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23-26 February 2012

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AUCKLAND OPEN CHAMPIONSHIPS (50m)

incorporating "Sub-Divisionals"

West Wave Aquatic Centre, Alderman Drive, Henderson

Thursday 23rd - Sunday 26th February 2012

Admission: \$3.00 per session Programmes: \$3.00 per session

Season Admission: \$20.00 (incl. all sessions & programmes)

MEET PROGRAMME

Thursday 23 rd February 2012	
SESSION 1	
Warm-Up 6.00pm – 6.45pm Start 7.00pm	
Event	
1	Mens 50m Freestyle (Round 1 Rangitoto)
2	Womens 50m Freestyle (Round 1 Rangitoto)
3	Mens 50m Backstroke (Round 1 Rangitoto)
4	Womens 50 Backstroke (Round 1 Rangitoto)
5F	FINAL Mens 1500m Freestyle (<i>top 8 Opens entries</i>)
105	SD FINAL Mens 1500m Freestyle (<i>top 8 Sub-divisional entries</i>)
6F	FINAL Womens 800m Freestyle (<i>top 8 Opens entries</i>)
106	SD FINAL Womens 800m Freestyle (<i>top 8 Sub-divisional entries</i>)
7	Mens 50m Butterfly (Round 1 Rangitoto)
8	Womens 50m Butterfly (Round 1 Rangitoto)
9	Mens 50m Breaststroke (Round 1 Rangitoto)
10	Womens 50m Breaststroke (Round 1 Rangitoto)

Friday 24 th February 2012	
SESSION 2	
Warm-Up 6.00pm – 6.45pm Start 7.00pm	
Event	
101	Mens 50m Freestyle (Round 2 Rangitoto)
102	Womens 50m Freestyle (Round 2 Rangitoto)
103	Mens 50m Backstroke (Round 2 Rangitoto)
104	Womens 50 Backstroke (Round 2 Rangitoto)
11F	FINAL Mens 800m Freestyle (<i>top 8 Opens entries</i>)
111	FINAL SD Mens 800m Freestyle (<i>top 8 Sub-divisional entries</i>)
12F	FINAL Womens 1500m Freestyle (<i>top 8 Opens entries</i>)
112	FINAL SD Womens 1500m Freestyle (<i>top 8 Sub-divisional entries</i>)
107	Mens 50m Butterfly (Round 2 Rangitoto)
108	Womens 50m Butterfly (Round 2 Rangitoto)
109	Mens 50m Breaststroke (Round 2 Rangitoto)
110	Womens 50m Breaststroke (Round 2 Rangitoto)

Note: The Meet Programme must be read in conjunction with the Meet Conditions.

Saturday 25th February 2012 Sessions 3, 4 & 5

SESSION 3 HEATS Warm-Up 8.00am – 8.45am Start 9.00am		SESSION 4 HEATS Start 1 hour immediately following conclusion of Session 3 – time to be notified Warm-Up: 45 mins	
<i>Event</i>		<i>Event</i>	
13	Mens 100m Butterfly	203	SD 12 – 18 yrs Male 50m Backstroke
14	Womens 100m Butterfly	204	SD 12 – 18 yrs Female 50m Backstroke
15	Mens 200m Breaststroke	213	SD 12 – 18 yrs Male 100m Butterfly
16	Womens 200m Breaststroke	214	SD 12 – 18 yrs Female 100m Butterfly
17	Mens 400m Freestyle	215	SD 12 – 18 yrs Male 200m Breaststroke
18	Womens 400m Freestyle	216	SD 12 – 18 yrs Female 200m Breaststroke
19	Mens 200m Backstroke	217	SD 12 – 18 yrs Male 400m Freestyle
20	Womens 200m Backstroke	218	SD 12 – 18 yrs Female 400m Freestyle
21	Mens 100m Freestyle	219	SD 12 – 18 yrs Male 200m Backstroke
22	Womens 100m Freestyle	220	SD 12 – 18 yrs Female 200m Backstroke
		221	SD 12 – 18 yrs Male 100m Freestyle
		222	SD 12 – 18 yrs Female 100m Freestyle
		209	SD 12 – 18 yrs Male 50m Breaststroke
		210	SD 12 – 18 yrs Female 50m Breaststroke

