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SWIMMING CHAMPIONSHIPS



Entry Pack - 2027

Entry Deadline: 07 January 2027, 12:00 noon (GST)



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Introduction



The Hamdan Sports Complex, Dubai

Where Swimming Meets The Spirit Of Dubai

We are delighted to welcome you to the prestigious Dubai Open Swimming Championships, a premier aquatic event created and hosted by **Hamilton Aquatics**.

Since launching in 2011, the championship has evolved into the most prominent swimming competition in the region. Its reputation is built on high-quality organisation, strong international participation and an unwavering commitment to elevating the sport. Over the years, the **Dubai Open** has established itself as a meeting point for clubs from around the world, offering an environment where emerging talent competes alongside established international figures.

A Global Affair

Our dedication to the development of swimming continues to attract exceptional athletes to Dubai, and each edition strengthens the event's position on the global swimming calendar.

The 2026 edition proved to be a landmark year, bringing together a truly international field of swimmers. It featured:

- 36 countries represented
- 119 participating clubs
- 1,300 swimmers across all age groups
- A remarkable 72 new meet records were set, marking the most successful and competitive event in the championship's history

Introduction

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The 2026 event welcomed a distinguished list of leading international swimmers, including Siobhan Haughey, Kyle Chalmers, Arno Kamminga, James Guy, Abbie Wood, Lauren Cox, Michael Houlie, Lara van Niekerk and Daiya Seto. Their presence enriched the racing environment, raised performance standards and provided inspiration for the hundreds of swimmers competing alongside them.

Looking ahead to 2027, the Dubai Open continues to build on its legacy of excellence. This year's edition is set to bring together world-class racing, international camaraderie and the dynamic spirit of Dubai, creating an unforgettable experience for athletes, coaches and spectators alike.

The Grand Venue

For the 2027 edition, the Dubai Open Swimming Championships will be hosted at the illustrious Hamdan Sports Complex in Dubai, UAE. This world-class facility offers the perfect stage for this significant sporting event. It stands as the crowning jewel on the region's swimming calendar, a testament to our commitment to excellence.

What Lies Ahead

Mark your calendars for **29 – 31 January, 2027.**

Join us for an unparalleled display of swimming talent, sportsmanship, and international camaraderie – an event geared to inspire the future of swimming.



CAMPS, CLINICS & COACHES CONFERENCE

Get ahead of the competition and register for our training camps with bespoke packages to accommodate your club's needs. Or register for our clinics & conference to connect with coaches from around the globe and get fresh insights from Olympic swimmers.

These programmes are more than preparation – they're part of our ongoing mission to inspire the future of swimming through education, opportunity, and global connection.

[Click here](#) to register your interest or email us at: dubaiopen@hamiltonaquatics.ae



The Venue: Hamdan Sports Complex



Event Information

Entries

Team entries should be made using Hy-Tek and sent via email to **dubaiopen@hamiltonaquatics.ae** before 07 January 2027.

The entry file is available on request. All individual entries must be made via email to **dubaiopen@hamiltonaquatics.ae**. Entry forms are available on request.

All entries must have a proof of time and should be sent with the entries. By submitting entry, participants agree to the conditions of entry for the competition and the [Hamilton Aquatics Promoter's Conditions](#).

Entry Conditions

Swimmers will be considered for entry if their entry time is faster than or meets the advertised qualifying times. In the event of oversubscription, the slowest swimmers in each age group, in each event, will be rejected.

Amendments

The deadline for amendments and advance withdrawals is **13 January 2027 at 12:00 noon (GST)**.

Warm-Up

Full details will be available together with final information.

Note: A swim down facility will be available throughout the event.

Withdrawals

Withdrawals for the **Open & Junior sessions** will close the evening prior to Session 1, 4, and 7 at 09:00 PM (GST). Failure to comply with this will result in a fine of **AED 100** for each inappropriate withdrawal per event.

