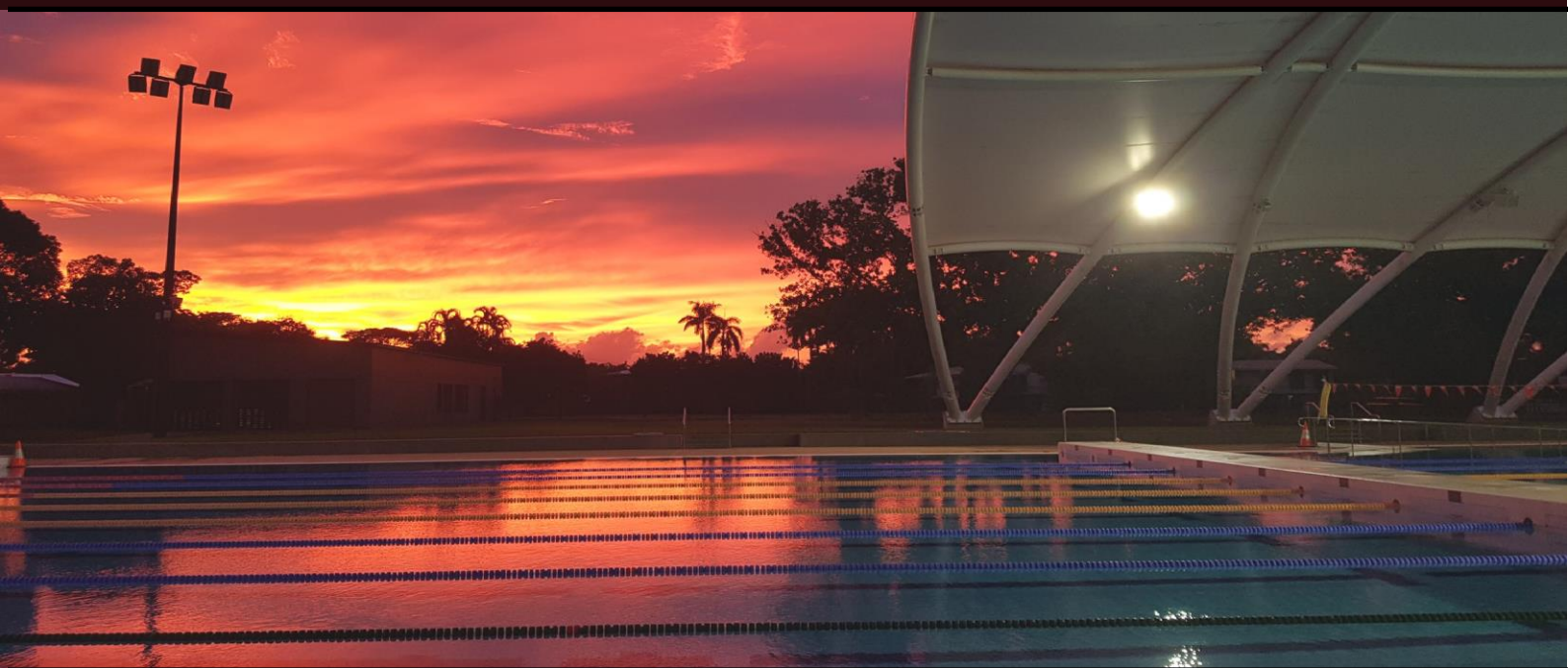


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1. Event Details

The '2022 Junior State Age Challenge' will be held at Parap Pool Darwin, 77 Ross Smith Avenue, Parap NT from Saturday 1st to Tuesday 4th October 2022 in conjunction with the '2022 Country Championships'

This event will be conducted under the Swimming Australia Rules and By-Laws.

