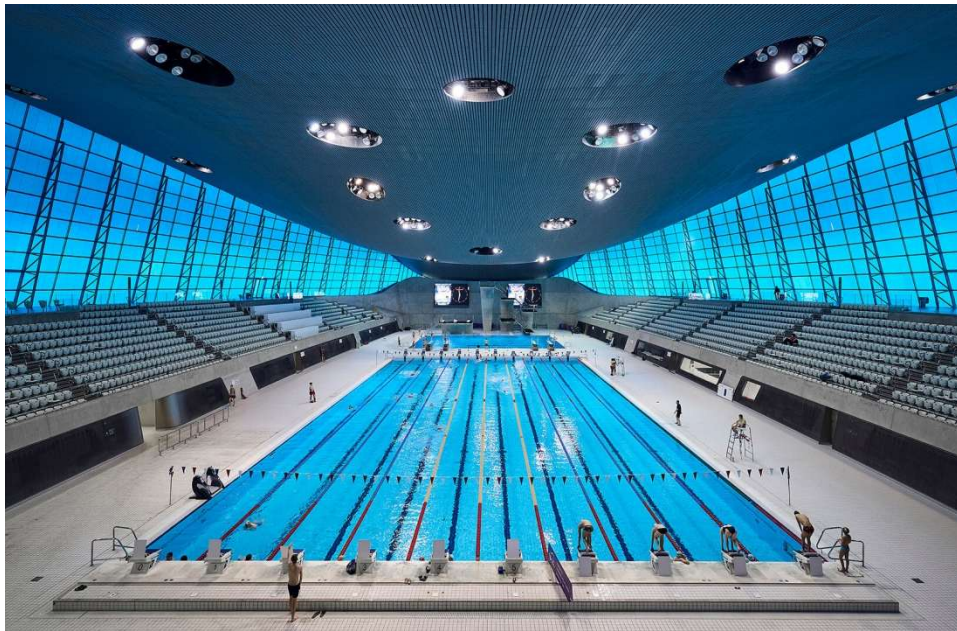




LONDON LEGACY SWIMMING MEET 2025

Promoter's Conditions

License Level 1 (License Number: 1LR250264)
(Under Swim England Laws & Technical Rules)



London Aquatics Centre, Queen Elizabeth Olympic Park, London
Thursday 10th – Saturday 12th April 2025

Hackney Aquatics Club & Anaconda Swimming Club in collaboration with **Greenwich Royals Swimming Club** warmly invite you to join a unique opportunity for swimmers to race and qualify for Aquatics GB & Swim England Summer Championships at the London Aquatics Centre. We will be running up to four finals (Senior A, Senior B, Junior A & Junior B) in order for swimmers to get used to high level competition. Taking place at same venue as British Champs, it also offers swimmers the chance to familiarise themselves with the pool and logistics of London meets.

Closing date for entries Monday the 10th March 2025 at 23:59 GMT



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MEET ADMINISTRATION INFORMATION

- i. The Meet Manager for this meet is Sean Curley: Sean@HackneyAquaticsClub.org
- ii. The Promoter for this meet is Stephen Roberts: Chair@HackneyAquaticsClub.org
- iii. The Lead Referee is Alan Thurlow.
- iv. A swimmer's age shall be determined as at midnight on **31st December 2025**.
- v. If any of the following conditions are contravened or should the conditions not address a specific circumstance, the Promoter and Events Team shall decide what appropriate action, if any, shall be taken in each case.
- vi. Entries can be accepted from competitors registered as members of Swim England, Scottish Swimming, or Swim Wales. Swimmers from other countries will be required to apply for Temporary Membership by completing the form and pay £18.30 on the event website and returning it to the Meet Manager:
<https://www.hackneyaquaticsclub.org/londonlegacyswimmingmeet2025>
- vii. Swimmers with possession of a Swim England Certificate of Swimming Disability or whose Swim England membership record details of a disability sport class or hold a British Blind Sport classification or equivalent from their national federation are welcome to enter the competition.
- viii. The meet will be held under Swim England Laws and Technical Rules and these Promoters Conditions. The meet is licensed at Level 1 under license number: 1LR250264

VENUE

London Aquatics Centre, Queen Elizabeth Olympic Park, London, E20 2ZQ.