Withdrawal from a final must be submitted within **30 minutes** of the results being posted. Failure to comply will result in a fine of **AED 500** for each late withdrawal per event.

Fees for no-shows or late withdrawals from heats or finals will be managed as follows: local clubs will be invoiced after the competition, while international clubs must pay the fine on the same day before the swimmer's next race during warm-up time. If the fine is not paid within this timeframe, the swimmer will be automatically withdrawn from their next event.

Payments

A single payment covering all entries must be made by each entering club or individual.

Payments must be made in advance via bank transfer. Bank transfer details will be provided on the invoice. **Cash payments will not be accepted on the day of the event.**

Additionally, a cheque can be delivered to the Hamilton Aquatics Office at **504 Detroit House Building, Motor City, Dubai**. Cheques must be made payable to 'Hamilton Aquatics Swimming Training'.

Event Information

Coach Passes

Entered teams must have at least one coach in attendance for every 10 swimmers. One complimentary coach pass will be issued per team. **For every additional 10 swimmers, or part thereof, one additional coach pass will be issued and charged accordingly.**

Team managers, strength and conditioning coaches, masseuses, and other team staff are required to hold a valid coach pass to access the swimmers' area and poolside.

Coach passes will only be issued upon presentation of valid proof of club membership from the relevant home country swimming federation. Coach passes purchased on the day will be subject to an additional administration fee of USD 27 (or AED 100).

Price: USD 55 (or AED 200) for the weekend.

To purchase additional coach passes, email: dubaiopen@hamiltonaquatics.ae

Spectators

- AED 35 per session*
- AED 80 for full day*
- Children 6 and under are free to enter

*Prices are charged per person

Meet Mobile

The Meet Mobile App is free to download from the Apple App Store and Google Play Store and will allow access to heat sheets and results throughout the weekend.

Please note that the app contains in-app purchases.

Note:

All swimmers entering the Dubai Open must be registered with their national swimming federation or governing body recognised by World Aquatics through an affiliated club. Hamilton Aquatics reserves the right to reject any entries that do not meet these requirements.



OPEN DIVISION

Entry Information

Programme of Events

Qualifying Times





Competition Information

Age Group

Female Categories

- Open Category: All ages eligible
- Youth Category: 14–15 years
- Youth Category: 12–13 years

Male Categories

- Open Category: All ages eligible
- Youth Category: 15–16 years
- Youth Category: 13–14 years

Age as of 31 December 2027

Events

Individual Events

- 50m Freestyle, Backstroke, Breaststroke, Butterfly
- 100m Freestyle, Backstroke, Breaststroke, Butterfly
- 200m Freestyle, Backstroke, Breaststroke, Butterfly
- 200m Individual Medley
- 400m Individual Medley
- 400m Freestyle

Distance Events (Heat Declared Winner – HDW)

- 800m Freestyle – fastest 20 entries
- 1500m Freestyle – fastest 20 entries

Distance events will be conducted as timed finals, with final rankings determined by time.

Competition Information

Competition Format

The Dubai Open Swimming Championships are conducted as a preliminary heats and finals competition. All swimmers compete in the morning preliminary heats. Based on the preliminary results, the fastest swimmers advance to the evening finals sessions.

The "A" Final represents the premier race of each event and determines the official Dubai Open Champion.

The competition structure is designed to allow elite swimmers and developing youth athletes to compete within the same event framework, while maintaining dedicated recognition for the Youth Categories. All finals will be conducted in 10 lanes.

Youth Eligibility

Swimmers entered in the Youth Categories are fully eligible to compete within the Open Category and may qualify for any final based on their performance. If a Youth swimmer places within the medal positions of the Open Category, they will receive the corresponding Open medal. Youth swimmers also remain eligible for medals within their respective Youth Category, based on the ranking procedure described in the section "Individual Medals".

This structure ensures that outstanding Youth swimmers may be recognised both at the Open level and within the Youth Category.



