happy and know that you are healthy and lucky to be able to swim. Think that every day, because it is true.

Blocking out "negative vibes" is such a big key to having fun and swimming to your full potential. Let me give you a quick story about Ian Thorpe, who I consider one of the
greastest swimmers of all time. The "Thorpedo" was swimming in a big championship meet. In prelims he qualified third in his best race, the 200 meter free. The press was hounding him about not qualifying first, after all he was the world record holder. They asked him if being in lane five instead of four was going to affect him. His response was, "I'm pretty sure the water is the same in both lanes." What a great attitude. Thorpe went on to lower his own world record in that race and won by a great margin. Nothing was going to stop him.
 A good attitude can make you have success in swimming and in life. As I mentioned before there are so many clichés. Glass half full or half empty etc.... I will leave you with one passage I found. I read this to all my swimmers, Masters and young ones alike. I read it myself everyday. Thanks to Charles Swindoll for creating it.

## Attitude

The longer I live, the more I realize the impact of attitude on life. Attitude, to me, is more important than facts. It is more important than the past, than education, than money, than circumstances, than failures, than successes, than what other people think or say or do. It is more important than appearance, giftedness, or skill. It will make or break a company...a church...a home. The remarkable thing is we have a choice every day regarding the attitude we will embrace for that day. We cannot change our past.... we cannot change the fact that people will act in a certain way. We cannot change the inevitable. The only thing we can do is play on the one string we have, and that is our attitude. I am convinced that life is 10\% what happens to me and $90 \%$ how I react to it. And so it is with you... we are in charge of our Attitudes.



# Tualatin Hills Pentathon <br> Oregon Masters Swimming Short Course Yards Meet 


"One of the most fun, highly competitive and best attended meets in the OMS schedule year!" Eligibility: Currently registered USMS swimmers, 18 years and older. Sanctioned by Oregon LMSC for USMS, Inc. • Sanction \#377-03
Place: Nike's Lance Armstrong Fitness Center
One Bowerman Dr., Beaverton, Oregon 6 lanes competition-electronic timing Separate continuous warm-up/down lanes

Hosted by the Tualatin Hills Barracudas
Meet limited to first 100 entrants!
Date: Sunday, March 18, 2007

Warm-ups: 8AM<br>Meet Starts: 9Am

Meet director: Marisa Frieder • (503) 452-7053 • friederm@ohsu.edu
Directions to the pool: From Hwy 26 (Sunset Hwy), exit Murray Blvd. Turn left (south) on Murray Blvd and cross over overpass bridge. Turn right (west) on Walker Rd. Turn left (south) at the 1st stop light onto the Nike campus (will go by water fall/fountain). If the guard stops you, tell him you are going to a swim meet at the Lance. Turn right at stop sign past guard station. Go past 2 stop signs and a wide stairway on right, then at the next parking lot entrance turn right into parking lot and park. Walk across the street you were just driving on. The long building you drove past was the Mia Hamm building. The Lance Armstrong Building is the next building to your right (look for basketball courts and outdoor volleyball courts).

Please note: Swimmers will have pool access only and not access to the steam room, sauna, or hot tub. Swimmers will need to sign the release waiver located at the front desk the day of the meet.
All entrants must submit a photocopy of their current 2007 registration card or 2007 registration form and fee with this entry. ENTRY DEADLINE: POSTMARK NO LATER THAN March 2, 2007
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"Enter as many as five events. If you choose to not enter all 5 events in either the sprint or mid distance category, you will not be scored as a pentathlon."
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Rules: A 10 second penalty will be added to your time for any stroke/turn infraction. A false start eliminates you from the five event competition, but not from swimming any other races. Your total time for the five events DETERMINES YOUR FINAL PLACING.
"I, the undersigned participant, intending to be legally bound, hereby certify that I am physically fit and have not been otherwise informed by a physician. I acknowledge that I am aware of all the risks inherent in Masters Swimming (training \& competition), including possible permanent disability or death, and agree to assume all those risks. AS A CONDITION OF MY PARTICIPATION IN THE MASTERS SWIMMING PROGRAM OR ANY ACTIVITIES INCIDENT THERETO, I HEREBY WAIVE ANY AND ALL RIGHTS TO CLAIMS FOR LOSS OR DAMAGES, INCLUDING ALL CLAIMS FOR LOSS OR DAMAGES CAUSED BY THE NEGLIGENCE, ACTIVE OR PASSIVE, OF THE FOLLOWING: UNITED STATES MASTERS SWIMMING, INC., THE LOCAL MASTERS SWIMMING COMMITTEES, THE CLUBS, HOSTS FACILITIES, MEET SPONSORS, MEET COMMITTEES, OR ANY INDIVIDUALS OFFICIATING AT THE MEETS OR SUPERVISING SUCH ACTIVITIES. In addition, I agree to abide by and be governed by the rules of USMS."