Saturday 25th February 2012 Session 5

SESSION 5 FINALS Warm-Up 4.00pm – 4.45pm Start 5.00pm		
<i>Event</i>		<i>Event</i>
17F	FINAL Mens 400m Freestyle	217F
18F	FINAL Womens 400m Freestyle	218F
101	Mens 50m Freestyle (Round 3 RS)	-
102	Womens 50m Freestyle (Round 3 RS)	-
103	Mens 50m Backstroke (Round 3 RS)	-
104	Womens 50m Backstroke (Round 3 RS)	-
-	Mens 50m Backstroke	203F
-	Womens 50m Backstroke	204F
13F	FINAL Mens 100 Butterfly	213F
14F	FINAL Womens 100 Butterfly	214F
15F	FINAL Mens 200m Breaststroke	215F
16F	FINAL Womens 200m Breaststroke	216F
19F	FINAL Mens 200m Backstroke	219F
20F	FINAL Womens 200m Backstroke	220F
21F	FINAL Mens 100m Freestyle	221F
22F	FINAL Womens 100m Freestyle	222F
109	Mens 50m Breaststroke (Round 3 RS)	-
110	Womens 50m Breaststroke (Round 3 RS)	-
107	Mens 50m Butterfly (Round 3 RS)	-
108	Womens 50m Butterfly (Round 3 RS)	-
-	Mens 50m Breaststroke	209F
-	Womens 50m Breaststroke	210F
33	Mens 400m IM (<i>top 8 Open entries</i>)	233F
34	Womens 400m IM (<i>top 8 Open entries</i>)	234F

Sunday 26th February 2012 Sessions 6, 7 & 8

SESSION 6 HEATS Warm-Up 8.00am – 8.45am Start 9.00am		SESSION 7 HEATS Start 1 hour immediately following conclusion of Session 3 – time to be notified Warm-Up: 45 mins	
<i>Event</i>		<i>Event</i>	
23	Mens 200m Freestyle	207	SD 12 – 18 yrs Male 50m Butterfly
24	Womens 200m Freestyle	208	SD 12 – 18 yrs Female 50m Butterfly
25	Mens 100m Breaststroke	223	SD 12 – 18 yrs Mens 200m Freestyle
26	Womens 100m Breaststroke	224	SD 12 – 18 yrs Womens 200m Freestyle
27	Mens 200m Butterfly	225	SD 12 – 18 yrs Mens 100m Breaststroke
28	Womens 200m Butterfly	226	SD 12 – 18 yrs Womens 100m Breaststroke
29	Mens 100m Backstroke	227	SD 12 – 18 yrs Mens 200m Butterfly
30	Womens 100m Backstroke	228	SD 12 – 18 yrs Womens 200m Butterfly
31	Mens 200m IM	229	SD 12 – 18 yrs Mens 100m Backstroke
32	Womens 200m IM	230	SD 12 – 18 yrs Womens 100m Backstroke
		231	SD 12 – 18 yrs Mens 200m IM
		232	SD 12 – 18 yrs Womens 200m IM
		201	SD 12 – 18 yrs Male 50m Freestyle
		202	SD 12 – 18 yrs Female 50m Freestyle