Competition Information

Finals

Following the preliminary heats, swimmers will qualify for finals according to their ranking in the preliminary results:

- **"A" Final** – The 10 fastest swimmers overall from the preliminary heats (ranks 1–10) will qualify for the "A" Final. This final determines the overall placements from 1st to 10th and the Open Championship medals.
- **"B" Final** – The next 10 fastest swimmers overall from the preliminary heats (ranks 11–20) will qualify for the "B" Final. This final determines the overall placements from 11th to 20th.
- **"Youth" Final** – Youth Finals shall be conducted in the 50m, 100m, 200m and 400m events only.
 - a) The 10 fastest eligible Youth swimmers from the preliminary heats who have not qualified for the "A" Final or "B" Final will qualify for the Youth Final.
 - b) Youth swimmers who qualify for the "A" Final or "B" Final must compete in that final and will not be entered in the Youth Final.
 - c) Swimmers qualified for the "A" Final or "B" Final are not permitted to withdraw in order to compete in the Youth Final.

Any swimmer who qualifies for a final but does not obtain a valid placing shall not be eligible for awards in that event. A valid placing is defined as a placing obtained by starting and completing the final without disqualification (DQ).

Individual Medals

Medals are awarded to the top three swimmers in each category.

- Gold Medal – 1st Place
- Silver Medal – 2nd Place
- Bronze Medal – 3rd Place

Open Category Medals

Open Category medals (Gold, Silver and Bronze) are awarded based on the results of the "A" Final.



Competition Information

Individual Medals

Youth Category Medals

Youth Category medals are awarded based on the highest level of the competition structure at which a swimmer from that age category achieves a valid placing (i.e. completes a final without disqualification).

To determine the medal positions (1st, 2nd and 3rd) within each Youth Category, the highest-ranked swimmer is identified by working through the following levels in order of priority, moving to the next level only if no valid placing has been obtained at the current level:

- "A" Final
- "B" Final
- Youth Final
- Preliminary Heats

Placings in the "A" Final, "B" Final and Youth Final are determined by finishing position. Rankings in the Preliminary Heats are determined by fastest time.

As a result, a swimmer who competed at a higher level of the structure ("A" or "B" Final) may receive a higher Youth Category medal position than a swimmer from the same age category who recorded a faster time at a lower level.

A swimmer who is disqualified in the "A" Final, "B" Final or Youth Final will have no valid placing at any level of the competition structure and will therefore be ineligible for a Youth Category medal in that event.



Competition Information

Club Trophies

Top Open Club

Awarded to the highest-ranked club based on the total number of points accumulated across the Open Division finals.

Top Open Overseas Club

Awarded to the highest-ranked overseas club based on the total number of points accumulated across the Open Division finals. For the purpose of this award, an overseas club is defined as a club affiliated with a federation outside the United Arab Emirates.

Youth Awards

Top Youth Swimmer Male & Female Awards

Awards will be presented for 1st, 2nd and 3rd place to the male and female Youth swimmers achieving the highest total World Aquatics points from their three (3) highest-scoring Final events.



Prizes*

- Top Open Swimmer Male & Female – Awarded to the swimmers who achieve the highest total World Aquatics points from their three (3) highest-scoring Final events – USD 2500 each
- King & Queen of Sprints – Highest accumulated World Aquatics points score across all 50m final events – USD 1500 each
- Individual Events – 1st place - USD 300; 2nd place - USD 150; 3rd place - USD 50

**Only applicable for Female 16yrs+ and Male 17yrs+*

Entry Fees

- **USD 25 (or AED 90) per event** (for teams entering Open Championships, using Hy-Tek)
- **USD 50 (or AED 180) per event** (for paper entries, under Open Championships)
- Instructions on entering using Hy-Tek are available on the Hamilton Aquatics website. (www.hamiltonaquatics.ae)

