

Swim Wales Summer Open 2019

Monday 29th July - Friday 2nd August 2019

WNPS, Swansea

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Meet summary

Swim Wales is proud to present the Summer Open. The Swim Wales Summer Open includes the Home Nation Summer Events and the Welsh Summer Open. The Home Nation Summer Events are the top 24 selected for British and the invited top swimmers, after those at British, who are invited to their respective home nation; for Wales this is the top 16 after those at British. These swimmers have priority/invited entry which must be made within the specified window.

After this window closes, the remaining lanes (not taken by invited swimmers) and any additional we can offer will be open for 'open entries'; these are open spaces, first come first served until full. This event is an open competition and not a Welsh National (Welsh Nationals are Easter (Long Course) and Winter's (Short Course)).

There will be multi-classification entry for this meet.

All meet information can be found at the following webpage:

<https://swimwales.org/events/swim-wales-summer-open>

Entry Criteria

The 2019 Swim Wales Summer Open Meet will be held at the Welsh National Pool, Swansea from the 29th of July to the 2nd of August.

Invited competitors (Home Nation Summer Events)

The Home Nation Summer events will offer invited places to top Welsh Club ranked swimmers, plus any Welsh swimmer who has elected to swim in this competition on the basis of country of representation, who have received the event qualifying times. Swimmers should note that when identifying qualifiers for the Home Nations meets, the automated system in place assumes athletes wish to be categorised by the country of their ranked club, unless you have previously notified us otherwise. If you are in doubt of your current choice then please contact the team at HNMeetChoice@swimming.org

If swimmers wish instead to be invited on the basis of their country of international representation then individuals must email HNMeetChoice@swimming.org with their name, date of birth, membership number, current ranked club and registered Country of Representation. They must clearly state their wish to be ranked by their country of International Representation in relation to the Home Nation Summer Meets. This request needs to be made no later than midnight on 1st May 2019. No changes will be made beyond this point.

An interim rankings list can be found here:

<https://www.britishswimming.org/members-resources/2019-summer-meets-interim-rankings/>

For the invited swimmers, there are 16 places in each age group, in 50m, 100m, 200m in all strokes and 400m Freestyle and 8 places in the 400m IM, 800m & 1500m Freestyle. Swimmers must have achieved the qualification time in the qualification window: 22nd March - 27th May 2019 at a 50m competition (level 1) and not be invited to the British Summer Championships in that event.



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Following the closure of the qualifying window, entry invitations will be emailed out to the registered email addresses of all qualifying competitors. A full list will also be published [here](#) for you to check.

Swimmers will have a limited time to accept their invited entries. After this window closes, remaining spaces will be reallocated to open entries.

Open entry

All remaining places will be available to Swim Wales, Scottish Swimming and Swim England members who have achieved the qualification times and have not been invited to the British, Scottish, Welsh or English Summer Competitions in that event. This will be on a first come first served basis and spaces are limited. Each event will have an entry cap which, once full, will not accept further entries.

All competitors must have equalled or bettered the published qualifying times in a designated or licensed Swim Wales, Scottish Swimming or Swim England meet; times must appear on rankings to be used. Open entry qualifying times will be accepted from 30th July 2018 from 1, 2 and 3 level meets.

Entry will be through made in 3 parts:

1. Invited entry
 - a. For Welsh Swimmers ranked Top 16 & Top 8 in the 400m IM, 800m & 1500m freestyle outside of the British Summer Championships during the qualifying window of 22nd March to May 27th 2019 who have achieved the published qualifying time at a 50m competition (level 1).
 - b. **Invited Entries (from rankings) opens 15th June, closes 23rd June**
 - c. **Entries must be submitted in this window. Once closed unused spaces will be reallocated to the open entry.**
2. Open Entry
 - a. Remaining spaces will be allocated on a first come first served basis for those who achieve the qualifying time between 30th July 2018 and the closing date of entry.
 - b. **Open Entries open 9am 27th June and close 4pm 5th July**
3. Late Entries
 - a. **Late Entries will open 8th July and close 4pm 10th July**
 - b. A decision to open late entries will be made after close of entries.
 - c. This will be dependent on available empty lanes.
 - d. Late entries will be allocated fastest to slowest through manual entry.
 - e. Please check the event webpage for updates on late entries.