## Oregon Masters Swimming Association Short Course Yards Championships

 \& Northwest Zone Short Course Yards ChampionshipsSanctioned by Oregon Masters Swimming, Inc. for USMS, Inc. • Sanction \#377-04
Eligibility: Currently registered USMS swimmers, 18 years and older. Unregistered swimmers must submit an Oregon 2007 registration form and fee with this form. Hosted by: Central Oregon Masters Aquatics Juniper Swim \& Fitness Center Bend, Oregon
25 yards
8 lanes competition-electronic timing
820 yd. lanes for continuous warm-up/down area

## OMS souvenir/participation award for all OMS entrants

DATE: Fri., Sat. \& Sun. April 20-22, 2007

## Friday: Warm-ups: 5pM • Meet starts: 6pM <br> SATURDAY: WARM-UPS: 8am • Meet Starts: 9am Sunday: Warm-ups: 8aM • Meet Starts: 9AM

Meet director: George Thayer • Phone: 541-388-3392 • E-mail gthayer@bendbroadband.com
Directions to the pool: From North or South, take Business highway 97 (3rd Street). Do not take the Bypass Parkway. Turn East on Highway 20 (Greenwood Avenue). Turn right on 6th Street and go south 2 blocks to pool.


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Age groups: $18-24,25-29,30-34$, etc. up to $100+$. Relay age groups: $18+$, $25+, 35+, 45+$, $55+$, $65+$ and $75+$. You MAy enter a maxiMUM OF 6 INDIVIDUAL EVENTS PLUS UNLIMITED RELAYS WITH NO MORE THAN 5 INDIVIDUAL EVENTS PER DAY. ENTER RELAYS AT THE MEET. Only 200 yard relays will be counted for team points. You may swim the 200,400 \& 800 yard distance of each relay only ONCE. The 400im, $500,1000 \& 1650$ freestyles will be deck seeded. See guidelines page posted on-line or in next aquamaster for times regarding check-in deadlines for these events and for relays. All events will be seeded SLOW TO FAST. See guidelines page on-line or in next aquamaster for more information. Your team must be registered for 2007 in order to score points.
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Sunday, April 22, 2007

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MIXED FREE RELAYS (31-33)

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MIXED MEDLEY RELAYS (16-17)
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Please plan to attend the OMS Annual Meeting at $4: 30 \mathrm{pm}$ at Aubrey Glen and be a part of this great organization.

## Association/Awards banquet - The Restaurant at Aubrey Glen

[^0]OFFICIAL RULES AND GUIDELINES DISTANCE EVENTS CHECK-IN DEADLINES/TIME PERIODS

Friday, April 20, 400 IM - 5:30 p.m., 1650 Free - 6:00 p.m.
Saturday, April 21, 1000 Free - Between the start of the 100 Breast and the start of the 50 Free Sunday, April 22, 500 Free - 8:30 a.m.

## RELAY ENTRIES DEADLINES

Saturday, April 21, Free Relay - 9:30 a.m. / Mixed Medley Relay - By the end of the 200 Back Sunday, April 22, Medley Relay - By the end of the 200 Breast / Mixed Free Relay - By the end of the 200Fly

SEEDING FOR DISTANCE AND RELAY EVENTS WILL BEGIN PROMPTLY. AT THE TIMES LISTED ABOVE, THE EVENT WILL BE OFFICIALLY CLOSED. THERE WILL BE NO EXCEPTIONS FOR LATE ENTRIES OR LATE CHECK-INS.


#### Abstract

TEAM SCORING: There will be three team categories (Small, Medium, and Large) based on the number of "entered" swimmers from a team. Only teams registered by March 30, 2007, will be able to score points. There will be a meeting of all the team representatives on Saturday morning at $8: 45 \mathrm{a} . \mathrm{m}$. to vote on the breakdown of the teams into three cate gories. At this meeting we announce the number of swimmers entered per team and look for the "natural breaks" in those numbers. For example, in the past we have used as a guideline the groupings of $1-9,10-19$, and 20 or more swimmers, but this can vary from year to year. Swimmers from LMSCs outside of Oregon are allowed to enter but are not scored in the team competition. Team names and abbreviations are listed on the 2007 OMS registration form in this issue of the Aquamaster. Someone from your team must register the team for 2007.


