

SWIMNT



Meet Information

2024 NT Short Course Championships

Alice Springs Aquatic & Leisure Centre

and

Parap Swimming Pool

3rd – 4th August 2024







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1. 2024 SNT SC Championships - Event Details

The 2024 Swimming Northern Territory Short Course Championships will this year be conducted at 2 venues –

-  Alice Springs Aquatic & Leisure Centre
-  Parap Pool Darwin

On Saturday 3rd to Sunday 4th August 2024.

This event will be conducted under the Swimming Australia Rules. This is a Swimming Northern Territory sanctioned Championship Meet. The meet will be held in both locations and results will be combined virtually.

Attendees must adhere to Swimming Australia's National Integrity Framework – which can be found [HERE](#).

2. Event Contact

All enquiries relating to the 2024 SNT Short Course Championships are to be directed to: admin@nt.swimming.org.au

3. Event Hours

This year the event program has been adjusted to reflect the dual location requirements and is now only 2 sessions.

| Date | Times |
|----------------------|---|
| Saturday - Session 1 | 8:00am (Gates Open) 8:00am (Warm-up) 9:00am (Races) |
| Sunday – Session 2 | 8:00am (Gates Open) 8:00am (Warm-up) 9:00am (Races) |

4. Program of Events

The Program of Events can be found at the end of this Meet Information Booklet.

These Championships are to be conducted as timed finals. If less than 3 nominations are received for an event, SNT reserves the right to cancel the event and refund nominations.

SNT also reserves the right, on the day, to combine heats and / or events as per the [SNT Competition Rules](#).

Heats will be swum as fastest to slowest.

5. Qualifying Times

There are no applicable qualifying times for this Championship Meet for any event.

6. Entry Procedures

Entries will open on Saturday 17th June 2024 on Swim Central at 9am ACST.

Entries will close Sunday 21st July 2024 at 11:59pm Australian Central Standard Time for all individual entries.

Relay entries will close 5pm Friday 26th July 2024.

Entries into the Come & Try Event (8yrs & under) are available through Swim Central within the 2024 SNT SC Championships event.

Late entries will be accepted, after entries close until 5pm Friday 26th July 2024. Late entries will not be on any merchandise products. Late entries will attract a \$25 fee per swimmer.

No manual entries will be accepted, except approved visiting International swimmers. A \$10 administration fee will be added for swimmers with manual entries.

7. Entry Fees

| Entry Fees | Price |
|---------------------------|-------------------|
| 10Yrs & under Come 'N Try | \$7.70 per event |
| Individual | \$16.50 per event |
| Relay | \$33.00 per team |

Prices are inclusive of GST; however, the Swim Central administration fee will also be applied.



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8. Age Requirements

9yrs is the minimum age of entry to compete in the SNT Short Course Championships (except for the Come and Try events). There is no maximum age.

Age is determined as of 3rd August 2024.

NOTE: Swimmers aged 8yrs and under can compete in the 25m Come 'N Try event during Session 1 on Saturday morning.

9. Eligibility

All Swimmers must be fully registered as a 2024-25 Competitive Swimmer on Swim Central with Swimming Australia to nominate for this 2024 SNT Short Course Championships. Recreational or Non-competitive swimmers are ineligible to enter. Swimmers from outside NT may need to provide clearance certificates from their state organisation – please consult your state swimming association.

10. Multi-Class

Multi Class events are open to all eligible age group swimmers with a disability in sport classes 1 - 19.

Multi-Class Swimmers must be registered with a 2024-25 Competitive Swimmer membership with Swimming Australia. Your classification number/s must be registered against your swimmers record in Swim Central. Swimmers may compete with provisional classifications.

MC events will be conducted under the rules of Swimming Australia NB: National records can only be achieved in single gender events.

MC events may be combined with non-MC events if there are insufficient entries, as per the MC guidelines outlined in the SNT Competition Rules – [HERE](#).

Please note - Multi-Class swimmers without a registered classification will be allowed to swim as an Exhibition only.

All multi-class events will be conducted as Open events. There are no qualifying times for any MC events.

