

Updated June 8, 2022 – Event
Program Changes

JUNE 17 - 19, 2022



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ONTARIO FESTIVAL CHAMPIONSHIPS ETOBICOKE OLYMPIUM

MEET PACKAGE

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Based on the ever-evolving public health crisis, Swim Ontario does reserve the right to cancel the Ontario Summer Festivals at any point should it be determined to be unsafe to proceed or at the request of Toronto Public Health, the Province of Ontario and/or any government agency that carries jurisdiction over matters of health and/or public safety. A review of the public health situation and how it relates to the ability to provide a safe environment for all participants will be undertaken on June 7, 2022

GENERAL INFORMATION

- Sanctioned by Swim Ontario
- Hosted by Etobicoke Swim Club
- **Meet Format:** Long Course – Time Finals
- Etobicoke Olympium - 590 Rathburn Rd, Etobicoke, ON M9C 3T3
- **Facility:** 8 lane 50m competition pool - Swiss Timing electronic timing system.
- **Dates:** June 17-19, 2022
- **Meet package:** The only meet package that is considered valid is the most current one located at www.swimming.ca

PARTICIPANT SAFETY

Swimming Canada and Swim Ontario believes that athletes, coaches, officials, support staff and volunteers have the right to participate in a safe and inclusive sport environment that is free of abuse, harassment and discrimination. For additional resources click [HERE](#).

- Only participating swimmers, officials, certified registered coaches, and authorized people are allowed on the deck.
- NO OTHER PERSON IS PERMITTED on the deck unless expressly authorized by Swim Ontario.
- Spectators will be permitted at the discretion of the facility.

COVID-19 SAFETY

- Swim Ontario and host Etobicoke Swim Club will follow all facility & health regulations and/or Ontario provincial orders. Participants (swimmers, coaches, officials and support staff) are reminded that they are bound by the Acknowledgment & Assumption of Risk and COVID Attestation executed as part of their registration.
- **Individuals are responsible to ensure all facility rules and requirements are followed.**
- Participants must conduct a [COVID self-assessment](#) and not enter the facility if any symptoms are present.
- Spectators will be permitted based on current Ontario regulations and may be limited. All facility rules must be followed.
- **All participants (swimmers, coaches, officials, etc.) and spectators are to feel safe and welcome to wear a mask and physical distance when in the facility and on deck should they so choose.**
- **Mask wearing remains a best practice in reducing the spread of COVID-19.**

ROWAN'S LAW – CONCUSSION MANAGEMENT

Parents, coaches, officials, volunteers and swimmers all have a role to play in ensuring the safety of all participants at sanctioned competitions in Ontario. We must create an environment that encourages and motivates participants to assume responsibility for their own safety and the safety of others. Any injury/incident resulting in a significant impact to the head, face, neck or body of any registered

participant at any Swim Ontario member sanctioned event where concussion symptoms are present must be reported to the Chief Operating Officer of Swim Ontario within 24 hours using the Swim Ontario Injury reporting form. The [Swim Ontario Concussion Management Procedure](#) is in effect at this competition. It outlines the Swim Ontario Removal-from-Sport and Return-to-Sport protocols. Rowan's Law - <https://www.ontario.ca/page/rowans-law-concussion-safety>

OPEN AND OBSERVABLE ENVIRONMENT

Swimming Canada and Swim Ontario are dedicated to providing a safe and inclusive environment, which involves promoting Open and Observable Environments. This means avoiding situations where a coach/official/staff member, etc. might be alone with an athlete. All interactions between an athlete and an individual who is in a position of trust must be in an environment or space that is both 'open' and 'observable' to others.

