



2024 Saanich Peninsula Piranhas' Sprint Challenge

Saturday, July 20- Sunday, July 21, 2024

SAANICH COMMONWEALTH POOL

Locations: 4636 Elk Lake Dr
Victoria, BC
[Facility Website](#)

Course: Heats and Finals
25 meters, 8 lanes, starting blocks, Omega Quantum Electronic Timing System

Rules: British Columbia Summer Swim Association (BCSSA) rules apply.

Entries: Club entries must be received before midnight, **Tuesday, July 16, 2024**
E-mail Hy-Tek entries to Melissa Drolet (meetentries@sidneypiranhas.com) and include a club roster file for Meet Manager. Entry files will be sent to clubs on or before July 7th for upload to Active. Please enter all novice swimmers through Active.

Please ensure all swimmers are in the correct 'S' or 'O' Category before submitting entries.

Meet fees, payable to the Saanich Peninsula Piranhas Swim Club, must be handed in to the Clerk of the Course before the end of the meet on Sunday. Meet fees can be E transferred to treasurer@sidneypiranhas.com (no password required)

Contacts:

Meet Manager	Carly Hunter	carly.hunter7@icloud.com
Meet Entries Coordinator	Melissa Drolet	meetentries@sidneypiranhas.com
Meet Referee	Brent Postelthwaite	

Fees: \$10/event, \$12/relay, and \$15/deck entry—Every swimmer also needs to pay the \$5 high performance fee for Commonwealth

* **Each swimmer can swim up to 5 individual events and 1 relay (Sprint Challenge).** Relays may have only one "O" swimmer, who will swim in their equivalent "S" division.

Weekend Schedule:

Novice Events will be at Panorama Recreation Center on Saturday Morning at 9:00 am.

Saanich Commonwealth Place

Saturday Warm-ups and Start Times

- 11:45 am- All deck entries & scratches must be to the clerk of the course.
- 12:00 pm - 12:20 pm Group 1
- 12:20 pm - 12:40 pm Group 2
- 12:30 pm - Officials' meeting
- 12:45 pm - Coaches meeting
- 1:00 pm - Meet Start Time

Sunday Warm-ups and Start Times

- 8:45 am- All deck entries & scratches must be to the clerk of the course.
- 9:00 am - 9:20 am Group 2
- 9:20 am - 9:40 am Group 1
- 9:30 am - Officials' meeting
- 9:45 am - Coaches meeting
- 10:00 am- Meet Start Time

Note: Warm-up groups and lane assignments: (to be updated after entries confirmed)

Deck Entries: Please have deck entries in by **11:45 am Saturday and 8:45 am Sunday**. Deck entries or substitutions will be accepted at the discretion of The Clerk of the Course on the day of the meet.

Scratches: A list of scratches must be submitted to the Clerk of the Course by **11:45 am Saturday and by 8:45 am Sunday**. No refunds for missed or scratched events.

Relay Entries: If possible, please enter relays in Active before the meet. Deck-entered relays must be to the clerk of the course before 12:20 pm Saturday and 9:20 am Sunday.

Disqualifications:

The following process will be used for disqualifications:

- The deck official writes up infraction and turns in the DQ form to the Meet Ref
- The Meet Ref hands the DQ slip to the appropriate club Coach
- Coach discusses the infraction with the swimmer

Novice: A Novice swimmer is swimming a 25-meter event to gain swimming experience. A Novice swimmer will not be disqualified, will not receive an official time, and will not be entered on official results. Novice designation is stroke-specific. Novice swimmers can not compete in a relay if they require assistance. Once a swimmer has swum 50m in a specific stroke, in an individual event or in a relay, they are no longer Novice in that stroke. Once a swimmer achieves a time under 30 seconds for 25m, they are no longer Novice in that stroke. Please enter Novice swimmers in Events 802-804. Novice events will not be timed and will not be organized into heats. This is to help streamline the organization process and so we know how much candy to bring!

Inclusive Practices:

Coaches must notify the Meet Manager at the beginning of the meet of any swimmers with diverse needs so accommodations can be made.

Timers: Each participating club will be responsible for supplying timers. Clubs will be advised the week before the meet as to how many lanes they are responsible for and a signup will be posted at the pool each day.

Heat Sheets: Psych sheets will be available the evening before the meet and finalized heat sheets will be made available to coaches and officials and will be posted at the pool before the start of racing. Meet

information and heat sheets will be posted to Meet Mobile once finalized. Please advise swimmers and parents to avoid using Meet Mobile to determine event and heat start times.

Awards: Division 1-3 Individual Ribbons – 1st to 8th
OCat 1 Individual Ribbons – 1st to 8th
Division 4-8 Individual Ribbons – 1st to 8th
OCat 2 Individual Ribbons – 1st to 8th
Sprint Challenge 1st Awards – Each swimmer of the female and male winning team will receive a special award.

