# CARDIFF INTERNATIONAL OPEN MEET 20 & 21 MAY 2023

# Level 1 Long Course | 1WL230294 Cardiff International Pool, Olympian Drive, Cardiff, CF11 0JS

Welcome to CIOM23. Please refer to the meet pack for the events & conditions for the weekend.

#### **SESSION TIMES**

#### **SATURDAY**

Session 1	Warm up 07:45	START 08:50
Session 2	Warm up 11:50	START 13:00
Session 3	Warm up 16:05	START 16:30
SAT FINALS	Warm up 18:05	START 18:35
SUNDAY		
Session 4	Warm up 07:45	START 08:50
Session 5	Warm up 11:50	START 13:00
Session 6	Warm up 16:00	START 16:25
SUN FINALS	Warm up 18:00	START 18:30

#### Warm Up:

- ❖ Warm up (s1 s2 s4 s5) duration is 60 minutes split into 15 minute sections of which sprint lanes can open in the last 5 minutes at both ends. S3 & S6 warm up 20 minutes with FINALS duration of 25 mins
- ❖ Girls to access the pool at the car park end of the pool; Boys via Ice Rink end.
- Coaches must ensure that their teams are supervised during warm up.
- Co Cardiff will provide warm up Marshals to assist in the movement of swimmers.
- \* Coaches and swimmers disregarding health and safety instructions, will be excluded from warm up.
- Dry side warm up may be limited. It is advised that clubs split their team into 2 groups and only allow swimmers to perform dry side before their actual warm up.

Please ensure your swimmers exit the pool at the side and do not climb out over the timing pads as this can cause damage to the pads and lead to delays to the meet.

**Marshalling:** Swimmers will be called to marshalling. It is the responsibility of the swimmer/coaches to ensure that they attend marshalling once called. Swimmers will then be directed to the standing areas (zones 1, & 2).

# **Pool Layout:**



**Car Parking:** Please use the former TOYS R US car park opposite the International Pool. The car park is run by Cardiff Council and there is a £5.00/day charge CASH ONLY. Do not park anywhere else as traffic wardens operate in the area and freely dish out tickets to those parked illegally.

**Officials:** Officials can register at https://swim-meet.com/Availability/?m=1596 to confirm their availability.

Alternatively, we request that details of officials (together with their qualifications) are forwarded to our officials' co-ordinator Jim McCulloch: cardiffofficials@btinternet.com

**Spectators:** There are a very limited number of spectator ticket available on the door (max 2/person) £10.00 and £5.00/session. CASH ONLY. U5s free NO ACCESS WITHOUT A TICKET

Seating is limited so please leave the facility during the sessions that you are not spectating to allow entry for others.

The first 5 rows are for swimmers & coaches – NO spectators

## Access to the competition pool:

- Swimmers can access poolside via the changing village
- Spectators to access via the fire escape opposite the Ice Rink
- Officials Co Cardiff volunteers & Coaches to access via the fire escape opposite the main CIP car park.

Coaches will receive their paperwork on arrival via the fire escape door.

**Swimpath:** Will be attending the gala so a great chance to stock up on those essential swimming items.

#### **Event Protocols:**

In order to try and run a safe meet for all participants please follow these protocols detailed below. Welsh Govt. have removed covid restrictions, but please stay safe and consider others.

- Please leave plenty of time to arrive before each session.
- If you have any illness symptoms, do not enter the building and inform your club/coach. If you have come into contact with anyone with known coronavirus, do not attend the meet.

Whilst it is no longer a legal requirement to wear a mask indoors or socially distance, all participants may choose to wear a mask. We ask everyone to respect these wishing to remain socially distant.

### **Data Protection:**

Submission of entries implies consent to the holding of any personal data collected and used by City of Cardiff Swimming Club in accordance with the Data Protection Act 1998 and General Data Protection Regulations (GDPR) May 2018.

These details may be made public before, during or after the Meet. All data will be recorded privately, securely stored and disposed of when no longer needed. You have the right to view your personal data & request its deletion under GDPR.

Please contact the Meet Director regarding any matter not covered here. We look forward to seeing you and wish you all a successful Meet.

# **Stephen Jones | Meet Director**