Entry Information

Multi Classification entry to be made using the entry form that is available on the website. Entries must be completed and returned to swimwales-events@swimming.org before the close of entries (as above).

In the event of an oversubscription Swim Wales reserve the right to scratch and remove entries as deemed appropriate. This is at the complete discretion of Swim Wales and the event management. Entries are not confirmed until a confirmed entry list of swims is published after the close of entries. This will be published on the event webpage.

The online entry system is provided by SportSystems and technical support is not available from the Swim Wales office. Due to the popularity of the Summer Open, open entries



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are filled quickly and places are limited. If you experience issues with the online entry system please wait for the screen to load, do not refresh the page as this creates another request and will delay your process further.

If you continue to experience technical issues please close the page and try again. Please be aware Swim Wales is unable to support entry requests due to technical issues and system failures. **We advise you print, print screen or save the entries selected before commencing payment, if the payment page fails, this can be used to support a manual entry. All queries related to entries must come through your clubs head coach.** Only queries collated and presented by a head coach will be reviewed. Swim Wales are unable to review individual queries regarding entries.

Fees

- Individual event: £10
- Poolside Pass*: £40
- Poolside chaperone pass* (S1-S4/S11): FREE

*Individuals applying for a competition pass must have a valid DBS and membership number (Swim Wales, Swim England, Swim Scotland or FINA recognised club). Individuals will be contacted for payment once their application has been processed.

Individuals without appropriate event accreditation will not be granted poolside access. Event accreditation must be worn at all times-lack of accreditation will result in removal from poolside.

The deadline for applications is July 19th 2019. Applications received between 20th and 26th of July will be charged with an additional £5 administration fee. Applications received after July 26th will not be accepted.

Event Summary

- Male and Female: 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17 & over (as of 31st December 2019)
- Multi classification: Male & Female: 12 years & over (S2-S14)
- Heats will be swum seeded by time regardless of age. Finals will be swum as single age bands.
- We will not accept; converted, split or relay times. The times used at the point of entry will be used during the event and we will not amend, update or alter times after the entry process.
- Please see separate qualifying times document published on the event webpage (AB and MC qualifying times)



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Multi Classification event summary

Multi classification event entry will be available for the following events:

Event	Male	Female	IPC recognised events
50m Freestyle	S1-S14	S1-S14	S1-S13
100m Freestyle	S1-S14	S1-S14	S1-S13
200m Freestyle	S1-S5 & S14	S1-S5 & S14	S1-S5 & S14
400m Freestyle	S6-S14	S6-S14	S6-S13
50m Backstroke	S1-S5	S1-S5	S1-S5
100m Backstroke	S1,S2 & S6-S14	S1,S2 & S6-S14	S1,S2 & S6-S14
50m Breaststroke	SB1-SB3	SB1-SB3	SB1-SB3
100m Breaststroke	SB4-SB9, SB11-SB14	SB4-SB9, SB11-SB14	SB4-SB9, SB11-SB14
50m Butterfly	S1-S7	S1-S7	S1-S7
100m Butterfly	S8-S14	S8-S14	S8-S13
200m Individual Medley	SM5-SM14	SM5-SM14	SM5-SM14

All MC entries will be integrated into the respective main heats based on entry times for each event and will be heat declared winner based off the MC rankings (by points).

There will be no specific finals for MC, however if an MC swimmer qualifies for a final then they are eligible to progress.

Medals are to be awarded for MC events based off the heats performances only.



