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# STAFFORD APEX WINTER OPEN MEET 2022

(Under ASA Laws and ASA Technical Rules for Swimming)

**License No.** **3WM220910**

**SATURDAY 26th & SUNDAY 27th NOVEMBER 2022**

**VENUE:**

Freedom Leisure Centre,

Lammascote Road,

Stafford, ST16 3TA

**POOL:**

8 Lane - 25m pool - electronic timing –

anti turbulence lane ropes

**This is a Level 3 Licensed Meet**

**AGE:** as at 27th November 2022

**CLOSING DATE:** 26th October 2022 or until the gala is full

Entries are on a first come first served basis

**ENTRIES WILL OPEN ON 7TH SEPTEMBER 2022**

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## PROGRAMME OF EVENTS

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| **SATURDAY 26th NOVEMBER** | **SUNDAY 27th NOVEMBER** | |
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| **SESSION ONE** | **SESSION THREE** | |
| **Warm up 13:00 Start 14:00** | **Warm up 08.15 Start 08.30** | |
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| Event 1 Boys 200 M Butterfly | Event 15 Girls 400m Freestyle | |
| Event 2 Girls 50 M Breaststroke | Event 16 Boys 400m Freestyle | |
| Event 3 Boys 50 M Backstroke |  | |
| Event 4 Girls 200 M Backstroke | **SESSION THREE** | |
| Event 5 Boys 100 M Butterfly | **Warm up 09.30 Start 10:30** | |
| Event 6 Girls 100 M Freestyle |  | |
| Event 7 Boys 100 IM | Event 17 Girls 200 M Butterfly | |
|  | Event 18 Boys 50 M Breaststroke | |
| **SESSION TWO** | Event 19 Girls 50 M Backstroke | |
| **Warm up TBC Start TBC** | Event 20 Boys 200 M Backstroke | |
|  | Event 21 Girls 100 M Butterfly | |
| Event 8 Girls 200 M Freestyle | Event 22 Boys 100 M Freestyle | |
| Event 9 Boys 200 IM | Event 23 Girls 100 IM | |
| Event 10 Girls 100 M Backstroke |  | |
| Event 11 Boys 100 M Breastroke | **SESSION FOUR** | |
| Event 12 Girls 50 M Butterfly | **Warm up TBC Start TBC** | |
| Event 13 Boys 50 M Freestyle |  | |
| Event 14 Girls 200 M Breaststroke | Event 24 Boys 200 M Freestyle | |
|  | Event 25 Girls 200 IM | |
|  | Event 26 Boys 100 M Backstroke | |
|  | Event 27 Girls 100 M Breastroke | |
|  | Event 28 Boys 50 M Butterfly | |
|  | Event 29 Girls 50 M Freestyle | |
|  | Event 30 Boys 200 M Breaststroke | |
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\*\*Please note session times may change due to the number of entries received\*\*

CAR PARKING: Limited fee paying spaces are available at Freedom Leisure Car Park. There is overflow car parking available at Entrust which is located on Riverway ST16 3TH (behind the leisure centre). Charges for this will be voluntary at £2 per day as a donation to Apex Swimming Club. Spaces are limited and available on a first come first served basis. Additional all day parking can also be found at Waterfront Multi Storey Car park ST16 2HQ. Charges apply.

SPECTATORS Entry £6.00 per day (£4 half day). OAP concessions of £3.00 entry per day (£2 half day). Children under 5 years free to all sessions.

REFRESHMENTS Drinks can be purchased from the coffee bar located in the main reception area of the leisure centre, subject to availability.

**OFFICIALS It is requested that all clubs provide at least two licensed officials for each day and session please. Complimentary lunch/tea after the first main session and drinks will be provided both days. Continental breakfast will also be supplied on the Sunday after session 3.**

**Any club who provides 3 or more officials will receive 2 free coach passes for the weekend**

**MEET CONDITIONS**

The competition will be held under Swim England Laws and Swim England Technical Rules at Stafford Leisure Centre.

* 25m pool, 8 lanes with anti-turbulence lane ropes.
* Electronic timing with 8-lane scoreboard is to be used in conjunction with a computerised result service.
* A secondary strobe for the starting system is available.
* Results will be displayed during the meet and a full set will be published on the Stafford Apex website shortly after the meet.

The competition is open to swimmers 9 years and over. Age is at 27th November 2022. All competitors must be registered with Swim England or their own national association as appropriate.

Individual awards for the first three places in each event in the following age groups:

* 9yrs, 10yrs, 11yrs, 12yrs, 13yrs, 14yrs, 15yrs and 16yrs/over and may be collected from the designated collection point.
* £50 cash award for Top Club.