Minimum age is 10yrs+ for Multi-Class events.

Swimmers with a SM3 or SM4 classification may contest the 200m Individual Medley as a 150m Individual Medley.

11. Come 'N Try

Session 1 provides the opportunity for swimmers aged 10 years and under to gain an insight into the undertakings of a Championship meet by competing in the 4 – 25m events throughout the session. There will be no medals awarded for these events. Please see the Program of Events below. Please enter through Swim Central.

12. Relays

Club relay teams may enter with a 'No Time'.

Relay changes must be made on the official Relay Change QR code and submitted 15 minutes prior to the completion of the warmup for the session in which the relay is to be held. Swimmers must swim in the order shown on the form submitted.

Unless changes have been submitted as above, swimmers must swim in the order as published.

Additional relay teams for exhibition purposes may be entered ONLY where there is no team for that Club currently in the event and ONLY where there are spare lanes once the program is set, at the Meet Director's discretion. Such teams will swim for no points and will not be formally placed in the program. Submissions for such exhibition relay teams must be made in accordance with the timeframe for relay changes set out above.



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13. Pool Deck Access

Pool Deck Access will be restricted to swimmers, Technical Officials, Coaches and Registered Team Managers only.

Clubs are advised that they will need to apply for their pool deck access passes, including Team Manager and Coaches by emailing SNT: admin@nt.swimming.org.au.

All individuals applying for a pool deck access wristband are required to have a current and valid Working with Children Card (WCC).

Deck Pass wristbands can be collected from the control room prior to and throughout the event.

Applications for accreditations close at the same time as entries.

14. Warm-Up / Cool Down Procedures

In Alice Springs, dive starts and pacework will be allocated for lanes 1 and 8.

Once the event commences the event will be swam over 4 lanes of the competition pool (Lanes 1-4) Lane 5 will be vacant, while lanes 6-8 will be available for warmup and cooldown. During competition Lane 8 will be used for dive starts, however, swimmers are reminded to be aware of racing happening in lanes 1-4.

In Darwin, dive starts and pacework will be allocated for Lanes 0 and 8 in the competition pool. Lane 9 is for MC swimmers only. Once competition commences lanes will be available in the 6-lane 25m pool.

Warm-up lanes will NOT be allocated to clubs.

Warm up will conclude 15mins prior to the Race Start to prepare the pool for the beginning of the session.

15. Timekeepers & Volunteers

Timekeepers and volunteers will be required to be provided by clubs, where available. A schedule will be provided to the clubs by SNT, upon closing of nominations.

16. Swimmer Check-in – Distance Events

All events of 400m and over (400m IM, 400m Free, 800m Free and 1500m Free) require swimmers (or their Coach / Team Manager) to confirm their intention to swim via the applicable QR code a minimum of one hour prior to the published start time of the relevant event. Failure to confirm their intention to swim will be taken as a withdrawal.

Confirmed swimmers should then follow the self-marshalling procedures.

17. Lap Counters

Swimmers competing in the 800m and 1500m Freestyle events **MUST** provide details of their lap counter whilst checking in at the help desk. Swimmers will not be able to check-in without confirmation of an organised lap counter.

18. Self-Marshalling

Self-marshalling will be in place for this event. Athletes will be instructed by the check starter to move behind the blocks once the event (or timed final) ahead of them has entered the water.

Swimmers will only be permitted to enter the self-marshalling area as follows:

- 50m events - 6 heats prior to their heat
- 100m and 200m events - 4 heats prior to their heat
- 400m events - 2 heats prior to their heat
- 800m and 1500m events - 1 heat prior to their heat

Self-Marshalling will take place for all events.



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19. Backstroke Ledges

Backstroke ledges will be available for use at this Championship meet for swimmers aged 11yrs & over, where available.

20. Medals

Visitors will **ONLY** be awarded medals for overall 1st, 2nd and 3rd placings.

NT Swimmers will be awarded medals for 1st, 2nd and 3rd NT placings.

Medals will be awarded to ages 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16 & Over in all 50m, 100m events.