Sunday 26th February 2012 Session 8

SESSION 8 FINALS Warm-Up 4.00pm – 4.45pm Start 5.00pm		
<i>Event</i>		<i>Event</i>
101F	Mens 50m Freestyle (Round 4 RS)	-
102F	Womens 50m Freestyle (Round 4 RS)	-
103F	Mens 50m Backstroke (Round 4 RS)	-
104F	Womens 50m Backstroke (Round 4 RS)	-
-	Mens 50m Freestyle	201F
-	Womens 50m Backstroke	202F
23F	FINAL Mens 200m Freestyle	223F
24F	FINAL Womens 200m Freestyle	224F
25F	FINAL Mens 100m Breaststroke	225F
26F	FINAL Womens 100m Breaststroke	226F
27F	FINAL Mens 200m Butterfly	227F
28F	FINAL Womens 200m Butterfly	228F
29F	FINAL Mens 100m Backstroke	229F
30F	FINAL Womens 100m Backstroke	230F
31F	FINAL Mens 200m IM	231F
32F	FINAL Womens 200m IM	232F
107F	Mens 50m Butterfly (Round 4 RS)	-
108F	Womens 50m Butterfly (Round 4 RS)	-
109F	Mens 50m Breaststroke (Round 4 RS)	-
110F	Womens 50m Breaststroke (Round 4 RS)	-
-	Mens 50m Butterfly	207F
-	Womens 50m Butterfly	208F
-	SD Batty Relay Final	235F
35	Batty Cup Relay Final	-

'RANGITOTO SPRINTS'

Auckland's 'Rangitoto Sprints' are based on the popular 'Monaco Sprint' format, but with local variation to meet the requirements of the Auckland Championship Programme.

FORMAT

The Rangitoto Sprints will be swum over four rounds. The first round will be comprised of the fastest 32 seeded swimmers entered in each of the four (free, fly, breast, back) 50m sprint events for the Auckland Championships. The first round will follow the slower seeded heats of the Championship 50's and will be cyclically (circle) seeded over four heats. Progressive elimination will occur over each round until in the final fourth round four remaining competitors will face off in a Gold Medal decider to find the Rangitoto Sprint Champion for that stroke. The fourth round loser will be eliminated and the championship Medals will be awarded to the 1st, 2nd and 3rd place swimmers in the final.

ROUND 1

Four circle seeded heats with the top three place getters in each heat automatically advancing to the next round, together with the three fastest losers from all heats. In the event of a withdrawal, places in the next round will be allocated to the next fastest loser from Round 1. Seeding for Round 2 will cyclical, based on times swum in Round 1.

ROUND 2

Three heats of five swimmers each. The 1st & 2nd place getters of each heat automatically progress to the next round, together with the two fastest losers from all heats. In the event of a withdrawal, places in the next round will be allocated to the next fastest loser from Round 2. Seeding in Round 3 will be cyclical (circle) based on times swum in Round 2.

ROUND 3

Two heats of four swimmers each, with the winner of each heat progressing through to Round 4, together with the two fastest losers from each heat. In the event of a withdrawal, places in the next round will be allocated to the next fastest loser from Round 3. Any athlete who withdraws will not be eligible for a medal.

ROUND 4

Final of four swimmers for the Gold, Silver, & Bronze Medals.

In the event of a dead heat occurring, movement to the next round of participation will be established following a swim-off by the dead heated swimmers. In the event that a dead heat only results in a lane choice, then the lane choice will be made by the winner of a coin toss which will be supervised by the referee, between the dead heated athletes.

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AUCKLAND OPENS CHAMPIONSHIP AWARDS

Mens & Womens Distance Award

Allocated to the athletes (male and female) who accumulate the highest aggregate FINA points during the championships from the 1500m/800m, **plus** one other of the 400m Free or 400m IM.

Mens & Womens Middle Distance Award

Allocated to the athletes (male and female) who accumulate the highest aggregate FINA points during the championships from **any three** swims from different events selected from the five 200m events and the 400m Free.

Mens & Womens Sprint Award

Allocated to the athletes (male and female) who accumulate the highest aggregate FINA points during the championships which must include **three** 'Rangitoto Rounds' each of two different 50m sprint events **plus** two FINA point scores from different 100m events, making a total of **eight** accumulated FINA point allocations.