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Event Schedule

SWIM WALES SUMMER OPEN MEET: EVENT UPDATED SCHEDULE 2019				
DAY 1	DAY 2	DAY 3	DAY 4	DAY 5
Session 1 Heats 1. Female 12+ 200m Free 2. Males 12+ 50m Free 3. Female 12+ 50m Fly	Session 5 Heats 7. Male 12+ 100 Back 8. Female 12+ 100m Fly 9. Male 12+ 50m Breast	Session 9 Heats 14. Male 12+ 100m Breast 15. Female 12+ 100m Free 16. Male 12+ 200m Back	Session 13 Heats 22. Female 12+ 50m Breast 23. Male 12+ 50m Back 24. Female 12+ 200m Fly	Session 17 Heats 29. Female 12+ 100m Breast 30. Male 12+ 100m Free
Session 2 Heats 4. Male 12+ 200 IM 5. Female 12+ 50 Free	Session 6 Heats 10. Female 12+ 200m Back 11. Male 12+ 200m Fly	Session 10 Heats 17. Female 12+ 200m Breast 18. Male 12+ 50m Fly 19. Female 12+ 50m Back	Session 14 Heats 25. Male 12+ 200m Free 26. Female 12+ 100m Back 27. Male 12+ 100m Fly	Session 18 Heats 31. Female 12+ 200m IM 32. Male 12+ 200m Breast
Session 3 HDW 6. Female 12+ 1500m Free	Session 7 HDW 12. Female 12+ 400m Free 13. Male 12+ 800m Free	Session 11 HDW 20. Male 12+ 400m IM 21. Female 12+ 800m Free	Session 15 HDW 28. Male 12+ 1500m Free	Session 19 HDW 33. Female 12+ 400m IM 34. Male 12+ 400m Free
Session 4 Finals Separate finals for 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17+ MC Final(s) - Mixed Age Group 1. Female 12+ 200m Free 2. Males 12+ 50m Free 3. Female 12+ 50m Fly 4. Male 12+ 200 IM 5. Female 12+ 50 Free	Session 8 Finals Separate finals for 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17+ MC Final(s) - Mixed Age Group 7. Male 12+ 100 Back 8. Female 12+ 100m Fly 9. Male 12+ 50m Breast 10. Female 12+ 200m Back 11. Male 12+ 200m Fly	Session 12 Finals Separate finals for 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17+ MC Final(s) - Mixed Age Group 14. Male 12+ 100m Breast 15. Female 12+ 100m Free 16. Male 12+ 200m Back 17. Female 12+ 200m Breast 18. Male 12+ 50m Fly 19. Female 12+ 50m Back	Session 16 Finals Separate finals for 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17+ MC Final(s) - Mixed Age Group 22. Female 12+ 50m Breast 23. Male 12+ 50m Back 24. Female 12+ 200m Fly 25. Male 12+ 200m Breast 26. Female 12+ 100m Back 27. Male 12+ 100m Fly	Session 20 Finals Separate finals for 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17+ MC Final(s) - Mixed Age Group 29. Female 12+ 100m Breast 30. Male 12+ 100m Free 31. Female 12+ 200m IM 32. Male 12+ 200m Breast

Event Timeline

Day	Session	Warm Up	Start	Finish
Monday	Session 1	07:30-08:50	09:00	11:20
	Session 2	11:30-12:30	12:40	14:30
	Session 3	14:40-15:00	15:10	16:55
	Session 4	17:05-17:55	18:05	19:15
Tuesday	Session 5	07:30-08:30	08:40	10:40
	Session 6	10:50-11:30	11:40	13:30
	Session 7	13:40-14:20	14:30	17:20
	Session 8	17:30-18:20	18:30	19:50
Wednesday	Session 9	07:30-08:30	08:40	11:05
	Session 10	11:15-12:35	12:45	14:50
	Session 11	15:00-15:20	15:30	17:25
	Session 12	17:35-18:25	18:35	20:05
Thursday	Session 13	07:30-08:30	08:40	10:15
	Session 14	10:25-11:25	11:35	14:15
	Session 15	14:25-14:45	14:55	17:00
	Session 16	17:10-18:00	18:10	19:40
Friday	Session 17	07:30-08:30	08:40	10:10
	Session 18	10:20-11:00	11:10	13:30
	Session 19	13:40-14:20	14:30	17:00
	Session 20	17:10-18:00	18:10	19:20

