

March LMR Swim Meet Saturday, March 11 and Sunday, March 12, 2023

Sanctioned by Swim BC: 38646

Sungod Recreation Centre, 7815 112 Street, Delta, BC

Saturday Session 1 – 12 & Under	Sunday Session 3 – 12 & Under
Pool Area Open: 7:00am	Pool Area Open 7:00am
Warmup: 7:30am-8:20am	Warmup: 7:30-8:20am
Start: 8:30am, End: 11:30am	Start: 8:30am, End: 12:00pm
Saturday Session 2 – 13 & Over	Sunday Session 4 – 13 & Over
Warmup: 12:30-1:20pm	Warmup: 12:30-1:20pm
Start: 1:30pm, End: 5:30pm	Start: 1:30pm, End: 5:30pm

** Please note that based on the number of participants there may be more warmups added in order to keep the number of people on the pool deck manageable.

<u>Facility</u> 8 Lane, 25 metre pool Omega Timing System Possible warmup lanes to be allocated.

Invited Clubs

This meet will be considered a closed invitational in order to facilitate numbers on the pool deck. If a club would like to attend, they must notify DSSC's Head Coach in order to submit entries.

DELTA, PSW, SKSC, VPSC, WVOSC, RAPID, HYACK, LOSC, WDSC, SPART

Safe Sport

All interactions between an athlete and an individual who is in a position of trust should normally, and wherever possible, be in an environment or space that is both "open" and "observable" to others.

Timers/Officials

DSSC may require timers for each session. LMR clubs are responsible for providing 3 timers per session. All officials/Timers will receive free coffee and refreshments during the session that they time/officiate.

Clubs can sign-up their volunteers at: <u>https://forms.gle/2CMh5vhN4ofTSAid7</u>

Spectators

Due to space limitations on the pool deck, spectator seating will be outside in the courtyard. There will

be a tent for coverage but please bring your own chairs and dress for the weather. There will be a small spectator section on the pool deck at the edge of the bleachers. Please use this section only when watching your swimmer and then leave to make space for others. Meet spectators cannot sit in the inside pool viewing area or in the lobby.

Parents who are repeatedly asked to remove themselves from the public venues will be asked to leave the facility, and their children disqualified from the meet.

Eligibility:

All swimmers must be registered with Swim BC or other World Aquatics affiliated organizations. Age groups will be based on the age of the first day of the competition.

All swimmers must have achieved their 4:00.00 in the 200m IM. Proof of time must be submitted.

<u>Entries</u>

Meet entries must be emailed to the Meet Secretary (<u>headcoach@teamsungod.ca</u>) prior to the entry deadline.

The team entering the 400th swimmer will be accepted to the meet. Teams not accepted will be notified via email.

The meet manager reserves the right to adjust entry limits or event selection in order to accommodate time outs and deck space restrictions. Teams will be notified of those changes after the entry deadline via email.

There will be a limit of 6 individual entries per swimmer with a maximum of 4 events per day.

Note that the 200 IM/400 IM will be held on both days. Swimmers can only be entered in each event <u>once</u>. Swimmers who are entered in the same event in multiple sessions after the scratch deadline will have their second entry into the event removed and no refund will be issued.

All relays will be mixed events (2 females, 2 males) in any order.

Deck entries will be accepted on a first come, first served basis. No new heats will be created for deck entries.

Clubs will be required to submit the complete list of coaches attending meet.

Entry Fees

Individual Events:	\$10.00
Official Splits:	\$10.00
Relays:	\$12.00
Swim BC Competition Surcharge:	\$5.00
Late/Deck Entry	\$15.00 per individual event
	\$20.00 per relay event

Deck Entries will also be subject to the Swim BC Competition Surcharge if they are not originally registered in the meet.

Please make a single meet fee cheque to Delta Sungod Swim Club

Entry Deadline: Wednesday, March 1, 2023

Scratch Deadline

The scratch deadline is Monday, March 6 at 7:30pm. Scratches received before the scratch deadline will be fully reimbursed. Scratches received after the scratch deadline require a medical note on the day of the meet for a refund.

Meet Rules

Swimmers must warmup in their appropriate warmup and can remain in the pool area until their event is over. Swimmers must leave after their session has completed.

Coaches will be notified of warmup time changes or additional warmup blocks by Wednesday, March 8, 2023.

All SNC rules as stated in the SNC rulebook will apply.

10 & under swimmers are limited to 4 hours of competition time. Coaches should enter these swimmers in events which ensure completion of their sessions within 4 hours.

Starts will be dive overs; swimmers are to remain in the water until after the next heat's start.

Swim BC Warm-up procedures will be in effect; see final page of this meet package for details.

DSSC is NOT responsible for visiting clubs' swimmers, and a chaperone may be required to supervise swimmers on deck. This will be the visiting club's responsibility that their swimmers are supervised.

Coaches must ensure that athletes follow the rules of the facility and respect the staff.

Glass containers are not permitted on deck.

Coaches Meeting:

There will be a coaches' meeting 10 minutes prior to the session start if required.

Officials Meeting:

There will be an officials' meeting 20 minutes prior to the start of each session.

Awards:

There will be awards presented for the top 5 finishers in each individual event by age group (10&U, 11&12, 13&O).