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“Sub-Divisional” Section

In 2011 as a part of Swimming Auckland’s efforts to support the victims of the Canterbury Earthquake we included a “Sub-Divisional” Category in conjunction with the 2011 Auckland Open Championships. This was well received and in 2012, as the SNZ Div 2 competition is not being run until April we are repeating the sub-divisional programme as a part of our Auckland Open Championships. This will be an opportunity for swimmers with a ‘Div 2’ profile to compete in a Regional Championship programme and also to prepare for their own national programme just over a month later.

Eligibility for the Sub-Divisional Section

This section will be limited to athletes **13 yrs¹ - 18 yrs of age** (age as of 23rd February 2012) **who have not qualified** for the SNZ NAGS Championships 2012.

Except as otherwise noted, medals will be issued in age categories (13yrs/under, 14yrs, 15yrs, 16 – 18 yrs) and place-getters/winners in the Sub-Divisional Finals will receive medals. **Qualifying standards have been established to ensure that swimmers in the mid-range of Auckland’s Level 2 can aspire to participate.** This programme can be seen by athletes and their coaches as an opportunity to obtain qualifying standards for the forthcoming SNZ Div 2 nationals, or to treat this regional programme as the highlight event of their season. The best athletes will be recognised with a Sub-Divisional Final which will bring these athletes together in the Finals Session of the Auckland Open Championships.

Age Group Swimmers

SNZ NAGS qualified swimmers who do not qualify to swim in the Opens Section of the Auckland Open Championship events may swim as exhibition swimmers in the SD division. Times will be recorded, but they will not be eligible for SC medals or finals.

No swimmer may swim in both the Open and SD sections of the programme.

Eligibility for the Opens Section

SD Swimmers are not eligible for Open Events. A swimmer may not enter events in both the Sub-Divisional Section and the Opens Section - they must enter in either one or the other. Any questions about eligibility, please contact the Auckland Swimming office Ph 4481480 or email: info@akswim.co.nz.

The Thursday and Friday evening Distance and Reverse Distance events will be swum as straight finals for both the Opens Section and the Sub-Divisional Section (fastest 8 entries of each). **The Rangitoto Sprints will be open only to Opens section swimmers.**

¹ Other athletes who qualify for SNZ Div 2 in 2012 by virtue of age (i.e. 12 years, but turning 13 before SNZ Div 2 in April) will also be eligible to participate but must do so in the 13 year age category, but subject to the same provision that they may not have qualified for SNZ NAGS.



The Sub-Divisional category will operate under the rules of the Auckland Opens as noted in this poster. **The closing date for all entries will be midnight on Monday, 13th February 2012.**

Session Times for Sub-Divisional Section

The programme start times for the Sub-Divisional session will be notified after all entries are received and timelined. Our planning is that the SD sessions (Sessions 4 & 7) will commence one hour after the conclusion of Sessions 3 & 6 respectively, allowing a 45-minute warm-up period. On the basis of 2011 timelines, Sessions 3 & 6 should last approximately 1 hour each.

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LC & SC QUALIFYING TIMES

Event	Male LC Time	Male SC Time	Female LC Time	Female SC Time
50m Freestyle	28.00	27.15	30.45	29.60
100m Freestyle	1:00.80	59.10	1:05.50	1:03.80
200m Freestyle	2:14.00	2:10.60	2:22.00	2:18.60
400m Freestyle	4:44.73	4:37.93	4:59.30	4:51.50
800m Freestyle	10:12.00	9:58.40	10:03.40	9:49.80
1500m Freestyle	18:45.00	18:19.50	21:00.00	20:34.50
50m Backstroke	32.25	31.40	34.65	33.80
100m Backstroke	1:09.22	1:07.52	1:14.54	1:12.84
200m Backstroke	2:30.19	2:26.79	2:37.87	2:34.47
50m Breaststroke	36.06	35.06	38.73	37.73
100m Breaststroke	1:18.20	1:16.20	1:24.64	1:22.64
200m Breaststroke	2:48.00	2:44.00	3:01.20	2:57.20
50m Butterfly	30.85	30.15	33.25	32.55
100m Butterfly	1:08.00	1:06.60	1:14.06	1:12.66
200m Butterfly	2:34.12	2:32.32	2:47.00	2:44.20
200m IM	2:33.00	2:29.60	2:40.20	2:36.80
400m IM	5:23.04	5:16.24	5:42.96	5:36.16

