



Leinster Senior Schools Championships 2024/2025 Meet Information

Date	Sunday FEB 02, 2025
Start time	Warm up and session times to be published when entries are finalised.
Venue	National Aquatic Centre, Blanchardstown, Dublin 15
Events	<p>INDIVIDUAL EVENTS Swimmers may enter a maximum of TWO of the following events:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 100m Backstroke, • 100m Breaststroke, • 100m Butterfly, • 100m Freestyle • 200m IM <p>In addition to the 2 events above swimmers <u>who meet the qualifying time</u> may also enter the 400m Freestyle .(Heats of the 400 Free will be limited in the event of the meet being oversubscribed)</p> <p>Relays – Junior, Inter and Senior In 4x50m Freestyle and 4x50m Medley for Open, Female and MIXED</p> <p>A max of two swimmers may swim up for a Relay with at least two swimmers must swim in the correct age for the relay to be accepted. Individuals can be part of a max of 2 relay events. Mixed relays must comprise 2 open and 2 female swimmers. There is no limit to the number of teams a school can enter for relays.</p> <p>Relays can score in either the Open / Female or Mixed – ie, a mixed school can have a girls and boys team score OR they can score for the mixed teams BUT not both.</p>
Age Groups	<p>For Schools Swimming the swimmers age is their age on 31st August 2025 and ages are automatically calculated by the software used to run the competition.</p> <p>Junior: age 13-14; born between 01/09/2010 and 31/08/2012 Inter: age 15-16; born between 01/09/2008 and 31/08/2010 Senior: age 17-19; born between 01/09/2005 and 31/08/2008</p>
Closing Date	17 th January 2025
Entry Fee	€9 per individual event, €20 per relay event

Entries	<p>Swimmers who are current Swim Ireland Club members should enter through their club gala secretary.</p> <p>Gala secretaries are asked to send the club Hytec file along with a spreadsheet which details the swimmer's school. Clubs database systems can export the entries to a file for adding school names)</p> <p>Payment will be collected from clubs for these swimmers for their individuals event entries</p> <p>School swimmers who are <u>not</u> current Swim Ireland club members should enter using the JotForm link. Enter the necessary details and payment via stripe link. (a stripe charge will apply to these payments)</p> <p>Link to Entry Form: https://form.jotform.com/233541697807365</p> <p>RELAY ENTRIES - should be entered by the school or 1 representative from the relay team on the jotform link.</p> <p>All enquiries regarding entry should be emailed to Caroline – carolinebentley@swimireland.ie</p>
Awards	<p>Medals will be awarded for 1st, 2nd and 3rd in each age group on a Heat Declared Winner basis (HDW) in all events (age groups are Junior / Inter / Senior)</p> <p>Perpetual trophies will be awarded to the School in each category scoring the highest points. Categories are Junior, Intermediate and Senior for both Open and Female</p> <p>Points are awarded to top 10 placings in each event for calculating scores.</p>
Timing	Electronic timing and Hytek Meet manager software will be used
Withdrawals	Any withdrawals should be made by Friday 6pm 3 rd Feb by email to carolinebentley@swimireland.ie
Facilities	Parking and catering will be available at the venue
Enquiries	All enquires by email only to carolinebentley@swimireland.ie
Volunteers	Volunteers are required to work as timing officials and competition stewards to ensure the smooth running of the event. Please email your availability with Schools Volunteer as the subject line please to carolinebentley@swimireland.ie
Seeding	Events will run with each of the age groups individually, a- junior, b- inter, c- senior , and within each age seeded by entry time.
Qualifications	<p>All swimmers competing at this event must have met the minimum qualification standard. This should be from an official Swim Ireland event or validated by a PE teacher / Swim coach where swimmers have not competed at an official event.</p> <p>Entry times will be checked on the National database / validated with Swim Coach.</p>
Leinster Schools Interprovincial Squad Selection	<p>The results at Leinster Senior Schools championships combined with best times from the National Database, athletes are selected to represent the Leinster Region at the Irish Schools Interprovincial championships.</p> <p>Athletes placing 1st in their individual events in the 100 meter events in their age group are automatically selected and athletes ranking 1st overall in the 400M freestyle event are automatically selected. The remaining places are selected from the top ranking athletes on the National Database in SCM from 1st Sept 2024 to 1st Feb 2025.</p> <p>To be selected for this event, swimmers must have entered & competed in individual events at the 2024-25 Leinster Schools Senior Championships. There will be no exceptions.</p>

<p>Swim Ireland Transgender and Non-Binary Competition Policy.</p>	<p><i>In accordance with the Swim Ireland Transgender and Non-Binary Competition Policy, the categories for competitive swimming are now defined as follows:</i></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. <i>Female – athletes with a birth sex of female</i> 2. <i>Open – athletes with a birth sex of male, trans or non-binary competitors and any competitor not eligible for the Female category</i> <p><i>The documentation for this competition has been prepared to reflect this policy.</i></p>
<p>DATA PROTECTION</p>	<p>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/school, 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)</p>

Order of Events and Qualification Times

SESSION 1 Warm up 8:00am, Session start 9.30am

Event No	Event	QT Junior Age 13/14	QT Intermediate	QT Senior
1	Girls 100m Backstroke	1:24	1:23	1:22
2	Boys 100m Backstroke	1:21	1:19	1:18
3	Girls 100m Breaststroke	1:34	1:33	1:32
4	Boys 100m Breaststroke	1:32	1:25	1:24
5	Girls 400m Freestyle	5:33	5:33	5:33
6	Boys 400m Freestyle	5:13	5:13	5:13

SESSION 2 Warm up 1pm, Session start 2pm

Event No	Event	QT Junior	QT Intermediate	QT Senior
7	Girls 100m Butterfly	1:28	1:26	1:24
8	Boys 100m Butterfly	1:28	1:18	1:16
9	Girls 100m Freestyle	1:13	1:12	1:12
10	Boys 100m Freestyle	1:10	1:05	1:04
11	Girls 200m IM	3:04	2:58	2:56
12	Boys 200m IM	2:58	2:48	2:46
13	Girls 4x50m MTR	N/A	N/A	N/A
14	Boys 4x50m MTR	N/A	N/A	N/A
15	Mixed 4x50 MTR	N/A	N/A	N/A
16	Girls 4x50m FTR	N/A	N/A	N/A
17	Boys 4x50m FTR	N/A	N/A	N/A
18	Mixed 4x50 FTR	N/A	N/A	N/A

Session times subject to change dependant on entries and will be notified to all participants

Swimmers entry times will be verified on the National Database or with their school if necessary