

Longo Bongo Meet

YMCA Invitational Swim Meet, USA Swimming approved meet
Bloomington High School pool
Saturday, December 5, 2009

Format:	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• 200 free, 200 IM, 100 underwater kick relay
Entry deadline:	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Entries received by Tuesday, Nov. 24, 2009 are \$3.50 per IE
Deck entries:	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Entries received after the entry deadline are \$6.00 per IE• Payment must accompany all deck entries

Email entry file to: charles.yourd@verizon.net, Hy-Tek Team Manager entry file is preferred entry method

Mail fees and Summary & Release form to: Charles Yourd, Bloomington YMCA, 602 S Main St, Bloomington, IL 61701

Entry Chair: Charles Yourd charles.yourd@verizon.net

Meet Director: Tim Kiper

Meet Referee: Scott Penland

Rules: This is a YMCA meet, conducted under USA Swimming rules. Age as of Dec 1, 2009 determines age of the swimmer.

USA Swimming approved meet: USAS athlete members' times achieved in this meet will be entered into the USAS SWIMS times database.

Eligibility: All swimmers must be members of their YMCA.

Entry Limits: Each swimmer may participate in up to two individual and one relay events. There are no qualifying times. Entries will be accepted in order received.

Entry Fees: For entries received by the entry deadline, \$3.50 per individual event, \$12.00 per relay team. Make checks payable to **WAVES BNY**.

Deck Entries: all entries received AFTER THE ENTRY DEADLINE, including "late" entries, are \$6.00 per individual event, \$20.00 per relay team. If request for deck entry is later than 60 minutes prior to the start of the session, entries will be accepted on an IF OPEN LANES ARE AVAILABLE basis. Events will not be reseeded for deck entries. ENTRY FEE MUST ACCOMPANY ALL DECK ENTRIES.

Positive Check-in: closes 45 minutes before start of session. Circle name means "I am here and I intend to swim." If not checked in, swimmer will be scratched. Late arrivals will be added to open lanes IF OPEN LANES ARE AVAILABLE. Heats will not be reseeded for late arrivals.

Seeding: heats will be conducted fastest to slowest.

Meet Format: All events are timed final.

No Bullpen: to develop swimmer responsibility, there is no bullpen for this meet. Swimmers are to be at the block for their heat.

Timers: All teams will be expected to provide timers for the entire session.

Awards: There are no awards.

Location: Bloomington High School, 1202 E. Locust (Route 9), Bloomington, IL 61701. Map www.bnywaves.org

Facility: 6 lane, 25-yard competition pool with starting blocks at one end (starting depth 8 ft.), non-turbulent lane lines. Water temperature is 79 degrees F. Horn start system, Colorado 5000 timing system, with touch pads, backup button, at least two watches per lane. 25s use button and watch only. There is a single display readout board. Hy-Tek Meet Manager for Windows version 2.0 will be used. Grandstand seats 500.

Swimmer, Spectator, Coach Areas: Grandstand seating for 500 is located on the south side of the pool. The small bleachers on the north side of the pool are considered "on the deck" and are for coaches and swimmers only.

Deck Access: Only swimmers, coaches, officials, and timers will be allowed on the pool deck. Due to limited deck space – to allow free movement of officials, and for safety reasons – coaches and swimmers are requested to remain in the grandstand or bleachers during competition, and will be asked not to stand along the side of the pool.

Admission: There is no admission fee.

Restrictions: No smoking on school property. Alcoholic beverages are not allowed on school property.

Concessions: A variety of food and beverages will be available for sale by WAVES parent volunteers.

Final Results: results will be posted on the host team web site following the meet www.bnywaves.org. All teams will be emailed a Meet Manager backup file and/or CL2 file of meet results on Sunday evening after the conclusion of the Holiday Classic.

The Longo Bongo and the Holiday Classic Shootout are two separate meets. Each meet must be entered separately, each with its own team check and Summary & Release form.

