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Saturday 29th January, 2022

Upcoming Swim Meets

There are a number of upcoming swim meets that will keep our swimmers busy training and competing over the coming months.

Speedo Sprint Series – Sunday 13th February

The Speedo Sprint Series caters for girls and boys aged between 8-13 years in 50m Freestyle, Breaststroke, Backstroke and Butterfly events and is a great way to have fun and learn new skills in a friendly environment.

The meet will be held at SOPAC. **Entries close Thursday 3rd February.**

We encourage all of our club swimmers in the 8-13 year age groups to enter the meet and we look forward to having a large team at SOPAC for the meet.

Merrylands SwimFest – Saturday 19th February

This our club's major meet for the season and will be held at Merrylands Swimming Centre. **Entries are open online and close on Saturday, 5th February.** This is our club's major carnival so it is expected that all club swimmers will attend the meet.

We will of course require the assistance of all of our swimmers parents & carers, so please see Graham to confirm you are available to assist on the day.

Metro South West Area Championships Saturday 26th February & Sunday 27th February

This is our areas major championship meet and will be held at SOPAC. **Entries close Wednesday 16th February.**

Information about all of these and more meets is available on the club website. For more information visit <https://merrylandsasc.asn.au/swimmeets/upcoming.aspx>

COVID-19 Safety Protocols

Information & Conditions for Attendees are regularly updated and the latest information can be found at <https://merrylandsasc.asn.au/clubraces/entryconditions.aspx>

With COVID-19 currently being active in our local community it is important that everyone take steps to reduce the risk of transmission and remain up to date on the conditions of entry.

We have a number of club championships still to be held this season and interruptions to individual swimmers plans may occur. The ability to swim eligibility swims for championship events may be affected so we strongly recommend that swimmers plan and undertake their eligibility swims as early in the season as possible, rather than leaving these swims to the last week available before the Championship event is to be swum.

A reminder that a failure by a swimmer to swim an eligibility swim will preclude their participation in that Championship.

Championship Results – 22nd January 2022

50m Butterfly

Age Group	1 st	2 nd	3 rd
Girls 9 years	Ruby Shrestha		
Girls 10 years	Aisha Abdelraheem		
Girls 11 years	Lisa Shrestha		
Boys 11 years	Unish Shrestha	Joab Hada	
Girls 13 years	Summer Shrestha	Niushka Shrestha	Ameena Adbelraheem
Womens 15 years	Keira Somarchand		
Womens 16 years	Laura-Belle Casey	Darla Assi	Vanessa Ozols
Womens 17 years & Over	Katie Hope		
Mens 17 years & Over	Peter Johnston		
Mens 35 years & over	Ian Wilson		

25m Butterfly

Mixed	1 st	2 nd	3 rd
	Jay Shrestha	Gabriella Assi	

Upcoming Championship & Meet Calendar

MEET NAME	MEET DATE	ENTRY CLOSING
MASC 50m, 25m & 200m (Open) Breaststroke Championships	Saturday 29 th January	Closed
MASC 400m Freestyle Championship	Saturday 29 th January	Closed
MASC 50m, 25m & 200m (Open) Freestyle Championships	Saturday 5 th February	Thursday 3 rd February
MASC 50m, 25m & 200m (Open) Backstroke Championships	Saturday 12 th February	Thursday 10 th February
MASC 200m Individual Medley Championships	Saturday 12 th February	Thursday 10 th February
Speedo Sprint Series - Heats	Sunday 13 th February	Thursday 3 rd February
MASC SwimFest	Saturday 19 th February	Saturday 5 th February
MSW Area LC Championships	Saturday 26 th February Sunday 27 th February	Wednesday 16 th February
NSW State Open Championships	Friday 4 th March Sunday 6 th March	Tuesday 22 nd February
MASC 800m (Open) Freestyle Championship	Saturday 12 th March	Thursday 10 th March
Speedo Sprint Series - Finals	Saturday 12 th March	Qualify via Heats
NSW Senior Metropolitan Championships	Saturday 19 th March Sunday 20 th March	TBA
MASC 1500m (Open) Freestyle Championship	Saturday 26 th March	Thursday 24 th March
NSW Junior State Age Championships	Saturday 26 th March Sunday 27 th March	Tuesday 15 th March
MSW 5 – 8 Meet	Saturday 2 nd April	TBA
Australian Masters Championships	Wednesday 20 th April Saturday 23 rd April	Friday 8 th April
Australian Masters Open Water Championships	Sunday 24 th April	Friday 8 th April

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