



Welcome from the BOBSC Events Team

As meet co-ordinators, we would like to invite you to the Borough of Barnsley Swimming Club's Annual Christmas Sprint Meet. The event is to be held on Saturday 9th December 2023 at **Ponds Forge International Pool, Sheffield**.

This year's format will follow our previous Christmas Sprint meets, being an A&B graded gala with 200m Individual Medley, and 50m and 100m events in all strokes. Medals will be awarded for the top 6 swimmers in each age group in both A&B categories, with the exception of Age 9 Years which will not be graded.

The closing date for entries to the gala will be Friday 3rd November 2023. Should the meet become full prior to this date, it will close early. Entries will be accepted on a first come first serve basis and payment is required at the point of entry. Late entries may be accepted, on a lane-fill basis and will be at the organiser's discretion. No late entries will be accepted on the day of the meet.

Entry per event: £6.50

Coaches and Team Managers will be admitted to the poolside with provision of a poolside pass. Priced £15.00 each.

Preferred method of entry is via Sportsys entry file and payment by BACS.

Please email your entry summary forms and Sportsys files to gala@bobsc.co.uk

Manual, paper entries will be accepted via email or post. A manual entry form is available. However, please ensure entries for 3 swimmers or more are on a Sportsys file if possible.

Address:

BOBSC Club Secretary

1 Scholes Field Close, Scholes, Rotherham, South Yorkshire, S61 2XX

Payment by BACS transfer to:

Borough of Barnsley Swimming Club

Sort Code 20-04-50

Account 93406180

Please use your club code and the meet reference CS23 in your payment reference (eg BAME CS23).

We enclose full details and entry sheets, and we look forward to hearing from you.

Yours sincerely

BOBSC EVENTS TEAM



BOROUGH OF BARNSLEY SWIMMING CLUB

Affiliated to Swim England North East Region

To be held under Swim England Laws and Technical Rules at the

Ponds Forge International Pool, Sheffield

27th Annual Christmas Sprint

Long Course A & B Graded Gala

Licence – Level 3 - TBC

Saturday 9th December 2023

General information and meet rules:

1. The competition will be held under Swim England Laws and Technical Rules.
2. The pool is 50m in length x 10 lanes with Omega Quantum electronic timing, scoreboard and secondary strobe will be available; anti-wave ropes will be used.
3. All entrants must be a member of an affiliated club and an amateur as defined by Swim England.
4. All events will be swum as A & B grade based on results swum on the day.
5. Age groups are 9yrs, 10yrs, 11yrs, 12yrs, 13yrs, 14yrs, 15yrs & over. Competition ages will be as at 9th December 2023.
6. All events will have two categories – Girls and Boys/Open. The Girls category is for birth sex females in accordance with Swim England's Transgender and Non-Binary Competition Policy. By entering the Girls category you confirm that your birth sex is female.
7. All events will be heat declared winners, for A & B Grade. Heats will seeded according to submitted times.
8. There are no additional tolerance times. Competitors who break cut-off times for B Grade will automatically be classed as A Grade. Competitors who break cut-off times for A Grade will not be eligible for the awards for placings 1-6 but will receive a speeding medal.
9. Awards will be presented to the first 6 swimmers in each age group, and in each grade (with the exception of the Age 9yrs category which will not be graded)
10. All clubs entering the meet should also provide officials if possible. Please send a list of available officials to the meet organiser with your entry.
11. All entries will be dealt with on a first come first serve basis.
12. Any entry errors must be reported to the meet organiser as soon as possible, prior to the meet, to allow time to amend the programme and start lists on the day.
13. Withdrawals will be accepted by e-mail until Friday 8th December at 5pm. Withdrawals on the day should be notified to the Omega Suite.
14. Late entries will not be accepted, unless on a lane-fill basis and will be at the organisers discretion.



15. Competitors must report to marshalling area 1 event before the event they are competing in, at which time they will be allocated to their correct lane. Any competitor not reporting to marshalling on time may be excluded from the event.
16. The referee's decision is final.
17. Presentations will not be made. Competitors who have won an award must report to the medals table when called by the announcer.
18. Coaches and Team Managers will be admitted to poolside on production of a poolside pass which will be made available at the start of the day. These must be purchased in advance, costing £15.00 each
19. Start sheets will be distributed to Coaches and Team Managers prior to commencement of each session
20. No outdoor shoes must be worn on poolside; footwear must be worn outside the pool area.
21. No glass containers are permitted on the poolside.
22. All attendees are advised not to leave clothes or equipment lying around as neither the promoters or Ponds Forge Management can accept liability for any loss or damage. Any lost property should be taken to the announcers table.
23. The promoters reserve the right to refuse admission to any competitor or spectator.
24. When entering this event, you agree that we may collect and publish personal information as part of the entry to and results of the event. We may pass such information to the Governing Body or Affiliated organisations for the purpose of membership and qualification checking. Following the event your personal information will be used for publishing results either for the event alone or combined with or compared to other events (British Rankings). The published results may include (but not limited to) Name, Club Membership, Race, Times, Age, Category
25. Any matter not covered in the above will be at the discretion of the organisers. Any queries should be directed to the Club Secretary (Jo Ingram) on gala@bobsc.co.uk