EVENT PHOTOGRAPHY/VIDEOGRAPHY

In order to minimize risk, all photographs and video taken at Swimming Canada/Swim Ontario sanctioned competitions, whether taken by a professional photographer or videographer, spectator, team support staff or any other participant, must observe generally accepted standards of decency. Under no circumstances are cameras or other recording devices allowed in the area immediately behind the starting blocks during practice or competition starts, or in locker rooms, bathrooms, or any other dressing area. For full details click [HERE](#)

PROCEDURE

- Only individuals that have made application and received authorization to record the event, in any manner, in any medium or context now known or hereafter developed, shall be granted access and permission to do so. Please contact Swim Ontario for application and authorization (nicole@swimontario.com).
- Entry into this competition is at the sole discretion of Swim Ontario and can be withdrawn, with immediate effect, by Swim Ontario. Individuals agree to be filmed, televised, photographed, identified and otherwise recorded during the Swim Ontario designated competition under the conditions and for the purposes now and hereafter authorized by Swim Ontario in relations to the promotion of Swimming Canada and Swim Ontario and the development of the sport of swimming.
- By accepting to attend you agree that all photographs and moving images taken by yourself within any Swimming Canada or Swim Ontario designated event including those of athletes competing shall be used solely for personal and non-commercial purposes, unless the prior written consent is obtained from Swimming Canada or Swim Ontario. The individual confirms that they fulfill the qualifications required by Swim Ontario and also agrees to information about themselves being collected by Swim Ontario and the Organizing Committee and such data being stored and used by them, and, where necessary, third parties, for the purposes of facilitating their participation in, and/or organizing the Swim Ontario Designated Competition.

ORGANIZING COMMITTEE

- **Meet Manager:** Janet Morrison (k.n.ken@gmail.com)
- **Safety Coordinator:** Janet Morrison
- **Competition Coordinator:** Bud Seawright
- **Officials Coordinator:** Romeo Marra (mm@eswim.ca)
 - **Officials can sign up [HERE](#)**
- **Entries Coordinator:** Nicole Parent – meetentries@swimontario.com

MEET INQUIRIES:

All inquiries are to be directed to meetentries@swimontario.com

Meet Information Page: <https://www.swimontario.com/athletes/competitions/summer-festivals>

ENTRY INFORMATION

ELIGIBILITY

All athletes must be registered as Competitive swimmers with Swimming Canada. A valid Swimming Canada registration number is required for all swimmers, and entries without a registration number will be declined. **All swimmers must be registered with a Swim Ontario affiliated club. Out-of-province swimmers are not eligible to attend.**

- A competitor's age is their age as of June 17, 2022
- **A competitor is permitted to attend either the 2022 Ontario Summer Festival Championship or the 2022 Ontario Summer Youth-Junior Championship but not both.**
- Relay-only swimmers will not be permitted at either the 2022 Ontario Summer Festival Championship or the 2022 Ontario Summer Youth-Junior Championship.

PARA SWIMMERS

- Para-swimmers must have a **current Level 1** or higher classification with Swimming Canada
- Para-swimmers must be 13 & Under and are subject to ineligibility for de-qualifying.
 - De-qualifying: A para-swimmer with 3 or more provincial para standard is not eligible to attend Festivals.

ENTRY FEES & PAYMENT

- **Swimmer Fee:** \$85 + HST (\$96.05)
- **Relays:** \$20 + HST (\$22.60)
- Entry Fees must be paid prior to arrival or at team registration
- Payment methods:
 - **Etransfer:** etransfers@swimontario.com – indicate 2022 FESTIVALS and Club Code
 - **Credit Card (only prior to arrival):** contact - Clubs wishing to pay by credit card should contact nicole@swimontario.com for payment instructions.
 - **Cheque: Payable to Swim Ontario**
 - NO CASH PAYMENT ACCEPTED

ENTRY PROCESS & DEADLINE

- **Entry Deadline: Tuesday, June 7, 2022 – revised June 10, 2022**
- **Qualifying Period:** September 1, 2019 – June 5, 2022
- **Qualifying Standards:** [2022 Swim Ontario Festival “C” Standards – PDF view](#)
- All swimmers must achieve at least 1 (one) **2022 Swim Ontario Festival “C” Standard**
- In the **13&U category**, swimmers must qualify for the 100m backstroke, breaststroke or butterfly to be considered qualified for the corresponding 50m events.
- The **10&Under 100 IM** is considered a qualifying event. Contact meetentries@swimontario.com with proof of time prior to the entry deadline to declare the swimmer eligible.
- All entries received shall be UNCONVERTED. No converted times will be accepted. Yards times will not be accepted.
- No Time (NT) will not be accepted.
- Maximum of 7 individual events per swimmer provided they meet the qualifying times (QT).

