



SWIMMING WELLINGTON

RELAY CHAMPIONSHIP

SATURDAY 31ST OCTOBER 2026

WELLINGTON REGIONAL AQUATIC CENTRE

MEET DETAILS



WARM UP

4:45PM



MEET COMMENCES

5:30PM



POOL SET UP

25M SHORT COURSE



TIMING

ELECTRONIC



ENTRY FEE

\$25 PER TEAM PER EVENT



ENTRIES OPEN

6TH OCTOBER 2026



ENTRIES CLOSE

MIDNIGHT, SUNDAY 25 OCTOBER 2026



BEST DRESSED TEAM AWARD



COSTUMES ARE ENCOURAGED!

A PRIZE WILL BE AWARDED TO THE BEST DRESSED TEAM ON THE DAY.



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Relay Events Programme & Awards

SATURDAY 31ST OCTOBER 2026 | 25M SHORT COURSE

#	Event	Age Group	Distance	Composition	Award
1	Super 5 Freestyle	9/U-16/O	5 x 100m	Mixed	Walker & Hall Trophy
2	Freestyle Relay	9/Under	4 x 50m	Boys	Medals
3	Freestyle Relay	9/Under	4 x 50m	Girls	Kapiti Cup
4	Freestyle Relay	10/11	4 x 50m	Boys	WASC Silver Tray
5	Freestyle Relay	10/11	4 x 50m	Girls	Medals
6	Freestyle Relay	12/13	4 x 50m	Boys	Medals
7	Freestyle Relay	12/13	4 x 50m	Girls	Silver Tray
8	Freestyle Relay	14/15	4 x 50m	Boys	Herbert Swim Cup
9	Freestyle Relay	14/15	4 x 50m	Girls	Medals
10	Freestyle Relay	16/Over	4 x 50m	Boys	Silver Tray
11	Freestyle Relay	16/Over	4 x 50m	Girls	SFWC Silver Tray
12	Clash of the Codes	Open	4 x 50m	Mixed	No Award
13	Medley Relay	9/Under	4 x 50m	Boys	Medals
14	Medley Relay	9/Under	4 x 50m	Girls	B.G.I. Trophy
15	Medley Relay	10/11	4 x 50m	Boys	B.G.I. Trophy
16	Medley Relay	10/11	4 x 50m	Girls	Inglis Trophy
17	Medley Relay	12/13	4 x 50m	Boys	Medals
18	Medley Relay	12/13	4 x 50m	Girls	B.G.I. Trophy
19	Medley Relay	14/15	4 x 50m	Boys	Neill Cup
20	Medley Relay	14/15	4 x 50m	Girls	Medals
21	Medley Relay	16/Over	4 x 50m	Boys	Kapiti Cup
22	Medley Relay	16/Over	4 x 50m	Girls	Trophy
23	Seasoned Swimmers (25+)	25+	4 x 50m	Mixed	Golden Oldies Silver Cup
24	Clash of the Codes (Fins)	Open	4 x 50m	Mixed	No Award
25	Flying Squadron	9/U-16/O	10 x 50m	Mixed (alternating)	Karori Shield

CLASH OF THE CODES

A FUN AQUATIC EXHIBITION RELAY

A mixed relay bringing swimming together with other aquatic codes.

Who will claim the bragging rights? No trophy. No championship points. Just fun, rivalry and team spirit!

EVENT 23: FREE ENTRY

Events 12, 23 & 24: see Entry Conditions for eligibility.

1. Entry Conditions

- 1.1 This is not a Swimming New Zealand (SNZ) sanctioned meet and times will not be loaded into the SNZ database.
- 1.2 Age as at 31 October 2026.
- 1.3 Events 1 to 11, 13 to 22 and 25 and are only open to SNZ registered swimmers (Recreational and Competitive). Event 23 is open to anybody 25 years of age and over who meet the conditions in 1.6. Events 12 and 24 are open to anybody who is associated with the aquatics community, any gender mix is allowed.
- 1.4 Event 1 is for 1 swimmer of each age group, any gender, and will be swum youngest to oldest.
- 1.5 Event 25 is 1 female and 1 male from each age group. The event will be swum youngest age group to oldest age group, with the female swimmer swimming first in each age group.
- 1.6 Swimming up an age is permitted in events 2 to 9 and 13 to 20 provided at least 3 team members meet the actual age requirement. Swimmers may enter both age and open events.
- 1.7 Swim-ups in events 1 and 25 are only permitted where a club has no swimmers available in a specific age/gender group. Age groups for events 1 and 25 are 9yrs and under, 10/11yrs, 12/13yrs., 14/15yrs and 16yrs and over.
- 1.8 Composite Teams are not allowed except for events 12 and 24 where no club affiliation is required, entries should include an appropriate team name. Swimmers in Event 23 should have a relevant current connection to the club they are entered for.
- 1.9 Clubs may enter multiple teams for any event.
- 1.10 Entries for events 2 to 11 and 13 to 22 are to be done via FastLane. Entries for event 1, 12 and 23 to 25 are to be emailed to the Meet Organiser by Sunday 25 October. Names and times of swimmers are to be supplied at the time of entry.
- 1.11 Entries via FastLane open on Monday 6 October at 8:00am and close at midnight on Sunday 25 October.
- 1.12 Entry fee is \$25 per event payable on entry in FastLane. Payment details will be advised for entries made by email. There is no entry fee for events 12, 23 and 24.
- 1.13 Refunds will be allowed for any withdrawals before entries close. Refunds for withdrawals after entries have closed will be at the discretion of Swimming Wellington.
- 1.14 Late entries may be accepted up until 5:00pm Wednesday 28 October.
- 1.15 Withdrawals after closing are to be emailed to the meet organiser as soon as possible until 5:00pm on Wednesday 28 October. Withdrawals on the day are to be made at the recorders desk prior to the start of warm-up.
- 1.16 Swimming Wellington or the Technical Director may amend the programme or restrict entries if required.