Entry Conditions

Meet conditions:

1. All competitors must have equalled or bettered the entry qualifying time in an event designated or licensed by Swim Wales, Swim England or Scottish Swimming. Times must be short or long course and achieved within the required qualification window (top 16/8 swimmers 22nd March - 27th May 2019 in a L1 50m competition, open entries on or after 30th July 2018). Converted, split or relay times will not be accepted.
2. The most current ranked qualifying time will be used at the point of entry and times will not be altered or updated after entry has been processed. Swimmers who wish to re-enter with faster times do so at their own cost, original entries are not refundable.
3. The Event team may request validation of any stated entry time.
4. In the event of oversubscription of the meet, Swim Wales reserve the right to scratch entries based on times. Entries are not confirmed until the draft entry list is published after close of entries.
5. Entries are submitted online using the national entry system and not via Hy-Tek.

General conditions:

The Swim Wales general meet conditions can be found at:



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<http://www.swimwales.org/key-documents> - Events - General meet conditions

By entering this meet swimmers are agreeing to abide by both the meet and general conditions.

Meet administration

Medals and awards

- Medals will be awarded to swimmers placed first, second and third in the following age groups: 12, 13, 14, 15, 16 and 17+
- Medals can be collected from the front desk once results are available.
- You can collect medals at any time during the meet, and swimmers are invited to use the Swim Wales wall for photos - be sure you tag us in them for a retweet

Meet withdrawal process

1. Swimmers are not required to withdraw from heat events. Lanes will swim empty if swimmers fail to attend marshalling.
2. Sign in is **not** required for 800m and 1500m races.
3. Withdrawals for all finals are required, including reserves. Withdrawals for finals must be made through the withdrawal table located poolside within 20 minutes of the last swim of the heat session. The withdrawal desk is located underneath the scoreboard poolside.
4. Failure to do so will result in a fine of £50 per swimmer per event.
5. A list of confirmed finalist will be available 30 minutes after the closure of the withdrawal desk.

Refunds

1. Refunds for entry fees will be processed on the receipt of a valid doctor's note (signed by an appropriate consultant/doctor on headed paper).
2. Applications for medical withdrawals must be received before 9am on the 29th of July to qualify for refund.
3. Refunds will not be processed for withdrawals on non-medical grounds.

Health and Safety

We hope you enjoy the competition, here are some tips to ensure you have a fun and safe experience.

- Event days are long and can be tiring, please drink plenty of water, eat sensibly and rest when possible to ensure you are fit and ready for the sessions.
- If you feel unwell at any stage please seek medical support from the WNPS lifeguards
- When using the pool stairs please ensure you hold the rail, the steps can become wet and slippery during the competition.
- If you see something that could cause an accident, please alert the WNPS staff/lifeguards or an event team member immediately so that it can be dealt with.
- The lift is for individuals who have difficulties using stairs; please ensure the lift is used appropriately and safely. Children are not permitted to use the lift unaccompanied.



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Warm up and Cool down

A warm up schedule will be published on the event webpage, this is also available on site, located either end of the spectator seating. Due to the number of clubs and swimmers attending, warm up sessions have been split into 20 minute sessions. Lanes are limited to 20 swimmers per lane and diving is only permitted at the score board end of the pool.

Coaches are asked to manage their swimmers when in the water, and work with neighbouring lanes to ensure safe and sensible use of the water. If you require further warm up time, the cool down pool (25m) located at the end of the pool hall will be open from the start of each session. The capacity is 10 swimmer per lane. Lanes in the second pool are not allocated, and coaches are asked to safely and sensibly manage this. Swimmers who are not using the pool space appropriately will be asked to leave by lifeguards to ensure space is available for those who wish to warm up or cool down.