Meet Manager	Gurinder Sangha	president@teamsungod.ca	604-345-5912
Officials Manager	Kam Rai	<u>officals@teamsungod.ca</u>	604-345-5912
Meet Secretary	Kurt Murphy	headcoach@teamsungod.ca	604-345-5912
<u>Meet Referee</u>	Ron Bullock - level 4		

Female	Saturday Session 1 – Blocked – 12 & Under	Male
1	100m Butterfly	2
3	50m Backstroke	4
5	100m Breaststroke	6
7	50m Freestyle	8
9	Mixed 200m Medley Relay	
11	200 Individual Medley	12
13	200m Backstroke	14
15	200m Freestyle	16
17	400 Individual Medley	18

Female	Saturday Session 3 – Blocked – 13 & Over	Male
19	100m Butterfly	20
21	50m Backstroke	22
23	100m Breaststroke	24
25	50m Freestyle	26
27	Mixed 200m Medley Relay	
29	200 Individual Medley	30
31	200m Backstroke	32
33	200m Freestyle	34
35	400 Individual Medley	36

Female	Session 4 – Blocked – 12 & Under	Male
37	100m Freestyle	38
39	50m Breaststroke	40
41	100m Backstroke	42
43	50m Butterfly	44
45	Mixed 200m Freestyle Relay	
47	200m Individual Medley	48
49	200m Breaststroke	50
51	200m Butterfly	52
53	400m Individual Medley	54

Female	Session 5 – Blocked – 13 & Over	Male
55	100m Freestyle	56
57	50m Breaststroke	58
59	100m Backstroke	60
61	50m Butterfly	62
63	Mixed 200m Freestyle Relay	
65	200m Individual Medley	66
67	200m Breaststroke	68
69	200m Butterfly	70
71	400m Individual Medley	72



COMPETITION WARM-UP SAFETY PROCEDURES

Meet Management for all sanctioned Swim BC swimming competitions must ensure the following safety procedures are applied. It is incumbent on coaches, swimmers, and officials to work together to comply with these procedures during all scheduled warm-up periods. Coaches are requested to encourage swimmers to cooperate with Safety Marshals.

GENERAL WARM-UP:

- □ Swimmers must enter the pool **FEET FIRST** in a cautious manner, entering from a start or turn end only and from a standing or sitting position.
- □ Running on the pool deck and running entries into the pool are prohibited.
- Meet Management may designate the use of sprint or pace lanes during the scheduled warm-up time. Any such lane usage must be communicated through a pre-competition handout or announcement and visible through on deck signage.
- Swim BC recommends that, where lane density exceeds 20 swimmers per lane SC or 40 swimmers per lane LC, Meet Management split warm-up to ensure a safe environment (swimmers per lane) exists (i.e. by club, gender or age). A split warm up must be communicated in some fashion prior to the start of warm-up. This can be through a pre-competition handout or email, a technical meeting, or a general announcement.
- Diving starts shall be permitted only in designated sprint lanes. Only one-way swimming from the start end of sprint lanes is permitted.
- Pools with backstroke starting ledges available may offer a designated lane for backstroke starts, at meet management's discretion. (This is not mandatory if not enough general lane space is available for the number of swimmers in the meet.)
- Notices or barriers must be placed on starting blocks to indicate no diving during warm-up.
- Pre-event training shall be managed by the coaches and will have sufficient lifeguards on deck. There will be no Safety Marshals in place during pre-event training.
- □ Safety Marshals will not be in place during the competition in warm-up/warm-down pools.

EQUIPMENT:

- □ Kick Boards, Pull-Buoys, Ankle Bands, and Snorkels are permitted for use in the main warm-up pool during warm-up.
- Hand paddles and flippers are permitted for use in a secondary warm-up pool only (where available), at meet management's discretion and recommended only for national events or senior competitions.
- At meet management's discretion and based on available space, the Meet Manager may permit use of tubing or cord assisted sprinting in designated lanes and during specific times of the warm-up only. It is recommended that this only be allowed in secondary warm-up pools as space allows. Coaches are responsible for equipment reliability and use. This is recommended only for national events or senior competitions.

VIOLATIONS:

It is recognized that there is a level of interpretation and common sense that must be applied when applying these guidelines. Diving headfirst quietly into an empty pool at the start of warm-up is not the same as diving headfirst into a crowded lane. Judgment and context are required. This section is specific to diving violations and not equipment.

- Swimmers witnessed by a Safety Marshal diving or entering the water in a dangerous fashion may be removed, by the Meet Referee, without warning from their first individual event following the warm-up period in which the violation occurred and the alternates in that event notified should that event be a final. They may also receive a verbal warning from the Safety Marshal. Swimmers receiving verbal warnings will have their names and clubs registered with the Meet Manager and should subsequent violations occur the swimmer may be removed by the Referee without warning from their first individual event as noted above.
- In the case of a second offense during the same competition the swimmer may be removed from the remainder of the competition by the Meet Referee.

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SAFETY MARSHALS:

The Safety Marshal is a trained position designated by Meet Management. Safety Marshals shall:

- Be visible by safety vest;
- Be situated at each end of the competition pool and when applicable, similarly situated in designated warm-up pools when pre-competition warm-ups are scheduled;
- □ Actively monitor all scheduled warm-up periods;
- □ Ensure participants comply with warm-up safety procedures and report violations to the Referee.

A minimum of 2 safety marshals are recommended for each of the 25m warm-up pools in use during short course competitions, and a minimum of 4 safety marshals are recommended for 50m warm-up pools in use during long course competitions.

Depending on the level of competition, Safety Marshals have a role to help work with coaches and swimmers to ensure a safe warm-up environment. This may include educating a younger swimmer on the procedures or communicating a concern to a coach.

Judgment, tact and confidence is required and therefore the Safety Marshal should ideally be a more experienced official.

PARA SWIMMER NOTIFICATION:

Coaches are requested to notify Meet Manager, prior to the meet, of any Para swimmers participating in warm-ups. Meet Management may designate a Para swimmer lane for warm-up when necessary.

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The following statement must appear in all Swim BC sanctioned meet information and posted notices: "SWIM BC COMPETITION WARM-UP SAFETY PROCEDURES WILL BE IN EFFECT AT THIS MEET."

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