BONUS SWIMS

- Structure
 - 1 QT = 3 Bonus swims
 - 2 QTs = 2 Bonus swims
 - 3 QTs = 1 Bonus swim
 - 4 or more QTs = 0 Bonus swim
 - **1 Bonus per day**
- ~~400/800 Free and 400 IM events are NOT ELIGIBLE AS BONUS SWIMS no longer offered~~
- For **13&Unders**: the 50m event may be entered as a Bonus event if no qualifying time in the corresponding 100m event.
- Bonus swims must be entered with actual times for seeding purposes
- Please indicate bonus events by the BONUS check in Hytek Team Manager and other meet management software if available.

RELAYS : **CANCELLED**

EVENT NUMBERING

- All able-bodied individual events: 1 – 199
- Relay events; 201 – 299
- All Para events: 401 – 499

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 - De-qualifying: A para-swimmer with 3 or more provincial para standard is not eligible to attend Festivals.
- All events are swum as 13 & Under in the MORNING sessions.
- Swimmers qualifying in an able-bodied event in their age category may choose to swim in that event, but cannot swim in the corresponding PARA event.
- Eligible PARA events (all classifications S1SB1SM1 – S14SB14SM14)
 - 50 Free, Back, Breast, & Fly
 - 100 Free, Back
- There are NO BONUS SWIMS for para swimmers

SUBMISSION

- All entries must be submitted via the Meet List online entries system. <https://www.swimming.ca>
- **Attending coaches must be listed when uploading the entries file** to www.swimming.ca
- **June 10 final entries revisions.** ~~Once an entry file is uploaded, the entry system will automatically email a confirmation of entries. Clubs will have 48 hours after the entry deadline to review the confirmation file and make corrections/modifications to entries. After that time, fees will be calculated; no refunds will be granted for late scratches or missed swims.~~
- Following **June 10** ~~the 48 hours period~~, clubs requesting changes and corrections to entries may be made up until the final Psych Sheets are posted **at a cost of \$100 per change or correction.**
 - The per change cost is per swimmer, per event, per change; not per email sent.
 - Corrections or changes requested from the Swim Ontario Entries Coordinator are NOT subject to penalties.
- **Late Entries for swimmers not entered by June 8 will not be accepted.** ~~the 48 hours grace period will be accepted up until the final Psych Sheets are posted at a cost of double the meet entry fee.~~
- **Late entries or changes are subject to the qualifying times and the qualifying period. Times achieved AFTER the entry deadline are not eligible for qualifying or upgrade of entry time.**
- A successful entry file upload is only the validation of membership entry information against the national membership and entry validation does not guarantee a club's entries will be accepted by Swim Ontario.
- The Club Entries Contact person is required to complete an online form (link below) with Club Information for Swim Ontario and Meet Management. An auto-response will be sent to the person completing the form.
 - [Club Information Online Form](https://form.jotform.com/SwimOntario/2022-ont-champs-team-registration) or copy and paste into browser <https://form.jotform.com/SwimOntario/2022-ont-champs-team-registration>
- Entries submitted without the online form submission will not be accepted.
- Entries found to not be in compliance with entry requirements may result in individual swimmer and club being ineligible for entry into the competition.
- Psych Sheets will be posted online at www.swimontario.com no later than **June 13, 2022**
- All entries inquiries or request for changes to entries are to be directed to meetentries@swimontario.com

- Deck entries and time trial events will not be permitted at the competition

REGISTRATION INFORMATION

SWIMMING CANADA COACH REGISTRATION POLICY

The Swimming Canada coach registration policy states that all coaches attending any sanctioned competition must have a minimum NCCP coaching status. Swim Ontario has created a coach compliant list. All teams must submit a list of coaches attending at the time of entry. Meet management will cross reference the list of coaches in attendance at this competition with the [Swim Ontario Compliance lists](#). If a coach is not on this list, meet management is obligated to enforce the SNC policy and not permit that coach to attend meet.

