

St Albans District Schools Swimming Association

Affiliated to Hertfordshire Schools Swimming Association (HSSA)
and English Schools Swimming Association (ESSA)

Years 5 & 6 Trials Gala for the Individual Championships 2012

3rd March, 2012

Promoters Conditions and Information

1. The competition is held under ASA Laws & ASA Technical Rules of Swimming
2. Swimmers school year is their school year during the 2011/2012 schooling year.
3. Swimmers entering must be attending a primary school within the St Albans District boundary.
4. All swimmers participating who are ASA members must include their ASA number on the entry form for their times at this gala to be eligible for the national database.
5. The pool length is 25m. 8 lanes. Automatic timing equipment in operation.
6. All events will be swum over 50m
7. Events include 50m Freestyle, Breaststroke, Backstroke, and Butterfly for each of Boys and Girls and Year 5 and Year 6
8. There will be awards for the top 3 swimmers in each event
9. The competition is run on a heat declared basis, there will be no finals.
10. Over the top starts may be used at the promoter's discretion.
11. The one start rule will apply to all races.
12. Swimmers must register before the competition.
13. Entry fee is £3.50, with no limit on number of events entered (up to maximum of 4)
14. No responsibility can be accepted for any loss or damage to clothing or other articles.
15. Swimmers are expected to be able to complete the events they have entered
16. Swimmers planning to dive must be competent to do so – they can dive from the blocks or the side. The start of each event will be at the deep end, where the pool depth is 1.8m. Where the swimmer is in any doubt they should start in the pool.
17. Swimmers are not allowed in the spectator gallery or the café in swimming costumes.
18. Refreshments can be found in the café (which should be open).
19. In line with the recommendations of the ASA Child Protection Policy, the promoters of the event request that any person wishing to engage in video or photography of any kind register their details with the staff at the spectator entry desk before carrying out any such activity. This includes the use of mobile phones with an image capture facility.
20. Anything not covered in these conditions will be at the discretion of the promoter.