Programme of Events

Friday, 29 January 2027

Session 1		Warm-Up TBC		Start TBC	
Event No.	101	200m Freestyle	Female	12-13, 14-15, 16/o	Heat
	102	200m Freestyle	Male	13-14, 15-16, 17/o	Heat
	103	100m Breaststroke	Female	12-13, 14-15, 16/o	Heat
	104	100m Breaststroke	Male	13-14, 15-16, 17/o	Heat
	105	100m Backstroke	Female	12-13, 14-15, 16/o	Heat
	106	100m Backstroke	Male	13-14, 15-16, 17/o	Heat
	107	200m Butterfly	Female	12-13, 14-15, 16/o	Heat
	108	200m Butterfly	Male	13-14, 15-16, 17/o	Heat
	109	50m Freestyle	Female	12-13, 14-15, 16/o	Heat
	110	50m Freestyle	Male	13-14, 15-16, 17/o	Heat
	111	1500m Freestyle	Female	Open	HDW
	112	1500m Freestyle	Male	Open	HDW

**Junior Division Sessions (2, 5 and 8) can be viewed from page 26-29*



Programme of Events

Friday, 29 January 2027

Session 3		Warm-Up TBC		Start TBC	
Event No.	101	200m Freestyle	Female	15yrs/u (Youth Final), 16yrs/o (A & B Final)	Final
	102	200m Freestyle	Male	16yrs/u (Youth Final), 17yrs/o (A & B Final)	Final
	103	100m Breaststroke	Female	15yrs/u (Youth Final), 16yrs/o (A & B Final)	Final
	104	100m Breaststroke	Male	16yrs/u (Youth Final), 17yrs/o (A & B Final)	Final
	105	100m Backstroke	Female	15yrs/u (Youth Final), 16yrs/o (A & B Final)	Final
	106	100m Backstroke	Male	16yrs/u (Youth Final), 17yrs/o (A & B Final)	Final
	107	200m Butterfly	Female	15yrs/u (Youth Final), 16yrs/o (A & B Final)	Final
	108	200m Butterfly	Male	16yrs/u (Youth Final), 17yrs/o (A & B Final)	Final
	109	50m Freestyle	Female	15yrs/u (Youth Final), 16yrs/o (A & B Final)	Final
	110	50m Freestyle	Male	16yrs/u (Youth Final), 17yrs/o (A & B Final)	Final



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Programme of Events

Saturday, 30 January 2027

Session 4		Warm-Up TBC		Start TBC	
Event No.	201	400m Freestyle	Female	12-13, 14-15, 16/o	Heat
	202	400m Freestyle	Male	13-14, 15-16, 17/o	Heat
	203	50m Breaststroke	Female	12-13, 14-15, 16/o	Heat
	204	50m Breaststroke	Male	13-14, 15-16, 17/o	Heat
	205	200m Backstroke	Female	12-13, 14-15, 16/o	Heat
	206	200m Backstroke	Male	13-14, 15-16, 17/o	Heat
	207	200m Individual Medley	Female	12-13, 14-15, 16/o	Heat
	208	200m Individual Medley	Male	13-14, 15-16, 17/o	Heat
	209	50m Butterfly	Female	12-13, 14-15, 16/o	Heat
	210	50m Butterfly	Male	13-14, 15-16, 17/o	Heat

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Programme of Events

Saturday, 30 January 2027

Session 6		Warm-Up TBC		Start TBC	
Event No.	201	400m Freestyle	Female	15yrs/u (Youth Final), 16yrs/o (A & B Final)	Final
	202	400m Freestyle	Male	16yrs/u (Youth Final), 17yrs/o (A & B Final)	Final
	203	50m Breaststroke	Female	15yrs/u (Youth Final), 16yrs/o (A & B Final)	Final
	204	50m Breaststroke	Male	16yrs/u (Youth Final), 17yrs/o (A & B Final)	Final
	205	200m Backstroke	Female	15yrs/u (Youth Final), 16yrs/o (A & B Final)	Final
	206	200m Backstroke	Male	16yrs/u (Youth Final), 17yrs/o (A & B Final)	Final
	207	200m Individual Medley	Female	15yrs/u (Youth Final), 16yrs/o (A & B Final)	Final
	208	200m Individual Medley	Male	16yrs/u (Youth Final), 17yrs/o (A & B Final)	Final
	209	50m Butterfly	Female	15yrs/u (Youth Final), 16yrs/o (A & B Final)	Final
	210	50m Butterfly	Male	16yrs/u (Youth Final), 17yrs/o (A & B Final)	Final