- Athletes must have a coach or designated coach (coach of record) in attendance during the event.

TEAM REGISTRATION

- **Team Registration will be done through an Online Team Registration Form**
<https://form.jotform.com/SwimOntario/2022-ont-champs-team-registration> **(complete before Tuesday June 7) and in person.**
 - All attending coaches, support staff contact information will be collected.
 - Support Staff will be limited and not all request will be granted to ensure all health regulations are maintained.
 - Any club or High Performance Centre with Para Support Staff must submit an application through the **Online Team Registration Form**
<https://form.jotform.com/SwimOntario/2022-ont-champs-team-registration> **(complete before Tuesday June 7).**
- Onsite Team Registration procedures will be provided after entries close.

TRAINING SESSIONS

- No pre-training or cool down secondary pool available at this competition.
- Warm-up periods will be split by gender for the morning session.

COACH MEETING

- There will be no virtual coaches meeting.
- Meet Management and Swim Ontario will provide technical meet format details via email and through the meet information page -
<https://www.swimontario.com/athletes/competitions/summer-festivals>

COMPETITION RULES

Swimming Canada and Swim Ontario rules govern this competition. Competition Rules and procedures contained in this Meet Information package supersede those found within the Swimming Canada Rulebook.

WARM-UP SAFETY PROCEDURES

The Swimming Canada Competition Warm-Up Safety Procedures will be in effect. The full document can be viewed [HERE](#).

SWIMWEAR

All swimmers shall be required to comply with swimwear rule GR 5. Click [HERE](#) to view full details. Advanced notification for exemption or for clarification of the rule please see the Competition Coordinator.

DIVE STARTS

As per the Facility Rules for Dive Starts, dive starts will be conducted from Starting Platforms (blocks) from both ends as per FINA FR 2.3 and SW 4.1.

BACKSTROKE LEDGES

Backstroke ledges will be available for use. Swimmers shall be responsible for setting the device.

AGE GROUPS

- A competitor's age is their age as of the first day of the competition (June 17, 2022).
- **Individual events:** 10&Under, 11, 12, 13
- **Relay events:** 11&Under, 12-13

SEEDING

- After all times have been proven, entry times will be converted to LCM using Hy-Tek default conversion factor and seeded by time regardless of bonus swim designation.
- All events, except distance events, will be timed final seeded slowest to fastest by age category and gender.
- All distance events (800 Free) will be swum as timed finals seeded fastest to slowest by gender in following age category: 11, 12-13
- **Meet Management reserves the right to combine PARA and able-bodied events, combine heats or limit the number of heats should it be deemed necessary in order to comply with Swim Ontario competition sanctioning policies.**

RELAYS **CANCELLED**

- ~~All relays will be swum as timed final.~~

- Teams may move up no more than two (2) swimmers from a younger age category to fill a relay.
- Coaches must have relay forms filled in and returned to the Clerk of the Course 30 minutes prior to the start of the session. No name changes will be accepted after this deadline unless approved by meet management.

OFFICIAL SPLITS & DECK ENTRIES

- Meet Management requires that any coach wishing to rely on a time achieved by the swimmer for an interval shorter than the total distance of the event must advise the Referee prior to the commencement of the event in question on the “Official Split Request” form prior to the race.
- The Official Split Request forms are available at the Clerk of Course.
- Deck entries and time trial events will not be permitted.

SCRATCH RULES

ALL EVENTS

There will not be any scratch deadlines or penalties at the competition.

