



2022 Canterbury West Coast Junior Championships

Jellie Park, Christchurch
Short Course

Saturday, 12th - Sunday, 13th March 2022

Session 1: 12th March, warm up 2.30pm start 3.15pm

Duty Clubs: Vikings, Hokitika, Mackenzie

Session 2: 13th March, warm up 9.00am, start 9.45am

Duty Clubs: Jasi, Temuka, Geraldine

Session 3: 13th March,, warm up 2.30pm, start 3.15pm

Duty Clubs: Selwyn, Westport, Greymouth

Technical Advisor **TBC**

This is a Development Meet

COVID 19 PROTECTION FRAMEWORK (TRAFFIC LIGHT SYSTEM)

We will be operating with the New Zealand Government 'My Vaccine Pass'. For all those who are over 12 years and 3 months, the 'my vaccine pass' will provide proof of your vaccine status and allow you to enter the building. This includes all swimmers, officials, volunteers and helpers at the meet. There will be no spectators. Please ensure that you have downloaded your vaccine pass from www.mycovidrecord.nz in preparation for this meet. This will be checked before entering the building. You will be required to accept these terms and conditions of the meet before entering. If you are unable to download this pass then please have a physical copy of the pass. If you are not fully vaccinated and do not have a New Zealand Government exception, you will not be able to take part in this meet. Please note, if you accept the terms and conditions but are not fully vaccinated or you are unable to provide proof of vaccine status then you will not be allowed to enter the building and will not be eligible for a refund.

Face coverings are to be worn into and out of the facility, they are not mandatory to be worn once inside, however we recommended they are worn wherever possible. Physical distancing is not a requirement but encouraged wherever possible.

CONDITIONS OF ENTRY

1. All registered Competitive and Club swimmers 12 years and under are eligible to enter. Para swimmers are eligible to compete at this meet and shall compete under IPC Swimming Rules.
2. Age as at 12th March 2022.
3. There are no qualifying times but all swimmers must have an entry time. Entry times swum in pools other than 25m must be converted using the SNZ conversions.
4. The 200m fly and 400m events are restricted to swimmers aged 12 years. Swimmers may only enter one of the 400m events, ie, if a swimmer enters the 400m IM they may not enter the 400m Free.
5. **All entries must have a time. NT (No Time) will not be accepted for entry**
6. Entry Fees are: Individual Entry \$ 7.00 GST inclusive.
7. Individual entries close at midnight on Wednesday 2nd March 2022. All entries are to be completed ONLINE through the Swimming NZ database. Club entries will be invoiced based on entries processed as at Wednesday, 2nd March 2022.

Each session will have its own file to assist with monitoring capacity numbers and will be named; SCWC Juniors Session 1, SCWC Juniors Session 2, and SCWC Juniors Session 3. You will need to enter each session separately.

8. There will be no refunds of entry fees except as per the scratching rules or at the discretion of the meet organiser.
9. Swimming Canterbury West Coast reserves the right to restrict entries to ensure the timeline is adhered to.
10. Submission of entries constitutes acceptance of these Meet Rules and Conditions.
11. Late entries will be at the Technical Advisor and/or Referees discretion based on lane space availability; late entry fee \$10.00 per event will apply and swimmers will not be eligible for prizes or points, these will be swum as exhibition swims only.
12. Please check names, entries and events are correct on receipt of confirmation. Corrections will only be made to entries where errors have occurred. Final psych sheets will be posted on the website and sent out on the Wednesday prior to the meet.

MEET RULES

General

1. The meet will be conducted under Swimming New Zealand's 'SNZ Regulations & Bye Laws, FINA Rules' except where local meet rules and conditions apply. The meet will be conducted under Swimming New Zealand's SNZ Regulations & By Laws, FINA Rules' except where local meet rules and conditions apply. This includes the SCWC Technical Suit Policy for all competitors 12 years of age and under.
2. If entry numbers for each session exceed the numbers allowed under the Covid-19 Red Light Setting framework the sessions will be split into pods.
3. Events will be swum as timed finals / separate gender / separate age group / seeded slowest to fastest
4. Reseeding may be done at the discretion of the Technical Advisor and/or Referee.
5. Electronic timing (touch pads & button back-up) will be used at this meet with two timekeepers per lane
6. Over the top starts may apply for individual events.
7. Protests shall be lodged as per SNZ Regulation 4 accompanied with the \$100.00 fee.
8. Entry into the pool for backstroke events shall be feet first. No swim back permitted.
9. Please exit the pool at the side. **Do not** swim over the lane ropes.
10. **Please note that although this meet may be running with a restricted number of Officials, as permitted by SNZ Event Policy 007 disqualifications for any serious infringement observed will stand.**

Scratchings / Withdrawals

1. Scratchings for the first session must be submitted by 11/03/22 to admin@swimcanterbury.co.nz
2. For subsequent sessions, scratchings must be submitted no later than 15 minutes after the completion of the session immediately prior to the session in which the scratching is to be effective.
3. Swimmers will be deemed to have withdrawn if they do not report to the Clerk of Course (Marshall) at the appropriate time prior to their event and the withdrawal fee will apply.
4. A \$20.00 fine will apply without excuse to all late or non-scratching from events.

Warm Up

1. As per Swimming Canterbury West Coast warm-up procedure guidelines.
(*Warm-up is the responsibility of the clubs, coaches and swimmers involved. **Officials are not responsible for managing or controlling the warm-up procedures.***)
There will be NO warm down lanes available at this meet.

Marshalling

1. Marshalling will be within the sports hall; exact location to be advised at the start of each session.
2. All swimmers must marshal for their events.
3. Swimmers should be in the marshalling area four (4) races prior to their event for distances of 200m and under and at least two (2) races prior for 400m and above distances.

Age Groups -

Age groups for all 50m, 100m, and 200m events (with the exception of 200m butterfly) will be 10 years and under; 11 years; 12 years.
Age group for 400m events and 200m butterfly is 12 years.

Relays – There will be NO relays

Awards – These will be sent to Clubs after the event

Medals will be awarded to 1st, 2nd & 3rd places in each individual event and in the relay events.

Visitors medals will be awarded where necessary.

Ribbons will be awarded to swimmers placed 4th - 8th in the timed final of all individual events.

Only SCWC registered swimmers will be eligible for regional records and trophies.

Points will be awarded from 1st to 8th place as follows: 18, 14, 12, 10, 8, 6, 4, 2.

Meet Organiser – Events Committee

Officials Convenor – Events Committee

Officials Convenor to advise all those officiating at the meet that they are required to report to the referee at the start of warm-up please. Referees, IOTS & the Chief Timekeeper need to report in plenty of time. Earlier than the start of warm-up is preferable.