



Maryborough Masters Swim Meet

Maryborough Aquatic Centre
Corner Kent and John Streets
15 October 2022 – 9am warm up

Event	Distance	Stroke
1.	400m	Individual Medley
2.	400m	Butterfly
3.	400m	Backstroke
4.	400m	Breaststroke
5.	400m	Freestyle
6.	200m	Individual Medley
7.	200m	Butterfly
8.	200m	Backstroke
9.	200m	Breaststroke
10.	200m	Freestyle
11.	50m	Backstroke
12.	4 x 50m	Men's Medley Relay
13.	4 x 50m	Women's Medley Relay
14.	50m	Freestyle
15.	100m	Butterfly
16.	100m	Backstroke
17.	50m	Butterfly
18.	100m	Breaststroke
19.	100m	Freestyle
20.	50m	Breaststroke
21.	4 x 50m	Women's Freestyle Relay
22.	4 x 50m	Men's Freestyle Relay
23.	50m	Dash for Cash – Female Handicap
24.	50m	Dash for Cash – Male Handicap



Meet Details



Date: 15 October 2022	Meet Director: Ian McAlister	Five (5) individual events + relays
Venue: Maryborough Aquatic Centre	lmc49125@bigpond.net.au	Entry Fee: \$35 including BBQ
Warm up: 9:00AM	0484 767 806	Enter: Swim Central
Start time: 10:00AM	MSQ Sanction Number: Q17/22	Entries Close: 4 October 2022

Venue

Maryborough Aquatic Centre, Corner Kent and John Streets.
The Maryborough Pool is a 50m outdoor facility. Sunscreen will be supplied. Please also bring a hat. There is a grandstand and some tents will be provided.

Eligibility

This meet is open to Masters Swimming Queensland (MSQ) registered swimmers, and swimmers registered with other Masters Swimming Australia (MSA) affiliated clubs.

International swimmers who are current members of their National Masters Swimming Federation may also compete. International swimmers and teams must supply proof of their current membership.

Guest swimmers are not permitted to enter this meet. MSA/MSQ membership is available via the [website](#).

Age

Age as at the 31 December 2022. Minimum age is 18 years at day 1 of competition.

Entry fees

All entrants must pay the nomination fee online as directed by Swim Central. Swimmers may enter up to five (5) individual events for \$35. Relays are free. The entry fee includes a BBQ.

Entries

Entries are to be submitted via [Swim Central](#). The closing date for individual and relay entries is Tuesday 4 October 2022.

Swimmers may swim Five (5) individual events + relays.

Swimmers may nominate one 400m event from events 1 - 5.

Swimmers may nominate one 200m event from events 6 - 10.

Qualifying times

There are no qualifying times required for this meet. On selecting an event in Swim Central, if you have matching results from the previous two (2) years, the fastest time will be displayed. If you have no previous results, "NT" will be displayed, and you may be seeded in the slower heats. You

can email the Director of Recording to provide a recent time.

Events

Heats will be swum from fastest to slowest. The fastest seeded heat will be heat 1 of each event. All events will be conducted as timed finals. Starts will be 'over the top' where possible.

Relays

Race Secretaries must complete relay nominations in Swim Central by the closing date. Clubs entering relays must ensure their members are entered individually in ample time to complete relay entry. Clubs may enter multiple teams per age group for all relays. Any changes to relay composition shall be only accepted if due to illness or nonattendance and advised to the Meet Recorder before the commencement of competition. Swimmers must enter at least one individual event to be eligible to swim in a relay team. All relays must consist of members or second claim members of the same club. All teams not disqualified will score points.

Dash for Cash

Events 23 and 24 are Dash for Cash and are not eligible for points and will not be uploaded to the National Results Portal. Swimmers will be entered on the day.

Entry List and Timeline

The entry list will be available on the event page of the MSQ website on 5 October 2022. All competitors must check their entries thoroughly and submit discrepancies to the Director of Recording by 7 October 2022.

The timeline for this meet will be published on the event page of the MSQ website on 11 October 2022.

Late entries

Late entries will not be accepted at this meet.

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Multi Class events

Multi Class swimmer are always welcome, however there will be no separate Multi Class events conducted at this meet.

Editing and withdrawing entries

A swimmer may change or withdraw from their entries up until the closing date. In Swim Central, go to your profile, the meet, the event, click green 'entered' button for the event you wish to withdraw from or remove. You may then add another entry. If a refund is required, click 'request refund' for that event in order history. Provide a reason, then click 'request refund'. This requires approval before changes are confirmed.

Withdrawal and Refund Policy

A swimmer may withdraw from this meet or an event prior to the closing date. You will lodge your request in Swim Central against your entries. If approved, a refund will be granted, minus the processing fee.

Rules

All Masters Swimming Queensland rules, Masters Swimming Australia and FINA Swimming Rules apply. By nominating to participate in this swim meet, all swimmers thereby authorise the Meet Director/MSQ/Maryborough Aquatic Centre Management to take whatever action is deemed necessary in the event of an emergency, and persons involved accept responsibility for any and all costs arising from such action.

