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Speedo KZN Aquatics Level 1 and Level 2 Provincial Championship **24th till 26th February 2017**

- The level 1 and Level 2 Provincial Championship will be staged over the same week end.
- Level 1 Events will be swum on Saturday and Sunday after the Level 2 Sessions
 - a. All events will be swum as time finals.
 - b. The gala will be swum as open events with results split into different age groups for medals.
 - c. Programme will be set up that swimmers will swim where possible in age groups.
- Level 2 Events will be swum on Friday Evening, Saturday Morning and Evening and Sunday Morning.
 - a. All events will be swum as time finals.
 - b. The gala will be swum as open events with results split into different age groups for medals.
 - c. Programme will be set up that swimmers will swim where possible in age groups.

PROGRAMME SCHEDULE

Friday 24th February 2017 Gates Open 16H00

Level 2 Session 1 Starts 17H00

Saturday 25th February 2017 Gates Open 07H00

Level 2 Session 2 Starts 08H00

Level 1 Session 1 Starts 11H00

Level 1 Session 2 Starts 14H00

Level 2 Session 3 Starts 17H00

Sunday 26th February 2017 Gates Open 07H00

Level 2 Session 4 Starts 09H00

Level 1 Session 3 Starts 12H00

Level 1 Session 4 Starts 15H00

General Rules for KZN Level 1 and KZN Level 2 Provincial Championships

1. The Championships will be swum under KZNA rules and regulations, which fall under SSA and FINA rules.
2. The one start rule will apply.

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3. In case of a dispute the referee's decision will be final.
4. Only KZN Registered Swimmers may enter these Provincial Championships.
5. A swimmer may only compete in one KZN Championship. If a swimmer competed in the KZN Premier Championship in December 2016 he or she may not enter these Championships.
6. No swimmer may enter an individual event on a **No Time**.
7. Only Official Recorded times on the KZN Data Base from 01 May 2016 will be accepted.
8. Swimmers may only compete in their own age group according to the programme.
9. The age of the swimmer shall be determined by the swimmers age at the first day of the Championships.
10. Only swimmers 18 years and younger may enter.
11. Both Championships will be swum as 10 lane timed finals.
12. The organisers shall have the right to alter or consolidate heats, as they deem fit.

Warm up

- If the Level 2 Championship events run past scheduled time then Level 1 warm up to start in outdoor pool.
- Coach or Manager to be present at the warm up and they are to ensure the following rules apply,
 - No diving from the starting blocks, feet first entry only.
 - All lanes used for general warm up.
 - Last 15 Minutes Lanes 0 and 9 used to practice starts; Referee may open more lanes for diving if necessary.
 - Exit pool at stairs and not over the touch pads.
 - Coaches and Managers to ensure that the outside pool is used as a warm down pool and not a recreational pool.
 - Please instruct parents that the outside pool is for swimmers only and if this is abused by non -entry swimmers a total ban will be enforced.
 - Diving boards are out of bounds and swimmers will be evicted from the pool area if they are caught jumping from the diving boards.

Marshalling

Swimmers to report 10 minutes / 6 races before their event, COC has been instructed to report to the referee any swimmer that is continuously late and swimmers that do not report for marshalling will be DQ out of that event.

Pool Deck

TD and Referee has the power to remove from Pool Deck any person that is not an accredited coach. Parents are not permitted on pool deck.

Time Keepers

Officials are classified as follows

COC, Judges and Time Keepers.

All participating clubs must send their officials names through to the KZNA Office with their entries, on Monday 13th February 2016.

Officials are required to be dressed in white shirts and navy pants for the finals sessions.

Official requirements per number of swimmers entered:

- 1-5 swimmers min 1 official.
- 6-10 swimmers min 2 officials.
- 11-20 swimmers min 3 officials.
- 21-30 swimmers min 4 officials.
- 31 + swimmers min 5 officials.

Club entries will NOT be captured if Officials Names are not received with their entries.

Withdrawals and Objections

- Only the accredited Team Manager of a club may:
 - Withdraw a competitor
 - Lodge an objection

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- Lodge any complaints.

Protests

- Protests are possible if the rules for the conduct of the competition have not been observed or if the conditions endanger the competitor/s.
- Protests may be lodged against decisions of the referee, however no protests will be allowed against decisions of fact.
- Protests must be submitted to the referee in writing by the appointed Team Manager, together with a deposit of R300.00 within 30 minutes following the conclusion of the specific event.

Dress code

- Medal winners must be neatly attired in their relevant club kit.

Level 1 Age Group Rules.