Sub-Divisional LC QUALIFYING TIMES

MALE	13yrs	14yrs	15yrs	16 – 18yrs
50 Free	32.25	31.65	31.52	30.98
100 Free	1.11.79	1.09.74	1.09.52	1.07.25
200 Free	2.37.84	2.33.52	2.31.90	2.27.04
400 Free	5.31.17	5.20.00	5.18.81	5.11.52
800 Free	12.01.00	11.46.96	11.43.01	11.41.56
1500 Free	21.59.02	21.34.50	21.24.00	20.54.64
50 Back	37.94	36.78	36.54	35.78
100 Back	1.21.98	1.20.35	1.20.35	1.18.29
200 Back	2.57.63	2.52.16	2.51.62	2.48.76
50 Breast	43.05	41.96	41.61	40.92
100 Breast	1.33.97	1.31.15	1.30.35	1.28.78
200 Breast	3.23.83	3.17.00	3.15.70	3.12.17
50 Fly	38.14	36.50	36.34	35.96
100 Fly	1.25.25	1.21.30	1.21.30	1.19.58
200 Fly	3.08.32	3.05.68	3.04.19	3.03.80
200 IM	3.02.68	2.58.00	2.56.20	2.53.89
400 IM	6.30.84	6.19.85	6.18.42	6.12.96

FEMALE	13yrs	14yrs	15yrs	16 – 18yrs
50 Free	34.45	34.33	34.22	34.16
100 Free	1.15.35	1.15.08	1.15.03	1.13.89
200 Free	2.44.32	2.42.16	2.41.67	2.37.08
400 Free	5.47.00	5.40.52	5.38.36	5.35.87
800 Free	12.01.00	11.46.96	11.43.01	11.41.56
1500 Free	21.59.02	21.34.50	21.24.00	20.54.64
50 Back	39.94	39.75	39.56	39.11
100 Back	1.26.01	1.25.16	1.24.73	1.23.74
200 Back	3.05.74	3.02.60	3.01.88	2.59.81
50 Breast	45.23	44.75	44.63	43.86
100 Breast	1.37.85	1.37.54	1.37.45	1.34.04
200 Breast	3.32.10	3.30.84	3.29.92	3.24.45
50 Fly	38.79	38.31	38.16	38.06
100 Fly	1.27.14	1.26.64	1.26.19	1.25.08
200 Fly	3.13.38	3.11.51	3.10.75	3.10.20
200 IM	3.09.51	3.06.10	3.04.94	3.03.92
400 IM	6.45.49	6.41.62	6.39.53	6.35.57

Sub-Divisional SC QUALIFYING TIMES

MALE	13yrs	14yrs	15yrs	16 – 18yrs
50 Free	31.40	30.80	30.67	30.13
100 Free	1.10.09	1.08.04	1.07.82	1.05.55
200 Free	2.34.44	2.30.12	2.28.50	2.23.64
400 Free	5.24.37	5.13.20	5.12.01	5.04.72
800 Free	11.47.40	11.33.36	11.29.41	11.27.96
1500 Free	21.33.52	21.09.00	20.58.50	20.29.14
50 Back	37.09	35.93	35.69	34.93
100 Back	1.20.28	1.18.65	1.18.65	1.16.59
200 Back	2.54.23	2.48.76	2.48.22	2.45.36
50 Breast	42.05	40.96	40.61	39.92
100 Breast	1.31.97	1.29.15	1.28.35	1.26.78
200 Breast	3.19.83	3.13.00	3.11.70	3.08.17
50 Fly	37.44	35.80	35.64	35.26
100 Fly	1.23.85	1.19.90	1.19.90	1.18.18
200 Fly	3.05.52	3.02.88	3.01.39	3.01.00
200 IM	2.59.28	2.54.60	2.52.80	2.50.49
400 IM	6.24.04	6.13.05	6.11.62	6.06.16

