



2016-17 Summer Development Series

Information



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Series Meets

There are four meets in the 2016-17 Summer Development Series:

Meet	Date	Where	Host Club
1	Sunday 25 September 2016	CISAC	Ginninderra
2	Sunday 23 October 2016	AIS	Tuggeranong Vikings
3	Sunday 11 December 2016	Goulburn	Goulburn
4	Sunday 19 March 2017	AIS	Queanbeyan Leagues

Events

- 10 and under for the 25m freestyle, backstroke, breaststroke and butterfly
- all ages for the 50m and 100m freestyle, backstroke, breaststroke and butterfly
- 9 and over for the 200m freestyle and individual medley.

Rules

- A swimmer can enter a maximum of **5** events per meet.
- A swimmer may only enter **a 25m event** if they have never swum a longer distance in that stroke at any meet (including club night and school meets) where the time achieved has been recorded as an official time. Any swimmer entering a 25m event cannot enter a longer distance in that stroke at that meet.
- Multi-class swimmers may enter 25m events regardless of age or other restrictions.
- Swimmers may only enter events in which they have NEVER achieved the Break Time (BT) indicated in the program of events in a long course swim (see below for exception). For a break time of 30.00, the entry time must be 30.01 or more. (**Exception:** swimmers aged 10 and over may enter an event as an exhibition swimmer if they have not qualified for the 2017 ACT Championships for that event and there is no alternative Qualifying Meet available at which they could enter the event prior to the ACT Championships. Such swims shall not attract Series Points.)
- **Entry time must be a swimmer's best long course time for that event ever achieved.**

Meet Awards

Awards for the 1st, 2nd and 3rd boy and girl in all events for 8 & Under, 9, 10, 11, 12 and 13 & over for both Development and Intermediate divisions.

End of Series Awards

At the end of the Series certificates are issued to for the top 10 points scorers in each age group (8 & Under, 9, 10, 11, 12 and 13 & over), sex and division (see next page for information about divisions).

There is also a trophy awarded to the top girl and boy pointscorer in both the development and intermediate divisions.

Note: Only swimmers who are registered as at 19 March 2017 are eligible for Series Awards.



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What is a 'Division'? Which one am I in? What is a Break Time?

The Summer Development Series has two divisions (or groups) for award purposes, **Development and Intermediate**. Swimmers are classified as Intermediate Division for an event once they have achieved a time equal or to or faster than the Intermediate level time set for that event (see the following pages of this Information sheet). If a swimmer does not have a time for a particular event (NT) or their best time for an event is slower than the Intermediate level time they are classified as Development Division for that event.

Where a swimmer achieves the Break Time for an event they are no longer eligible to swim that event in the Development Series. For most events this is because the swimmer has achieved the ACT Championships qualifying time (QT) for that event. For 50m form stroke events (back, breast and fly), as these are Open events at ACT Championships, Break Times are set based on 100m times.

Note: 25m events are considered to be Development level only.

Series Points

A pointscore is conducted across the 2016-17 Summer Development Series.

- The first time an event is swum in the Series the swimmer receives 2 points.
- Swimmers earn "improvement" points from the second time they swim a particular event within the Series.
- From the second swim for each event, points are awarded against the swimmers' previous 2016-17 **Series best time** in that event.

Series points are accumulated at each meet on the following basis:

Points Scored	
0 points	if swimmer does not finish an event or is disqualified
1 points	if swim does not equal or better previous best Series time
2 points	if equal to or better than previous best Series time but less than 1 second faster
3 points	if better than previous best Series time by 1 second but less than 2 seconds
4 points	if better than previous best Series time by 2 second but less than 3 seconds
5 points	if better than previous best Series time by 3 seconds or more
2 points	for each first swim for a stroke and distance IN THE SERIES.

End of Series Pointscore

At the conclusion of the Series, that is 19 March 2017, swimmers will be assessed to determine if they are considered to be Intermediate or Development level. Each swimmers current best long course time for each Series event as at 19 March 2017 will be used to determine if they are rated at Intermediate level or above for their age group as at 19 March 2017.

Where a swimmer aged 8 and under has four (4) or more Series events rated as Intermediate or above then they will be placed in the Intermediate Division.

Swimmers aged 9 and over will be placed in the Intermediate Division if they have five (5) or more Series events rated as Intermediate or above.