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Order of Events

Girls		Boys
1	13-18 200 free	2
3	11-12 200 free	4
5	10-under 200 free	6
7	13-18 200 IM	8
9	11-12 200 IM	10
11	10-under 200 IM	12
13	11-older 100 uw dolphin kick relay	14

Warm up and meet start times

Confirmed times will be posted on the meet website and emailed to team contacts.

Warm up: 4:00-4:50pm
Meet starts: 5:00pm



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visit meet host website for warmup and meet start times,
psych sheet, estimated timeline, map to pool, and results

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Entry Summary and Release form

This form, along with check for entry fees, is to be mailed within 3 days of email submission of entry file.

Club name: _____ Team code: _____ (for heat sheet)

Team entry contact: _____ Position with team: _____

Entry contact phone (cell) _____ (H) _____ (W) _____

Entry contact Email _____

Mailing address: _____

Names of officials in attendance (please include email address)

_____ Email _____
_____ Email _____
_____ Email _____
_____ Email _____

Names of coaches in attendance:

TEAM SUMMARY

Number of individual entries _____ x \$3.50 = \$ _____ (deck entries received after Nov 24 are \$6.00 per IE)

Number of relay entries _____ x \$12.00 = \$ _____ (deck entries received after Nov 24 are \$20.00)

Total Due = \$ _____ Make checks payable to: **WAVES BNY**

Release below must be signed or entry will not be accepted.

In consideration of this entry and its acceptance, I, intending to be legally bound on behalf of myself, my club, and participants in the meet from my club, hereby consign, waive and release any and all rights and claims for damages which may occur against the Bloomington-Normal YMCA, WAVES Bloomington-Normal YMCA Swim Team and its parent organization, Bloomington High School, Public School District 87, or their representatives, employees, or successors for any and all losses, expenses, damages, demands and claims arising out of or in connection with any injury, including death, or alleged injury or loss or damage or alleged damage to property sustained or alleged to have been sustained in connection with or to have arisen before, during or after the meet, by me or any contestant, or representative in said meet of my Club. I attest that all athletes included in this entry and participating in the event are duly registered as current members of their YMCA.

Signature (Coach, Club Representative, or Parent): _____ Date: _____

Entry Deadline

Tuesday, November 24, 2009

Deck Entry fees apply to all entries received after November 24, 2009

Entry fee must accompany all deck entries.

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Directions: Pool is located in middle of three buildings on campus. Entrance door marked "N5" located on southeast corner of building.
From Veterans Parkway, go west on Empire, past intersection with Towanda (past Arby's) turn left into high school north parking lot, continue around east side of school building, to southeast parking lot.

From Locust Street, enter high school southeast parking lot via driveway across street from tennis courts (driveway is a few feet before intersection with Towanda).

Directions to Bloomington High School:

From the North (I-55)

- I-55 to Veterans Parkway (business)
- Veterans Parkway to Empire (will see Eastland Mall), turn right onto Empire
- See Directions from Veterans Parkway above

From the South (I-55)

- I-55 to Veterans Parkway (business)
- Veterans Parkway to Empire (will see Eastland Mall), turn left onto Empire
- See Directions from Veterans Parkway above

From the East (I-74)

- I-74 to Route 51 north.
- Route 51 to Veterans Parkway; turn right onto Veterans.
- Veterans Parkway to Empire (will see Eastland Mall), turn left onto Empire
- See Directions from Veterans Parkway above

From the West (I-74)

- I-74 to I-55 North
- I-55 to Veterans Parkway (business)
- Veterans Parkway to Empire (will see Eastland Mall), turn right onto Empire
- See Directions from Veterans Parkway above

Hotels: Chateau of Bloomington, 309-662-2020 (near pool)
Comfort Suites, 309-452-8588
Country Inn and Suites, 309-662-3100 (near pool)
Courtyard by Marriott, 309-862-1166
Doubletree Hotel, 309-664-6646
Eastland Suites, 309-662-0000 (near pool)

Hampton Inn, 309-662-2800 (near pool)
Holiday Inn Hotel & Suites 309-662-4700 (near pool)
Holiday Inn Express & Suites, 309-862-1600
Signature Inn, 309-454-4044
Super 8, 309-454-5858