



Merrylands Amateur Swimming Club Inc.

WHALES TALES

Saturday 8th February, 2020

Speedo Sprint Series – Metro South West Heats

Our team of 19 swimmers achieved outstanding results at the Speedo Sprint Series heats last Saturday. Our team swam 48 new personal best times, with 4 swimmers achieving finalist placings and 2 new Metropolitan qualifying times. Congratulations to everyone who competed and to our great coaches who prepared the team. The weather and swimming performances were HOT HOT HOT!



Our team & coaches



Our finalists Daniel, Matthew, Joseph & Unish

Merrylands SwimFest & Masters Meets – Saturday 22nd February, 2020

Entries for the Merrylands SwimFest close TODAY at 5.00pm. Merrylands members receive a discount on race entry costs. Enter using the "Entries for Merrylands Members" button at <https://www.merrylandsasc.asn.au/swimfest/onlineentries.aspx>

Our Masters Meet is open to all swimmers 18yrs & Over. You don't need to be a member of Masters Swimming to enter, so if you would like to try a 50 metre race, give it a go! **Entries for the Masters Meet close on Friday 14th February, 2020 at 12.00pm** on the Masters Swimming NSW online entry system <https://eventdesq.sportstg.com/index.cfm?fuseaction=main&EventDesqID=33667&OrgID=3522>

Need a financial incentive to enter? Merrylands members will also receive a discount on race entry costs (\$18 instead of \$23). You will need a Pin Code to obtain the discounted entry and this will be emailed to you or you can obtain it from the Race Secretary (Alison Johnston).

Relay Competition

There are 4 more rounds of the relay competition left and teams can change their entry time this morning. If your team wants to change their entry time please see the Race Secretary (Alison) before the relay is swum this morning.

Trophy Return

It is now time to start returning any perpetual trophy's you have from last season. Please return these on a Saturday morning to the club room.

Club Uniform

For all club uniform orders visit the online shop <https://shop.merrylandsasc.asn.au/club-uniforms>. If you have any questions about club uniform items please see the Property Officer (Margaret Edwards).

Club AGM & Annual Presentation

The dates for the Club AGM & Annual Presentation have been set. They are:

Club AGM – Monday 25th May, 2020 in the Club Room

Annual Presentation – Saturday 30th May, 2020 at Club Merrylands

This is the first year that we are holding the Club AGM prior to the Annual Presentation and this will allow us to present Life Membership, if awarded at the AGM, as well as thanking the outgoing committee members and introducing the incoming committee members at the Annual Presentation.

Upcoming Events

MEET NAME	MEET DATE	ONLINE ENTRY CLOSING
MASC 50metre Freestyle 25metre & 200metre (Open)	Saturday 8 th February	Closed
MASC 200metre IM (Senior)	Saturday 15 th February	Thursday 13 th February
MSW Junior Area C/Ships	Saturday 15 th February & Sunday 16 th February	Closed
MASC 400metre Freestyle (Open)	Saturday 22 nd February	Thursday 20 th February
Merrylands Masters Meet	Saturday 22 nd February	Friday 14 th February
Merrylands SwimFest	Saturday 22 nd February	Saturday 8 th February
MASC 50metre Backstroke 25metre & 200metre (Open)	Saturday 29 th February	Thursday 27 th February
NSW Speedo Sprint Series Finals	Saturday 29 th February	N/A
MASC 200metre Freestyle (Senior)	Saturday 7 th March	Thursday 5 th March
SNSW Junior Metropolitan C/Ships	Saturday 7 th March & Sunday 8 th March	
SNSW State Open C/Ships	Friday 13 th March & Sunday 15 th March	
Whales Challenge # 3	Saturday 14 th March	Thursday 12 th March
MASC 1500metre Freestyle (Open)	Saturday 21 st March	Thursday 19 th March
MSW Sprint Meet	Saturday 21 st March	
MASC 400metre Freestyle (Senior))	Saturday 28 th March	Thursday 26 th March
End of season Breakfast	Saturday 28 th March	
SNSW Junior State C/Ships	Saturday 28 th March & Sunday 29 th March	
Club AGM	Monday 25 th May	
Annual Presentation	Saturday 30 th May	

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