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Programme of Events

Sunday, 31 January 2027

Session 7		Warm-Up TBC		Start TBC	
Event No.	301	800m Freestyle (Slowest Heats)	Female	Open	HDW
	302	800m Freestyle (Slowest Heats)	Male	Open	HDW
	303	200m Breaststroke	Female	12-13, 14-15, 16/o	Heat
	304	200m Breaststroke	Male	13-14, 15-16, 17/o	Heat
	305	50m Backstroke	Female	12-13, 14-15, 16/o	Heat
	306	50m Backstroke	Male	13-14, 15-16, 17/o	Heat
	307	100m Butterfly	Female	12-13, 14-15, 16/o	Heat
	308	100m Butterfly	Male	13-14, 15-16, 17/o	Heat
	309	400m Individual Medley	Female	12-13, 14-15, 16/o	Heat
	310	400m Individual Medley	Male	13-14, 15-16, 17/o	Heat
	311	100m Freestyle	Female	12-13, 14-15, 16/o	Heat
	312	100m Freestyle	Male	13-14, 15-16, 17/o	Heat

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Programme of Events

Sunday, 31 January 2027

Session 9		Warm-Up TBC		Start TBC	
Event No.	303	200m Breaststroke	Female	15yrs/u (Youth Final), 16yrs/o (A & B Final)	Final
	304	200m Breaststroke	Male	16yrs/u (Youth Final), 17yrs/o (A & B Final)	Final
	305	50m Backstroke	Female	15yrs/u (Youth Final), 16yrs/o (A & B Final)	Final
	306	50m Backstroke	Male	16yrs/u (Youth Final), 17yrs/o (A & B Final)	Final
	301	800m Freestyle (Fastest Heat)	Female	Open	HDW
	302	800m Freestyle (Fastest Heat)	Male	Open	HDW
	307	100m Butterfly	Female	15yrs/u (Youth Final), 16yrs/o (A & B Final)	Final
	308	100m Butterfly	Male	16yrs/u (Youth Final), 17yrs/o (A & B Final)	Final
	309	400m Individual Medley	Female	15yrs/u (Youth Final), 16yrs/o (A & B Final)	Final
	310	400m Individual Medley	Male	16yrs/u (Youth Final), 17yrs/o (A & B Final)	Final
	311	100m Freestyle	Female	15yrs/u (Youth Final), 16yrs/o (A & B Final)	Final
	312	100m Freestyle	Male	16yrs/u (Youth Final), 17yrs/o (A & B Final)	Final

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Open Championships Qualifying Times