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GIRLS		Level	13&O	12yrs	11yrs	10yrs	9yrs	8&U
FREESTYLE	50m	ACT	33.50	35.00	36.50	38.50	N/A	N/A
		Int	36.50	38.50	39.50	42.00	49.00	54.00
	100m	ACT	1:12.50	1:14.50	1:18.50	1:23.50	N/A	N/A
		Int	1:18.50	1:21.00	1:26.00	1:31.00	1:50.50	2:00.00
	200m	ACT	2:36.00	2:43.00	2:50.50	3:04.00	N/A	
		Int	2:50.50	2:57.50	3:06.00	3:20.50	4:05.00	
BACKSTROKE	50m	BT	37.00	38.50	40.00	42.00	N/A	N/A
		Int	40.50	42.00	44.00	46.00	51.50	56.00
	100m	ACT	1:22.50	1:26.00	1:30.00	1:36.50	N/A	N/A
		Int	1:30.00	1:33.50	1:38.50	1:45.00	1:54.50	2:03.50
BREASTSTROKE	50m	BT	42.00	44.50	46.00	48.00	N/A	N/A
		Int	46.00	48.50	50.05	53.00	1:02.00	1:09.00
	100m	ACT	1:35.50	1:38.50	1:45.00	1:51.00	N/A	N/A
		Int	1:44.50	1:47.50	1:54.50	2:01.00	2:17.50	2:34.00
BUTTERFLY	50m	BT	34.50	38.00	38.00	40.50	N/A	N/A
		Int	38.50	42.50	42.50	44.50	55.50	1:05.00
	100m	ACT	1:24.50	1:25.50	1:30.00	1:39.00	N/A	N/A
		Int	1:29.00	1:33.00	1:38.50	1:48.00	2:03.50	2:23.00
INDIVIDUAL MEDLEY	200m	ACT	2:59.50	3:05.00	3:14.00	3:25.50	N/A	
		Int	3:15.50	3:21.50	3:32.00	3:44.50	4:11.00	

Notes:

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2. Level ACT = ACT Championship level qualifying time
3. Level Int = Intermediate level time
4. Level BT = Series Break Time. This applies to 50m events where the ACT Championship event (except for 8 & under swimmers) is Open.
5. No break time applies for 9 & under swimmers for Summer Series events.



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BOYS		Level	13&O	12yrs	11yrs	10yrs	9yrs	8&U
FREESTYLE	50m	ACT	32.00	34.50	36.50	38.00	N/A	N/A
		Int	35.00	38.00	39.50	41.50	49.00	54.00
	100m	ACT	1:09.50	1:13.00	1:17.50	1:22.50	N/A	N/A
		Int	1:15.50	1:20.00	1:24.50	1:30.00	1:50.50	2:00.00
	200m	ACT	2:32.00	2:40.50	2:49.00	3:01.50	N/A	X
		Int	2:45.50	2:55.00	3:04.00	3:18.00	4:05.00	X
BACKSTROKE	50m	BT	36.00	38.50	40.00	42.00	N/A	N/A
		Int	39.50	42.00	44.00	46.00	51.50	56.00
	100m	ACT	1:20.50	1:26.00	1:30.00	1:35.00	N/A	N/A
		Int	1:27.50	1:33.50	1:38.50	1:44.00	1:54.50	2:03.50
BREASTSTROKE	50m	BT	38.50	44.00	46.00	48.00	N/A	N/A
		Int	42.50	48.00	50.50	53.00	1:02.00	1:09.00
	100m	ACT	1:32.50	1:38.00	1:44.50	1:50.00	N/A	N/A
		Int	1:41.00	1:47.00	1:54.00	2:00.00	2:17.50	2:34.00
BUTTERFLY	50m	BT	32.00	38.00	38.00	40.50	N/A	N/A
		Int	35.00	42.00	42.00	44.50	55.50	1:05.00
	100m	ACT	1:17.50	1:24.00	1:30.00	1:39.00	N/A	N/A
		Int	1:24.50	1:32.20	1:38.50	1:48.00	2:03.50	2:23.00
INDIVIDUAL MEDLEY	200m	ACT	2:51.50	3:04.50	3:14.00	3:24.50	N/A	X
		Int	3:07.00	3:21.00	3:32.00	3:43.00	4:11.00	X

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