PENALTY

Failure to participate in the **FASTEST HEAT** of an event without meet management's knowledge and consent will result in a **\$50 fine** for each offence payable to Swim Ontario.

- All fines will be recorded by the Clerk of Course.
- A club representative must acknowledge the fine and initial the recorded fine.
- No shows with no acknowledgement and initials will be invoiced by Swim Ontario.
- **Individual Events:** Failure to acknowledge and initial the fine before the swimmer's next individual event will exclude the swimmer from any further participation in individual events at the meet.
- **Relay Events:** Failure to acknowledge and initial the fine before the next session will exclude the team from any further participation in relay events at the meet.
- All fines will be invoiced by Swim Ontario after the competition.
- Accepted payment is by e-transfer to etransfers@swimontario.com or email authorization to charge the club credit card on file with Swim Ontario (nicole@swimintario.com).
- **All penalties must be paid to Swim Ontario before a Club entry file is accepted for the next Swim Ontario Provincial Championship meet**

RECORDS

- Swim Ontario has a completed certified pool length survey and swim times achieved at this competition will be eligible for provincial or national records.
- Coaches are asked to inform meet management of possible record attempts and/or if records are broken to ensure meet management can process the record application.

SCORING AND AWARDS

EVENT SCORING

- Only the top eight (8) individual events and relays score
 - Individual Events: 9,7,6,5,4,3,2,1
 - Relay Events: 18,14,12,10,8,6,4,2
- Both able-bodied and PARA contribute to team scoring.
- The Hy-Tek Para British Points System points charts shall be used to determine awards and scoring for para events. In the event of a points tie with swimmers of the same class in a race, the swimmer who touched first will be given that position. Level 1 classified swimmers will not be ranked or scored.
- Only times that meet the festival qualifying standard count towards team scoring.
- Reverse scoring will be in effect for any able-bodied or PARA event in which there are less than 8 swimmers or teams:
 - 8 swimmers/teams per final: 9-7-6-5-4-3-2-1 / 18-14-12-10-8-6-4-2
 - 7 swimmers/teams per final: 7-6-5-4-3-2-1 / 14-12-10-8-6-4-2
 - 6 swimmers/teams per final: 6-5-4-3-2-1 / 12-10-8-6-4-2
 - 5 swimmers/teams per final: 5-4-3-2-1 / 10-8-6-4-2
 - 4 swimmers/teams per final: 4-3-2-1 / 8-6-4-2
 - 3 swimmers/teams per final: 3-2-1 / 6-4-2
 - 2 swimmers/teams per final: 2-1 / 4-2
 - 1 swimmer/team per final: 1 / 2

EVENT AWARDS

- **Medals:** first through third (individual and relay events)
- **Ribbons:** Fourth through eight (individual events)
- Only times that meet the festival qualifying standard are eligible for awards (100m/200m)

TEAM AWARDS

- **High Point Team-Overall:** The club with the highest points, including all Able-Bodied and PARA swimmer points will be awarded a high point team banner
- **Small Team Award:** The small team banner will be awarded to the highest scoring team having 50 or fewer Ontario registered competitive swimmers based on Swim Ontario club registration statistics as of one day prior to the start of the competition – June 16, 2022
- **Best Butterfly, Back, Breast, Free and IM Team Award:** A Swim Ontario Festival Banner will be awarded to the team that scores the most points in the butterfly, backstroke, breaststroke, freestyle and IM events, respectively.