- 1. Will be run under SSA and KZNA Competition rules.**
2. Provincial Based competition, swimmers will represent clubs or schools.
3. No Qualifying Time required but must have a recorded time on the data base.
4. One Level 2 Qualifying time or higher will be the disqualification time from been able to participate in these level 1 championship
5. Swimmers may qualify at this competition to complete at the 2017 Level 2 Regional Competition in Sasolburg provided they achieve a level 2 Qualifying Time for their age group.
6. Age groups will be 8 & Under, 9,10,11,12,13,14 and 15 & Over
7. All events will be swum as timed finals.
8. All 3R registered swimmers may enter events that they have times captured on the SSA and KZN data base.
- 9. NO LATE ENTRIES WILL BE ACCEPTED.**
10. All General Rules apply

Relays

1. The Following relays will be swum at the Level 1 Championships.
 - i. 4 x 50 Medley Relay for Men, Women and Mixed.
 - ii. 4 x 50 Free Relay for Men, Women and Mixed
 - iii. Age groups
 1. 10 & under.
 2. 12 & under
 3. 14 & under
 4. 15 & Over.
2. Swimmers taking part in Relays must be entered as an Individual in the Level 1 Championship events.
3. Swimmers may swim up but may only swim in one relay age group for the entire meet.
4. Clubs may enter two relay teams per event, but only the highest placed team will be awarded points, both relay teams qualify for medals.
5. The final team members names must be submitted one hour before start of the session in which relays are been swum.
6. Substitutions will only be allowed in the case of a medical emergency at the discretion of the referee.
7. Failure to swim in the order submitted will result in disqualification.

Meet Entries

Closing Date for Meet Entries: Monday 13th February 2017.

Individual Entries	R20 per event
Individual SSA Levy	R5.00 per entry.
Relay Entries	R30 per relay
Relay SSA Levy	R5.00 per entry.
Spectator Entry	R20.00 daily
Programme	R20.00 for both days.

- i. Meet entries must be received by the KZNA office before **16h00 on Monday 13th February 2017.**
- ii. Entries received by the KZNA office after the closing time and date will not be included in the championship.

PLEASE NOTE THAT DUE TO NON-PAYMENT OF ENTRIES IN THE PAST – NO ENTRIES WILL BE ACCEPTED WITHOUT PROOF OF PAYMENT. Please attach proof with your entries.

Please submit your entries as follows:

Individual entries on Team Manager Comm. Link file plus PDF, or manual entry form. Relay entries (separate) on Team Manager Comm. Link file plus PDF, or manual entry form, Team Manager Entry fee report.

Medals

- Medals will be awarded to the first 3 placed swimmers in the following age groups by event distance.
- Age Group: 8 & Under, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15 & Over.

Points

Individual points 12, 10, 8, 7, 6, 5, 4, 3, 2, 1.
Double points will be awarded for relays

Events

Saturday

Session 1
200 Free
50 Fly
100 Back

Session 2
200 Back
50 Free
100 Breast
4 x 50 Men Medley Relay
4 x 50 Women Medley Relay
4 x 50 Mixed Medley Relay.

Sunday

Session 3
200 IM
50 Breast
100 Free
4 x 50 Men Free Relay
4 x 50 Women Free Relay
4 x 50 Mixed Free Relay

Session 4
200 Breast
50 Back
100 Fly
4 x 100 Men Free Relay
4 x 100 Women Free Relay

KZN Level 2 Provincial Championship Rules

1. Swimmers must have competed in TWO KZN Sanctioned Galas or Age Group Galas since 01 May 2016.
2. A Swimmer that has swum one Level 3 time may not swim in these Championships.
3. Swimmers that competed in the KZN Premier Championships in December 2016 may not enter these championships.
4. Swimmers must have one level 2 qualifying time on the data base.
5. Swimmers may enter all events that they have times on the data base.
6. Swimmers may not enter an event on a **No Time**.
7. **If a Level 2 Swimmer has swum a Level 3 time:**
 - a. **After the KZN Premier Championships held in December 2016 and did not swim in the KZN Premier Championship, the swimmer may enter the level 2 championship but may not swim the event or events that they achieved a level 3 qualifying time.**
8. All current rules still apply.

Meet Entries

Closing Date for Meet Entries: Monday 13th February 2015

Individual Entries	R20 per event
Relay Entries	R50 per relay
KZN Levy	R10 per swimmer for entry into Championship
Spectator Entry	R20.00 Daily
Programme	R20.00

Late entries will be accepted an hour before the morning session starts for that day at 10 times the original fee provided there is an empty lane available for them in an existing heat.
Late entries will only be accepted by the Clubs Coach or Team Manager.

Individual late entry: R200.00

Relay late entry: R500.00

EVENTS

Friday 24th February 2017

Session 1

200 IM
100 Back
50 Breast

Saturday 25th February 2017

Session 2

200 Free
100 Breast
50 Back

Session 3

200 Breast
100 Fly
50 Free

Sunday 26th February 2017

Session 4

400 Free
200 Back
100 Free
50 Fly

- iii. Entries must be received by the KZNA office before **16h00 on Monday 13th February 2017.**
- iv. Entries received by the KZNA office after the closing time and date will be subject to the late entry fee.

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Relays

No Relay events at these championships.

Medals

- Medals will be awarded to the first 3 placed swimmers in the following age groups by event distance.
Age Groups: 10 & Under, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15 & Under
400 M Free: 12 & Under , 14 & Under, 15 & Over

Points

Individual points 12, 10, 8, 7, 6, 5, 4, 3, 2, 1.

PLEASE CONTACT KZN OFFICE OR RODNEY DU TOIT (0844017428) IF YOU HAVE ANY QURIES.

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