UAE & GCC Countries' Swimming Federation Members

FEMALE				MALE		
12-13yrs	14-15yrs	16yrs/over	EVENTS	13-14yrs	15-16yrs	17yrs/over
00:31.18	00:30.39	00:29.93	50m Freestyle	00:30.66	00:28.70	00:27.30
01:08.13	01:05.62	01:04.71	100m Freestyle	01:06.44	01:02.14	00:59.71
02:28.65	02:22.96	02:18.08	200m Freestyle	02:22.79	02:10.80	02:04.54
05:10.33	05:01.11	04:57.28	400m Freestyle	04:58.31	04:34.50	04:25.12
10:35.51	10:24.51	10:12.15	800m Freestyle	10:00.02	09:49.63	08:57.38
20:49.93	20:01.04	19:35.63	1500m Freestyle	19:15.19	18:31.39	17:54.78
00:35.88	00:33.86	00:33.53	50m Backstroke	00:35.77	00:33.28	00:32.03
01:17.66	01:14.69	01:13.61	100m Backstroke	01:16.48	01:12.39	01:08.00
02:46.45	02:39.79	02:36.18	200m Backstroke	02:42.75	02:31.28	02:22.70
00:39.32	00:36.91	00:36.97	50m Breaststroke	00:40.66	00:37.70	00:36.00
01:27.40	01:22.95	01:22.56	100m Breaststroke	01:23.69	01:16.39	01:12.99
03:03.74	03:01.19	02:50.19	200m Breaststroke	03:03.71	02:46.39	02:35.25
00:33.45	00:31.58	00:31.50	50m Butterfly	00:33.53	00:31.50	00:29.99
01:16.92	01:13.34	01:11.81	100m Butterfly	01:14.71	01:09.07	01:06.86
02:46.84	02:45.16	02:35.04	200m Butterfly	02:46.92	02:38.51	02:26.78
02:44.67	02:42.67	02:38.57	200m Individual Medley	02:38.58	02:28.38	02:17.35
05:56.72	05:44.92	05:39.68	400m Individual Medley	05:51.02	05:23.48	05:02.99

Times can be achieved in either a 25m or 50m pool. 25m times must be converted to 50m times. Times must be achieved in competition licensed or ratified by the country within which the meet was held and should not be older than 12 months. The promoter will request validation of any stated entry time.

The above times can be used by global clubs as Consideration Times

Open Championships Qualifying Times

Global Swimming Federation Members

FEMALE				MALE		
12-13yrs	14-15yrs	16yrs/over	EVENTS	13-14yrs	15-16yrs	17yrs/over
00:30.60	00:29.82	00:29.37	50m Freestyle	00:30.51	00:28.57	00:27.17
01:06.86	01:04.40	01:03.51	100m Freestyle	01:06.29	01:01.63	00:59.31
02:25.99	02:20.36	02:16.89	200m Freestyle	02:19.49	02:09.08	02:02.65
05:03.14	04:55.21	04:50.98	400m Freestyle	04:55.31	04:33.56	04:18.21
10:23.69	10:12.90	10:00.76	800m Freestyle	09:35.30	09:25.35	08:50.15
20:26.68	19:38.69	19:13.76	1500m Freestyle	18:47.23	18:05.71	17:21.07
00:35.21	00:33.23	00:32.91	50m Backstroke	00:35.10	00:32.66	00:31.43
01:16.22	01:13.30	01:12.24	100m Backstroke	01:15.02	01:09.40	01:05.66
02:43.35	02:36.47	02:32.63	200m Backstroke	02:39.10	02:26.34	02:16.38
00:38.59	00:36.22	00:36.28	50m Breaststroke	00:39.90	00:37.00	00:35.33
01:25.76	01:22.64	01:21.37	100m Breaststroke	01:23.09	01:14.65	01:10.27
03:03.20	02:57.54	02:48.54	200m Breaststroke	02:58.91	02:42.18	02:30.12
00:32.82	00:30.99	00:30.91	50m Butterfly	00:32.91	00:30.91	00:29.44
01:15.49	01:11.98	01:10.47	100m Butterfly	01:12.53	01:07.20	01:04.19
02:45.43	02:42.09	02:30.13	200m Butterfly	02:41.46	02:31.40	02:20.56
02:43.46	02:39.25	02:31.92	200m Individual Medley	02:37.11	02:26.21	02:14.79
05:50.78	05:39.09	05:33.36	400m Individual Medley	05:45.49	05:15.28	04:56.82

