## SSV INNER NORTH & MORELAND DIVISIONS SWIMMING CHAMPIONSHIPS 2017.

The SSV Inner North & Moreland Divisions Swimming Championship carnival will be held at FITZROY PUBLIC POOL on Wednesday March 8. The carnival will commence at 10.00am and conclude between 2:10pm and 2.30pm.

## **Schools Competing:**

SCHOOL	CODE	Seating - Schools choose their own area on the day
PRINCES HILL HIGH SCHOOL	PRIH	
MELBOURNE GIRLS COLLEGE	MGGS	
FITZROY HIGH SCHOOL	FTZS	
UNIVERSITY HIGH SCHOOL	UNIV	
BRUNSWICK S.C.	BSWK	
GLENROY COLLEGE	GLEY	
PASCOE VALE GIRLS COLLEGE	PASC	
JOHN FAWKNER COLLEGE	JOHF	
COLLINGWOOD P-12 COLLEGE	COLL	
COBURG HIGH SCHOOL.	COBS	
AUSTRALIAN INTERNATIONAL ACADEMY	AIA	
ILIM COLLEGE	ILIM	

Plan of FITZROY PUBLIC PO NOT TO SCALE	IC POOL  No Spectators. COMPETITORS only						RACE RECORDING & ANNOUNCING		
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START FOR ALL EVENTS									

## **TEAMS:**

Team LISTS do not need to be provided. Competitors from schools must report to marshalling area on the day.

## **AGE-GROUPS:**

All Ages are as at **DECEMBER 31<sup>st</sup> 2017** 

There are six age groups - 12-13 years, 14 years, 15 years, 16 years, 17 years, and 18-20 years

#### **EVENTS:**

ALL age groups: Freestyle, Backstroke, Breaststroke, **Butterfly** - all 50m.

Freestyle Relay - 4 x 50m.

12-20 years OPEN: 100m Backstroke 100m Breaststroke, 400m Freestyle

12-15 years OPEN: 100m Freestyle 200m Freestyle, 200m Individual medley

16-20 years OPEN: 100m Freestyle 200m Freestyle, 200m individual medley,

Medlev Relays: Junior (12-14 years), Intermediate (15-16 years), and Senior (17-20 years)

(4 x 50m)

### **COMPETITOR RESTRICTIONS:**

• Each competitor is allowed in a maximum of **five (5) INDIVIDUAL events, plus relays.** Competitors may compete in only one age group for which they are eligible. A student can choose to be in an older age group, but this means ALL their events are in this age group They may compete in an event in the next available age group for which they are eligible PROVIDED there is no 'identical event' in their own selected age group. Any student 20 years or younger is eligible to compete in an 'Open' event.

- Exception of new relay rule. A student can change to a higher age group for a relay after competing in a lower
  age group on the day. The student cannot however swim the same relay event for more than one age group.
  They can compete in another relay event if it is a different event type i.e. a 14 yrs 4x50 freestyle and a 16 yrs
  4x50 medley.
- 'Identical event' is defined as an event of the same stroke over the shortest distance. If a student wishes to
  compete in another age group (when they are younger than this age group) they must compete in ALL events
  at the age group selected.
- Each school is allowed a maximum of Two (2) competitors in all events for the 50m 12-13yr, 14yr, 15yr, 16yr 17yr and 20yr (18 20) age groups. In ALL other individual events schools are allowed ONE (1) competitor only.
- RELAYS: Schools are allowed ONE (1) team in each relay event at ALL age groups.

#### THE PROGRAM:

The program allows for heats to be conducted in each of the age groups if required. The first 3 placegetters in **each event** and **heat** (if conducted) will be awarded ribbons. If there is a heat, the first 3 times of each heat will be obtained and the fastest 3 placegetters overall will be recorded (which will include one as an emergency) for NMR progression to Regional Swimming. If there is no heat, then just the fastest 3 placegetters will be recorded (which will include one as an emergency) for NMR progression to Regional Swimming. Only one school per event is allowed to progress to Region.

## **SPECIAL NOTES:**

Teams must supply all of their own first aid equipment including ice or disposable instant ice packs and sunscreen..

## 2. WARMING UP:

Swimmers may warm up in the pool until ten minutes before the first event and then during the program the opportunity to warm up is in the additional public lane provided not used in the days competition.

3. **SWIMMING CAPS:** Schools are to provide their own swimming caps.

#### **INSTRUCTIONS FOR COMPETITORS:**

- Report to the marshalling area SIX events before their own, or as called by the announcer. It is students' responsibility to be prompt for events. Organisers are warned the Public Address System may be hard to hear at times, so they must be aware of the progress of the events. Team managers should assist with making sure students report on time please.
- Marshals will direct competitors to the Starter's Marshal, who will place competitors in their correct lanes for the Starter. Students should be informed of their school's lane number BEFORE THE CARNIVAL but note that sometimes this may change in Section B.
- The **STARTER'S INSTRUCTIONS** will be as follows:
  - 1. **WHISTLE:** stand on your blocks. (Jump in water for Backstroke.)
  - 2. "TAKE YOUR MARKS": move to front of blocks and assume starting position.
  - 3. **GUN:** GO!
- Competitors are to remain in the water at the end of events until told to leave the water.
- Placed competitors will receive a place token from the Judge's runners. The competitor then exits the pool
  and takes the token to the Race Recorders and the Ribbon Attendants will give ribbons to the entitled
  competitors.
- Non-competitor's to please keep the finishing area clear at all times.

# QUALIFICATION FOR NMR REGIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS:

The TWO (2) fastest competitors on the day, irrespective of which Division (Inner North or Moreland) will be recorded and progress to the NMR Regional Championships. This applies to both individual events and relays. The THIRD (3) fastest competitor on the day in each event will also be recorded as an emergency. If a school has more than one competitor or relay team in any event, only the first competitor or relay team from any one school can progress to NMR Region, not both.