COVID-Safe Meet Information

This event will be held in compliance with all QLD Health directives and venue COVID-19 restrictions in place at the time of the event. By nominating for and/or attending this swim meet you agree to accept the [MSQ COVID-19 Terms and Conditions](#) of Event Entry and Attendance and the venue management's conditions of use that apply at the time of the meet, both of which are subject to change at short notice.

To help reduce the spread of COVID-19 please:

- Do not attend if you are COVID-19 positive or have COVID-19 symptoms
- Maintain physical distancing to the extent possible outside of the pool
- Practice good hand hygiene, washing/sanitising hands often

Tickets and programs

Entry to this meet is free for spectators – no tickets are required.

Programs will be available for online download prior to and during the meet. Programs made available before the day of the competition will be draft and are subject to change without notice.

Warm-up start time

Warm-up for this meet will commence at 9am. Competition will commence at 10am. One lane of the 50m pool will remain open throughout the duration of the day's session for warm-up and swim down.

Results

Results will be posted at the venue soon after the completion of each event. Final results will be updated on the MSA Portal, and a PDF results file will be published on the MSQ website.

Records

This pool has a certified survey of length, and manual timing will be used. Results will appear on the National Results Portal. Queensland and Australian records may be set at this meet, and results are eligible for FINA World Top 10.

Meet awards

Awards will be presented at the BBQ at the conclusion of the meet to:

- Individual points first, second, and third per age group
- Club Trophy – highest aggregate points

Pool deck access

Pool deck access is limited to marshaling for events, the officials and technical staff. Please do not stand in front of the recording area.

Photo/video release

All attendees at this meet agree that they may be photographed or videoed, and that the material may be used by MSQ at their discretion, or by others to promote activities of a club or branch, or for personal use including social media.

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For the guidance of competitors

- Swimmers must comply with signage on the pool deck regarding the use of the warm-up and swim-down lanes. Diving will not be permitted unless the signage indicates otherwise.
- Swimmers must wear only one pair of FINA approved swimwear. In accordance with MSA Inclusive Swimwear Policy swimsuits may be modified or alternative swimsuits may be worn to accommodate a swimmer's individual needs, provided any modification or proposed alternative swimsuit is approved by the Referee prior to the swimmer's first event at the competition.
- At the conclusion of warm-up periods, swimmers must leave the competition pool promptly when requested.
- Paddles and watches are not permitted to be worn during competition, warm-up or swim-down.
- Event(s) to be marshaled will be announced.
- Swimmers should keep clear of timekeepers moving to the blocks to collect times. Use care and discretion when preparing for your start prior to the previous heat completion, i.e. adjusting your block's kick position.
- Starts will be 'over the top' where possible. Move quickly to the lane rope away from the wall once you have completed your heat. Competitors will remain in their respective lanes until the next heat is started.
- When asked to clear the pool lanes 1–4 will exit via lane 1, and lanes 5–8 will exit via lane 8.
- All clubs will be called on to assist with timekeeping throughout the meet. Water and snacks will be provided to timekeepers and volunteers.
- The Aquatic Centre's Canteen will be open.
- Free event parking will be available at the Maryborough Aquatic Centre.
- Bring your smiley faces – for Fitness, Friendship and Fun.
- MSQ notes that the information provided is correct at the time of publishing, however, is subject to change.

Self Marshaling

All swimmers will be required to self-marshall. Swimmers and officials are to be physically distanced and minimise contact with surfaces. People who are not swimming or officiating should not be near the starting end of the pool during the meet.

- Swimmers are responsible for knowing the event, heat, and lane they are competing in, and for being aware of what event/heat is currently in the water. The Meet Announcer will be calling the heat number in the water

after the start of every heat, and regularly reminding how many heats there are in total for the current event.

- An entrant who fails to report to the Marshaling area prior to their heat being called to the blocks may be deemed withdrawn.
- No more than four (4) heats of swimmers are permitted in the marshaling area including behind the blocks:
 - 50m events - 4 heats prior to the heat in the water
 - 100m events - 4 heats prior to the heat in the water
 - 200m events - 3 heats prior to the heat in the water
 - 400m events - 2 heats prior to the heat in the water
- Swimmers in 50m events need to be prepared to move quickly.
- The Self Marshaling Entry List will be emailed to swimmers and published at least two days prior to the meet.
- The Marshal will be a helper who can verify a swimmers' position, answer questions, and direct heats to the blocks. The Check-Starter(s) will do a name and lane check behind the blocks prior to the heat.

Contacts

Meet Director:..... lmc49125@bigpond.net.au

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Swim Central: [Swim Central](#)

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Important dates

Entries open 30 August 2022

Individual and relay closing date..... 4 October 2022

Entry list available by 6 October 2022

Entry list finalised 8 October 2022

Program and timeline on website..... 11 October 2022

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