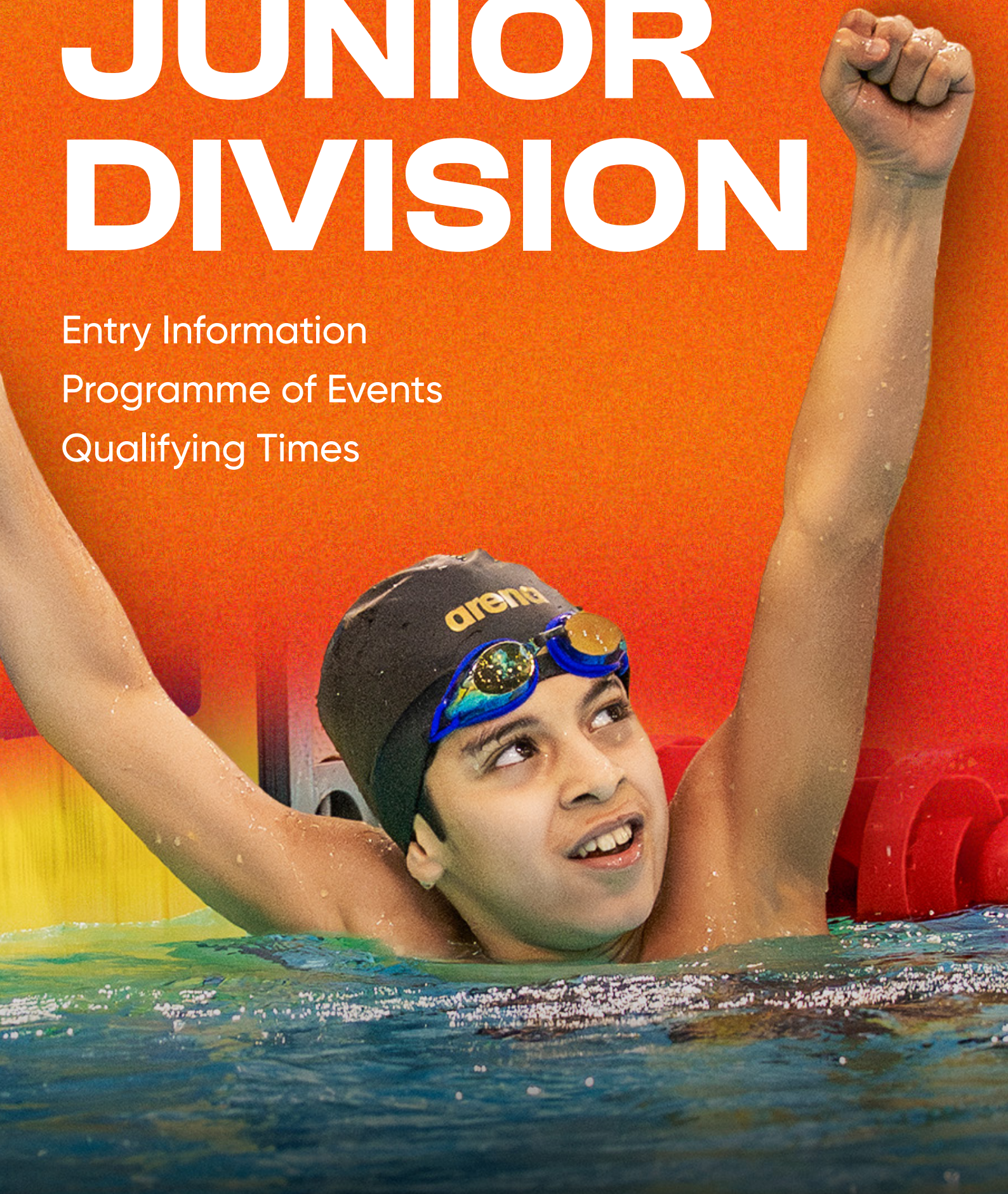
Times can be achieved in either a 25m or 50m pool. 25m times must be converted to 50m times. Times must be achieved in competition licensed or ratified by the country within which the meet was held and should not be older than 12 months. The promoter will request validation of any stated entry time.