The team registration form is included in this issue. Please make sure your team is registered.
As of January 24, there are 18 teams registered. They are:
Canby Masters
Central Oregon Masters
Circumnavigating Beavers
Columbia Gorge Masters
Corvallis Aquatic Masters
Emerald Aquatics

| CBM | Fishsticks |
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| COMA | Grass Valley Masters |
| CBAT | Multnomah Athletic Club |
| CGM | Mt. Hood Masters |
| CAT | North Clackamas Masters |
| EA | Oregon City Swim Team |


| FISH | Riverplace Athletic Club | RAC |
| ---: | :--- | ---: |
| GVAM | Swimmers in Sweet Home | SWISH |
| MAC | Oregon Wetmasters | OWET |
| MHM | Pendleton Masters | PEND |
| NCMS | Rogue Valley Masters | RVM |
| OCST | Tualatin Hills Barracudas | THB |

## What you write down on your entry form is your team designation for the meet and no exceptions will be allowed. If you leave this Local Team space blank you will be entered as the team listed on your 2007 USMS card for scoring purposes. <br> TEAM AWARDS: Awards for First, Second, and Third Place will be awarded for each team category <br> IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS ABOUT THE RULES AND GUIDELINES FOR THIS MEET <br> PLEASE CONTACT Jeanne Teisher, jteisher97007@yahoo.com, 503-574-4557

Accommodations: The following hotel is located close to the pool. Please reference OREGON MASTERS SWIMMING when contacting the hotel directly to confirm reservations or inquire about group details.
Hotel: Fairfield Inn \& Suites by Marriott / 1626 NW Wall Street / Bend, Oregon 97701
Phone 541-318-1747 Fax 541-318-5332; www.marriott.com/rdmfi; akoster@suitesdevelopment.com
Cutoff Date: March 20th, 2007. Guests must contact hotel directly by this date to confirm individual reservations with contact and credit card information. Any rooms [not confirmed] remaining in the group block after this date will be released to regular inventory and become available on a first-come, first-serve basis at regular rate.

## Room Types \& *Rates and number of rooms held in block

- \$89.00/room night - (Qty 5) Standard King one King size bed, standard amenities
- \$89.00/room night - (Qty 20) Standard Double two Double size beds, standard amenities
- $\$ 89.00 /$ room night - (Qty 10) King Sofa one King size bed, one Double size pull-out Sofa bed, standard amenities
- \$99.00/room night - (Qty 5) Executive King Suite - one King size bed, one Double size pull-out Sofa bed, Entertainment Center with extra TV, CD stereo, mini fridge \& microwave
*A complimentary breakfast is served each morning; warm cookies and beverages served in the early evening.
Northwest Zone Meeting: TBD

All Clinics will be on Sundays at David Douglas High School SE 130th and Taylor Ct. (Between Stark and Division) 3:00 pm to 6:00 pm - for swimmers and coaches
Cost: $\mathbf{\$ 1 0}$ dollars at the door - bring a copy of your 2007 USMS Registration Card (Optional Dinner at McMennemins at Mall 205 after the clinic for further discussion Note: you pay for your dinner and drinks) (Please RSVP to Dennis Baker at bakeswim@yahoo.com or call 503679 4601) to reserve a spot in any or all of the clinics)


March 18 - Getting "Back to Basics". A general overview of backstroke Swimming demonstrations, discussions and pool work. Secondary topic: Coaching different levels of master swimmers during one workout.
Are we leaving out the novice swimmer?
April 8 - Deciding the "Best" Breaststroke for you A general overview of breaststroke Swimming demonstrations, discussions and pool work. Secondary topic: Starts and turns for all levels of masters swimmers


April 29-No such thing as a "Free" lunch
Freestyle technique for all levels of swimmers Swimming demonstrations, discussions and pool work. Secondary topic: Training, coaching and technique for the Triathlete.

## Hello Sunshine

## Sometimes a

"Get Well," "Sympathy," or "Cheer Up" card can help us through a difficult time. Please notify Sue, the O.M.S "Sunshine Person," and an appropriate card will be sent on behalf of the O.M.S.

Send Requests and a short note to; Sue Calnek
409 S.E. 4 th. St. Gresham OR . 97080
cell phone 971-533-3531
squeegybug60@yahoo.com


## 2007

## Local Team Registration

This form must be postmarked by the entry deadlines of the 2007 OMS Association Championship and the 2007 OMS Open Water Championships, in order for a team to compete as a "local team" at those events.

## Team Name

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Team Representative Information (must be an OMS member)
Rep. Name $\qquad$
Address $\qquad$
Phone 1 $\qquad$ Phone 2
Email $\qquad$
TEAM INFORMATION
Approximate Number of swimmers on team $\qquad$
Practice Schedule $\qquad$
$\qquad$
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## COACH INFORMATION

Coach Name $\qquad$
Address $\qquad$
Phone 1 $\qquad$ Phone 2
Email $\qquad$

## POOL INFORMATION

Pool Name $\qquad$
Address $\qquad$
Phone $\qquad$

Mail to: Tia Sitton, Membership Chair, 42455 N River Dr. Sweet Home, OR 97386 email - sweethomebuilder@centurytel.net
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New Member

| Last Name: | FirstName: <br> (Please register with the name you will use for competition.) <br> Address: <br> City:$\quad$ State: |
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| Phone: | Date of Birth: | Age: | Sex: $\square \mathbf{M} \quad \square \mathrm{F}$ |
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## E-mail Address:

Electronic Delivery ( I prefer to receive the Aqua Master electronically)

| Do you coach a | Yes $\quad \square$ |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Masters Team | No $\quad \square$ |

Club: OMS is comprised of one club or you may register unattached.

