

DATE(s):	April 30, 2023		REGION:	Western
HOSTED BY:	Hamilton Aquatic Club			
LOCATION:	254 N Park Street, Brantford ON, N3R 4L1			
FACILITY:	Wayne Gretzky Sports Centre			
PURPOSE & DESCRIPTION:	Making qualifying times for future meets			
MEET PACKAGE:	The only meet package which will be considered as valid must be the most current version found on www.swimming.ca			
COMPETITION COORDINATOR:	Scott Hunt	Level:	4	
	If Level 3+ is serving as CC, please indicate that ROR/Swim Ontario approval has been granted			
MEET MANAGER:	Deb Mawdsley	Email:	deb.mawdsley@gmail.com	
SAFETY AT COMPETITION:	Swimming Canada and Swim Ontario believes that athletes, coaches, officials, support staff and volunteers have the right to participate in a safe, welcoming and inclusive sport environment that is free of abuse, harassment and discrimination. The Swim Ontario Concussion Management & Swimming Canada Event Photography procedures will be in effect. For complete details click HERE . Every club and its participants are responsible for ensuring all facility rules and requirements are followed.			
COMPETITION RULES:	Sanctioned by Swim Ontario.			
	All current Swimming Canada rules will be followed. All swimmers participating in a provincially sanctioned meets shall be required to comply with swimwear rule GR 5. Click HERE to view full details. Advanced notification for exemption or for clarification of the rule please see the Competition Coordinator. Please note that Swimming Canada Competition Warm-Up Safety Procedures will be in effect. As per the Facility Rules for Dive Starts, this competition will be conducted as follows			
	FINA FR 2.3 and SW 4.1, Swimming Canada CFR 2.3.1, CSW 4.1.1 & 4.1.2	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Starting Platforms at	Deep End
		<input type="checkbox"/>	Deck or Bulkhead at	
	<input type="checkbox"/>	In-Water at		
ELIGIBILITY:	All athletes must be registered as Competitive swimmers with Swimming Canada. All athletes must be registered as Competitive swimmers with Swimming Canada and have a valid Swimming Canada registration number. Entries without a valid Swimming Canada registration number and registered status will be declined entry. This is an invitational meet. Participation of this meet is at the full discretion of the host club.			
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Preference will be given to the host club first.		
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Meet Management reserves the right to further limit individual swims per session and to limit heats if necessary to keep session times to within 4.5 hours.		
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Pre-competitive swimmers are welcome to attend without exceeding the maximum of 1 competition. Pre-competitive swimmers will compete as Exhibition		
FOREIGN COMPETITORS:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Foreign competitors' entries will not be accepted		
AGE UP DATE:	Ages submitted are to be as	April 30, 2023		

ENTRY LIMITS:	The maximum number of participants per session is		200
	Each club is limited to the following number of swimmers		90
	The maximum number of entries per swimmer is	3	
ENTRY SUBMISSIONS:	Entries must be submitted through the Swimming Canada online entries system at www.swimming.ca . Meet Management will not accept entries via email. Failure to inform meet management of a no-show / scratch prior to the deadline for changes to entries will result in loss of entry fees.		
	Entries must include all attending coaches.		
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	NT entries are not permitted	
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Entry times are not to be converted. Please submit times in course achieved.	
ENTRY DEADLINE:	April 26, 2023		
	Changes to entries will be accepted until		April 26, 2023
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Swimmer Fee	\$25
ENTRY FEE:	Payment Method:	Cheque made out to: Hamilton Aquatic Club	
COACH'S REGISTRATION:	Meet management will cross reference the list of coaches submitted with entries at this competition with the Swim Ontario Compliance lists . If a coach is not on this list, meet management is obligated to enforce the Swimming Canada policy and not permit that coach to attend the meet. Meet management will forward Swim Ontario a list of coaches who they have found to be in non-compliance.		
SEEDING:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Seeding will be in the following order: fastest to slowest	

SCHEDULE OF SESSIONS:

<u>Session #</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Warm-up period</u>	<u>Start of session</u>	<u>Approx. Finish of session</u>	<u>Time Final/Heats /Finals</u>
1	April 30, 2023	12:15pm-1:10pm	1:15pm	4:15pm	

MIXED-GENDER:	An exemption from the requirement to swim events in gender separated events due to limited time, developmental opportunities or facility requirements and/or due to a missed swim, where on an exception basis, a referee agrees to have the swimmer swim with a heat of an opposite gender event. In spite of these exemptions, any swimmer who achieves a record time at a competition that recognizes records at any level (regional, provincial, national etc, whether age group or open) will not be recognized for that record unless the coach has advised the referee prior to the start of the session that there is a possibility of the record being broken, and the referee insures that the swimmer competes with competitors of the same gender for his/her heat. In the event that mixed gender swims are permitted, the results must still be posted separately by gender of swimmers.		
CHECKIN AND SCRATCHES:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Scratches are to be made at the clerk of course desk 30 minutes prior to the start of each session.	

PENALTIES:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	No scratch penalty shall be imposed for late or day of scratches or No-Shows	
DECK ENTRIES:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Event Deck Entries are permitted for swimmers already entered in the competition.	
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Swimmer Deck Entries are permitted provided proof of registered status with valid Swimming Canada ID is provided to Meet Management.	
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Fee	\$ 25
OFFICIAL SPLIT TIMES:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Meet management requires that any coach wishing to rely on a time achieved by the swimmer for an interval shorter than the total distance of the event shall so advise the Referee prior to the commencement of the session (or event) in question.	
RECORDS:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Swim times achieved at this competition will NOT be used for applications of provincial and national records.	
MEET RESULTS:	Official Results will be posted within 48 hours of completion of the meet to www.swimming.ca		
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	The meet program will be run on Hy-Tek Meet Manager.	
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Results will be posted as quickly as possible at the meet.	
SCORING:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	No Scoring	
AWARDS:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	The following will be awarded: Best time ribbons	

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS:

Session 1		
Sunday, April 30, 2023		
Warm-up: 12:15PM-1:10PM -- Start: 1:15 PM-4:15PM		
Women		Men
1	200 IM	2
3	100 IM	4
5	100 FREE	6
7	50 FREE	8
9	25 FREE	10
11	100 BACK	12
13	50 BACK	14
15	25 BACK	16
17	100 BREAST	18
19	50 BREAST	20
21	25 BREAST	22
23	100 FLY	24
25	50 FLY	26
27	25 FLY	28
29	200 FREE	30