

FAIRFIELD

SWIMMING CLUB



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Presents:

2022 Fairfield Festival MEET revised

At Fairfield College Pool, Bankwood Road, Hamilton
This is a SHORT COURSE (25m) Event

SATURDAY 5 MARCH 2022

SESSION 1:

Session 1A 13&O Warm up 7.30am, Race 8.15am

Session 1B 12 &U Warm up 10.00am, Race 10.30am

Session 2 starts 45 minutes after session 1 finishes:

Session 2A 13 &O Warm up 1.00pm, Race 1.30pm

Session 2B 12&U Warm up 3.15pm, Race 3.45pm

Times to be revised after the entries are closed and communicated to the clubs and swimmers.

Meet Rationale: Our development meet offers a fantastic opportunity for competitive swimmers to gain qualifying times for NAGS, DIV 2 or any Regional / Zonal Meets. For the juniors is a fantastic preparation for Waikato Junior Swimming Championship. Overall, a great chance to race in a welcoming and fun environment.

COVID ALERT LEVELS: This event will only run if we meet the guidelines as set out in the **Covid-19 Protection Framework (Traffic Light System)** Refunds will be provided if cancelled due to Covid.

All officials and swimmers over 12years and 3 months are required to be fully vaccinated and present a valid vaccine pass when enters the facility.

[Swimming-NZ-COVID-19-Vaccination-Policy-Events-Approved.pdf \(swimmingwaikato.co.nz\)](https://www.swimmingwaikato.co.nz/swimming-nz-covid-19-vaccination-policy-events-approved.pdf)

All our sessions will run with a maximum number of 100 people per session. Everyone must leave the pool as soon as they finish their program. No spectators allowed. Fairfield Swim Club has the rights to change parts of the meet if need it. All of the changes will be emailed.

This a paperless meet—the final programme will be available on the Swimming Waikato website.

**\$8.50
per race**

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MEET EVENTS

**Session 1A 13&O, warmup
7.30am, racing starts at 8.15 am**

Event	Stroke
1	200m Freestyle
2	50m Butterfly
3	100m Backstroke
4	200m Breaststroke
5	50m Freestyle
6	200m Individual Medley
7	50m Breaststroke
8	100m Butterfly

**Session 1B 12&U, warmup
10.00am, racing starts at 10.30
am**

Event	Stroke
1A	200m Freestyle
2A	50m Butterfly
3A	100m Backstroke
4A*	200m Breaststroke
5A*	200m Backstroke
6A	200m Individual Medley
7A	50m Freestyle
Only 1	Event can be entered
From	Events 4A or 5A

**Sessions 2A 13&O, warmup
1.00pm, racing starts 1.30pm**

Event	Stroke
9*	400m Freestyle
10*	400m Individual Medley
11	100m Individual Medley
12	200m Butterfly
13	200m Backstroke
14	100m Breaststroke
15	50m Backstroke
16	100m Freestyle

**Sessions 2B 12&U, warmup
3.15pm, racing starts 3.45pm**

Event	Stroke
8A	400m Freestyle
9A	100m Individual Medley
10A	50m Breaststroke
11A	100m Breaststroke
12A	50m Backstroke
13A	100m Freestyle
14A	100m Butterfly

***Any swimmer 13&O who wishes to swim 400m Free or 400m IM may only swim one of the two events.**

Any swimmer 12 &U who wishes to swim 200m Breaststroke or 200m Backstroke may only swim one of the two events.



CONDITIONS OF ENTRY

This meet is open to **ALL CLUB AND COMPETITIVE SWIMMERS** who are registered in the SNZ database and are financial as at the date of the meet. The meet will be conducted under SNZ Regulations except where local meet rules and conditions apply.

Age as at 5th of March 2022. No qualifying times for this meet. Entry times Short Course.

Times may be converted from long course. All events will be swum as mixed gender.

All events are **TIMED FINALS**. No times (NT) will not be accepted.

Recorders must send through club times by Monday, 28/02/22.

Only one Event for 13 & O can be entered from Events 9 or 10 , 400m Freestyle or 400 IM, not both.

Only one event for 12&U can be entered from 200m Breaststroke or 200m Backstroke, not both.

In order to compete in the Afternoon Sessions (2A or 2B) you will need to be enrolled for the Morning Session. As per latest regulations we have to keep the same swimmers in both sessions

Ken Nixon Trophy will be awarded to the fastest 200m free of Fairfield Swim Club swimmer only.