$\square$ OREG | $\square$ (Unattached members cannot swim in relays) |
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*(Unattached members cannot swim in relays)

| Local Team: Choose name and abbreviation from list below (Name) |  |  |  |  |  |
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| Registered for 2007 |  | Multnomah Athletic Club | MAC | Tualatin Hills Barracudas | THB |
| Canby Masters | CBM | Mt. Hood Masters | MHM | Not Registered for 2007 |  |
| Central Oregon Masters | COMA | North Clackamas Masters | NCMS | Albany Aquatics | AAA |
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| Fishsticks | FISH | Pendleton Masters | PEND | Southern Oregon Masters | SYM |
| Grass Valley Masters | GVAM | Rogue Valley Masters | RVM | Umpqua Valley Masters | SOM |

> \$38.00 Single Registration: Valid November 1, 2006 to December 31, 2007. Make checks payable to OMS, Inc. (Fee breakdown: USMS $=\$ 20.00$, Benefits of Membership include: A subscription to USMS's magazine, USMS SWIMMER, during the length of the membership year ( $\$ 8.00$ of the annual dues is designated for the magazine subscription), and periodic mailings from the Local Masters Swimming Committee, OMS $=\$ 18.00$
> $\$ 66.00$ Joint registration: Two members at one address/One Aqua-Master. One Registration Form per member please.
> $\$ \mathbf{\$ 8 . 0 0}$ Senior Registration ( 65 to 74 years): Valid November 1,2006 to December 31,2007 .
> $\$ 46.00$ Two Seniors $\mathbf{6 5}$ to 74 years ) at one address/One Aqua-Master. One Registration Form per member please. $\mathbf{\$ 1 0 . 0 0 \text { Age Group } 1 8 \text { to } 2 4 \text { years and Seniors } 7 5 \text { years and older }}$
> Registering at the same time you're entering a meet? Send BOTH forms to the meet entry address.
$\square$ I have added a contribution of \$ $\qquad$ for Oregon Masters Swimming. We value your support!
$\square$ I have added a contribution of $\$ 50$ as a Gold Medal Sponsor of Oregon Masters Swimming.
$\square$ I have added a contribution of $\$ 100$ as a Diamond Medal Sponsor of Oregon Masters Swimming.
$\square$ I have added a contribution of $\mathbf{\$ 1 . 0 0}$ (or $\$$ $\qquad$ ) to the United States Masters Swimming Foundation.
"I, the undersigned participant, intending to be legally bound, hereby certify that I am physically fit and have not been otherwise informed by a physician. I acknowledge that I am aware of all the risks inherent in Masters Swimming (training and competition), including possible permanent disability or death, and agree to assume all of those risks. AS A CONDITION OF MY PARTICIPATION IN THE MASTERS SWIMMING PROGRAM OR ANY ACTIVITIES INCIDENT THERETO, I HEREBY WAIVE ANY AND ALL RIGHTS TO CLAIMS FOR LOSS OR DAMAGES, INCLUDING ALL CLAIMS FOR LOSS OR DAMAGES CAUSED BY THE NEGLIGENCE, ACTIVE OR PASSIVE, OF THE FOLLOWING: UNITED STATES MASTERS SWIMMING, INC., THE LOCAL MASTERS SWIMMING COMMITTEES, THE CLUBS, HOST FACILITIES, MEET SPONSORS, MEET COMMITTEES, OR ANY INDIVIDUALS OFFICIATING AT THE MEETS OR SUPERVISING SUCH ACTIVITIES. In addition, I agree to abide by and be governed by the rules of USMS."

## Signature:

## Date:

MAIL TO: DARLENE STALEY, OMS REGISTRAR, 17720 NW Autumn Ridge Dr, Beaverton, OR 97006 This form is available on the OMS website: www.swimoregon.org




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    ## Signature

    $\qquad$ Association/Awards Banquet • Saturday Evening \$20.00 (all ages) $\qquad$ each @ \$20.00
    Association Champs Shirt : Men's T-Shirts \$16.00 ea.,
    Wmn's T-Shirts \$16.00 ea. or Crew Neck sweatshirts \$25 ea. (indicate style and size to the right)
    $S M L X L \quad X X L$ (\$2 add.)
    Make checks payable to Oregon Masters Swimming. Send form(s) and fee(s) to: OMS data Manager, PO Box 1072, Camas, WA 98607-1072