2. Meet Rules

- 2.1 This Swimming Wellington Sanctioned Short Course meet will be conducted under Swimming Wellington Policies and local rules.
- 2.2 Meet will start on Saturday 31 October 2026 at 5:30pm.
- 2.3 The swimming will be officiated according to World Aquatics (WA) Swimming Rules 2 to 11 excluding 10.4.1 to 10.4.2.2 and local rules.
- 2.4 Event 24 (Fins) will be swum as Freestyle with the exception that there is no requirement for the swimmer to surface until the end of the race. Fins may not have a maximum overall length (including shoe or ankle strap extended) of 50cm and maximum width of 25cm at the widest point of the blade.
- 2.5 Events will be swum as timed finals in relevant age groups as per the event schedule.
- 2.6 Replacement of swimmers can be made up to the time the event is marshalled, as long as the entry conditions are met and are to be advised to the recorder as soon as possible on the relay change form.
- 2.7 Any entry may be changed to an exhibition swim if a replacement swimmer does not meet the entry conditions (age or club membership).
- 2.8 Swimmers finishing their distance of the race must exit from the side of the pool as soon as possible without interfering with any other swimmer. The final swimmer of each team at the end of the race must stay in the pool and move away from the bulkhead and to the side of the lane. Swimmers must exit from the side of the pool after the start of the next race or when the referee signals to clear the pool with two short whistles.
- 2.9 Events will be marshalled.
- 2.10 Timing for this event will be automatic.
- 2.11 Strapping of muscles/joints etc is permitted to support a current injury and evidence is required in writing from a doctor or physio for taping of fingers. Approval by the Technical Director is required prior to the meet commencing.
- 2.12 Disqualifications will be announced and the DQ form will be able to be viewed (and photographed) at the recorders desk by the relevant Team Manager.
- 2.13 Protests may be lodged according to SNZ Policy 008 with payment of \$100 cash.
- 2.14 The SNZ code of conduct for all swimmers and spectators shall apply.

3. Awards

- 3.1 Age Groups are 9yrs and Under, 10/11yrs, 12/13yrs., 14/15yrs and Open Age.
- 3.2 The top 3 Swimming Wellington teams placing in each event (except 12 and 24) will receive Gold, Silver and Bronze medals.
- 3.3 Medals will be presented throughout the meet with event trophies. Club uniform tops are required for medal presentations.

4. Club, Swimmer and Volunteer Information

- 4.1 Meet will be held Wellington Regional Aquatic Centre, Kilbirnie on Saturday 31 October 2026.
- 4.2 Doors open 4:30pm.
- 4.3 Initial Psych Sheets will be published on the SWN website on Monday 26 October.
- 4.4 Final Psych Sheets and programme will be published on the SWN website by 8:00pm on Thursday 29 October.
- 4.5 Images (e.g. photography, video etc.) may be taken by accredited media approved by Swimming Wellington. Images are only to be used for legitimate purposes in accordance with the SNZ Member Protection Policy. Club photographers must have approval from Swimming Wellington prior to the start of the meet.
- 4.6 Entry for all attendees will be via the south entrance. Team Managers are to present Swimming Wellington pool entry passes. Coaches are to display their SCTNZ card throughout the meet. Officials (including timekeepers and club volunteers) are required to sign in on entry.
- 4.7 Two programmes per club (for Team Managers) will be available from the recorders desk near the start end of the pool.
- 4.8 Warm-Up
 - ◆ Will commence at 4:45pm and finish 5:25pm.
 - ◆ First 25 minutes – General Warm Up (no dive lanes). Lane 0 reserved for Para Swimmers (if any). Feet First Entry
 - ◆ Lane 0, 1, 8, 9 – Dive lanes for the last 20 minutes of warm-up.
 - ◆ Swimmers must exit the pool at the side and not swim over the lane ropes.
 - ◆ Warm-up and Warm-down will be available in the non competition part of the pool, lanes 6 to 9 from the start of warmup to the end of competition.
- 4.9 Clubs will be required to provide timekeepers and IOT's for this event based on the number of swimmers entered. Clubs will be advised on the numbers required after entries are closed. To aid in planning prior to entries closing, the expected ratio is 1 timekeeper per 8 swimmers and 1 IOT per 12 swimmers.
- 4.10 Team Managers Meeting will be held at 4:45pm.
- 4.11 Officials Meeting will be held at 5:10pm.

5. Spectator Information

- 5.1 Entry for Spectators will be via the Main Entrance, entry fee of \$3.00 for spectators 16 yrs and over.
- 5.2 Entry for spectators may be refused if the pool has reached capacity.
- 5.3 Printed programmes will not be available for spectators.
- 5.4 Programmes and results will be available online via Meet Mobile.
- 5.5 Photography by Spectators is limited to personal cell phones.

Contact Details:

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