



Northumberland & Durham Swimming Association 2019 Masters Competition (under Swim England Laws & Technical Rules)

MEET INFORMATION

EVENT VENUE DETAILS:

Dates: Sunday 7th July 2019
Venue: Haven Point, Pier Parade, South Shields NE33 2JS
Pool: 8 lane x 25 metre (full electronic timing)
 Separate swim down facility

Meet Promoters: Northumberland & Durham Swimming Association

Session Times:

Sunday 7th July	Session 1	Warm Up:	09:00
		Start:	09:45
	Session 2	Warm Up:	TBC
		Start:	TBC
	Session 3	Warm Up:	TBC
		Start:	TBC

NB. Session times will be finalised once all entries have been received and processed.
 Any new session times will be notified with confirmation of entries.

PROGRAMME OF EVENTS:

Event No	Session 1 Warm Up 9.00 Start: 09:45	Event No	Session 3 Warm Up & Start TBC
1	Mixed 800m Freestyle *	12	Mixed 400m Freestyle
		13	Womens 100m IM
	Session 2 Warm Up & Start TBC	14	Mens 100m IM
2	Mens 100m Butterfly	15	Womens 50m Butterfly
3	Womens 100m Butterfly	16	Mens 50m Butterfly
4	Mens 50m Backstroke	17	Womens 100m Backstroke
5	Womens 50m Backstroke	18	Mens 100m Backstroke
6	Mens 100m Breaststroke	19	Womens 50m Breaststroke
7	Womens 100m Breaststroke	20	Mens 50m Breaststroke
8	Mens 50m Freestyle	21	Womens 100m Freestyle
9	Womens 50m Freestyle	22	Mens 100m Freestyle
10	Mixed 200m Freestyle	23	Mixed 4x50m Medley Teams
11	Mixed 4x50m Freestyle Teams		

* The Promoters reserve the right to limit this event to 4 heats, with entries based on a first come first serve basis.

All events are Heat Declared Winner

AGE GROUPS

18-24, 25-29, 30-34, 35-39, 40-44, 45-49, 50-54, 55-59,
 60-64, 65-69, 70-74, 75-79, 80-84, 85-89, 90 & over

ELIGIBILITY TO COMPETE

- All competitors must hold a valid Swim England Swimmer Registration, or equivalent registration with another national governing body that is affiliated to FINA.
- Non-members will be required to take out temporary Swim England membership on the day at a cost of £10.00.
- A swimmer may only represent one Club throughout the competition.
- All swimmers must swim as their age as at 31 December 2019.

ENTRY TIMES

- There are no qualifying times for this event, however all entries **must** include an entry time for seeding purposes. Any entries without an entry time will be rejected.
- The Promoters reserve the right to reject entries in order to ensure appropriate session length.

ENTRIES

- The closing date for entries is Noon, 17 June 2019. Late entries will not be accepted.
- The entry fee is £7.00 per event or a flat fee of £25.00 for unlimited individual events.
- Team entries are free and are just for fun. Teams can contain swimmers from any Club.
- Payment can be made by cheque or direct bank transfer. All cheques should be made payable to 'NDSA'. Bank transfer payments should be to Sort Code: 20-40-09 Account No: 60040606. No entries will be accepted without the correct fee.
- No refunds will be given after the draft programme has been published.

Making Entries

Entries should be by completing an entry form, which is obtainable from the Championships Manager (see below). The entry forms must be e-mailed to ndswimmingentry@hotmail.co.uk. Cheques for entry fees will be accepted and should be sent to:

Dave Low (Championships Manager)
14 Witton Station Court
Langley Park
Durham
DH7 9US

AWARDS & PRESENTATIONS

- Medals shall be awarded to the top 3 places in each age group in each individual event.
- Medals should be collected as soon as possible after results are published, and swimmers are requested not to leave this until the end of the competition.
- There are no awards for the team events.

OFFICIALS

This event cannot run without volunteer officials. The Lead Referee for the 2019 Masters Competition is Mrs Christine Johnston who can be contacted on ndofficials@gmail.com

VENUE

- Haven Point Pier Parade, South Shields, NE33 2JS
www.southtyneside.gov.uk/article/19112/haven-point
- Parking is payable in Pier Parade Car Park. Free roadside parking on Seafield Terrace.
- There is a café onsite and local shops are in walking distance.
- There are plenty of accommodation options available locally.
- Good transport routes around Tyne and Wear via the Metro system
<http://www.nexus.org.uk/metro> which goes direct to Newcastle Airport and Newcastle Train Station.

GENERAL INFORMATION/EVENT REGULATIONS

- The organisation of this event shall be in the hands of the NDSA Management Board with powers delegated to the Championships Manager. The event shall be held under the relevant FINA/ASA Technical and Judicial Rules/Laws.
- A draft entry list and/or programme will be distributed to entrants prior to the event.
- Submitted entry times will be used for seeding and rejection purposes where necessary. The Championships Manager has the authority to adjust the number of entries accepted to ensure the smooth running of the event.
- The use of transfers, temporary tattoos, face paint, body paint or any other similar products by swimmers is strictly prohibited.
- No person may, for commercial purposes, take photographs or use any video recording equipment at the event without the express written permission of the Promoters. The taking of photographs or use of video equipment for non-commercial purposes is permitted subject to compliance with Swim England guidelines and the rules and standard operating procedures of the venue.
- Any person wishing to use photographic equipment (including still, video, digital and mobile phone cameras) at this event will be required to comply with Swim England's Wavepower (2016-2019) guidelines.
- No flash photograph is permitted at any time within the competition pool hall.
- In order to control digital photographs, mobile phones may not be used in the changing village.
- The NDSA Board has the power to vary the event conditions prior to the event closing date.
- Any queries should be directed to the Championships Manager:
ndswimmingentry@hotmail.co.uk

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