



Neath Swimming Club Short Course Open Meet

(Under FINA Technical Rules and Swim Wales Laws)

Level 2 - 2WL211073

Saturday 30th to Sunday 31st October 2021

At

**Aberavon Leisure Centre, The Princess
Margaret Way, Port Talbot SA12 6QW**

Meet pack and details can be found at www.neathasc.co.uk

Closing date: Saturday 16th October 2021

Important Information of the Meet:

1. Local or national restrictions which result in an inability for these events to take place will result in cancellation of activity
2. As required and deemed appropriate, event organisers may implement levels of restrictions and/or rules to ensure all attendees are kept safe
 - a. Attendees failing to adhere to restrictions and/or rules in place will be asked to remove themselves from site, entries will not be refunded and further action may be taken
3. In event of event cancellation refunds will be provided for race entries only
4. Swim Wales, in partnership with delivering clubs and organisations, reserve the right to cancel these events as deemed appropriate
5. No spectators will be permitted (due to the size constraints of the building)
7. Entries are not guaranteed until confirmed by event management and swims may be scratched to ensure sessions operate within restrictions
8. Entries will be confirmed within a week of entries closing via the publication of a confirmed entry list via email to all entered clubs
9. No further entries will be considered after this time
- 10. Evidence of a negative LFT will be required by all attending the event. Test will need to be taken 24 hours before entry for each day.**
11. There is a compulsory requirement for masks to be worn in the building. Masks can only be removed on poolside.
12. Space is restricted around poolside so clubs maybe allocated seating away from the pool area.
13. Swimmers will only be allowed in the building for the each session they compete in.
14. If required a further FAQ document will be produced.

Neath Swimming Club
Sunday 31st October 2021

Session Four

Warm up 8:15am

Start 9:15am

Event No.	Gender	Distance/Stroke
401	Male	100 Breast
402	Female	100 Fly
403	Male	200 Free
404	Female	200 IM
405	Male	50 Back
406	Female	50 Free

Session Five

Warm up TBC

Start TBC

Event No.	Gender	Distance/Stroke
501	Male	100 Free
502	Female	100 Back
503	Male	200 Breast
504	Female	200 Fly
505	Male	50 Fly
506	Female	50 Breast

Session Six

Warm up TBC

Start TBC

Event No.	Gender	Distance/Stroke
601	Male	400 Free
602	Female	400 IM
603	Male	200 Back

Neath Open Meet Information

VENUE	Aberavon Leisure Centre, The Princess Margaret Way, Port Talbot SA12 6QW
POOL	8 Lanes – 25m pool – electronic timing – with anti-turbulence lane ropes A swim down facility will be available during the meet. Car parking facilities are available.
AGE AS DATE	Sunday 31 st October 2021 (age as of last day of Meet) All entrants must be members of an Affiliated Club and must be amateurs as defined by British Swimming and Swim Wales law

LEVEL Two

EVENTS	The <u>level two</u> events will be 50m all strokes (Freestyle, backstroke, breaststroke & butterfly) 100m all strokes (Freestyle, backstroke, breaststroke & butterfly) 200m all strokes (Freestyle, backstroke, breaststroke, butterfly & Individual medley) 400m Freestyle & 400IM – age 12 and over Check the qualification times for these events.
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Age groups	Boys 9/11, 12/13, 14/15 and 16/over Girls 9/11, 12/13, 14/15 and 16/over
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Awards	Frist three swimmers in each age group per event
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ENTRIES	Electronic Entries and Payment sent to: Neill Golding, 101 Main Road Bryncoch Neath SA10 7TL
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E Mail: neillwelshss@aol.com

Only Electronic Entries will be accepted for the meet and should be emailed to the above address and include an entry report, completed Summary Sheet and any poolside passes applications. All electronic entries will be acknowledged with receipt confirmation. Please enter in subject title: "**Neath Open Meet**"

The emailed electronic entries, the sent date and time on the email will be classed as the date submitted.

NO LATE ENTRIES WILL BE ACCEPTED

No Entries will be processed without full and complete payment.

The Meet Director reserves the right to limit entries. In the event that entries are rejected the entry fee will be refunded and a single cheque will be made payable to club in question Please enclose a SAE for return of entry confirmations; alternatively enter an email address

on the summary sheet and a confirmation will be sent via email. If the meet is full the entries will be limited on first come basis.

ENTRY PRICING

£7 Per Event

CLOSING DATE

Saturday 16th October 2021 (No late entries will be accepted). Entry is accepted on a first come basis.

REFUNDS

Refunds for entry fees will only be made on receipt of a valid Doctors Certificate. **Notification needs to be received before the meet commences.**

POOLSIDE PASSES

£10 pool pass – this will include refreshments (tea and coffee etc)

Each club may apply for an initial 2 passes with photos. Passes will only be issued with a current DRB check, copies must be sent on application, or shown on the day.

Additional passes may be purchased based upon the number of swimmers present at the meet. Passes must be worn at all times whilst on poolside and will be required to gain access.

Swim Wales passes may be used for identification. However, a poolside pass must still be purchased.

Coaches' passes/packs will be issued from the Meet Office before the start of the meet.