Stakeholders must adhere to Swimming Australia's Code of Conduct and Safe Sport Framework which can be found [HERE](#)

2. Event Contact

For all event related matters please direct communication to:

admin@nt.swimming.org.au

3. COVID-19 Requirements

This event will be delivered in accordance with an approved COVID Management Plan. Swimming NT will work with NT Government to ensure the event abides to relative restrictions. Swimming NT will communicate with clubs the details of the COVID management plan closer to the event.

4. Opening Hours

Pre-Meet Training – Country Championship swimmers ONLY. There will be no training session for the Junior State Age Challenge.

Date	Time
Friday 30 th September	11am – 5pm

Competition

Date	AM Session	PM Session
Saturday 1 st October	7am (Gates) 9am (Races)	3pm (Gates) 5pm (Races)
Sunday 2 nd October	7am (Gates) 9am (Races)	3pm (Gates) 5pm (Races)
Monday 3 rd October	7am (Gates) 9am (Races)	3pm (Gates) 5pm (Races)
Tuesday 4 th October	7am (Gates) 9am (Races)	3pm (Gates) 5pm (Races)

All Junior State Age Challenge 2022 events will be run within the 2022 Country Championships program of events. Junior State Age Challenge event schedule TBA.

5. Program of Events

The Program of Events for the 2022 Junior State Age Challenge can be found [HERE](#)

All Events will be swum as timed Finals.

Relay events are timed finals and event schedule for relays is TBA.

Competitors who do not have enough entrants from the same club are to email <mailto:admin@nt.swimming.org.au> no later than the 25th Sept 22 and include their name, Club, Region, relay they would like to compete in and 2 preferred strokes if a medley relay. Swimming NT will create relay teams, at their discretion for selected relays as exhibition only relays. Payment for relay entries is to be completed prior to the event once Swimming NT has received an emailed request to swim.

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6. Qualifying Times

There are NO Qualifying Times for this event.

Events will be run as 9, 10 and 11 years age group timed finals.

The minimum age for swimmers competing is 9, this applies to all age able bodied and multiclass events.

No Qualifying Times will apply to Multiclass Events.

Relay Teams may enter as NT (No Times).

Age is determined by the swimmer's age as at Saturday 1st October 2022.

7. Entry Procedures

Entries will open on Tuesday 30th August 2022 at 12noon ACT.

Entries will close strictly Sunday 25th September 2022 at 12 noon Darwin time, For all individual and relay events.

Entry Fees	Price
Individual	\$9.90 Per Event Inc GST
Relay	\$33 Per Team Inc GST admin.nt@swimming.org.au

8. Eligibility

Swimmers are only eligible to compete **IF** they are registered with a club which is classed as regional to their state swimming association. To check please contact your state association.

9. Multiclass

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

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

Swimmers may compete with provisional classifications. There will be no qualifying times for MC events.

Multiclass athletes will compete in the relative heats in the morning session which are timed finals.

10. Accreditations

Accreditation can be collected from the accreditation box at the event entry on pre-meet or competition days. Accreditation passes must be visible at all times and are strictly non-transferable.

To apply for an accreditation please check the 2022 Country Championships events page on the Swimming NT website under Accreditations and apply.

Clubs are advised that they will need to apply for their accreditation passes, including Team Manager and Coaches using the link mentioned above. All individuals are required to have a current and valid Working With Children Card (WWCC).

Applications for Accreditations close at the same time as entries.

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11. 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 - 8 heats prior to their heat
- 100m and 200m events - 4 heats prior to their heat

Self-Marshalling will take place, for all Events.

12. Finals

There will be no finals for this event in the afternoon sessions. All events will be swum as age group timed finals.

13. Seating

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

14. Photography

Photos and videos will be taken throughout the competition. If you have any concerns, please contact admin@nt.swimming.org.au prior to the event.

15. Merchandise

Merchandise for this event will be available via the stand during pre-meet and all days of competition. The stand will be located near

the main entrance. For pre orders please go [HERE](#)

16. Medical

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

17. Social Media

Stay up to date with the event via our socials,

Facebook: @SwimmingNT

Instagram: @NTSwimming

TikTok: @SwimmingNT