- i. The pool length is 50m.
- ii. The pool has 10 lanes with anti-turbulence lane ropes and timing pads.
- iii. The pool depth at the shallow and deep ends is 3.0m.
- iv. Backstroke ledges will be available.
- v. Electronic timing will be in use.
- vi. Over the top/side-by-side starts may be used at the discretion of the referee.
- vii. London Aquatics Centre has a secondary strobe light available upon request.

EVENTS

Individual events will be:

- i. 50m Freestyle, Backstroke, Breaststroke & Butterfly
- ii. 100m Freestyle, Backstroke, Breaststroke & Butterfly
- iii. 200m Freestyle, Backstroke, Breaststroke & Butterfly
- iv. 400m, 800m & 1500m Freestyle
- v. 200m & 400m Individual Medley

The following restrictions apply to these events:

- vi. 800m Freestyle & 1500m Freestyle events are only open to swimmers 12 years and over.
- vii. 800m Freestyle will have a maximum of 3 heats. 2 that are raced in the morning heat session and 1 that is raced in the finals session.
- viii. 1500m Freestyle will have a maximum of 1 heat. This is to be raced in the finals session.
- ix. All heats and finals events will be seeded in accordance with Swim England rules.
- x. Submitted entries must be in accordance with the attached qualifying times. Submitted entry times shall be used for seeding and rejection purposes as required. Once an entry has been submitted improved times will not be accepted.
- xi. Competitors whose entries have been accepted will be expected to swim unless they have complied with the withdrawal procedures.
- xii. Any Para-Swimming competitor who qualifies for a final may swim in that final.



- xiii. There will be no finals for para swimmers swimming in multi-classification events.

FINALS PROCEDURE

- i. All events (except the 800m and 1500m freestyle races) will have heats and finals.
- ii. Heats will be swum in the morning/afternoon sessions. Fastest seeded swimmers will swim in the first morning sessions with slower heats in the second sessions.
- iii. 50m, 100m and 200m races will have Senior A, Senior B, Junior A and Junior B Final in the Finals Sessions.
- iv. The top 10 seeded competitors from the 50m, 100m and 200m heats, aged 16 & Over, will move into the Senior A Final. The next 10 seeded competitors from the heats, aged 16 & Over, will move into the Senior B Final. The top 10 seeded competitors from the heats, aged 15 & Under, will move into the Junior A Final. The next 10 seeded competitors from the heats, aged 15 & Under, will move into the Junior B Final.
- v. The 400m Freestyle and 400m IM races will have a Senior Final and Junior Final. The top 10 seeded competitors from the heats, aged 16 & Over, will move into the Senior Final. The top 10 seeded competitors from the heats, aged 15 & Under, will move into the Junior Final.

ENTRIES

Entry times should be obtained from the Swim England rankings website at any level meet or equivalent national federation rankings system.

- i. The **entry fee** will be £15.00 per event, £18 for 800/1500m events. Full payment for entry fees via BACs transfer (with an entry summary form) must be received by the Meet Manager 7 days after the publishing of the accepted entry lists. **After publishing of accepted entry lists no refunds will be provided other than in exceptional circumstances, such as illness to a swimmer or close relative with supporting evidence.**
- ii. Swimmers can enter as many events as they wish. Late entries may be considered in the event of under subscription. **Entry times should be achieved since 1st January 2024.**
- iii. Entries must meet the published minimum qualification standards and all such entries will be considered. The achievement of the Qualification Time will make the swimmer eligible for consideration as an entry into the competition subject to the Promoter's Conditions. The achievement of the Qualification Time does not guarantee entry into the competition. Entries will be managed to achieve an optimal number of competitors for the meet.
- iv. Entries may be restricted to keep the session times within appropriate timescales. The acceptance of competitors will be based on fastest times submitted by age group. Details of accepted and rejected entries will be posted on our website and sent out as soon as possible after the closing date. Rejected entries will be refunded if payment has already been made.
- v. The submission of entries, either electronically or via entry form indicates acceptance of the Meet Conditions.
- vi. The Closing date for entries is: 23:59 GMT on 10th March 2025
- vii. Club entries with long course times (short course conversions will be accepted) should be submitted using the Hy-tek electronic entry file available from the meet manager or from our website.
- viii. Individual entries may also be accepted using the Individual Entry Form also available on our website.
- ix. The Promoter reserves the right to give preference to Club entries from overseas clubs where the pre- booking of flights is required to travel to and from the Meet. All entries must meet the published qualifying times, proof may be requested. Application must be by email to the Meet Manager & Promoter. The Promoter recommends that no travel or accommodation arrangements are confirmed until the club receives written confirmation of

entry. The Promoter and organizing clubs cannot be held responsible for any costs arising. Swimmers may also need to have completed the Temporary SE Membership Form.

