



CHILLIWACK STINGRAYS SWIM CLUB
INVITATIONAL OPEN MEET
Saturday, June 23, 2007
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Location: Rotary Pool (Outdoor Pool)
46245 Reece
Chilliwack, BC

**Type of Meet
And Entries:**

“Open” Meet format (no A/B cut off); timed finals; competitors may enter a maximum of 6 individual events and 2 relays; **Meet Registrars**; please ensure that swimmers in Division 5 and higher register for only six (6) of the seven (7) available individual events. Heats will be run from slowest to fastest so it is important that swimmers be registered with their fastest times. Please make efforts to time all swimmers who do not possess official times; as a last resort estimate the swimmers times. **NOTE:** please ensure that all swimmers have been placed in their proper Division by BCSSA. Please email entries to Debbie Chand, Meet Entry Coordinator at ddsc@shaw.ca and include a validation list by swimmer. **Entries may be made until Monday, June 18, 2007, 9 p.m.** Deck entries and late entries can be made until 7:30 a.m. the morning of the event but please note that there will be a \$5 per entry fee for deck and late entries. We will not re-seed events to accommodate late entries. They will be placed in available spaces and slow heats. Deck entries must be on cards. Events will be collapsed if possible.

Times: Warm-ups: 6:45 a.m. to 7:45 a.m.
Scratches and Deck Entries: 7:30 a.m. (There will be no exceptions). Please submit a list of legible scratches to the Clerk of the Course before 7:30 a.m. each morning.
Officials Meeting: 7:30 a.m.

Marshalling: 8:00 a.m.
Coaches Meeting: 7:45 a.m.
Meet Begins: 8:15 a.m.
Relays Due: 10:00 a.m. (no exceptions)

Late Entry/Deck

Entry Fees:

\$5 per entry for late and deck entered swimmers. These swimmers must be entered by 7:30 a.m. on the day of their events. The fees for late and deck entries is payable to the Chilliwack Stingrays by 12:00 noon, Saturday, June 23rd. Please give the cheques to Diane Janzen, Meet Manager.

Day Time Parking:

Is available at the Rotary parking lot and along side streets of the swimming pool. **Please note that there is no street parking allowed on Reece, between Chilliwack Secondary School and Williams Road. Watch for the signs. Cars will be towed.**

Overnight Parking & Tenting:

The area adjacent to Chilliwack Senior Secondary School including the track and field and ball area will be available for overnight vehicles and camping. **There is no camping on the inside of the track oval.** A small area at the back of the pool is also available. Please supply your own power. Tenting will be allowed as well. Toilets will be available during the day and portable toilets will also be available and is accessible from the east side of the building. Please do not access the washrooms from the deck unless you are on-deck at the time as an official. There are also two portable washroom facilities on the premises. Your support in keeping this area clean and free from garbage and to make sure to inform your swimming families to clean up before they leave. Campers are not permitted to use power from school buildings. Cooking equipment must be minimum 3 metres from all buildings. Security will be on duty. As these facilities are in a residential area, we ask campers to be respectful of that.

Security:

While we will provide security as a swim club, there is a **CAMP AT YOUR OWN RISK** policy in effect. Do not leave any valuables unattended. The local RCMP detachment has been alerted to the presence of swim meet camping at the Rotary Pool.

Winter

Swimmers:

While winter swimmers may only compete in “O-cat” events, every effort will be made to have “O” swimmer placed in heats alongside age appropriate “S” swimmers. At the time this document is being produced, there is no guarantee that this is possible using the new timing system. Relay teams may contain one “O” swimmer per team.

Relays:

Composition of relay teams must be reported by 10 a.m. each day. Only one “O” swimmer is allowed per relay. Relay teams may use

swimmers from lower divisions as long as one team member is from the entered division. Division 8 relays are an open event. Limit of 2 relay teams per division for each club.

Rules: All BCSSA rules will apply. All events will be swum as timed finals. No DQ's for 6 and under events. No false start rule is in effect. Should a false start occur the race will continue and the swimmer will be disqualified at the end of the race.

Marshalling Rules: All BCSSA rules will apply including marshalling procedures. Please ensure all your swimmers are in the marshalling area on time. Those missing the "final call" will not be permitted to swim. Only coaches and parents of smaller swimmers will be allowed in the marshalling area. Also, Division 4 and up swimmers will be self-marshalled. Their cards will be available on the tables. For safety reasons, **Jewelry** which is dangling such as hoops or chains will not be permitted and marshalling officials will ask swimmers to remove them. We ask that you indicate to all your swimmers not to wear this type of jewelry. Tightly fitting "Swim Strong" bands will be permitted around the wrists and/or ankles as well ear or nose studs. Clerks of the Course are Debbie Chand and Paul Rodrigues.

Scoring: **Individual events:** 1st through 12th place: 14, 12, 11, 10, 9, 8, 7, 5,4,3,2,1 points (6 and unders do not receive individual or team points unless competing as a Division 1 competitor). "O cat" swimmers do not receive points for their team.

Relays: 1st through 6th place: 28, 24, 22, 20, 18, 16 points.

Awards: 1st to 12th place ribbons in individual events. 1st to 6th in relays. 6 & Unders receive goodie bags. "O" swimmers will be awarded ribbons for placement in their "O" event.

Officials: Each club will be expected to fill a **MINIMUM of two (2) senior deck officials throughout the meet, more if they send a large contingent of swimmers.** Deck officials and what we used to call "Timers and Recorders" are being replaced with two plungers and one recorder. Computerized back-up system is planned to eliminate re-swims. Timers and recorders should expect to work the duration of an event. **Please encourage your club parents to volunteer. The meet will not be able to proceed if we do not have the required officials, timers and recorders.** Please contact Diane Janzen at diane.janzen@shaw.ca with the names of all people willing to help as deck officials.

