

ST GEORGE OPEN

SATURDAY 11[™] JANUARY 2025 ST GEORGE AQUATIC CENTRE, VICTORIA ST

Gates Open 8am

Warm-up 8am to 8:45am

Events commence 9am

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COMPETITION INFORMATION AND MEET RULES

- 1. Warm up from 8am, pool to be cleared by 8:45am. During warm up, diving is only allowed in lanes 1 and 7. The meet will commence at 9am.
- 2. All events will be conducted under Swimming Queensland rules. St George Aquatic Centre rules apply to all patrons.
- 3. The age of the swimmer is their actual age on the day of the carnival.
- 4. Swimmers will swim in their allocated lanes unless otherwise advised by officials. Heats may be consolidated at the discretion of the call steward; they will not be reseeded.
- 5. Timekeepers will not give swimmers their times. Times will be available on Meet Mobile and Swim Central.
- 6. Rule tolerances up to 8 years old.
- 7. All swimmers must report to marshalling at the eastern end of the pool at least FOUR heats prior to their event. Swimmers are to remain in the marshalling area until requested to move to the pool deck by officials.
- 8. The referee will adjudicate all disputes, and their decision will be final.
- 9. In all events heats only will be swum and placing will be determined on times.
- 10. Medals will be awarded to the first 3 placings in each event as indicated on meet flyer.

- 11. Trophies will be awarded to age champions for age groups 8 years and over, with 13 years and over being classed as open. To be eligible swimmers must compete in all 4 strokes of 50m events in their age group.
- 12. All 7 years and under competitors will receive a participation medal after completion of the freestyle race.
- 13. The FIRST start shall be the ONLY start, and in the event of a false start, there will be no recall, and the starter will allow the start and race to proceed. Disqualification will proceed on the recommendation of the starter in concurrence with the referee.
- 14. The heated pool and splash park are OUT OF BOUNDS AND ARE NOT TO BE USED by competitors or non-competitors while the carnival is in progress.
- 15. If time permits a short break will be taken between Session 1 and Session 2.
- 16. A BBQ and home baked goods will be available on the day. St George Aquatics Canteen will also be open for sausage rolls, pies, pizzas, coffee, hot chocolate, cold drinks, chips, lollies and chocolates. EFTPOS and cash can be used.
- 17.14 timekeepers are required for this meet. It would be greatly appreciated if clubs with participating swimmers could please assist with timekeeping throughout the day.