**The use of cameras and video recording is not permitted.** This includes mobile phones with a camera facility.

We are pleased to announce that DE Photo has been appointed as the Official Photographers for our event. This event, by its very nature, is in the public arena and may result in the recording and publication of your image. If you do not wish your photo to be taken please let a member of the DE Photo team know. All DE Photo staff have been DBS checked and the company operates very strict privacy and data protection policies and are fully compliant with the General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR). Full copies of DE Photo’s GDPR documentation can be found at dephoto.biz/GDPR

* All participants must observe the safety precautions in operation at the Stafford Leisure Centre and **must** wear footwear when leaving the pool area.
* Neither Stafford Apex Swimming Club or Freedom Leisure can be held responsible for loss or damage to spectators or competitor’s property. Competitors are advised to use the lockers in the changing rooms and not to leave belongings lying around unattended.

Entries will be accepted in accordance with the **Entry Procedures.**

* All events are **HEAT DECLARED WINNER**
* There will only be 5 heats of the 400 free.
* Over the top starts may be used, when necessary, to maintain the scheduled timing of events.

It is the responsibility of **Team Managers** and **Coaches** to check start lists for each event to ensure that their competitors are recorded correctly and that they report to the Marshalling Stewards in time for the start of their race.

If cancellation of the event is necessary then the only claim will be the entry fees paid.

The Meet Administrator will decide anything not covered by these notes.

**ENTRY PROCEDURES**

* Application for entry must be correctly submitted by the specified date 26th October 2022, and on the Sports System entry file.
* Entries received without payment will not be processed.
* Entries should be made electronically using SportsSystem software, the entry pack/files can be obtained by emailing [galas.staffordapex@gmail.com](mailto:galas.staffordapex@gmail.com). It will also be available on our website [www.staffordapex.com](http://www.staffordapex.com).
* **Entries, summary sheets and coach pass applications should be emailed to:** [**galas.staffordapex@gmail.com**](mailto:galas.staffordapex@gmail.com)**.** No paper entries are accepted.
* Entry fee: £6.50 per event
* Coach Passes: £10.00 per day or £18.00 for a weekend pass.
* BACS payment can be made to ‘Stafford Apex SC’ Sortcode: 08-92-99. Account number: 65812408, Ref: Your Club Name + WM22
* The date that entries are received will be classified as the entry date.
* Qualifying times will be accepted to all events.
* Entry times must not be faster than the published upper qualifying times and must have been achieved since 26th November 2021.
* In the event that an individual event is oversubscribed, entries will be accepted on a first come first served basis.
* Entries will be checked against the British Rankings and any swimmer found to have a ranking time that exceeds the entry time before the date of entry will be excluded from the event without refund.

The planned start times each day are as per the programme of events however confirmed start times for all sessions will be advised with the accepted entries.

* Entry times are to be converted to 25m pool length.
* Heats will be seeded according to submitted entry times.
* Poolside entries will not be accepted.
* Coaches’ passes cannot be purchased on the day of the Meet.
* Passes will be inspected each day to authorise poolside access.
* It is the responsibility of attending clubs to ensure that poolside passes are issued only to people who have an up-to-date DBS.

**It is requested that all clubs provide at least two licensed officials for each day and session please. Lunch and refreshments will be provided.**

**Any club who provides 3 or more officials will receive 2 free coach passes for the weekend**

The competitor’s club shall be responsible for:

* checking and validating the entry forms and fees
* entering the information from the entry forms into a database using a computer programme provided
* returning the entry files electronically by email to the Meet Administrator
* the entries summary form with one payment per club by email
* informing the Meet Administrator of any relevant health conditions and/or allergies.

A list of all accepted and rejected swims will be posted to the Stafford Apex website shortly after the closing date has passed. Rejected swims will be given full refunds. Once entries have been accepted, no refunds will be given unless supported by a valid doctor’s certificate.

*The club co-ordinator is responsible for checking the accepted entry lists posted on the Stafford Apex website and reporting any errors and discrepancies to the Meet Administrator. Known errors should be reported before the day of meet, no changes will be made on the day.*

Any enquiries can be made by emailing [galas.staffordapex@gmail.com](mailto:galas.staffordapex@gmail.com)

WITHDRAWAL PROCEDURE

In order to facilitate a smooth running of the event, any withdrawals should be made by 6pm on 25th November 2022. Please email withdrawal notification to: [galas.staffordapex@gmail.com](mailto:admin@staffordapex.com) or text the gala team 07368 941479 stating competitor name, club, Swim England number and the event(s) that they wish to withdraw from.

**ENTRY FORM**

ENTRY TO THIS MEET WILL BE ON A FIRST COME FIRST SERVED BASIS

STAFFORD APEX SWIMMING CLUB LEVEL 3 WINTER OPEN MEET

(Please complete in block capitals)

Club...............................................................................................................................

Forename......................................................…….Surname..........................................

SE Reg No...................................................……. Male / Female

Date of Birth...................................................…….

Age as at 27th November 2022..……………………..

Address …..................................................................................................................................