Schedule of Events

Session 1 – Warm up 8am

Start Time – 9am

- Event 101 – Girls 200m IM
102 – Boys/Open 100m Backstroke
103 – Girls 100m Butterfly
104 – Boys/Open 100m Breaststroke
105 – Girls 100m Backstroke
106 – Boys/Open 50m Butterfly
107 – Girls 50m Breaststroke
108 – Boys/Open 50m Freestyle
109 – Girls 50m Freestyle

Session 2 – Warm up TBC

Start time - TBC

- Event 201 – Boys/Open 200m IM
202 – Girls 50m Backstroke
203 – Boys/Open 50m Breaststroke
204 – Girls 50m Butterfly
205 – Boys/Open 50m Backstroke
206 – Girls 100m Breaststroke
207 – Boys/Open 100m Butterfly
208 – Girls 100m Freestyle
209 – Boys/Open 100m Freestyle



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BOYS/OPEN A Grade

Boys/Open entry times no faster than:							
	9yrs	10yrs	11yrs	12yrs	13yrs	14yrs	15yrs/over
50m Freestyle	No Cut off times	32.0	30.6	29.6	28.0	26.9	24.1
100m Freestyle		1.12.6	1.08.6	1.06.6	1.03.1	1.00.0	54.5
50m Breaststroke		43.6	40.6	37.9	35.2	33.5	30.5
100m Breaststroke		1.35.8	1.29.8	1.24.6	1.18.0	1.13.2	1.04.1
50m Butterfly		36.5	34.5	33.5	30.5	28.2	26.9
100m Butterfly		1.22.6	1.20.6	1.17.6	1.11.0	1.05.5	59.0
50m Backstroke		38.2	36.2	35.2	33.6	30.0	28.5
100m Backstroke		1.21.2	1.18.2	1.17.2	1.15.2	1.08.0	1.00.0
200m Individual Medley		2.55.6	2.51.6	2.45.6	2.35.9	2.25.2	2.15.0

BOYS/OPEN B Grade

Boys/Open times no faster than:							
	9yrs	10yrs	11yrs	12yrs	13yrs	14yrs	15yrs/over
50m Freestyle	No cut-off times	38.6	37.8	34.4	33.1	31.5	31.0
100m Freestyle		1.21.3	1.19.5	1.14.4	1.08.5	1.04.7	1.01.7
50m Breaststroke		57.0	48.0	47.0	41.7	41.0	38.6
100m Breaststroke		1.58.8	1.48.0	1.43.0	1.27.1	1.23.7	1.21.7
50m Butterfly		54.4	47.8	42.7	37.0	34.9	33.5
100m Butterfly		1.50.0	1.35.0	1.26.0	1.16.4	1.13.2	1.09.4
50m Backstroke		48.3	45.8	41.9	39.0	36.9	35.0
100m Backstroke		1.46.2	1.35.2	1.27.0	1.24.3	1.19.8	1.13.9
200m Individual Medley		3.42.0	3.28.9	3.03.5	2.45.4	2.40.0	2.37.0



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GIRLS A Grade

Girls entry times no faster than:							
	9yrs	10yrs	11yrs	12yrs	13yrs	14yrs	15yrs/over
50m Freestyle	No Cut off Times	32.6	31.6	30.6	28.6	28.0	27.0
100m Freestyle		1.14.5	1.07.5	1.06.5	1.04.0	1.02.6	59.5
50m Breaststroke		43.5	41.5	39.0	37.7	36.0	34.0
100m Breaststroke		1.30.5	1.27.5	1.23.9	1.21.5	1.19.1	1.14.0
50m Butterfly		36.0	33.7	33.0	32.4	31.6	29.0
100m Butterfly		1.19.5	1.16.7	1.15.7	1.13.3	1.10.7	1.06.0
50m Backstroke		37.8	35.8	35.0	34.6	33.9	30.3
100m Backstroke		1.20.0	1.17.0	1.15.0	1.11.2	1.09.4	1.07.0
200m Individual Medley		2.51.0	2.46.0	2.42.0	2.35.0	2.32.6	2.27.0

GIRLS B Grade

Girls times no faster than:							
	9yrs	10yrs	11yrs	12yrs	13yrs	14yrs	15yrs/over
50m Freestyle	No cut-off Times	41.0	37.0	34.5	33.6	32.5	31.1
100m Freestyle		1.28.0	1.20.6	1.18.2	1.15.8	1.13.9	1.09.9
50m Breaststroke		55.7	48.7	45.6	44.8	43.2	42.0
100m Breaststroke		1.50.8	1.43.8	1.36.6	1.32.3	1.28.9	1.26.5
50m Butterfly		50.6	43.7	39.5	37.6	36.4	35.6
100m Butterfly		1.49.0	1.32.2	1.24.8	1.19.0	1.15.0	1.14.0
50m Backstroke		50.0	44.6	41.5	38.6	37.8	36.5
100m Backstroke		1.44.0	1.34.0	1.28.4	1.25.8	1.23.2	1.18.2
200m Individual Medley		3.35.0	3.17.4	3.10.2	3.00.5	2.55.6	2.50.5

Long Course 50m Pool (Short Course 25m converted times will be accepted)

Please note there is no additional tolerance permitted on the above times.



If the time swum on the day is faster on the day than B Grade cut-off, the swimmer will automatically be classed as A Grade. No entries will be accepted with times faster than the A Grade cut off times.

No awards for places 1-6 will be made to swimmers who swim faster than the A Grade cut-off times, they will however receive a speeding medal.