

Boldmere Water Carnival

Boldmere Swimming Club is affiliated to ASA West Midlands Region and Warwickshire ASA
Licensed by the ASA for entry into District championships at Level 3 under no. 3WM0228
(Under ASA Laws and ASA Technical Rules)

Saturday 3rd & Sunday 4th July 2010

Stechford Cascades, Station Road, Stechford, Birmingham, B33 8QN

Terms and Conditions

1. This meet will take place at Stechford Cascades on 3rd & 4th July 2010 and is licensed by the ASA for entry into District Championships at Level 3 Licence no. 3WM0228. It will be run in accordance with ASA Laws, ASA Technical Rules and the terms and conditions of this competition. The competition is open to registered swimmers as defined by ASA Laws.
2. **Ages at midnight 4th July 2010.**
(9 year olds are not permitted to enter the 100m Free, Back, Breast & Fly events
But can enter the 100 IM)
Ages groups are:
Female: 9,10,11,12,13,14,15, Open
Male: 9,10,11,12,13,14,15, Open
3. **Qualifying times are attached.** Upper limit times set at 2010 NQT (short course).
4. Entries must be made on the forms provided and **MUST** include the entrant's ASA ID number. All information must be legible (**BLOCK CAPITALS PLEASE**). Email/web entries are only accepted once full payment has been received. Entries that are incomplete, illegible or sent without the correct entry fee will not be accepted. The entry fee is **£4.75 per event**. All cheques must be made payable to **BOLDMERE SWIMMING CLUB**. The promoters reserve the right to refuse entries at their discretion. Any entry not accepted will be refunded in full: no other monies will be refunded. **All times shown on entry forms must be short course times actual or converted to a 25m pool. It is the responsibility of all competing clubs to ensure that entry times are accurate.**
5. **Refunds** will only apply if the promoter **has received written confirmation** of a swimmer withdrawing **before the official closing date** or has been rejected from any swims.
6. **Official closing date, MIDNIGHT Friday 4th June 2010. Entries will be treated on a first come first served basis.** Boldmere Swimming Club reserve the right to refuse an entry, or to close entries before this date should it be proved necessary.
All entries to be returned to:
Neil Holmes, Boldmere SC, 114 Thornhill Park, Sutton Coldfield, West Midlands B74 2LW.
Accepted / rejected entries will be posted on www.boldmereswimmingclub.co.uk Please check this for accuracy. No details will be sent by post and cards will be issued on day of meet.
7. It is the responsibility of Team Managers and Coaches to ensure that their swimmers report to the Marshalling Stewards in time for the start of their race.
8. Entries to this meet will be held on a computer and consent, as required by the Data Protection Act 1998, to the holding of personal information on computer will be deemed to have been given by the submission of entry. Personal data will be available for inspection during the Meet on written application to the Promoter.

9. **The competition pool** is 25m in length with 6 lanes. Anti-turbulence ropes, electronic timing and placing will be used.
10. **Starts** may be over the top except for backstroke for which side by side start may be used.
11. **Clubs entering more than 8 swimmers** are asked if they could supply an **ASA/(BS), WASA or SASA registered judge and one ASA/(BS), WASA or SASA registered timekeeper for the relevant sessions**. The names, status and contact details of such officials should be sent to phillittler938@hotmail.com Early notification of these would be appreciated.
12. **Awards (HDW)** will be presented to the top 6 in 9,10,11 & 12yrs in each individual event in each age group and to the top 3 in 13,14,15 & Open in each individual event in each age group. Points will be awarded for Top Male, Female & Club - 6, 5, 4, 3, 2, 1 for 1st, 2nd, 3rd etc. (no points will be awarded for disqualification) and an award calculated on accumulated points will be presented to the Top Male, Top Female & Top Visiting Club.
13. **Warm ups** in the main pool will be split to allow more space for the swimmers. The pool will be cleared 10 minutes before the start of each session. Coaches will be responsible for overseeing their swimmers during warm up. **Clubs with 10 or more swimmers are asked to provide a lane marshal for each warm-up session**. A separate small warm up / swim down pool will be available.
14. Coaches' passes will be issued at a cost of £10.00 per day or £15.00 for both days. Passes must be purchased when submitting entries. **There will be no entry to poolside without a pass and passes must be worn at all times**.
15. There will be a swim shop.
16. **NO photography** will be permitted other than by the appointed Sports Photographers for this event. This event, by its very nature, is in the public arena and when entering for the event the participant and their parents acknowledge this fact, which may result in the recording and publication of his/her image. All photographs taken at this event will be password protected when posted on the official website. All photographers have been CRB checked and operate within a strict Child Protection Policy and Code of Ethics.
17. Any matters concerning the Meet not covered in these conditions will be dealt with according to the laws of the sport and at the discretion of the Promoter. The promoter reserves the right to change the Meet conditions at his/her discretion. All participants must observe the safety precautions in operation at Stechford Cascades. Neither the promoter nor Boldmere Swimming Club will be responsible for any loss or damage occurring during this Meet.
18. **Lead Referees:** Mr D. Corbett & Mr D. Marsh
19. The Promoter of this Meet is Neil Holmes for and on behalf of Boldmere Swimming Club. Updates regarding this meet can be found on www.boldmereswimmingclub.co.uk
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