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# 19<sup>th</sup> WARREN ANNUAL AGE GROUP SWIM MEET 2019

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## **RULES & REGULATIONS**

1. The Warren Annual Age Group Swim Meet is opened to members of Warren Golf & Country Club, their immediate family members and current paying students under the Warren Swim Squads training program.
2. The events will be conducted according to the rules & regulations laid down by Warren Golf & Country Club. All entries after the closing date will be final and changes will not be entertained.
3. The Meet will have the Age Groups for Boys & Girls. Age computation of these groups shall be based on their current birth year as of 31<sup>st</sup> December.
4. All participants are to adhere to the rules & regulations as stipulated for all competitive events. Non-compliance will mean an automatic disqualification from that event.
5. Participants are permitted to participate in only one (1) Age Group (i.e. their own Age Group), excluding the Boys & Girls Open. Participants are permitted to compete in a maximum of 5 events (including the Boys & Girls Open's events) for their particular Age Group.
6. Participants are permitted to swim age-up in the event/s submitted due to the lack of participating swimmers for that event's age group.
7. Times taken and recorded shall be used as qualifying time to determine for AIMS & CCSM selection.
8. There will be no pre-qualifying heats. If there are more than eight (8) participants in an event, then two (2 heats) races will be conducted and the competitor with the fastest timing wins.
9. The Club shall not be responsible for any injuries, lost of life, property or any other misdemeanor whatever so resulting from participating in this Age Group Swim Meet.

### **REPORTING**

All participants are to report by 30 minutes before the commencement of his/ her event at the Registration Counter.

### **ATTIRE**

All participants are to be dressed in proper swimming attire:

Boys - Swimming Trunks or Jammers  
Girls - Swim Suits

Swim caps and goggles may also be worn if desired.

No personal kickboard will be permitted. Only those provided by the organizers will be used.

### **LANE ALLOCATIONS**

Scratched lanes will not be utilized unless instructed by the **STARTER**.

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## **MEDALS & OVERALL BEST BOY / GIRL**

Medal will be awarded to the Top 3 winners for each event. A prize presentation will be done to award the swimmers at the end of event. Actual medals will be ordered and given to the swimmers 3 weeks after the event and may be collected at the sports reception.

The Boy and Girl with the highest summation points for 5 individual events will emerge the Best Boy & Best Girl (including the Boys & Girls' Open events). The scoring system is as follow:

Champion – 8 points  
Second – 7 points  
Third – 6 points  
4<sup>th</sup> – 5 points  
5<sup>th</sup> – 4 points  
6<sup>th</sup> – 3 points  
7<sup>th</sup> – 2 points  
8<sup>th</sup> – 1 point

In the event of a tie, the tie-breaker will be determined by:

- i) Number of Meet Record(s) broken, follow by
- ii) Number of First Position(s) in his/her events
- iii) Single swimmer event will not be accounted for gold award points in the event of a tie

\*Best Boy and Girl award is applicable to Warren Golf and Country Club Members only.

## **COMPLAINTS / DISPUTES**

All Complaints / Disputes for a particular event or events will have to be done in writing and report to the Meet Director with a \$50 fee within 30 minutes after the completion of that particular event. The \$50 fee will be returned if the complaint is valid, otherwise it will be forfeited. The Meet Director will consult his officials and their decision will be final and binding to all concerned.

The Meet Director reserves the right to change any rules to ensure the event is run smoothly.

The decision of the Meet Director is final.