Marshalling

Heat

1. Swimmers should report to poolside marshalling approximately 6 heats before their allocated heat.
2. This allows time for swimmers to be placed in appropriate positioning as directed by marshals. It is swimmers responsibility to report to marshalling.
3. Failure to do so may result in a no swim.

Finals

1. Finalists must report to the call room, located in the middle of the changing area for sign in and marshalling prior to their final (advised 5 races before) and shall remain in the call room until called for their event.
2. Swimmers who fail to attend the call room before the race is called for marshalling will be deemed to have withdrawn in breach of meet conditions and will be fined £50.
3. Coaches/chaperones will be not permitted into the call room.

Behaviour deemed inappropriate and abusive towards marshalls, officials and staff will not be tolerated and may result in removal from an event, session, day or competition. This is at the discretion of event management.

Officials and Volunteers

1. Swim Wales invites officials and volunteers to support this meet. Official's applications can be found on the event webpage, positions are open to those qualified from Time-keeper to Referee.
2. Volunteer roles include marshalling, announcing, call room duties, front of house and many more. Application forms can be found online. For more information please contact: swimwales-events@swimming.org
3. All of our volunteers and officials are provided with event kit, refreshments, meals and expenses claims. The Swim Wales volunteer expenses policy can be found on the website.

Swim Wales Film and Photography Policy

1. Please be advised that photographs and videos may be taken at this event.



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2. Swim Wales are aware of the wide range of devices including mobile telephones which have photographic and filming capabilities. This enables the capture of both static and moving images.
3. Used responsibly, such devices are perfectly safe, but sharing images widely may betray a confidence or identity of a child/children which may present a risk of harm to the child/children concerned.
4. The use of such equipment is difficult to control but we can all be vigilant. If you have any concerns or safeguarding queries, please bring them to the immediate attention of the event management team situated at the enquiries desk.
5. Swim Wales may use photographs taken at this event as promotional material and used across public forums including their website and social media accounts, and possibly the local press and television. Should you wish to refuse photographic permission please contact the event management team on site.
6. The full swim Wales photography guidance policy can be found at the enquiries desk or on the Swim Wales website.

Streaming

This competition is live streamed. This stream will be published online and can be found on the Swim Wales Facebook prior to the session starting.

Equality

'Swim Wales promotes inclusion and diversity, and welcomes participation from everyone. If you have any particular requirements in respect of participating, officiating or volunteering then please mention this, in confidence if required, to our National Events Manager.

Swim Wales is an equal opportunities employer and aims to provide a discrimination-free working environment. We are committed to an action plan and policy in line with the Equality Act 2010, which ensures that no job applicant or employee receives less favourable treatment because of a protected characteristic.

<http://www.swimwales.org/pages/equality>



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General Information

Car Park

The car park has 250 spaces, with additional spaces in an overflow located at the bottom of the slope; provisions are also in place to allow further spaces on the Swansea University campus. However please be aware, despite our best efforts - the car park is busy and fills quickly. To avoid disappointment, please arrive early. Where possible please arrange to car share or drop offs to help ease congestion.

Alternatively there are 3 nearby pay and display car parks we recommend:

- Foreshore Car Park: 4 Mumbles Rd, Sketty, Swansea SA3 5AU - 0.6 miles 12 minute walk
- Recreation Ground Car Park: Mumbles Rd, Brynmill, Swansea SA2 0AU - 0.9 mile 19 minute walk
- Blackmill Area Car Park: 266 Derwen Fawr Rd, Sketty, Swansea SA3 5AT - 0.8 mile 15 minute walk

The car park will be managed by security staff, please treat them with respect. Disrespectful or inappropriate behaviour towards staff will not be tolerated and you may be asked to leave the competition.

Swim Wales has an allocated car park area for staff and volunteers, including officials. It is important that these spaces are reserved for staff and volunteers to ensure smooth running of the meet. Please do not park in these reserved spaces.

