



Munster Open Splash Meet

ENTRY RULES & FORMS

(Under Swim Ireland Rules)

Licence – 3L – 23/24 – M028

MEET CONDITIONS

Meet Location:	University of Limerick
Date	Monday 18th March, 2024
Sessions:	Session 1: 9am Warm up, 10 am start. Session 2: 1pm Warm up, 2pm start.
Age:	Age as 31 st December 2024
Qualification Criteria:	Swimmers must be at least 13 years of age by 31 st December 2024. This Meet is open to all registered Swim Ireland athletes.
Heats & Finals:	All events will be HDW and will be Long Course. There will be no finals.
Withdrawals:	Withdrawals from day 3 must be emailed to munsterentries@swimireland.ie before 5pm on the day before the start of the meet, Sunday 17th March. There will be a €50 fine if swimmers are not withdrawn by 5pm for an event for the next day.
Entry Deadline:	Entries on Hy-Tek only to munsterentries@swimireland.ie to be received on or before Tuesday 12th March.
Entry Fees:	Individual entries cost €8 per event. This applies to new swimmers to the 800m/1500m and 50m events. Swim Munster swimmers who have already paid their entry fee for the 800m & 1500m events at the Aspiring Champions Meet do not have to pay again. No entry will be processed until the appropriate fee has been received by the Treasurer. Fees should be paid directly into the bank account, and must include the name of the club and the name of the meet at least 10 days before the meet. Bank details BIC – AIBKIE2D IBAN – IE70AIBK93251559772394 <i>Please note that entries are payable and non-refundable once the final date for payment has passed. The date for payment is 13th March.</i>
Individual Entries :	Swim Munster 800m/1500m entries from Aspiring Champions Meet (Mar 2023) are required to submit their entries again. There are no qualifying times, but where a swimmer has a time, this should be submitted. <i>Swim Munster reserve the right to limit the number of swims per swimmer at the meet to ensure that the meet is within permitted time restrictions.</i> <u>Session 1:</u> <i>Swim Munster reserves the right to limit the number of entries in the 800m (7 Heats) & 1500m (4 Heats) events. Priority will be given to Swim Munster swimmers already entered in the 800m & 1500m Swim Munster Aspiring Champions Meet that has not taken place.</i> <u>Session 2:</u> <i>Swim Munster reserves the right to limit the number of entries in the 50m events as follows:</i> <i>50m Freestyle - Female 16 Heats & Male 16 Heats</i> <i>50m Backstroke - Female 8 Heats & Male 8 Heats</i>

	<p><i>50m Breaststroke - Female 8 Heats & Male 8 Heats</i></p> <p><i>50m Butterfly - Female 8 Heats & Male 8 Heats</i></p> <p><i>This will be assessed upon receipt of all entries.</i></p>
Eligibility:	Only swimmers registered with Swim Ireland or equivalent national swimming association are eligible to enter this meet.
Swim Ireland Registration Number:	A Swim Ireland registration number must be included with every entry. This number is the unique identifier of every swimmer in the national database. For non-Irish swimmers, a registration number with the relevant national swimming association should be provided.
Awards:	Medals will be awarded to all swimmers for each event – 13 years, 14 years, 15 years, 16 years & 17 years+.
Anti-Doping:	It is a condition of attending a Swim Ireland event that swimmers may be required to be tested for prohibited substances in accordance with the Sport Ireland/WADA/FINA Anti-Doping rules. For further information visit the Anti-Doping section of the Sport Ireland website .
Photography	<p>It is a condition of attending a Swim Ireland event that swimmers accept they may be photographed or filmed as part of the occasion, either as an individual or as a member of a group. Swimmers may also appear in a photograph or video inadvertently. Parents and swimmers must accept this. All photography and/or filming must be in accordance with Swim Ireland Guidelines.</p> <p>Photographs cannot be taken at a Swim Ireland Munster event without first having registered the photographer and device at the administration desk.</p> <p>At some events, photography and filming may not be permitted at all.</p>
Swimsuits:	It is not a requirement for swimmers to be wearing WA approved swimwear in this competition. World Aquatic Approved Swim Wear Policy
Health & Safety:	Please refer to the Health & Safety guidelines in Swim Munster Handbook and also the Swim Ireland Code of Practice for Safety (Swimming) on the Swim Ireland website.

ORDER OF EVENTS

	Session 1	Limitation
1	Mixed 800m Freestyle	7 Heats
2	Mixed 1500m Freestyle	4 Heats
	Session 2	
3	Female 50m Freestyle	16 Heats
4	Male 50m Freestyle	16 Heats
5	Female 50m Backstroke	8 Heats
6	Male 50m Backstroke	8 Heats
7	Female 50m Breaststroke	8 Heats
8	Male 50m Breaststroke	8 Heats
9	Female 50m Butterfly	8 Heats
10	Male 50m Butterfly	8 Heats

Competing clubs must provide officials as requested.