

# 2017 McDonald's Queensland Short Course Championships

Brisbane Aquatic Centre  
18 – 20 August 2017

## Event Details and Entry Procedure

### Location

Brisbane Aquatic Centre  
Cnr Old Cleveland Rd & Tilley Rd, Chandler

### Eligibility

This Meet is open to SQ registered swimmers, members of Clubs affiliated with other State Association and International swimmers who meet clearance criteria.

### Clearances – Interstate & International Competitors

Clearances must be submitted to [entries.qld@swimming.org.au](mailto:entries.qld@swimming.org.au) before the nominations closing date.

#### **Interstate**

Interstate swimmers must obtain a clearance from their respective State Associations.

#### **International**

International swimmers/teams must supply a letter of clearance from their National Swimming Federation. International swimmers training with or members of clubs in Australia will be nominated under their country name **not** the Australian Club name.

### Age

Age group of competitors for this meet is the age as at the first day of competition (i.e. 18<sup>th</sup> August 2017). Minimum age is 11 years. Athletes are not permitted to 'swim up' an age.

### Entry Information

Entries for these Championships are available via Online Meet Entries and Manual Entry Forms (International swimmers only) formats.

### Entry Fee

Online Meet Entries: \$15.00\*  
Manual Entries (International Swimmers/Teams only): \$16.00

\*Debit/credit card transactions processed through ClubLane incur a 4.0375% transaction fee which comprises a card processing fee of 1.5% and a system fee of 2.5%.

### Online Meet Entries (OME)

If you are wishing to enter using Online Meet Entries click [here](#).

How to enter via OME click [here](#)

OME closes **Midnight, Tuesday 8 August 2017**.

### Manual Entry Forms (International Swimmers only)

International swimmers/ teams who do not have access to OME may request a Manual Entry Form by emailing [entries.qld@swimming.org.au](mailto:entries.qld@swimming.org.au)

Manual Entries must be received by **Midnight, Tuesday 8 August 2017**.

### Qualifying Times

Qualifying times must have been achieved at an approved qualifying meet (either Short Course or Long Course) on or after 1 January 2016. Long Course times can be converted. Entries with no times or NT will not be accepted.

If there is no qualifying time stated for your age group, you cannot compete in the event/s concerned.



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### Multi Class Events

There are no qualifying times for Multi Class events.

Multi Class events are conducted as 'Open Events' and will be awarded medals accordingly, as determined using the Multi Class Points Score System. Medals will not be awarded in individual age groups.

SWD competitors swimming in events that are not designated as Multi Class must produce their exemption cards to the session Referees.

### Late Entries

All entries submitted after this time will incur a late nomination fee of \$50.00 per event. Late entries will be accepted in the timing room up until 1 hour before the commencement of the first day of competition. Late entries are subject to lane availability in the event, and may result in swimmers being entered in the slowest heat.

### Events & Medals

All events will be conducted as **Timed Finals**  
Medals will not be awarded if qualifying times have not been met.

Medals will be awarded to age groups as follows:

**All 50m Events & 100m Events:**

11yrs, 12yrs, 13yrs, 14yrs, 15yrs, 16yrs, 17/18yrs, & Open

**All 200m Freestyle, 400m Freestyle & 200m Individual Medley:**

11yrs, 12yrs, 13yrs, 14yrs, 15yrs, 16yrs, 17/18yrs, & Open

**400m Individual Medley & 800m Freestyle:**

12yrs, 13yrs, 14yrs, 15yrs, 16yrs, 17/18yrs, & Open

**All other 200m Events & 1500m Freestyle:**

13yrs, 14yrs, 15yrs, 16yrs, 17/18yrs, & Open

### Warm-up Start Time

Friday 18 August 2017	10:30 am
Saturday 19 August 2017	7:00 am
Sunday 20 August 2017	7:00 am

### Photos

In nominating for these Championships, swimmers agree that they may be photographed by Swimming Queensland's approved photographer; that the images may be displayed for viewing and purchasing on site during the Championships and on the photographer's secure website after the Championships; and that they may also be used by Swimming Queensland at its discretion.

### Pool Deck Entry (Coaches & Team Managers)

Coaches must present either their current ascta membership card or pool deck accreditation pass to gain free entry to the meet and access pool deck. Coaches who do not hold a current ascta membership card, Team Managers and support staff who have athletes competing and require a pool deck accreditation for access during the Championships **MUST** apply by emailing [admin.qld@swimming.org.au](mailto:admin.qld@swimming.org.au) no later than 5pm Thursday 25 August for accreditation passes to be available for collection at the front ticketing desk during the Championship.

### Merchandise

Make sure you visit the Swimming Queensland Merchandise Stand at the front gate and the SQ Swim Shop in the foyer of the centre. Both shops offer a great range of quality Speedo and Swimming Queensland products.