PROGRAM EVENT LIST

Day 1 – Friday, June 17, 2022							
12-13 & PARA Morning Session Warmup: 7:20 am - Start: 8:45 am				11&Under - Afternoon Session Warmup: 3:00 pm - Start: 4:00 pm			
403	PARA	50 Fly	404	25	11&U	50 Back	26
103	12-13	50 Fly	104	17	10&U	200 Free	18
1	12	200 Free	2	19	11	200 Free	20
3	13	200 Free	4	21	10&U	100 Breast	22
5	12	100 Breast	6	23	11	100 Breast	24
7	13	100 Breast	8	29	10&U	100 Fly	30
79	12	200 Back	80	31	11	100 Fly	32
81	13	200 Back	82				
Day 2 – Saturday, June 18, 2022							
12 -13 - Morning Session Warmup: 7:20 am - Start: 8:45 am				11&Under & PARA - Afternoon Session Warmup: 3:00 pm - Start: 4:00 pm			
405	PARA	50 Free	406	53	11	50 Free	54
33	12	50 Free	34	55	10&U	50 Free	56
35	13	50 Free	36	57	11	200 Fly	58
37	12	200 Fly	38	59	10&U	100 Back	60
39	13	200 Fly	40	61	11	100 Back	62
407	PARA	100 Back	408	67	11&U	50 Breast	68
41	12	100 Back	42	69	11	200 Breast	70
43	13	100 Back	44				
49	12	200 Breast	50				
51	13	200 Breast	52				
409	PARA	50 Breast	410				
109	12-13	50 Breast	110				

Day 3 – Sunday, June 19, 2022							
12 -13 & PARA Morning Session Warmup: 7:20 am - Start: 8:45 am				11&Under - Afternoon Session Warmup: 3:00 pm - Start: 4:00 pm			
401	PARA	50 Back	402	85	10&U	200 IM	86
101	12-13	50 Back	102	87	11	200 IM	88
13	12	100 Fly	14	89	10&U	100 Free	90
15	13	100 Fly	16	91	11	100 Free	92
71	12	200 IM	72	93	10&U	200 Back	94
73	13	200 IM	74	95	11	200 Back	96
411	PARA	100 Free	412	97	11&U	50 Fly	98
75	12	100 Free	76				
77	13	100 Free	78				

Meet Management reserves the right to change warm-up session times and to allocate team warm-up schedules.

Meet Management reserves the right to change event order or swim 2 per lane in distance events ensure reasonable session timelines

June 8 Changes

- Removed all Relays and all 400s/800s (400 IM/400 Free/800 Free)
- Switched 200 Back with 100 Fly (Sunday - Friday)
- Added Stroke 50s for 11&Over. Qualifying Time in the 100 qualifies for the 50. Or a Bonus event.
- Some event order adjustments were implemented as well (see event schedule below).
- Warm-up will begin at 7:20 AM for the Morning Session. Split 40 min warm-ups. With an 8:45 AM start time.
- Warm-up will begin at 3:00 PM for the Afternoon Session for a 4:00 PM Start.

A new event file has been made available for clubs to submit changes to their entries. Event numbers have not changed.

A swimmer that was removed from a distance event (400/800) can replace that event with any other event (does not need a qualifying time). They cannot exceed the number of events they were originally scheduled to swim.

Clubs will have until Friday, June 10 at 10 PM to submit revised entries. These will be final entries. There will not be any grace period for revisions. New swimmers may not be added to the entries as of the publication of this notice, however, adjustments can be made to existing swimmers entered in the meet (i.e. change bonus swims) up to June 10, 2022 at 10 PM. **Entries will be closed at 10 PM June 10.**

As Swim Ontario works with the host club, the facility and all those associated with this event, we appreciate that some of these solutions are not ideal however they are the best solutions at the moment to ensure the swimmers get to race as many individual swims as possible while providing a competition that is safe, fair and equitable for all involved. We appreciate your understanding and support for all to enjoy a great competitive experience.

FACILITY RULES

- Please note that the Etobicoke Olympium has a **NO FOOD or GLASS CONTAINER** Policy for the **deck, bleachers and spectator areas.**
- Snacks must be consumed in the cafeteria area.
- **Clubs will be responsible to clean their areas after each sessions.**
- **Please do not arrive any earlier than the published pool access times.**

OFFICIALS

Officials needed! Please consider helping at one or two sessions. Deck sign-offs available.

To sign-up complete the following form - <https://form.jotform.com/221565922654258>