



## **Annual Victoria Elementary & Middle School Swim Meet**

### **PRELIMINARY MEET PACKAGE**

**Meet Date: Wednesday, February 12, 2020**

**Entry Deadline: Wednesday February 5, 2020**

**Hosted by:**

**Island Swimming Club**

**“Keeping Victoria Swimming for 100 Years”**



## **PRELIMINARY MEET INFORMATION**

- Location:** **Saanich Commonwealth Place**
- Dates and Times:** February 12, 2020 - 9:00 am – 1:00 pm  
**Warm up starts** at 9:00am and goes until 9:25am  
Racing will start at 9:35am
- Entry Deadline:** **Wednesday February 5, 2020**
- Entry Fees:** **\$10.00** per swimmer entered in the meet.  
**\$8.00** per relay team entry.  
  
\*\*Please note that we will invoice the school at the end of the season along with all other school training fees.
- Coaches Meeting:** There will a **brief coaches meeting at 9:30am.**

## **ELIGIBILITY**

Swimmers must swim in their respective age groups except relay swimmers who may swim with older swimmers to complete a team. **Swimmers age is effective January 1, 2020**

**The Preliminary Meet is intended for NOVICE swimmers only.** This allows inexperienced swimmers to advance to the Championship Meet. Any swimmer who competes for a summer or winter swim club or has been a member of a summer or winter club for one year or more is NOT eligible to compete in the Preliminary Meet.

<b>Summer and Winter Club swimmers not eligible for the meet Include:</b>	Island Swimming Club Tye Aquatic Club Pacific Coast Swimming Piranhas Swim Club
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Please ensure all club swimmers are entered DIRECTLY in the Championship Meet.

Swimmers with present and past club experience (have competed at sanctioned meets) from summer or winter teams and the top 20 swimmers from the preliminary meet will advance to the Championship Meet

**Championship Meet:**    **Saanich Commonwealth Place**  
February 23, 2020 - 8:00 am to 1:00 pm

**Please see the Championship Meet package for further details about that meet.**

## **MEET ENTRY INFORMATION**

**Individual Events:** 2 events per swimmer plus a max of 2 relays for the Preliminary Meet.

**Deadline:**            Entries must be submitted by **Wednesday February 5, 2020**. Entries can be emailed to: [meetadmin@islandswimming.com](mailto:meetadmin@islandswimming.com)

**Entry Times:**        All individual entries **MUST** include a time. If you do not have a time for some swimmers, you may estimate one to ensure they are properly seeded. Relay entries **do not need times**.

**ENTRIES SUBMITTED WITHOUT TIMES WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED.**

**Age:**                    Swimmers age is effective January 1, 2020. Swimmers must be in grades 1-8.

**Heat Sheets:**        A heat sheet will be provided on the Island Swimming website by February 8, 2020: [www.islandswimming.com](http://www.islandswimming.com) . Warm up lanes will be assigned at this time.

**Results:**                Preliminary Meet results will be ready as soon as possible following the meet. **Results will not be emailed to individual schools**. They will be posted at [www.islandswimming.com](http://www.islandswimming.com)

**Meet Changes:**      Send any changes to meet entries before the meet to: Diana Shields: [meetadmin@islandswimming.com](mailto:meetadmin@islandswimming.com)

**Meet Manager:**      Brett Bennett

**Timers:** Schools are asked to provide at least **ONE** timer for the Preliminary Meet.

**Scoring:** The top 8 swims per event score based on points indicated below:

Individual events: 9-7-6-5-4-3-2-1 (top 8 score)

Relays score double: 18-14-12-10-8-6-4-2 (top 8 score)

**Awards:** Individual event placing 1 - 8 will receive ribbons.

Relays placing 1-3 will receive ribbons

All swimmers at the meet will receive a **participation ribbon**.

**Advancing:** The **top twenty** swimmers from the Preliminary Meet will **advance** to the Championship Meet and will be automatically entered. Please note that these swimmers will still be required to pay entry fees for the Championship Meet if they attend.

If a swimmer does not want to attend the championship meet, please notify entries at: [meetadmin@islandswimming.com](mailto:meetadmin@islandswimming.com)

## PRELIMINARY MEET – SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

<b>Event #</b>	<b>MIXED</b>	<b>EVENT</b>
1	Mixed 13 – 14yr	50 FREE
2	Mixed 11 – 12yr	50 FREE
3	Mixed 9 – 10yr	25 FREE
4	Mixed 8 & Under	25 FREE
5	Girls 14 & Under	4 x 50 F.R.
6	Boys 14 & Under	4 x 50 F.R.
7	Girls 12 & Under	4 x 50 F.R.
8	Boys 12 & Under	4 x 50 F.R.
9	Girls 10 & Under	4 x 25 F.R.
10	Boys 10 & Under	4 x 25 F.R.
11	Girls 8 & Under	4 x 25 F.R.
12	Boys 8 & Under	4 x 25 F.R.
13	Mixed 13 – 14yr	50 BACK
14	Mixed 11 – 12yr	50 BACK
15	Mixed 9 – 10yr	25 BACK
16	Mixed 8 & Under	25 BACK
17	Mixed 13 – 14yr	50 BREAST
18	Mixed 11 – 12yr	50 BREAST
19	Mixed 9 – 10yr	25 BREAST
20	Mixed 8 & Under	25 BREAST
21	14 & Under Mixed	4 x 50 F.R.
22	10 & Under Mixed	4 x 25 F.R.

**F.R. Freestyle Relay**

**Mixed Must include at least 1 boy and 1 girl**





## **ENTRY PROCESS**

Please submit all entries on the grids provided. Please fill in all the information needed, save the file as a Word or PDF file with your school name in the filename, and email to: [meetadmin@islandswimming.com](mailto:meetadmin@islandswimming.com)

**Swimmers times MUST be included on the entry grids, as entries without times will not be accepted.**

### **Preliminary Meet Entry Checklist**

- View the Schedule of Events (pg. 4) and determine the 2 events each of your swimmers will enter.
- Please fill in all 2 entry forms – one for individual events; one for relay events**
- Indicate the **name** and **age (not grade)** of each swimmer.
- Enter **times** for each swimmer so seeding may be done.
- Please note that for relay events, swimmers may swim up an age group for relay purposes, but may **NOT** swim down.
- Please do **not submit a cheque prior to the meet**. We will invoice your school.

**NOTE: Swimmers currently registered in COMPETITIVE Summer and Winter Swim Club Programs are NOT to be entered in the Preliminary Meet as they compete in the Championship Meet only.**