WITHDRAWALS

Swimmers (or their representatives) who are not intending to swim an event must submit notice of **withdrawal(s)**, either electronically or at the announcer's table at the pool by completing an official withdrawal form no later than 50 minutes before the advertised starting time of the first event in the relevant session. Withdrawals for finals must be submitted into the meet organiser 20 minutes after the announcing/publishing of the finals list. **Any swimmer who does not swim in a final and who has not withdrawn in accordance with these conditions will be fined £25.**

Swimmers must report to marshalling at least 10 minutes prior to their race. If a swimmer is late for an event they will lose the right to swim in it.

WAVEPOWER

Hackney Aquatics Club and other organisers adhere to the Swim England Wavepower policy recommendations. As the permitted use of devices which capture still or moving images is no longer dependent upon pre-registration, we request that all persons attending this meet at the London Aquatics Centre have a clear understanding of their responsibilities and obligations as detailed in the "Swim England **Photography** Guidance" section of Wavepower 2024. All coaches and officials shall comply with Swim England Wavepower 2024. Swim England changing room policy now **prohibits all use of a mobile phone or device in changing room areas.**

HEALTH AND SAFETY

- i. Everyone attending the event must familiarise themselves with the location of the emergency exits, which must be always kept clear. Everyone is asked to observe all normal precautions in the pool area and when moving around the London Aquatics Centre.
- ii. Swimmers must not leave poolside unless they are dry and wearing clothes and shoes.

TRANSGENDER / NON-BINARY

In line with [Swim England's Transgender and Non-Binary Competition Policy](#) swimmers will be required to swim in one of two groups, Female or Open/Male swimmers. The Female category is for birth sex females. By entering the 'Female' category, a swimmer confirms that their birth sex is female.

STEWARDEDING

It is the responsibility of team managers and coaches to ensure that their swimmers report to the marshals in time for the start of their race. The organisers and pool management reserve the right to remove any spectator or swimmer whose behaviour is against the rules of the pool or the efficient running of the meet. Stewards will be patrolling the centre and anyone found causing damage or seriously misbehaving will be banned from the meet and refused entry to the building with no refunds. The organisers are not responsible for any swimmers from other clubs.

THE POOLSIDE & PASSES

Only swimmers, coaches & team managers with a pass and officials and volunteers will be allowed on poolside during the Meet.

- i. All clubs are expected to meet or exceed recommended ratios of coaches/team managers to swimmers. <https://www.swimming.org/swimengland/swim-england-relases-supervision-ratios-policy/>
- ii. Poolside passes for coach, chaperones and personal care attendance are available at a cost of £35 per day.
- iii. A free poolside pass will be provided to any club that provides an official for every session, any one club may claim a maximum of 5 free poolside passes in this way. (This will be processed as a post-event refund to the relevant clubs).

Coaches will supervise the warm-up. Swimmers must leave the pool by the steps at the sides of the pool and not climb over the electronic pads.

OFFICIALS & VOLUNTEERS

Without sufficient licensed Swim England officials we will not be able to run this meet.

- i. Clubs are requested to supply a licensed & qualified Official for every 7 swimmers entered the competition. However, the Promoter will not refuse entries from clubs who are unable to supply Officials. In the event of an insufficient number of Officials being available for any session, the promoter reserves the right to curtail or otherwise cancel that session.
- ii. Fully licensed & qualified officials will be offered reimbursement regardless of if they have a child swimming in the meet. Trainee officials will not be offered this.
- iii. To sign up to officiate please email our Officials Coordinator on HAC_Officials@HackneyAquaticsClub.Org or sign up via the event website by clicking here <https://www.hackneyaquaticsclub.org/londonlegacyswimmingmeet2025>
- iv. Drinks will be available for all officials and food will be provided for those officials or volunteers who work all day. Reasonable travel expenses will be available by pre-arrangement for officials (who should email HAC_Officials@HackneyAquaticsClub.Org).