Café

The Blas Café will be open each day (times will be published onsite), with an onsite Starbucks (hooray!) and a selection of hot and cold food. There is seating available in the reception area and outside.

Whayman Vendors will be joining us onsite Saturday and Sunday offering hot food including breakfast baps, chicken and halloumi wraps or pittas with salad as well as burgers and hotdogs. All items have been subsidised for event participants. There is seating available in the reception area and outside (weather permitting).

A water fountain is available in the changing village, located by the entrance to poolside.

Changing village

The changing village is for swimmers only, parents are not permitted in the changing area and will be asked to leave. Swimmers are politely asked not to change poolside and use the facilities available. Cameras and phones are strictly prohibited in the changing area

Seating

The pool has 1200 seats for spectators, coaches and swimmers. A limited number of seats have been reserved at the top of each section for access users (disabled, wheelchairs etc.) please refrain from using these seats unless required, you may be asked to move.



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We ask swimmers to remain on the bottom 7 rows of chairs to avoid making the stairs and upper balcony wet and slippery. Seating has been allocated for clubs attending with larger numbers of swimmers; seating allocations are not strictly reserved but to be used as a guide and suggested seating plan. If clubs that have been allocated seating do not have a large group on a given day, we politely ask the seats be opened to other clubs. We ask parents remain on the higher seating (7 rows and above).

Tickets

Tickets and programmes can be purchased on arrival from the Swim Wales ticket desk, this is on the far end of the reception desk. Day tickets are £5 (adult), £3 concessionary and free for under 14's; programmes are £5 including heat sheets and session times. Your ticket is a wristband, this must be worn to access the pool area. If your week pass wristband becomes worn speak to the team who will switch it for fresh band.

If you are collecting prepaid programmes head to the swim wales front desk (not the ticket desk) on arrival with your voucher, you will need to exchange this to collect your programme.

Merchandise

The Swim Wales TYR shop will be open onsite from day 1 of the competition. Competition merchandise includes hoodies, t-shirts and hats, there will also be a selection of Swim Wales Water Dragon merchandise and TYR kit. Payments can be made in cash or card.

Taxis and Buses

Local Swansea Taxi companies included:

- Data Cabs 01792 474747
- Killay & Sketty Cabs 01792 360600

Get the times of public transport in and around Swansea with Traveline Cymru:

<https://www.swansea.gov.uk/bustimes>

Social Media

Swim Wales would like to share your experience with us on social media, tweet and tag us in your photos and results using #SummerOpen19 @SwimWales. Photos may be used in Swim Wales communications including newsletters, website and social media.

By attending Swim Wales Meets, individuals are agreeing to adhere to the Swim Wales Media policy. This ensures that the use of social media whilst attending the meet is appropriate and safe. Clubs are responsible for the behaviour of their member, swimmers and supporters. Inappropriate behaviour will be dealt with accordingly.

Behaviour and Attitude

Swim Wales has a zero tolerance policy on negative behaviour at meets. Disrespectful and poor attitude resulting in unacceptable behaviour will not be tolerated. All those on site including swimmers, parents, coaches and clubs are expected to behave in an appropriate manner, respectful of officials, volunteers, staff and others. Swim Wales holds the right to ask those behaving inappropriately to leave the event and/or meet if deemed necessary. Refund will not be issued for dismissal from an event. The right to remove swimmers and/or clubs from the meet is held by the meet manager and senior team of officials. We ask that you remind



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your swimmers of the above policy and remain vigilant throughout the meet. Please report any inappropriate behaviour to a member of staff on site.

Jewellery

For safety and security reasons, the wearing of jewellery is not permitted while in the water during warm-ups / swim-downs and / or competition. This includes watches, necklaces, chains, bangles, wrist bands, ear-rings (except studs), and rings (except wedding bands). Swim Wales will not be responsible for any jewellery brought to events and will not be liable if such jewellery is lost or damaged.

Data Protection

For further information and guidance please read the [Swim Wales data protection notice and policy](#).



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