

Masters Swimming Victoria Long Course Championships April 7 2024

COST: Registration \$40 \$5 per swim 6 individual swims per person per day 2 relays per person Relays \$10 per team *Late Entry Fee - If accepted - \$30*

VENUE:

Melbourne Sports and Aquatic Centre 30 Aughtie Drive, Albert Park, Vic 3206

ENTRIES:

- Individual entries CLOSE 11:59pm Sunday 31 March 2024.
- Online Relay TEAM entry opens Monday 1 April 2024.
- Online Relay Team entry CLOSE 11:59pm Wednesday 3 April 2024.
- Marking availability for relays is only an indication of your availability. Your Team Captain will submit relay entries.
- Late changes to entered relays can be made up to 2 hours before the race.
- All event entries must be submitted with a time (estimated is okay).
- Entries from swimmers registered with overseas Masters Swimming associations are welcome. International entrants should contact <u>Recorder@mastersswimingvic.org.au</u> to register.

TIMEKEEPING:

Clubs are requested to bring stopwatches and prepare a roster **as ALL swimmers are expected to assist with timekeeping.**

IMPORTANT MEET INFORMATION:

- This event will be dual sanctioned with Swimming Victoria
- Maximum of 6 individual swims per person per day
- Maximum of 2 Relay swims per person per day
- Individual entries close 31 March 2024 at 11:59 pm.
- Relay entries close 3 April 2024
- ALL online payments will be charged by "MASTERSSWIMMINGVIC"
- No offline entries or payments are available
- If there is a mistake or an event missing, contact Alan Godfrey, recorder@mastersswimmingvic.org.au
- All swimmers must be financial and active Masters Swimming Australia members at date of entry to the Meet.
- All Masters swimmers who enter the meet need to renew for 2024 before entering the competition.
- Masters Swimmer ages will be calculated as at 31st December 2024.
- To be eligible to swim in a relay, a swimmer must have entered at least one individual event.
- There is no limit on the number of teams that a club may enter in any age group. All teams may score points.
- All members of a Relay team MUST be members of the same club.
- This competition will be governed by the Rules of Masters Swimming Australia (which can be found on the National MSA website- <u>Rules and Policies | Masters</u> Swimming) and Swimming Australia (Swimming Australia Members).
- Visiting interstate and International teams are welcome and are eligible for awards.
- Visitors must show a proof of registration with an equivalent body overseas. No guest swimmers.
- Final program will be available 2 days prior to the event.
- Note this is the first swim in the MSA Swim Series.

Please note: Times and Records are Provisional until finalised. The Pool Survey has been Certified.

Please note that in order to allow Meet Officials a break from activities on and around the pool deck, a formal break in the program of events may be called. When this will be, will be decided upon the day of the Meet and will depend on numbers of swimmers entered in each event.

This Meet will include Multi-Class swimmers. This is a MSV initiative to provide swimmers with disabilities an opportunity to compete in a State competition. More information about Multi-Class can be found on MSV website.

Individual Swimmer Registration

During the first phase of online meet registration, January 2 - March 31, individual Masters swimmers shall sign up on the Club Assist website (Swimming Australia members will register through Swim Central), and indicate some relays they wish to swim (note that this is an indication mark only).

Relay Registration

During the second phase of online meet registration, April 1 - April 3, Masters coaches and relay captains shall build relays on Club Assistant software with the swimmers in the online meet entry roster, and pay a \$10 per relay fee.

If there are any entry issues, please email mastersswimmingvictoria@meets.clubassistant.com or recorder@mastersswimmingvic.org.au

Check: You have registered your membership details properly in Swim Central. You have not used Autofill (please manually type data like name, dob, etc). Make sure that you have registered / renewed your 2024 MSA membership - at LEAST 2 days before entering.