



Eastbourne Swimming Club

Affiliated to the South East Region ASA

Club Championship Gala – Session 2 – Saturday 10th June 2017

Licensed at Level 4

Sovereign Centre, Eastbourne Doors Open 6 pm Warm-up 6:10pm Start 6:40pm

To enter this gala, please complete the bottom part of this form. Please indicate the events you wish to enter with a tick. Your PB held by ESC will be used for entry therefore there is no need to enter a time, unless you hold times different to those held. (In this case, please enter the time on the entry form.)

Any entries received after the closing date will be entered as 'time only'. This means that the swimmer will not be eligible for any trophies, ribbons or points. The fee for 'time only' events is £2.00 per event.

Please ensure your club membership has been paid for 2017.

For Championship rules, please see overleaf.

N.B: Any Improver group swimmer, who wins an ESC Club Championship event at any of the Championship galas, in a stroke of 50m or longer, may not compete at any Elvers gala in that stroke thereafter. Any such person may swim as 'Time Only' in an Elvers gala, but will not gain points or be awarded ribbons.

Entry Form

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Closing Date: Monday 22nd May 2017

Name:

Tel No:

Date of Birth: Age as at 31/12/17:

All our galas are run on the day by volunteers helping with the door entry, raffle, timekeeping, announcing, marshalling and acting as a runner. If you can assist, please let me know.

I can help at the gala.

Event #	Age Group	Please circle appropriate Age Group.	Events – all HDW	Tick
1	Girls	open	200m Freestyle	
2	Boys	open	200m Freestyle	
3	Girls	10/11, 12/13, 14/15, 16/17, 18-24, 25+	100m Backstroke	
4	Boys	10/11, 12/13, 14/15, 16/17, 18-24, 25+	100m Backstroke	
5	Girls	under 10	50m Breastroke	
6	Boys	under 10	50m Breastroke	
7	Girls	open	200m IM	
8	Boys	open	200m IM	
	Please make cheques payable to E.S.C.		Total - £2.50 per event	

For ESC official use:

Paid Date

Entered on HyTek

If I do not already email you the gala entry forms and you would like to receive them by email in future, please put your email address below:

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Eastbourne Swimming Club Championship Rules

As from 1st January 2017

1. There will be 5 Club Championship Galas held during each calendar year.
2. **Rules:** The Championships will be swum under A.S.A. Laws & A.S.A. Technical Rules of Swimming.
3. **Swimmers:** Entrants must be fully paid-up members of Eastbourne Swimming Club for twenty-eight days prior to the closing date of each Championship.
4. **Ages:** Ages are as at 31st December 2017
5. **Age Groups:** 10/11 years; 12/13 years; 14/15 years; 16/17 years; 18 to 24 years; 25 years + and Open.
6. **Entry Fees:** Spectator entry is paid on the day of the Gala – adults £2.00 each; children no charge, copy of programme on the night will be £1:00 per copy if there are any available. We would suggest you download and print off the programme from our website yourself.
7. **Events:** As per the programme. All events are Heat Declared Winner (HDW).
The only finals will be for the 50m Freestyle, which will be as a SKINS event.
There will be two age groups Girls & Boys 13 years & Under and Girls & Boys 14 years & Over. The overall winners of these four finals will receive a £10.00 Swim Shop Voucher each.
8. **Entry Times:** Your personal best time (PB) held by ESC will be used for entry purposes; therefore there is no need to enter a time, unless you hold times different to those held by ESC. (In this case, please enter the time on the entry form.) If ESC does not hold a time for a swimmer and no time is submitted on the Entry Form, the swimmer will then be seeded in the slowest heat.
9. **Seeding:** In all events, all age groups will swim together, seeded by entry times, except for the final heat of each event which will be seeded and spearheaded.
10. **Closing Dates:** Please note that it is the parents/guardians/swimmers responsibility to collect, complete and return the entry form to the Club Championship Gala Organiser or the ESC Club Desk on a Monday Night by the closing date on the entry form. No late entries will be accepted after the closing date.
11. **Championship Records:** Any times bettered are recorded as Club Championship Records in these events only.

Points Score, Events and Trophies

Points: Points are awarded for the 6 fastest times in each age group event (without disqualification) as follows:

1st place = 6 points; 2nd place = 5 points; 3rd place = 4 points;
4th place = 3 points; 5th place = 2 points; 6th place = 1 point;

Trophies for Championship Events: Trophies will be presented for each Championship event (where available) to the 1st place swimmer without disqualification (except for 18-24yrs and 25yrs+ events). Medals will be presented for the 1st three places in each Championship event. Ribbons will be presented to 4th, 5th and 6th places.

Session	10/11,12/13,14/15,16/17, 18-24, +25	Open
1	100m Breaststroke 100m Individual Medley	200m Butterfly
2	100m Backstroke	200m Freestyle 200m Individual Medley
3	100m Freestyle	400m Individual Medley 200m Breaststroke
4	50m Sprints + SKINS	
5	100m Butterfly	400m Freestyle 200m Backstroke

Other Championship Events: 4th Championship Gala - There are no trophies or certificates for the four 50m events. Points from these four events will be combined to gain an overall Champion in each age group. Medals will be awarded for 1st to 3rd places, and Ribbons for 4th to 6th places in each age group, as well as the Open age group. There will be no Medals, Ribbons or points awarded to the swimmers in the SKINS Finals.

Overall Age Group and Open Winners: Trophies are awarded at the end of each year to the swimmer in each age group who has accumulated the highest total of points from all Championship events held for their age group during the year.

Trophies: Any Member who wins a Trophy / Trophies who subsequently resigns from the Club in the current Membership Year or who does not renew their Annual Membership by the due date in the following year MUST immediately return their Trophy / Trophies to the Hon. Trophy Secretary or the ESC Desk.

From time to time ESC may take photographs of Members following an event for use on the Club Website, Tumble Turn Times, ESC Notice Boards, Newspaper Reports etc., all in accordance with ASA guidelines. We do not have control over others taking photos in the pool areas other than anyone wishing to take photos at an Eastbourne Swimming Club event must register their intent with us at each event by signing the Club Photo Register on arrival.

For news on the Club, visit our website at www.eastbourneswimmingclub.org