



Summer Development Meet 2017

Monday 31st of July – 2nd of August 2017
(Afternoon session only)

#SWSO17



Our Vision

A world leading National Governing Body delivering excellence, **inspiring** our nation to **enjoy, participate, learn** and **compete** in Welsh aquatics.

Ein Gweledigaeth

Corff Llywodraethu blaenllaw sy'n cynnig rhagoriaeth, gan **ysbrydoli** cenedl i **fwynhau, cymryd rhan, dysgu** a **chystadlu** mewn campau dŵr yng Nghymru

Meet summary

Swim Wales is proud to present the Welsh Summer Development meet.

The Swim Wales Summer Development meet 2017 is a level 3 open long course meet aimed at 10 and 11 year old development swimmers.

The competition will be held at the Welsh National Pool, Swansea from July 31st to August 2nd. The development meet will take place in the afternoon session of the Welsh Summer Open 2017.

All meet information can be found at the following webpage:
<http://www.swimwales.org/events/welsh-summer-open-meet>

License No: 3WL171005

Entry Criteria:

Entry will only be accepted from competitors who hold a valid membership of Swim Wales, ASA Swim Scotland or competitors from a country affiliated to FINA.

Entry will be by means of an online entry system requiring instant payment via PayPal or debit/credit card.

Entries will be accepted on a first come first served basis and spaces are limited.

Entries will open: May 19th 9am

Entries will close: June 23rd 1pm

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 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 later. Swim Wales is unable to support technical issues and system failures.

Fees:

Individual event: £10

Development coaches pass*: £10

Development chaperone pass* (S1-S4/S11): FREE

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

processed. Application forms are available at:
<http://www.swimwales.org/events/welsh-summer-open-meet>

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.

Competition passes for the Welsh Summer Open Meet can be used to access the development meet. Holders of development passes may only use this pass for the development sessions (afternoon session).

The deadline for applications is July 10th 2017. Applications received after this date will not be accepted.

Event Summary:

Boys and Girls: 10 & 11 years (as of 31st December 2017). Events will be swum seeded by time regardless of age.

Qualifying times:

Swim Wales Summer Development Meet 2017 Short Course Qualifying Times				
Boys			Girls	
10 years	11 years	EVENT	10 years	11 years
1:38.00	1:30.5	100m Free	1:38.00	1:30.50
3:28.00	3:15.10	200m Free	3:28.00	3:15.10
1:49.50	1:41.40	100m Back	1:49.50	1:41.40
2:11.90	2:02.00	100m Breast	2:11.90	2:02.00
2:00.00	1:45.00	100m Fly	2:00.00	1:45.00
3:56.50	3:40.20	200m IM	3:56.50	3:40.20

Swim Wales Summer Development Meet 2017 Long Course Qualifying Times				
Boys			Girls	
10 years	11 years	EVENT	10 years	11 years
1:40.30	1:32.60	100m Free	1:40.30	1:32.60
3:32.30	3:19.10	200m Free	3:32.30	3:19.10
1:53.30	1:44.90	100m Back	1:53.30	1:44.90
2:15.20	2:05.10	100m Breast	2:15.20	2:05.10
2:01.20	1:46.00	100m Fly	2:01.20	1:46.00
4:01.70	3:44.80	200m IM	4:01.70	3:44.80

Event Schedule

Event No.	Session 1 Monday 1st August - Afternoon
101	Boys 10/11 Years 100m Butterfly
102	Girls 10/11 Years 100m Butterfly
103	Boys 10/11 Years 100m Freestyle
104	Girls 10/11 Years 100m Freestyle
	Session 2 Tuesday 2nd August - Afternoon
105	Boys 10/11 Years 100m Breaststroke
106	Girls 10/11 Years 100m Breaststroke
107	Boys 10/11 Years 200m Freestyle
108	Girls 10/11 Years 200m Freestyle
	Session 3 Wednesday 3rd August - Afternoon
109	Boys 10/11 Years 100m Backstroke
110	Girls 10/11 Years 100m Backstroke
111	Boys 10/11 Years 200m IM
112	Girls 10/11 Years 200m IM

All event will be heat declared winners.

A draft timetable for the event will be published after close of entries.

Entry Conditions

Meet conditions:

1. All competitors must have equaled or bettered the entry qualifying time in an event designated or licensed by Swim Wales, ASA or SASA. Times must be short or long course and achieved on or after 1st August 2016. Converted, split or relay times will not be accepted.
2. The most current ranking 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 National Administrator may request validation of any stated entry time.

General conditions:

The Swim Wales general meet conditions can be found at: <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

Competition passes

Competition coaches pass*: £35

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Medals and awards

Medals will be awarded to swimmers placed first, second and third in the age groups 10 and 11 years old.

Meet withdrawal process

Swimmers are not required to withdraw from heat events. Lanes will swim empty if swimmer fail to attend marshalling.

Refunds

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). Applications for medical withdrawals must be received before 9am on the 14th of April to qualify for refund.

Refunds will not be processed for withdrawals on non-medical grounds.

Marshalling

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

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

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.

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 events@swimming.org

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

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

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. 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.

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.

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. The full swim Wales photography guidance policy can be found at the enquiries desk or on the Swim Wales website.

Polisi Ffotograffiaeth a Ffilmio Nofio Cymru

Er gwybodaeth, gall lluniau a fideos gael eu tynnu yn y gystadleuaeth yma

Mae Nofio Cymru yn ymwybodol o ddyfeisiau amrywiol gan gynnwys ffonau symudol sy'n gallu tynnu lluniau a ffilmio. Mae hyn yn galluogi tynnu lluniau a delweddau disymud a symudol. Pan maent yn cael eu defnyddio'n gyfrifol, mae'r dyfeisiau o'r fath yn ddiogel iawn, ond gall rhannu lluniau yn llydan ddatgelu gwybodaeth bersonol am y plentyn/plant sy'n gallu achosi perygl o niwed iddynt.

Mae defnyddio offer o'r fath yn anodd ei reoli ond gallem i gyd fod yn wyliadwrus. Os oes gennych unrhyw bryder neu ymholiad ynglŷn â diogelwch, dewch â nhw yn uniongyrchol i'r tîm rheoli digwyddiadau sydd wedi ei leoli ar y ddesg ymholiadau.

Nofio Cymru ddefnyddio lluniau wedi eu tynnu yn y gystadleuaeth fel deunydd hyrwyddo ac ar draws fforymau cyhoeddus gan gynnwys eu gwefan a chyfrifon cyfryngau cymdeithasol, ac o bosib yn y wasg leol neu deledu. Os nad ydych yn caniatáu tynnu lluniau o'ch plentyn/plant, cysylltwch â'r tîm rheoli digwyddiadau ar y safle. I weld polisi ffotograffiaeth lawn Nofio Cymru, ewch i'r ddesg ymholiadau neu i wefan Nofio Cymru.

General Information

Car Park:

The Wales National Pool Swansea has a car park facilities on site. This is managed by the WNPS site staff. The car park facility is limited and events can fill the car park quickly. Please be aware that the car park is busy on event days. Swim Wales advises that drop off's and pick up's are arranged where possible to minimize cars on site.

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.

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 #SWSO17 @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 behaviour 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 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.