Post Code......................................................... Tel Number: ......................................

Email address………………………………………………………

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| Event Entry | Time | Event Entry | Time |
| 50m Freestyle |  | 50m Breaststroke |  |
| 100m Freestyle |  | 100m Breaststroke |  |
| 200m Freestyle |  | 200m Breaststroke |  |
| 400m Freestyle |  | 50m Backstroke |  |
| 50m Butterfly |  | 100m Backstroke |  |
| 100m Butterfly |  | 200m Backstroke |  |
| 200m Butterfly 10+ |  | 100m IM |  |
| 200m IM |  |  |  |

Number of entries …………. @ £6.50 per event ….………….

Total entries …………...

Total Amount ………….

Signature of Competitor……………………………………. Date …………

**THIS FORM IS FOR CLUBS INTERNAL USE ONLY – NO PAPER ENTRIES WILL BE ACCEPTED SPORTSYSTEM FILE ENTRIES ONLY**

**STAFFORD APEX SWIMMING CLUB WINTER OPEN MEET**

Saturday 26th and Sunday 27th November 2022

License Number 3WM220910

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LEVEL 3 OPEN MEET

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**POOLSIDE PASS APPLICATION**

This form should be used only for applying for poolside passes.

Clubs must have swimmers competing to obtain a poolside pass.

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| Club Name: |  |

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| Person’s Name | DBS Number: |
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**DBS Number must be supplied in advance of the meet**

**Poolside passes will not be issued unless a valid DBS number has been provided.**

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| Poolside Pass | Quantity | Total |
| One day pass only @ £10 per day |  |  |
| Weekend pass (Saturday and Sunday) @ £18 |  |  |

I certify that all the above details are correct and that I will abide with the promoter’s conditions:

Signed (Club Official): …………………...............……………... Date: …...….......................................

**STAFFORD APEX SWIMMING CLUB WINTER OPEN MEET**

Saturday 26th and Sunday 27th November 2022

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Under ASA Laws and ASA Technical Rules for Swimming

LEVEL 3 OPEN MEET

ENTRY TO THIS MEET WILL BE ON A FIRST COME FIRST SERVED BASIS

**SUMMARY OF ENTRIES**

This form should be used as a summary of entries and coaches passes (separate application form required).

Entry to poolside will not be permitted without a coaches’ pass.

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| Club: |  | Poolside passes required: |  |
|  | Quantity |  | Total |
| Total Entries |  | @ £6.50 per event | £ |
| Poolside Passes (1 day pass) |  | @10 each | £ |
| Poolside Passes (full weekend) |  | @18 each | £ |
|  |  | TOTAL | £ |

Payment by BACS transfer as per terms and conditions

Sort code: 08-92-99. Account number: 65812408

Please use Your Club Name + WM22 as payment reference

I certify that all the above details are correct and that I will abide with the promoter’s conditions:

Signed (Club Official): …………………................................. Date: …...….......................................

All entries accepted on a first come first served basis, The date that entries are received is the date the Meet Administrator has the completed Sportsystems entry file, summary sheet and payment.

Qualifying times for Stafford Apex Level 3 Winter Open Meet 26th and 27th November 2022

Entry times must not be faster than those listed below

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| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Male Senior | Male  (born 2004 or later) | EVENT | Female  (born 2005 or later) | Female Senior |
| 00:24.34 | 00:25:21 | 50m Freestyle | 00:27:68 | 00:27:31 |
| 00:52.97 | 00:54:58 | 100m Freestyle | 01:00:08 | 00:58:97 |
| 01:56:65 | 01:59:59 | 200m Freestyle | 02:10:30 | 02:07:53 |
| 04:08:88 | 04:15:26 | 400m Freestyle | 04:35:93 | 04:28:59 |
| 00:30:54 | 00:30:54 | 50m Breaststroke | 00:34:33 | 00:34:33 |
| 01:07:52 | 01:09:52 | 100m Breaststroke | 01:16:63 | 01:15:15 |
| 02:28:20 | 02:32:45 | 200m Breaststroke | 02:44:76 | 02:42:39 |
| 00:26:02 | 00:26:02 | 50 Butterfly | 00:28:93 | 00:28:93 |
| 00:57:77 | 00:59:39 | 100m Butterfly | 01:05:85 | 01:04:34 |
| 02:11:09 | 02:13:82 | 200m Butterfly | 02:25:90 | 02:24:34 |
| 00:27:90 | 00:27:90 | 50 Backstroke | 00:30:87 | 00:30:87 |
| 00:59:98 | 01:01:40 | 100m Backstroke | 01:07:57 | 01:06:03 |
| 02:11:83 | 02:14:01 | 200m Backstroke | 02:25:59 | 02:22:79 |
| 02:11:71 | 02:15:27 | 200 Individual Medley | 02:27:78 | 02:24:73 |