FEMALE	13yrs	14yrs	15yrs	16 – 18yrs
50 Free	33.60	33.48	33.37	33.31
100 Free	1.13.65	1.13.38	1.13.33	1.12.19
200 Free	2.40.92	2.38.76	2.38.27	2.33.68
400 Free	5.40.20	5.33.72	5.31.56	5.29.07
800 Free	11.47.40	11.33.36	11.29.41	11.27.96
1500 Free	21.53.52	21.09.00	20.58.50	20.29.14
50 Back	39.09	38.90	38.71	38.26
100 Back	1.24.31	1.23.46	1.23.03	1.22.04
200 Back	3.02.34	2.59.20	2.58.48	2.56.41
50 Breast	44.23	43.75	43.63	42.86
100 Breast	1.35.85	1.35.54	1.35.45	1.32.04
200 Breast	3.28.10	3.26.84	3.25.92	3.20.45
50 Fly	38.09	37.61	37.46	37.36
100 Fly	1.25.74	1.25.24	1.24.79	1.23.68
200 Fly	3.10.58	3.08.71	3.07.95	3.07.40
200 IM	3.06.11	3.02.70	3.01.54	3.00.52
400 IM	6.38.69	6.34.82	6.32.73	6.28.77



MEET CONDITIONS

Swimming Auckland Championships are conducted under SNZ and ASA Rules and any local Meet conditions listed on this poster and in the programme. Any variation to local conditions will be published on the ASA website no later than 7th February 2012.

ENTRIES

Closing Date: **Monday 13th February 2012 by midnight.** LATE ENTRIES WILL ONLY BE ACCEPTED SUBJECT TO ASA RULE 2.6.3. The penalty for late entries as prescribed under ASA Rule 2.6.3(a) SHALL BE \$50.00 PER EVENT.

Electronic Entries: For clubs with Team Manager Software, entries to be emailed to info@akswim.co.nz with **Proof of Times Report** attached. All other entries to be on ASA entry form.

Entry Fees: **\$9.30** per entry incl. GST.

Payment: Entries will not be accepted unless accompanied by full payment. One Club cheque please, made payable to Auckland Swimming Association, PO Box 300 633, Albany. Electronic payment to: Auckland Swimming Association, ASB Bank, A/C Number: 12-3011-0757520-00

Entry Times: No converted entry times will be accepted. The seeding of heats will be in accordance with the following procedure: Long Course entries (fastest to slowest), followed by Short Course entries (fastest to slowest). Except as otherwise noted the fastest three heats will be circle seeded.

Qualifying Times: For Opens swimmers, times must be achieved within the qualifying period to enter this meet. Proof of times report must be forwarded with electronic entries. Entry times must be listed on SNZ or ASA database. NON-QUALIFYING TIMES will only be accepted when the entry is accompanied by a \$25.00 bond. This bond is refundable, following the meet, if the swimmer achieves the entry time, or better, during the meet.

Sub-divisional swimmers must have achieved their qualifying times within the qualifying period. Proof of Times Report must be forwarded with electronic entries. Entry times must be listed on SNZ or ASA database. NON QUALIFYING TIMES will not be accepted.

Qualifying Period: **10th March 2011** until event swum at championships.

R2.6.4 Titleholders: 2011 Auckland Opens Titleholders shall be accorded free entry to defend that title.

Withdrawals: **NO REFUNDS FOR WITHDRAWALS.**

Please note: All withdrawals for Session 1 are to be received at the Auckland office by **noon, Wednesday 9th February, 2012.** Withdrawals for Sessions 2 – 8, must be into AOD control within 15 minutes of the end of the preceding session. Fines will be levied for failure to withdraw from finals. Information relating to withdrawal from finals will be handed out to all team managers at the start of the meet.