Medals will be awarded to ages 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16yrs & over in 200m Freestyle and 200m IM events.

Medals will be awarded to ages 12yrs & over in 200m form strokes, 400m, 800m & 1500m Freestyle and 400m IM events.

For Multi-Class swimmers, medals/points will be awarded for 1st, 2nd & 3rd place in the Open events, using the Swimming Australia Multi-Class Points System.

Collection of medals is the responsibility of each swimmer. Medals not collected by the end of the meet will not be redeemed.

Places will be determined once the results from both Alice Springs and Darwin have been merged. Once this has occurred, medal winners will be determined and awarded.

21. Awards

Points will be awarded to swimmers placed as follows in finals and timed finals of all Championship events: 1st – 15 points, 2nd – 12 points, 3rd – 10 points, 4th – 8 points, 5th – 6 points, 6th – 5 points, 7th – 4 points, 8th – 3 points, 9th – 2 points, 10th – 1 point.

Relay points will be awarded as follows: 1st – 30 points, 2nd – 24 points, 3rd – 20 points, 4th – 16 points, 5th – 12 points, 6th – 10 points, 7th – 8 points, 8th – 6 points, 9th – 4 points, 10th – 2 points.

Points awarded for records set (as below) will only be used in order to break any ties in points for trophies. If those tying have set no records, or if there is still a tie after record points have been allocated, then trophies will be awarded to those tying.

| Record | Points |
|-----------------------|--------|
| NT or NT All comers | 5 |
| Australian | 10 |
| Australian All comers | 20 |

Trophies will be awarded in the following categories:

Swimmer of the Meet - Awarded to the Northern Territory athlete with the most outstanding performances in five events, as measured by the combined total of the Hy-Tek single year Points System.

Junior Champion Male/Female Trophy – Awarded to the Northern Territory male and female swimmer gaining the most points, in their best 7 events, across all 9-12 years swimming events not including relays.

Champion Male/Female Trophy – Awarded to the Northern Territory male and female swimmer gaining the most points, in their best 7 events, across all 13 & Over events not including relays.

Champion Club – Awarded to the Northern Territory Club gaining most points, from individual and relay events, during the Northern Territory Championships as a percentage of total swimmers.

NOTE: Must have a minimum of 5 swimmers competing in individual events to be eligible.

22. Seating

Seating for all athletes, coaches, clubs and spectators will be around the competition pool. Space is not allocated and cannot be reserved.



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23. Technical Officials

All technical officials will be contacted to register their availability, by SNT Technical Manager, Katherine Reynolds.

Any persons interested in learning about the possibilities of becoming a Technical Official, please make contact with the SNT Technical Manager, Katherine Reynolds at: technicalmanager@nt.swimming.org.au.

Queries regarding any disqualification **MUST** be made by a club coach or club official only. Technical officials will not be made available to any parents / spectators regarding swimmer disqualification.

24. Results

Results will be published around the venue and on meet mobile.

Please note:

- Results published via Meet Mobile **ARE NOT OFFICIAL** and should be used as a guide only.
- Official meet results are printed by officials during all meets and posted in a prominent position.

Official results are published within 48hrs of the completion of a meet on the SNT website, Swim Central and Results Central.

25. Catering

All catering provisions will be provided onsite by the facility manager at the front entrance of either venue.

26. Photography

In nominating for this meet, swimmers agree that they may be photographed by SNT approved photographers. Any images **may** be displayed for viewing and purchasing on site during the Meet and on the photographer's secure website after the Meet. They may also

be used by SNT and affiliated clubs at their discretion.

If you have any concerns, please contact admin@nt.swimming.org.au prior to the event.

27. Merchandise (Team Elite)

SNT have partnered with Team Elite to offer some event merchandising. Once finalised, the information will be added to the event website.

28. Medical

If any attendant requires medical attention, please make yourself known to the facility staff as they are trained in first aid and CPR.

29. Lost Property

Any lost property is to be handed into the pool kiosk, lost property will be available for collection from the kiosk throughout the duration of the competitions.