AWARDS

Ages will be as of midnight on 31st of December 2025. Categories for this competition are 10, 11, 12/13, 14/15, 16+ (including Masters) and Para swimmers.

- i. Medals will be awarded to the top three placed swimmers in each of the Age Categories as Heat Declared Winners.

Age bands for finals are Senior (16 Year Olds & Over) and Junior (15 Year Olds & Under).

- i. Awards will be given to the top three placed swimmers in both the Senior A and the Junior A Finals, but not the B Finals.
- ii. For the Female 800m Free & Open/Male 800m Free Awards will be given to the top three placed swimmers in the fastest heat as if it were a final, regardless of any times achieved in earlier heats.
- iii. Awards will be given to the top three placed swimmers in the Female 1500m Free & Open/Male 1500m Free.

SPECTATORS

Access to the gallery seating area is from the first floor (a lift is available). Spectator entry fees are £10/person/day or a three-day spectator pass for £25 (children under 12 are free) on a first come, first served basis. Passes are non-transferable.

DATA

All data relating to the entry and results processing will be held on a computer database. Results of the meet will be sent to Swim England within 5 working days for the purposes of ranking. Swimmer entries will be managed on a computer. By submitting entries, consent is thereby given, as required by the Data Protection Act 2018, to the holding of personal information on computer. Personal data will be available for inspection during the meet upon request.

Anything not covered within these conditions will be at the discretion of the lead referee or ultimately the promoter of the competition.

By submitting and accepting entries to the meet consent is hereby given, as required by the Data Protection Act 2018, to the holding of personal information. The personal information supplied with your entry will be retained securely and will only be used for the legitimate purposes of running the event. This data will be shared by form of results with Swim England (Rankings) and the clubs who have entered the meet. A full copy of the results will be published after the meet. Please be aware that links from our website may take you to external websites that are not covered by our policies. Please ensure that you review their privacy policies before any data is submitted. If any persons want to exercise their right to erasure or processing of their personal data they will need to make a written request to the promoter. We will only hold competition data for 12 months after which it will be destroyed and erased from our systems.

MEET SCHEDULE

Thursday 10th April

Session 1 (Fastest heats)
Open/Male 100m Butterfly
Female 50m Backstroke
Open/Male 400m IM
Female 200m Breaststroke
Open/Male 200m Backstroke
Female 200m Butterfly
Open/Male 50m Freestyle
Female 50m Freestyle
Open/Male 100m Breaststroke

Session 2 (Slower heats)
Open/Male 100m Butterfly
Female 50m Backstroke
Open/Male 400m IM
Female 200m Breaststroke
Open/Male 200m Backstroke
Female 200m Butterfly
Open/Male 50m Freestyle
Female 50m Freestyle
Open/Male 100m Breaststroke

Session 3 (Finals)
Open/Male 1500m Freestyle
Female 1500m Freestyle
Open/Male 100m Butterfly
Female 50m Backstroke
Open/Male 400m IM
Female 200m Breaststroke
Open/Male 200m Backstroke
Female 200m Butterfly
Open/Male 50m Freestyle
Female 50m Freestyle
Open/Male 100m Breaststroke

Friday 11th April

Session 4 (Fastest heats)
Open/Male 400m Freestyle
Female 400m IM
Open/Male 50m Backstroke
Female 200m Freestyle
Open/Male 200m Butterfly
Female 100m Backstroke
Open/Male 100m Freestyle
Female 100m Breaststroke
Open/Male 50m Breaststroke
Female 50m Butterfly
Open/Male 200m IM
Female 800m Free

Session 5 (Slower heats)
Open/Male 400m Freestyle
Female 400m IM
Open/Male 50m Backstroke
Female 200m Freestyle
Open/Male 200m Butterfly
Female 100m Backstroke
Open/Male 100m Freestyle
Female 100m Breaststroke
Open/Male 50m Breaststroke
Female 50m Butterfly
Open/Male 200m IM

Session 6 (Finals)
Female 800m Free
Open/Male 400m Freestyle
Female 400m IM
Open/Male 50m Backstroke
Female 200m Freestyle
Open/Male 200m Butterfly
Female 100m Backstroke
Open/Male 100m Freestyle
Female 100m Breaststroke
Open/Male 50m Breaststroke
Female 50m Butterfly
Open/Male 200m IM