Ribbons will be awarded to the first three swimmers in every heat and mailed to the clubs.

Technical director reserves the right to restrict event numbers if entries exceed the nominated timeframe.

Entry Process: Entries to be submitted via Fastlane, SNZ National Database.

Entry Fees: Individual race entry : \$8.50 GST inclusive.

Entry Opens: 8.00am, 2nd of February 2022.

Entries Closes: 11.59pm, Sunday the 27th of February 2022

Payment of Fees: Online via Fastlane, Swimming New Zealand database.

No late entries will be admitted once the entries are closed.

Entries for 12&U (AM session 1B, PM session 2B) and 13&O (AM session 1A, PM session 1B) are closing once we reach the maximum number of 100 people for 13&O and maximum number of 100 people for 12&U. This includes any volunteers, officials, Time keepers, Team managers and coaches. If the group ages numbers are less or more then 100, we may split some of the swimmers into the other group. The same bubble of swimmers will be kept for both sessions and group ages. A swimmer is not allowed to enter into PM session only, if there are any entries for PM session only the swimmer is not permitted to enter the venue and to race. The time keepers and team managers for the 13&O must not attend to the 12&U session.

All queries to Ana Copocean at fairfieldentries@gmail.com

There will be no refunds on entry fees except as per the scratching rules.

Submission of entries constitutes acceptance of these meet rules & conditions.

Para swimmers are eligible to compete at this meet and shall compete under IPC Swimming Rules. Para swimmers must present their classification card to our Technical Director prior to the commencement of the meet.



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Psych sheets will be circulated once entries have been closed. Competitors are responsible for checking names, entries and events are correct on receipt of information and advising Fairfield Swim Club Recorder of any errors by 8pm, Tuesday 1st of March 2022. Corrections will only be made to entries where errors have occurred. Final psych sheets will be posted on the website and sent out Wednesday, 3 March 2022.

This is a paperless meet. The meet programme, along with a timeline (guide only) will be available on the Swimming Waikato website on the evening of Wednesday 4 March 2022 and forwarded to the club recorders and competitors by email.

Participants who have entered this meet agree to allow photograph, video, multimedia or film likeness taken by accredited photographers approved by Swimming Waikato, a club affiliated to Swimming Waikato or local media.

General:

The meet will be conducted under Swimming New Zealand's (SNZ) regulations and bylaws, FINA rules' except where local meet rules and conditions apply.

All participants must agree to comply with the sports anti-doping rules.

Protests must be submitted to the Technical Director within 30 minutes following the conclusion of the respective event.

The protest fee is a \$100.00 payable upon submission of the correctly completed protest form.

Over the top starts will apply for all events.

Entry into the pool for the backstroke events shall be feet first. No swim back permitted.

Please exit the pool at the side. Do not swim over the lane ropes.

Disqualifications will be announced and a copy of it will be available at the announcer's desk.

Reseeding may be done at the discretion of the technical director.

Swimmers with strapping must provide documentation from a relevant registered health practitioner or physiotherapist and be reviewed by the technical director prior to swimming. Any swimmers without documentation will not be permitted to swim.



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Timing: Manual timing 2 timekeepers maximum per lane will be used at this meet.

The clubs will be given the time keeper allocation, but we will consider any volunteers.

Each club/team is allowed 2 coaches / managers per session (only two club staff in the pool area at any time.

No spectators allowed. Keep the distance between clubs, no interactions between different clubs swimmers, everyone is required to wear a mask at all times. Same bubble AM or PM session.

Expected starting times for sessions:

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The starting times will be revised, the exit and entry procedure will be announced once we know the final numbers. The swimmers must leave as soon as possible after they finished their races.

Scratchings / Withdrawals:

Refunds will only be made if a medical certificate is provided to the meet recorder. All refunds are at the discretion of the technical director. No refunds for any withdrawals before or during the meet without a medical certificate.

Swimmers will be deemed to have withdrawn if they do not report to the clerk of course (Marshall) at the appropriate time prior to their event.

During the Meet:

Please, take care to ensure the health and safety of yourself and others. Floor surfaces may be slippery when wet. No running. Ensure any young children are aware of these hazards. Advise the Referee or pool staff if you observe a potential hazard. Please familiarize yourself with the pool layout, exits and equipment. Please leave the pool in a tidy state by properly disposing of all litter.

Thank you!

From FFD Team!