30. Force Majeure

In the case of force majeure preventing or resulting in the 2024 SNT SC Championships being cancelled, refund of event registration fees will be at the discretion of SNT Refund Policy – [HERE](#).

31. Further Communication

In the week preceding the meet, further relevant information regarding event timelines, event program etc., will be provided when available.

32. Social Media

Stay up to date with the event via our socials,
Facebook: @SwimmingNT
Instagram: @NTSwimming



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Program of Events

Saturday 3rd August 2024 – Session 1

| Event No. Boys | Event | Event No. Girls |
|-------------------|---|--------------------|
| 1 | 12yrs & over 800m Freestyle | 2 |
| 3 | 9yrs & over 100m Individual Medley | 4 |
| 5 | Open 100m Individual Medley – Multi-Class | 6 |
| 101 | Mixed 10yrs & under 25m Butterfly | 101 |
| 7 | 12yrs & over 200m Breaststroke | 8 |
| 9 | 9yrs & over 100m Butterfly | 10 |
| 11 | Open 100m Butterfly – Multi-Class | 12 |
| 102 | Mixed 10yrs & under 25m Freestyle | 102 |
| 13 | 11yrs & over 200m Freestyle | 14 |
| 15 | Open 200m Freestyle – Multi-Class | 16 |
| 103 | Mixed 10yrs & under 25m Breaststroke | 103 |
| 17 | 9yrs & over 50m Breaststroke | 18 |
| 19 | Open 50m Breaststroke – Multi-Class | 20 |
| 21 | 12yrs & over 200m Backstroke | 22 |
| 104 | Mixed 10yrs & under 25m Backstroke | 104 |
| 23 | 9yrs & over 50m Butterfly | 24 |
| 25 | Open 50m Butterfly – Multi-Class | 26 |
| 27 | 12yrs & over 400m Individual Medley | 28 |
| 29 | Mixed 12yrs & under 200m Medley Relay (4 x 50) | 29 |
| 30 | Mixed 13yrs & over 200m Medley Relay (4 x 50) | 30 |
| 31 | Mixed 12yrs & under 200m Freestyle Relay (4 x 50) | 31 |
| 32 | Mixed 13yrs & over 200m Freestyle Relay (4 x 50) | 32 |



Program of Events

Sunday 4th August 2024 – Session 2

| Event No. Boys | Event Details | Event No. Girls |
|----------------|---|-----------------|
| 33 | 12yrs & over 400m Freestyle | 34 |
| 35 | Open 50m Backstroke – Multi-Class | 36 |
| 37 | 9 - 10yrs 50m Backstroke | 38 |
| 39 | 11yrs & over 50m Backstroke | 40 |
| 41 | 11yrs & over 200m Individual Medley | 42 |
| 43 | Open 200m Individual Medley - Multi-Class | 44 |
| 45 | 9yrs & over 100m Freestyle | 46 |
| 47 | Open 100m Freestyle – Multi-Class | 48 |
| 49 | 9yrs & over 100m Breaststroke | 50 |
| 51 | Open 100m Breaststroke - Multi-Class | 52 |
| 53 | 9yrs & over 50m Freestyle | 54 |
| 55 | Open 50m Freestyle – Multi-Class | 56 |
| 57 | 12yrs & over 200m Butterfly | 58 |
| 59 | 9-10yrs 100m Backstroke | 60 |
| 61 | 11yrs & over 100m Backstroke | 62 |
| 63 | Open 100m Backstroke – Multi-Class | 64 |
| 65 | 12yrs & over 1500m Freestyle | 66 |
| 67 | Mixed 12yrs & under 100m Freestyle Relay (4 x 25) | 67 |
| 68 | Mixed 13yrs & over 100m Freestyle Relay (4 x 25) | 68 |
| 69 | Mixed 12yrs & under 100m Medley Relay (4 x 25) | 69 |
| 70 | Mixed 13yrs & over 100m Medley Relay (4 x 25) | 70 |

Event presentations will be held after the completion of racing and pool pack-up.