



HART SWIMMING CLUB
Promoter's Conditions

Autumn Distance Meet 2019

Licence Level 3 No. 3SE192670 (Under Swim England Laws & Technical Rules)

Emerald Avenue, Fleet, Hampshire GU51 5EE

Saturday 19th/Sunday 20th October 2019

(Closing date for entries is 22nd September 2019)

General conditions

1. This meet is a Level 3 Meet in accordance with the Swim England Open Meet Licensing Guidelines. The meet will be run as "age on 31st December 2019" for swimmers 10 years and over on 31st December 2019.
2. The Competition has been licensed at Level 3 by Swim England (Licence No. 3SE192670).
3. The competition will be run under Swim England Laws & Technical Rules. In the interests of time 'over the top' starts will be used at the discretion of the referee.
4. The pool length at Hart Leisure Centre is 25m, 8 lanes with anti-turbulence lane ropes. The pool depth at the shallow end is 1.0m and at the deep end it is 1.8m. Electronic placing and timing will be in operation. All events will start at the deep end of the pool. A secondary strobe light is available for a lane where a deaf swimmer (S15) is starting.
5. There will be 800 metre freestyle and 1500 metre freestyle events for both girls and boys.
6. Swimmers must be registered with Swim England and their registration details to form part of the entry applications. Entries without the relevant information will be rejected.

Entries

7. Entries will be by Hy-Tek Meet Manager[®] software only and will be accepted on a "**first come first served**" basis. Please note, however, that some events and sessions may become fully subscribed sooner than others. Acceptance into all events applied for cannot therefore be guaranteed. The closing date is **22nd September 2019**. Late entries may be considered. The promoters reserve the right not to accept entries at their discretion. **Please contact meetentries@hartsc.org for further information.**
8. **Cost per event, including ASA Regional levy, is £12.00 for 800m and £15 for 1500m.**
9. Coaches passes are free. There is a maximum of 1 pass per 10 entrants. All passes include entry to the pool; a programme of events and start lists at the start of each session; and a full set of results which we will send to you within 3 days (in Hy-Tek[®] Meet Manager Report format). Only swimmers, officials and those displaying an appropriate pass will be allowed on poolside. All holders of Coach passes must be Swim England registered.
10. There will be no refund of entry fees to swimmers who withdraw from events, unless the withdrawal is for medical reasons and a doctor's note is supplied.
11. **Ages will be as at 31st December 2019.**

12. Entries for this gala will be held on a computer and consent, as required by **GDPR**, to the holding of personal information on computer will be deemed to have been given by submission of entry.
13. Payment for entries and coach passes will be requested after entries close and acceptances have been issued. Payment should be by transfer to our bank account as follows:

Account. Hart Swimming Club
 AC No. 40458309
 Sort Code. 20-16-99
 Ref. Distance **Name of Club.**

Meet programme

14. There will be two sessions each day with approximate timing as follows. Session times will be confirmed after entries have closed.

		Warm-Up	Start	Est. Finish
19th October 2019	Session 1	17:30	18:00	21:00
20th October 2019	Session 2	18:30	18:50	21:30

15. The programme order is as follows:

Session 1		Session 2	
Saturday 19th October		Sunday 20th October	
1	Girls 800m Freestyle	3	Girls 1500m Freestyle
2	Boys 800m Freestyle	4	Boys 1500m Freestyle

16. It is the responsibility of individual club coaches to supervise their own swimmers during the warm-up proceeding each session.
17. All swimmers will compete together, seeded according to entry time. Results will be on a heat declared basis. There will be no finals. All heats of each event will be spearheaded. Medals will be presented for the top 3 places (boys and girls) in each event/individual age group 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16+
18. All entry times must be **no faster** than the Upper Limit times for the Meet (as shown in Appendix 1). The Upper Limit times apply at the time entries are submitted. There is no requirement to withdraw a swimmer if he or she subsequently goes faster than the Upper Limit time.

Any No-Time (NT) entries will only be accepted at the discretion of the promoter.

Any time trials are at the discretion of the promoter.

19. We will be operating a '**Sign-Out**' system. Coaches/Team Managers **must** lodge any withdrawals before the start of the warm-up in each session.
20. Competitors for the first event in each session must report to the marshalling area immediately after each warm-up. For other events, competitors should report when called.

It is the swimmers and their coaches' responsibility that they report to the marshalls on time.

There will be NO announcements calling late swimmers.



21. Personal possessions and articles should not be left unattended. Lockers are available for the use of swimmers at a cost of £1.00, redeemable at the locker.
22. Results will be posted at the meet. All times recorded will be sent to the Swim England Rankings Department within 5 working days of the completion of the competition.

Registration and Poolside access

23. A spectator entry fee of **£3 for each session** will be charged (children 16 or under free).

Hart Leisure Centre has seating for over 250 spectators. There is parking at Hart Leisure Centre but any person parking for more than three hours must register their vehicle on the touch pad screens at reception (free of charge) to avoid parking tickets (£100).
24. There are café facilities at Hart Leisure Centre. **Food is not permitted poolside.** Drinks are allowed poolside though **no cans, glass bottles or hot drinks are permitted on poolside.**
25. The promoter, in conjunction with the Leisure Centre Operator, reserves the right to refuse admission to any person.
26. Any situation not covered by the above conditions will be handled at the discretion of the promoter, who also reserves the right to make changes to the programme of events that may be considered necessary for the smooth running of the competition.

Appendix 1

Qualifying Times

	Upper Limit Times for Boys (short course)						
	10	11	12	13	14	15	16+
800m Freestyle	09:10.00	08:45.00	08:20.00	08:15.00	08:10.00	08:05.00	08:00.00
1500m Freestyle	18:30.00	16:55.00	16:40.00	16:20.00	16:10.00	16:00.00	15:50.00

	Upper Limit Times for Girls (short course)						
	10	11	12	13	14	15	16+
800m Freestyle	09:35.00	09:05.00	08:47.00	08:40.00	08:37.00	08:35.00	08:30.00
1500m Freestyle	17:40.00	17:05.00	16:50.00	16:30.00	16:20.00	16:10.00	16:00.00

All entry times should be submitted as short course (or long course converted) times.

All entry times must be no faster than the stated Upper Limit time.