

## **DOVER LIFEGUARDS CLUB CHAMPIONSHIPS 2018 – MEET CONDITIONS**

**The Meet** will be licensed at Level 4 by the ASA (license applied for) and the times achieved in this competition will appear in the ASA National rankings. The meet will be held under ASA Laws and Technical Rules. The competition is an open meet.

**General** – The Meet is open to all DLGC members who have been paid members for 2 weeks prior to the event in which they wish to swim.

**The pool** is 25 metres long with 6 lanes and anti-wave lane ropes. Electronic timing will be used.

**Warm up** and safety information: The pool is available for warm up only during the designated times. During the warm up swimmers and coaches must ensure that they (and swimmers in their charge) take no action which would endanger themselves or others. The instructions of the warm up marshals or others in authority must be obeyed immediately. Diving is not permitted in the warm up until sprint lanes are announced and then only in the sprint lanes under supervision by club coaches. Competitors must wear footwear and tops when leaving the poolside. All participants must observe the safety precautions in operation at Your Leisure Centre. Neither the promoters nor Your Leisure or Dover Lifeguard Club will be responsible for any loss or damage during the meet. The Promoter and pool management reserve the right to remove any person from the pool area, whose behaviour is either unsafe to themselves or others or against the pool rules, promoter's conditions or the efficient running of the meet.

**The gala promoter** has the right to amend the programme to ensure the smooth running and fairness of the event

**Over Subscription** in the event of oversubscription those entries with no entry times will be rejected first, then the slowest swimmers proportionally across all age groups will be rejected to keep each event within the acceptable time limits. The cost of the entry fee will be refunded in full should any rejections occur due to an oversubscription of entries. No other monies will be refunded.

**Data protection**: consent is deemed to have been given, as required by the Data Protection Act, to hold and distribute as necessary the personal information given by you by email, other electronic means or paper to run the meet.

**Photography**: Anyone wishing to carry out video, zoom or close-range photography must be in accordance with ASA Wave Power 2016-2019. These conditions also apply to swimmers on poolside.

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**Awards**: All events will be on HDW (Heat Declared winners). There will be no Finals. Awards will be made to the fastest 3 boys and girls in each of the following age groups - Under 9yrs , 9yrs,10-12yrs, 13-16yrs, 17-24yrs, 25Plus. **Age as of 31<sup>st</sup> December 2018.**

**Entry fee** is £1 per event.

**Payment** by BACS

Sort code 30-90-92     Account No. 35099860. In reference please put your child surname name

**Signing in, reporting, seeding and starts**: This is a SIGN IN event. Competitors, team managers or coaches must 'sign in' at least 60 minutes before the start of the first race in each session. Swimmers must report to the competitor marshals when instructed to do so and competitors not reporting in time may not be permitted to swim. Events will be swum with all age groups combined, all heats will be spearheaded. Over the top starts will be used at the discretion of the referee.

**Results** will be posted on the wall at the shallow end of the pool. A full list of results will be available on the website at the end of the competition

**Spectators**: Adult spectator admission is £1 per session; children under 10 are admitted free. There is car parking at the centre and nearby public car parks