THERE WILL BE NO ACCESS TO POOLSIDE FOR ANYONE WITHOUT A POOL PASS

HEALTH & SAFETY	<p>A copy of the Pool Operating Procedures and / or the Normal Operating Procedures & Emergency Action Plan for the facility being hired for a meet can be obtained in advance.</p> <p>All swimmers, officials, volunteers, spectators, and visitors are required, at all times, to abide by the rules set out in the Pool Operating Procedures and / or the Normal Operating Procedures & Emergency Action Plan for the facility hired for the meet.</p> <p>Unacceptable Behavior - Behavior becomes “unacceptable” when it is considered “Offensive” to others; this includes, but is not limited to, the following: Theft, willful damage to property and / or equipment, acts of vandalism, abuse of alcohol and / or drugs, bullying, offensive language, aggressive / violent acts, threatening behavior, all breaches of safety practices, failure to comply with instructions / directions, actions that bring the sport of swimming into disrepute.</p> <p>Competitive Start Award - Swimmers must have attained the standard of the Competitive Start Award in order to start from the blocks; (this is the responsibility of the club coach).</p> <p>Jewellery - “For safety and security reasons, the wearing of jewelry is not permitted while in the water during warm-ups / swim-downs and / or competition. This includes watches, necklaces, chains, bangles, wristbands, ear-rings (except studs), and rings (except wedding bands).</p>
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Neath ASC will not be responsible for any jewellery brought to events and will not be liable if such jewellery is lost or damaged

START SHEETS	Start sheets and warm up lanes will be emailed prior to the meet. <u>No start sheets will be handed out on the day.</u>
STARTS	Over the top starts will be used in the heats and wherever possible
SEEDING	Events will be pre-seeded based on submitted entry and achieved preliminary times on a slowest to fastest basis.
WITHDRAWALS	<p>The Swimmer, and/or Coach will not need to complete a withdrawal form, as the meet will be pre-seeded and the lane will remain empty.</p> <p>Where possible the meet organiser(s) will endeavour to fill any withdrawals from any alternative list or deck entries.</p>
MARSHALLING	As this is a pre-seeded meet no entry cards will be used. Marshalling will be in place at various points of the pool deck. It is the SWIMMERS responsibility to report to marshalling for the event. Failure to do so may result in the place being lost and filled by an alternate or a re-organisation of the events. As a general rule it is good practice for a swimmer to report to marshalling at least 5 events before their race.
DRUG TESTING	Testing may take place at this event and the willingness, if selected; to be tested under the current Swim Wales/ASA procedures is implicit by the submission of an entry form
MEET RESULTS	The meet results will be posted on the Neath ASC website within 48 hours of the meet closing. Results will also be passed to Swim Wales and ASA for their reference and inclusion in rankings. During the meet we will try and use meet mobile to advertise results.

ENTRY FORM – Level Two

For club's using Hy-Tek or other software systems, a complete electronic copy of the meet results can be obtained following the meet. Any clubs wishing this service should provide their e-mail details to the meet office during or prior to the meet.

SPECTATORS

There will be no spectators for this meet.

REFRESHMENTS

The cafe, which provides a catering facility, serving refreshments for swimmers and spectators, will operate throughout this meet. Food and drink may not be taken onto the poolside.

MOBILE PHONES

Swimmers, parents and coaches are reminded that the use of mobile phones **is not allowed inside the Aberavon building**. This policy is actively enforced and all visitors are asked to comply.

CAMERAS

Under Child protection laws anyone wishing to film or photograph during the event is required to register their camera for use. This can be done by completing a registration form at the meet office where you will be issued with a tag which will need to be attached to the registered camera.

Please note that each individual camera will need to be registered and no passes will be issued without photo identification.

MEET OFFICE

A Meet Office will be open for the duration of the meet and in case of emergency can be contacted on 0800 043 4343.

The promoter reserves the right to make any alterations to these conditions if necessary and all participants will be notified. Any matter not covered by these conditions or by ASA laws or technical rules will be at the promoter's discretion.

ENTRY FORM – Level Two

NB: Entry Qualifying Times/Consideration Times apply for these events

LAST NAME:..... FIRSTNAME:.....MIDDLE INITIAL:.....

MALE/FEMALE

DATE OF BIRTH: DD/MM/YYYY

ADDRESS:..... POST CODE:.....

TEL:..... EMAIL:.....

CLUB:.....REG NUMBER:.....

COST: £7 PER EVENT

PAYMENT TO: Neath ASC Open Meet

Event	Event #	Entry Time	LC	SC	Achieved
Freestyle	50				
	100				
	200				
	400				
Backstroke	50				
	100				
	200				
Breaststroke	50				
	100				
	200				
Butterfly	50				
	100				
	200				
Individual Medley IM	200				
	400				

Coach Pass Application Form

(Coaches, Team Managers & Poolside Helpers)

Please note that all applications for poolside passes from Coaches, Team Managers, Poolside Helpers, etc. must be accompanied by the persons:

- i. WASA Number
- ii. CRB Number
- iii. Photograph

The only exception to the above requirements will be if **ALL 3 ITEMS** are already lodged with the WASA office. If these are already with WASA, the name of the applicant will be sufficient and the remaining items will be obtained from WASA.

Please complete the following:

1) Full Name:

2) WASA No., CRB No., & Photograph already with WASA?

YES:

NO:

If the answer to Question 2 is **NO** then please complete the following:

WASA Number:

CRB Number:

Photograph Enclosed?

YES:

NO:

Payment Summary Sheet

This payment summary sheet must be completed and sent with all entries and/or payment of entries.

Contact Name & Tel. No: _____

Club: _____

Number of Coach Passes X £10.00 = £

Total Entries – Level 2 X £7.00 = £

Total Amount Enclosed: £

Payment can be made via a single cheque to cover all the club entries. This should be made payable to **'Neath Swimming Club Open Meet'**.

Bank Transfer will also be accepted to:

Name of Bank: HSBC

A/C Name: Neath Swimming Club Open Meet

Sort Code: 40-34-03

A/C No. 31742256

Name of Club as Reference: _____

Confirmation date of when bank transfer made: _____

All entries should be received no later than Saturday 16th October 2021. Entries will be accepted on a first come basis.

All electronic and paper copies of entry forms need to be submitted to: -

Neill Golding

email address: neillwelshss@aol.com

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