Withdrawals from Finals:

Any swimmer who wishes to withdraw from a final must do so (if ranked in the top 24 following the heats) within 30 minutes of preliminary/heats results being posted on the

Results Board. Failure to swim in a final without withdrawing within the required time may result in the imposition of a fine of up to \$50.00 (at the discretion of the Meet Director).

Athletes with a Disability:

The ASA has a “mainstreaming” policy relating to athletes with a disability. Athletes who hold an IPC Classification are eligible to participate in this programme and will be seeded amongst able-bodied athletes on the basis of entry times. It is the responsibility of athletes with a disability (or their Team Manager) to inform the Referee before they swim of their IPC Classification in order that their swim can be judged under the applicable IPC rules.

Starts:

Over the top starts during preliminary (heats) sessions. One Start Rule applies.

Distance and Reverse Distance Events:

Entries for the Mens 1500m Freestyle, Womens 800m Freestyle and Reverse Distance Mens 800m Freestyle, Womens 1500m Freestyle, the 400m IM (Mens and Womens) will be limited to the 8 fastest entries from the Opens section, and 8 fastest entries from the Sub-divisional section in the 400 IM (Mens and Womens) only, with two reserves. Reserve entry fees will be refunded if no swim is available.

Finals:

There will be an Opens Final and Sub-Divisional Final in each event.

Points:

Club points for the **Hallyburton Johnson Shield** will be:

Top 8 Open events	18, 16, 15, 14, 13, 12, 11, 10
ASA Medallists Trophies	5, 3, 1

Batty Cup Relay:

Participation in the Batty Cup Relay (Event 35 held at the end of Session 8) is restricted to Auckland Registered Swimmers only. The top 8 Auckland Registered swimmers (by time) in the first round of the Rangitoto Sprint Mens and Womens 50m freestyle will be eligible for participation. Any withdrawals must be submitted by the beginning of Session 3. A draw will then be made for lanes and partners (2 x 50m Freestyle) and the entry list will be published by the commencement of Session 8 on Day 4 Finals.

SD Batty Race:

Added especially for the revised programme to incorporate swimmers from the Sub-Divisional section. Participation will be as the Batty Cup Relay above, and will be the top 8 Sub-divisional Mens and Womens 50m freestyle swimmers. A draw will be made from results of Events 201 & 202 (Session 7) for lanes and partners (2 x 50m Freestyle) and the entry list will be published by the commencement of Session 8. Any withdrawals must be submitted at the end of Session 8. The winning team for the SD Batty Race will receive a commemorative medallion.

Medals:

Opens Events: Gold, Silver and Bronze in each event. No restriction on visitors. Medals will be presented in Finals Session.

Sub-Divisional: The Sub-Divisional section will have medals awarded by age-group for 13yrs/under, 14yrs, 15yrs and 16 – 18 yrs on a HDW basis from the heats of each event. As an exception, in events where there are straight finals (400IM, 800m Free, 1500m Free), the top three place-getters in the Timed Final will be recognised with Gold, Silver and Bronze medals, regardless of age classification. Sub-divisional medals will not be presented and must be collected by Team Managers.

Sub-Divisional Finals: Gold, Silver and Bronze in each event. No restriction on visitors. Medals will be available for collection by Team Managers.



Marshalling: Except as noted for Sessions 5 & 8 (Finals) there will be **no marshalling** at the 2012 Auckland Championships. Swimmers are responsible to ensure they are prepared behind the starting blocks at the start of the preceding race.

Marshalling in Finals: For Sessions 5 & 8 (Finals) swimmers will be expected to **present in the marshalling zone four races before** their final.

Places in the finals of swimmers who have not marshalled will be given to alternates two races before the final is swum, and fines maybe applied. Swimmers who are unable to Marshall due to swimming previous events or for medal presentations are responsible for informing the Marshall before they are due in marshalling.

Once a swimmer has been removed from a final and replaced with an alternate by the Marshall, they will not be reinstated even if they subsequently present themselves.

Poolside Officials: ASA will endeavour to obtain the necessary number of officials but the number on poolside may be more or less than the requirement set out in SNZ rules.

Meet Director: T B A Phone