## **Great Britain Deaf Swimming Club**

## 2018 Annual Deaf Gala

A LEVEL 4 Licensed meet No: 4EM180406
Under ASA Laws & ASA Technical Rules of Swimming
University of Loughborough

University Rd, Loughborough LE11 3QN

## Saturday 24th March 2018. Warm Up 12:45

(Closing date 24<sup>th</sup> February 2018)

### **Conditions**

### The Meet

- 1. The Meet Promoter is Nigel Seamarks promoterGBDSC@gmail.com .The event will be held at 'The University Of Loughborough, University Rd, Loughborough LE11 3QN
- 2. The competition is to be held under ASA laws and ASA technical rules of swimming.
- 3. The competition is licensed by the ASA as a **LEVEL 4** meet. Licence no. 4EM180406
- 4. Entrants must members of GB Deaf Swimming or recognised European Association
- 5. Entrants must be registered Hearing Impaired with the ASA, WASA or SASA or European Association.
- 6. Entry times must be achieved since 1<sup>st</sup> January 2017, times may be from any event including Time Trials undertaken by a bona fide home club coach. NT are not allowable.
- 7. Entries will be restricted to ensure the meet runs to time and will be accepted on a <u>'first</u> come first served' basis.
- 8. If the event is oversubscribed the promoter reserves the right to return entries. The promoter's decision is final.
- 9. The age groups are 11 & under, 12/13, 14/15, 16yrs and over. Age on day.
- 10. Two categories of hearing Impairment will operate:
  - Group A 25 dB to 54dB hearing loss in the better ear
  - Group B 55dB and over hearing loss in the better ear
  - For Group B swimmers, the swimmers must be S15 or S65 registered with the ASA, WASA or SASA.
- 11. Pool length is 25m (8 lanes) and is equipped with electronic timing and anti-wave lane ropes
- 12. The entry fee is £5 per event. Payment by BACS only Account name GB Deaf Swimming Club, 40-16-08, Account Number 64196724
- 13. The closing date for entries is 24th February 2018, No late entries will be accepted.
- 14. There will be no refund of entry fees for withdrawals unless a medical certificate is produced
- 15. Spectator admission price £3, covers both sessions
- 16. The promoter has the right to reject incomplete entry forms, and those for which payment has not been made by the due date.
- 17. A Sibling race will be held but will be outside of the license and times will not be submitted to Rankings.

### The Events

- 18. OVER THE TOP starts will be used in the heats if required by the referee.
- 19. All races will be heat declared races
- **20.** Age groups are: 11 & under, 12/13, 14/15, 16yrs and over.
- 21. Ages are as at midnight on 24 March 2018
- 22. Awards will be awarded to the first 3 in each event, age group and category of deafness (as above)
- 23. Meet information will be advertised on The GB Deaf Swimming website for all competitors to see.
- 24. Session timings may be adjusted depending on the number of entries received and accepted. Any changes will be posted on the GB Deaf Swimming Club website.
- 25. A list of accepted entries & rejections will be posted on the web as confirmation.
- 26. Accepted swimmers who subsequently do not take part must be withdrawn on the day using the official forms provided.

## Passes & Payments

- 27. Only Deaf National Swimming coaches' will be allowed poolside to assist swimmers. No Home coach passes will be issued.
- 28. Any matter not covered by these conditions will be determined by the Promoter and Referee, subject to ASA Laws, Regulations and the ASA Technical Rules of Racing.

## **Data Protection**

29. Entries to the 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 the entry. Personal data will be available for inspection during the Meet on application to the Promoter.

### **Photography**

**30.** Photography in the changing rooms is absolutely forbidden by both the club and the swimming pool management

All participants must observe the safety precautions in operation. Neither the Promoter nor Great Britain Deaf Swimming Club will be responsible for any loss or damage occurring during this meet.

	Session 1					
1	200m Individual Medley	OPEN	Female			
2	200m Individual Medley	OPEN	Male			
3	50m Backstroke	All age groups	Female			
4	50m Backstroke	All age groups	Male			
5	100m Butterfly	OPEN	Female			
6	100m Butterfly	OPEN	Male			
7	50m Freestyle	Hearing Siblings	Mixed Genders			
8	50m Breaststroke	All age groups	Female			
9	50m Breaststroke	All age groups	Male			
10	100m Freestyle	OPEN	Female			
11	100m Freestyle	OPEN	Male			
INTERVAL Session 2						
12	50m Freestyle	All age groups	Female			
13	50m Freestyle	All age groups	Male			
14	100m Backstroke	OPEN	Female			
15	100m Backstroke	OPEN	Male			
16	50m Butterfly	All age groups	Female			
17	50m Butterfly	All age groups	Male			
18	100m Breaststroke	OPEN	Female			
19	100m Breaststroke	OPEN	Male			
20	4x50 Free Relay	Open	Female			
21	4x50 Free Relay	Open	Male			

## 2018 Deaf Easter Meet

Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> March. Warm Up 12:45 Please return to: promoterGBDSC@gmail.com

## **ENTRY FORM**

Swimmer's Name		Date of Birth	
ASA Number		GENDER	Male/Female *
Hearing Loss Category:	A 25dB to 54dB B 55dB and Over		Hearing Siblings *
Address:			
Postcode		Telephone	
Email address			
Home Club			

EVENT	Entry Time	Event	Entry Times
50m Butterfly		100m Butterfly	
50m Backstroke		100m Backstroke	
50m Breaststroke		100m Breaststroke	
50m Freestyle		100m Freestyle	
200m Ind Medley		Relay Team (£10 Total)	
Total No of Entries		@ £5 per event Total	£

# A valid time must be entered for each swim. If entering a Relay Team Four names are required.

I certify that the above details are correct. I accept the promoter's conditions for the Competition.

Swimmer Signature (parent/guardian must sign if swimmer is under 18)

Home Coach Signature

(If times used not on British Swimming Rankings)

CLOSING DATE: 24th February 2018