



Basingstoke Bluefins Swimming Club

Medley Challenge Meet – 8th September 2013

Competition Conditions

1. The competition shall be conducted in accordance with ASA Laws and Technical Rules of Swimming.
2. **ELIGIBILITY FOR ENTRY**
 - 2.1 **General**
 1. The Competition shall be open to eligible swimmers, as defined by the ASA.
 2. For individual events a swimmer's age shall be determined as at midnight on the day of the Competition.
3. **PROGRAMME OF EVENTS**
 - 3.1 **Individual Events**

50m Butterfly, Backstroke, Breaststroke, Freestyle

Age groups:

Girls: 10/Under, 11 years, 12 years, 13 years, 14 years, 15/Over

Boys: 10/Under, 11 years, 12 years, 13 years, 14 years, 15/Over

All swimmers must enter all 4 events. Entry will be based on submitted times for 200m Individual Medley. Awards will be based on cumulative time for all 4 events.
4. **ENTRIES**
 - 4.1 Only swimmers who have not exceeded the published limit time for 200m Individual Medley on the date of submission of their entry are eligible for this competition. Submitted times shall be based on a 25m pool; all times to be converted by the use of the published ASA Equivalent Performance Tables
 - 4.2 Notwithstanding condition 4.1, in the interests of safety and to ensure the smooth running of the Competition, the Promoter reserves the right to restrict the number of entries, in which case, the swimmers with the fastest submitted times in each age group shall take preference.
5. **CONFIRMATION OF ENTRY**
 - 5.1 Confirmation of entries will be posted on the Basingstoke Bluefins web site, no later than 7 days before the date of competition.
 - 5.2 Swimmers should check their entry confirmation carefully. Any errors found must be notified to the Entries Administrator at least 2 days before the day of the Competition.
 - 5.3 Late entries may be accepted at the discretion of the promoter.
6. **MEET PROCEDURE**
 - 6.1 There shall be separate events for males and females. All ages in each session will swim together.
 - 6.2 A withdrawal system will be in operation. Coaches are requested to submit withdrawal forms for swimmers who are not competing at least 30 minutes before the start of the first event.
 - 6.3 All events shall be seeded from slowest to fastest. The fastest 6 swimmers in each of the 4 age groups will compete in the final 4 heats, spearheaded (this does not apply to any age group where there are 5 or fewer swimmers). The first event for each swimmer will be seeded on the basis of submitted times for 50m butterfly. Subsequent events will be seeded on cumulative time from previous events.
 - 6.4 Any swimmer who is disqualified may compete and record times for subsequent events, but is not

eligible for an award.

7. AWARDS

7.1 Awards will be presented to the first six competitors in each age group based on the cumulative time across all 4 strokes.

8. DISPUTES

8.1 Any dispute related to a matter not covered in these conditions shall be determined by the Promoter.

INFORMATION RELATING TO THE 2013 COMPETITION

Closing date for entries: Tuesday September 3rd 2013

Limit times (200m Ind Medley, Short Course)

	10/Under	Age 11	Age 12	Age 13	Age 14	15/Over
Boys	3:06.50	2:54.50	2:44.10	2:34.20	2:28.50	2:28.50
Girls	3:07.30	2:53.80	2:44.60	2:36.80	2:32.10	2:32.10

If the number of entrants does not exceed 200, all swimmers will compete together in two sessions, with two strokes in each session.

If the number of entrants exceeds 200:

- Ages 10/Under, 12 and 14 will compete in the first session
- Ages 11, 13 and 15/Over will compete in the second session