Plungers/Recorders: This area will be staffed according to the size of the clubs. Therefore, **Abbotsford** will staff two (2) lanes, **Haney, Mission, Langley** and **Agassiz** one (1) lane. 3 positions per lane are required.

Viewing: Spectators are required to view the races from the bleachers. Other areas are roped off and we ask that parents and swimmers not go beyond the designated areas. Fire Access lanes must be kept open. The deck is to be kept free of spectators, including swimmers who are not in competition. Swimmers may approach their coach directly before and after their race from the south end of the pool.

Warm-up and Lane assignments: To be announced.

Discipline: Meet discipline will be strictly enforced and violations can result in a meet DQ. This includes behaviour during marshaling for Clerk of the Course and in all other areas of the facility.

Special Notes: No event will occur with only 1 swimmer entered. Only swimmers reporting to the Clerk of the Course will be allowed to swim in the event. All swimmers are to leave the deck after the completion of each race by the routes indicated.

Last year we had trouble with coaches not respecting the “working deck”. This will be strictly enforced this year and failure to cooperate will result in being expelled from the pool area for the remainder of the meet. Refer to BCSSA Rule Book Section 2 B.6A.

We look forward to a great weekend supporting all our children as they participate and excel in this great sport of swimming!

We would like to acknowledge the support of The BC Government, Gaming Commission, Chilliwack Bingo, the Lions Club and our other sponsors for their ongoing financial support of our club.

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Events

50 Freestyle/25 Freestyle

Girls Events	Description	Boys Events
1	Div 1 50 Free	2
3	Div 2 50 Free	4
5	Div 3 50 Free	6
7	Div "O" Cat 1 50 Free	8
9	Div 4 50 Free	10
11	Div 5 50 Free	12
13	Div 6 50 Free	14
15	Div 7 50 Free	16
17	Div 8 50 Free	18
19	Div "O" Cat 2 50 Free	20
21	6 & under 25 Free	22

100/200 IM

Girls Events	Description	Boys Events
23	Div 1 100 IM	24
25	Div 2 100 IM	26
27	Div 3 100 IM	28
29	Div "O" Cat 1 100 IM	30
31	Div 4 200 IM	32
33	Div 5 200 IM	34
35	Div 6 200 IM	36
37	Div 7 200 IM	38
39	Div 8 200 IM	40
41	Div "O" Cat 2 200 IM	42

50/100 Fly

Girls Events	Description	Boys Events
43	6 & under 25 Fly	44
45	Div 1 50 Fly	46
47	Div 2 50 Fly	48
49	Div 3 50 Fly	50
51	Div "O" Cat 1 50 Fly	52
53	Div 4 50 Fly	54
55	Div 5 100 Fly	56
57	Div 6 100 Fly	58
59	Div 7 100 Fly	60
61	Div 8 100 Fly	62
63	Div "O" Cat 2 100 Fly	64

100/200 Free Relay

Girls Events	Description	Boys Events
65	Div 1 200 Free Relay	66
67	Div 2 200 Free Relay	68
69	Div 3 200 Free Relay	70
71	Div 4 200 Free Relay	72
73	Div 5 200 Free Relay	74
75	Div 6 200 Free Relay	76
77	Div 7 200 Free Relay	78
79	Div 8 200 Free Relay	80

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Events

50 Fly

Girls Events	Description	Boys Events
81	Div 5 50 Fly	82
83	Div 6 50 Fly	84
85	Div 7 50 Fly	86
87	Div 8 50 Fly	88
89	Div "O" Cat 2 50 Fly	90

25, 50 & 100 Back

Girls Events	Description	Boys Events
91	6 & Under 25 Back	92
93	Div 1 50 Back	94
95	Div 2 50 Back	96
97	Div 3 50 Back	98
99	Div "O" Cat 1 50 Back	100
101	Div 4 100 Back	102
103	Div 5 100 Back	104
105	Div 6 100 Back	106
107	Div 7 100 Back	108
109	Div 8 100 Back	110
111	Div "O" Cat 2 100 Back	112

25, 50 & 100 Breast

Girls Events	Description	Boys Events
113	6 & Under 25 Breast	114
115	Div 1 50 Breast	116
117	Div 2 50 Breast	118
119	Div 3 50 Breast	120
121	Div "O" Cat 1 50 Breast	122
123	Div 4 100 Breast	124
125	Div 5 100 Breast	126
127	Div 6 100 Breast	128
129	Div 7 100 Breast	130
131	Div 8 100 Breast	132
133	Div "O" Cat 2 100 Breast	134

50 & 100 Freestyle

Girls Events	Description	Boys Events
135	Div 1 100 Free	136
137	Div 2 100 Free	138
139	Div 3 100 Free	140
141	Div "O" Cat 1 100 Free	142
143	Div 4 100 Free	144
145	Div 5 100 Free	146
147	Div 6 100 Free	148
149	Div 7 100 Free	150
151	Div 8 100 Free	152
153	Div "O" Cat 2 100 Free	154

100 and 200 Medley Relay

Girls Events	Description	Boys Events
155	Div 1 200 Medley Relay	156
157	Div 2 200 Medley Relay	158
159	Div 3 200 Medley Relay	160
161	Div 4 200 Medley Relay	162
163	Div 5 200 Medley Relay	164
165	Div 6 200 Medley Relay	166
167	Div 7 200 Medley Relay	168
169	Div 8 200 Medley Relay	170