Instructions For Meet Entries

Please ensure you are using the correct event numbers when you enter your swimmers. The meet has been set up so there will be multiple divisions swimming in the same event. The entry browser in Active will not specify what division each event is for – be sure to cross-reference with the meet package (or information below) when completing entries. Entry file will be sent to clubs on or before July 7th, 2024.

**O Cat swimmers not registered or currently training with a summer club will be invited to participate if there is space available.*

Heats and Finals

Commonwealth Pool

Saturday Events

Heats start at 1:00 p.m.

Events 101/102 - Girls/boys Div 1-3 & OCat 1 - 100 IM
Events 103/104 - Girls/boys Div 4-8 & OCat 2 - 200 IM
Events 105/106 - Girls/boys Div 1-3 & OCat 1 - 50m Free
Events 107/108 - Girls/boys Div 4-8 & OCat 2 - 50m Free
Events 109/110 - Girls/boys Div 1-4 & OCat 1 - 50m Fly
Events 111/112 - Girls/boys Div 5-8 & OCat 2 - 50m Fly
Events 201/202 - Girls/boys Sprint Challenge Heats
Event 300-Family Relay

Finals start at 4 pm

Sunday Events

Heats Start at 10 a.m.

Events 203/204 - Girls/boys Div 5-8 & OCat 2 - 100m Fly
Events 205/206 - Girls/boys Div 1-3 & OCat 1 - 50m Back
Events 207/208 - Girls/boys Div 4-8 & OCat 2 - 100m Back
Events 209/210 - Girls/boys Div 1-3 & OCat 1 - 50m Breast
Events 211/212 - Girls/boys Div 4-8 & OCat 2 - 100m Breast
Events 213/214 - Girls/boys Div 1-3 & OCat 1 - 100m Free
Events 215/216 - Girls/boys Div 4-8 & OCat 2 - 100m Free

Finals Start at 1:00 pm

Events 201/202 - Girls/boys Div1-8 & OCat 1&2 - 200m Sprint Challenge Finals

Piranhas' Sprint Challenge (*200 Free Relay with a twist)

The 200 Free Relay heats are open to all swimmers entered at the meet.

***Each relay team will be composed of 4 swimmers whose total DIV numbers do not exceed 15** (i.e. one Div 7, one Div 5, one Div 2 and one Div 1).

The total may be less than 15. Each relay team can have only one "O" swimmer, who will swim in their equivalent "S" DIV. No swimmer can compete on more than one team. Each Club can enter as many teams that meet the criteria as they wish.

The Sprint Challenge Relay qualifying will be the last event of heats on Saturday to determine the 8 fastest male and 8 fastest female relay teams which will advance to the finals. **There will be no divisional 200 free or divisional 200 Medley relay in the interest of time.**

Entries for the Sprint Challenge 200 Free Relay may be included in your entry package or deck entered on **Saturday**. Please name all relay teams (i.e. Sidney 1, Sidney 2, ...) and enter as DIV 8 Girls (event 201) or DIV 8 Boys (event 202). Include on the form provided; Club, team name, swimmers' name, swimmers' DIV and team total. **Hand in forms to the Clerk of the Course by 12:20 pm Saturday**. Heats will be posted and coaches will be notified during Saturday heats. If possible, please include relays with your entry file from Active.

There are no substitutions of swimmers between heats and finals without the approval of the of the Clerk of the Course. The division numbers must add up to 15 or under

Family Relay

Show off your family speed, technique and style at our 8th annual Family Relay! Teams may consist of either 4 family members from the same family (1 adult, 3 kids or 2 adults, 2 kids) or two families with one adult, one child from each family. Costumes Recommended!

The family relay will be held at the end of heats on Saturday. Each person not currently registered with BCSSA must fill out the BCSSA registration form. Do not enter teams using Hytek. A coach from each club is to submit all parent registrations to the clerk of the course by 7:00 am on race day. . Entries are free.

Additional Meet Information

- Parking is available for free in the Saanich Commonwealth Place parking lot
- Club tents will be allowed in the grass field to the west of the pool
- Please keep outdoor activation quiet especially early in the morning on Sunday
- No camping or overnight parking is allowed in the parking area
- Access to the recreational areas of the complex is prohibited without paid admission
- Please keep your area clean
- Coach Area—Benches on the far side of the competition pool. Coaches will be provided with bag lunches
- Deck food will not be served. Officials can get snacks in the Aquatic Classroom at the end of the East Pool but must eat/drink there.
- Food will be available at Kattia's Kitchen Cafe in the main lobby of SCP during the meet.
- Piranhas' will have a popsicle and pizza sale. There will also be a raffle.

A big **'THANK YOU'** to the Piranhas' sponsors

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