Saturday 12th April

Session 7 (Fastest heats)
Female 400m Freestyle
Female 100m Butterfly
Open/Male 200m
Female 200m Backstroke
Open/Male 100m Backstroke
Female 100m Freestyle
Open/Male 200m Freestyle
Female 50m Breaststroke
Open/Male 50m Butterfly
Female 200m IM
Open/Male 800m Free

Session 8 (Slower heats)
Female 400m Freestyle
Female 100m Butterfly
Open/Male 200m
Female 200m Backstroke
Open/Male 100m Backstroke
Female 100m Freestyle
Open/Male 200m Freestyle
Female 50m Breaststroke
Open/Male 50m Butterfly
Female 200m IM

Session 9 (Finals)
Open/Male 800m Free
Female 400m Freestyle
Female 100m Butterfly
Open/Male 200m
Female 200m Backstroke
Open/Male 100m Backstroke
Female 100m Freestyle
Open/Male 200m Freestyle
Female 50m Breaststroke
Open/Male 50m Butterfly
Female 200m IM

Sessions are expected to start at 9:00am, 1:00pm and 5:00pm.
Timings are tentative and will be confirmed after entries close.

Qualifying Times

Swimmers must be faster than these times.

Long Course Times or Converted Short Course Times will be Accepted.

Open / Male					
Event	10	11	12/13	14/15	16+ Over
50m Free	37.00	36.00	34.50	31.50	29.00
100m Free	1:20.00	1:17.50	1:14.00	1:07.00	1:03.00
200m Free	2:52.00	2:46.00	2:40.00	2:27.00	2:17.00
400m Free	5:50.00	5:40.00	5:30.00	5:10.00	4:50.00
800m Free			11:45.00	10:30.00	9:50.00
1500m Free			21:50.00	20:20.00	19:15.00
50m Breaststroke	46.00	45.00	44.00	40.00	37.00
100m Breaststroke	1:40.00	1:37.00	1:34.00	1:28.00	1:19.00
200m Breaststroke	4:00.00	3:40.00	3:25.00	3:05.00	2:52.00
50m Butterfly	42.00	40.00	38.00	35.00	32.00
100m Butterfly	1:45.00	1:35.00	1:23.00	1:14.00	1:08.00
200m Butterfly	4:00.00	3:40.00	3:20.00	2:41.00	2:31.00
50m Backstroke	44.00	42.00	40.00	37.00	34.00
100m Backstroke	1:35.00	1:30.00	1:24.00	1:18.00	1:11.00
200m Backstroke	3:20.00	3:10.00	3:00.00	2:45.00	2:32.00
200m Medley	3:30.00	3:16.00	3:02.00	2:48.00	2:35.00
400m Medley	7:30.00	7:10.00	6:40.00	5:52.00	5:28.00
Female					
Event	10	11	12/13	14/15	16+ Over
50m Free	37.00	36.00	35.00	33.50	32.00
100m Free	1:20.00	1:17.50	1:15.00	1:12.00	1:09.00
200m Free	2:52.00	2:46.00	2:40.00	2:34.00	2:29.00
400m Free	5:50.00	5:40.00	5:30.00	5:20.00	5:10.00
800m Free			12:10.00	11:00.00	10:40.00
1500m Free			21:50.00	21:05.00	20:20.00
50m Breaststroke	46.00	45.00	44.00	42.50	41.00
100m Breaststroke	1:40.00	1:37.00	1:34.00	1:30.00	1:27.00
200m Breaststroke	3:55.00	3:40.00	3:25.00	3:12.00	3:07.00
50m Butterfly	42.00	40.00	38.00	36.50	35.00
100m Butterfly	1:45.00	1:35.00	1:25.00	1:19.00	1:16.00
200m Butterfly	4:00.00	3:40.00	3:25.00	2:52.00	2:45.00
50m Backstroke	44.00	42.00	40.00	38.50	37.00
100m Backstroke	1:35.00	1:30.00	1:24.00	1:21.00	1:18.00
200m Backstroke	3:20.00	3:10.00	3:00.00	2:51.00	2:45.00
200m Medley	3:30.00	3:16.00	3:02.00	2:54.00	2:48.00
400m Medley	7:30.00	7:10.00	6:40.00	6:05.00	5:52.00