

Dear Club Secretary,

Enclosed please find entry details for the Leinster Future Challengers Meet 4. (Level Two). There are no consideration times in respect of this meet.

<b>Venue</b>	National Aquatic Centre, Blanchardstown, Dublin 15
<b>Format</b>	SHORT COURSE
<b>Time</b>	Sunday 4 <sup>th</sup> May 2025 <u>Session 1:</u> warm up 8.00am start 9.00am
<b>Fee</b>	€10 per Individual Event; €20 per Relay Team
<b>Payment</b>	<b>Payment by Bank Transfer</b> <b>Name of Account:</b> "Swim Ireland Leinster Region" <b>IBAN:</b> IE59AIBK93251559772204 <b>BIC:</b> AIBKIE2D  When remitting the fees by cheque, please note the club and the name of the gala on the back. If transferring directly, please reference the club and gala on the transfer narrative, and email the treasurer to confirm transfer at <a href="mailto:leinstertreasurer@swimireland.ie">leinstertreasurer@swimireland.ie</a> .
<b>Eligibility</b>	Only swimmers registered with Leinster clubs, aged between 10 and 14 are eligible to enter this gala. Ages are as of December 31 <sup>st</sup> 2025
<b>Entries</b>	Gala Sec, Leinster Swimming. Entries, <b>on Hy-Tek only</b> . Entries should be emailed to <a href="mailto:leinstergalasecretary@swimireland.ie">leinstergalasecretary@swimireland.ie</a>
<b>Entries by:</b>	<b>Wednesday 23<sup>rd</sup> April 2025</b>
<b>Officials</b>	Clubs must provide officials in a ratio of one official to every four swimmers for each Session (this includes the senior gala officials).
<b>Scratches</b>	Scratches for this gala will close at <b>5pm</b> on the evening before the gala; that is <b>5pm</b> on Saturday May 3 <sup>rd</sup> . Scratches to be sent via email to <a href="mailto:leinstergalasecretary@swimireland.ie">leinstergalasecretary@swimireland.ie</a>
<b>Session Start Times</b>	The Start Times of sessions as indicated in the Order of Events may be changed in the light of entries received and the logistics of running the Meet within Swim Ireland regulations relating to Session duration etc.
<b>Entry Conditions</b>	Please note that swimmers who have competed at the Leinster Aspiring Champions Meet on March 8 <sup>th</sup> / 9 <sup>th</sup> are <b>not</b> permitted to swim at this gala.
<b>Entry Limits</b>	Swimmers may enter a maximum of <b>Three</b> individual events at this Meet. Swimmers are limited to <b>one distance per stroke</b>

<b>Entry Considerations</b>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Swimmers should be able to complete the race distance with the given stroke/s and have proven this in at least one meet prior to entry;</li> <li>2. Swimmers should be capable of executing the stroke/s legally;</li> <li>3. Swimmers should be capable of executing legal turns and good streamlining;</li> <li>4. Swimmers should only enter events on the recommendation of their coach</li> </ol>
<b>Events</b>	This round of the Future Challengers series will offer I.M., Backstroke and Butterfly event as individual events. Round 4 (on Sunday May 4 <sup>th</sup> ) will offer I.M., Freestyle and Breaststroke events.
<b>Relays</b>	<p>Mixed 4 x 25m Freestyle Team Relay events will be organised. Relay teams will be accommodated in two age-groups, as follows:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. 10-12yrs</li> <li>2. 13-14yrs</li> </ol>
<b>Swimming Up</b>	Swimming up is permitted in the 13-14 yr relay events; with a maximum of two "swimming up" swimmers per team.
<b>Swim Ireland Reg. Number</b>	A Swim Ireland registration number must be included with every entry. This number is the unique identifier of every swimmer in the national database.
<b>Entry Name Protocols</b>	<p>The results from this Championship Meet will be added to the Swim Ireland and Leinster databases. To ensure that results get attributed correctly to swimmers, please ensure the format of names within your Team Manager (or similar) database, and provided with entries, is as follows:</p> <p>All those with a Mac/Mc surname need to have a space after the Mac/Mc (e.g. Mac Dougal, Mc Donnell);</p> <p>All those with an O need to be written as e.g. O'Donnell (no space before or after the apostrophe). This is irrespective of whether or not that is how the swimmer normally writes their name.</p>
<b>Code of Conduct</b>	It is a pre-condition to a swimmer being entered for a Leinster Region gala that all parents / guardians who attend and/or assume officiating duties (timekeeping etc) have consented to be subject to the SI Code of Conduct.
<b>Data Protection</b>	Leinster Region, Swim Ireland uses a computer database to manage entries and results of swimming meets, and also to manage competition records of swimmers. By submitting and accepting entries to the meet consent is hereby given, as required by the Data Protection Act, to the holding of personal information on Leinster Region computer databases. Personal data held for each swimmer will be name, date of birth, club, Swim Ireland registration number, entry times, achieved times and DQ codes. Certain elements of this data (name, club, age, times, achieved times) may be made public prior to, during or after the meet (e.g. programmes, results, Meet Mobile, etc).

### Leinster Region of Swim Ireland – Regional Committee:

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### ORDER OF EVENTS

**SUNDAY May 4<sup>th</sup> 2025**

**Session 1 – warm up 8.00am, start 9.00am**

#### Event #

1	Girls	10-14	100m	Individual Medley
2	Open	10-14	100m	Individual Medley
3	Girls	11-14	200m	Individual Medley
4	Open	11-14	200m	Individual Medley
5	Girls	10-14	50m	Freestyle
6	Open	10-14	50m	Freestyle
7	Girls	11-14	100m	Freestyle
8	Open	11-14	100m	Freestyle
9	Girls	12-14	200m	Freestyle
10	Open	12-14	200m	Freestyle
11	Girls	10-14	50m	Breaststroke
12	Open	10-14	50m	Breaststroke
13	Girls	12-14	100m	Breaststroke
14	Open	12-14	100m	Breaststroke
15	Mixed	10-12	4 x 25m	Medley Relay
16	Mixed	13-14	4 x 25m	Medley Relay

A reminder that swimmers can select only one distance per stroke; i.e. either the 100m or the 200m I.M., one out of the 50m, 100m and 200m backstroke, and one out of the 50m and 100m Butterfly. For the Mixed relays, swimming up is permitted in the 13-14 yr relay events with a maximum of 2 swimmers swimming up per team.