JUNIOR DIVISION

Entry Information

Programme of Events

Qualifying Times





Competition Information

Age Group

Junior Championships (29–31 January 2027)

- Female: 9 & Under, 10, 11
- Male: 9 & Under, 10, 11, 12

Age as of 31 December 2027

Events

- 50m on all strokes (fastest 50 female & fastest 50 male entry)
- 100m on all strokes (fastest 40 female & fastest 40 male entry)
- 200m Individual Medley (fastest 30 female & fastest 30 male entry)
- 200m Freestyle (fastest 30 female & fastest 30 male entry)
- All events will have heat declared winners

Age Category Awards

Medals will be awarded to the top three (3) swimmers in each recognised age category:

- Gold Medal – 1st Place
- Silver Medal – 2nd Place
- Bronze Medal – 3rd Place

Club Trophies

Top Junior Club

Awarded to the highest-ranked club based on the total number of points accumulated across the Junior Division events.

Top Junior Overseas Club

Awarded to the highest-ranked overseas club based on the total number of points accumulated across the Junior Division events. For the purpose of this award, an overseas club is defined as a club affiliated with a federation outside the United Arab Emirates.



Competition Information

Club Trophies

Top Junior U9, 10 Years & 11 Years Female Swimmer – Awarded to the swimmer in each age category who achieves the highest total World Aquatics points, calculated from their three (3) highest-scoring individual events plus their score in the 200m Individual Medley (200 IM).

Top Junior U9, 10 Years, 11 Years & 12 Years Male Swimmer – Awarded to the swimmer in each age category who achieves the highest total World Aquatics points, calculated from their three (3) highest-scoring individual events plus their score in the 200m Individual Medley (200 IM).

Entry Fees

- **USD 20 (or AED 70) per event** (for teams entering Junior Championships, using Hy-Tek)
- **USD 40 (or AED 140) per event** (for paper entries, under Junior Championships)
- Instructions on entering using Hy-Tek are available on the Hamilton Aquatics website.
(www.hamiltonaquatics.ae)

Programme of Events

Friday, 29 January 2027

Session 2		Warm-Up TBC		Start TBC	
Event No.	151	200m Freestyle	Female	9 years	HDW
	152	200m Freestyle	Female	10 years	HDW
	153	200m Freestyle	Female	11 years	HDW
	154	200m Freestyle	Male	9 years	HDW
	155	200m Freestyle	Male	10 years	HDW
	156	200m Freestyle	Male	11 years	HDW
	157	200m Freestyle	Male	12 years	HDW
	158	50m Butterfly	Female	9 years	HDW
	159	50m Butterfly	Female	10 years	HDW
	160	50m Butterfly	Female	11 years	HDW
	161	50m Butterfly	Male	9 years	HDW
	162	50m Butterfly	Male	10 years	HDW
	163	50m Butterfly	Male	11 years	HDW
	164	50m Butterfly	Male	12 years	HDW
	165	100m Backstroke	Female	9 years	HDW
	166	100m Backstroke	Female	10 years	HDW
	167	100m Backstroke	Female	11 years	HDW
	168	100m Backstroke	Male	9 years	HDW
	169	100m Backstroke	Male	10 years	HDW
	170	100m Backstroke	Male	11 years	HDW
	171	100m Backstroke	Male	12 years	HDW

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Saturday, 30 January 2027

Session 5		Warm-Up TBC		Start TBC	
Event No.	251	200m Individual Medley	Female	9 years	HDW
	252	200m Individual Medley	Female	10 years	HDW
	253	200m Individual Medley	Female	11 years	HDW
	254	200m Individual Medley	Male	9 years	HDW
	255	200m Individual Medley	Male	10 years	HDW
	256	200m Individual Medley	Male	11 years	HDW
	257	200m Individual Medley	Male	12 years	HDW
	258	50m Breaststroke	Female	9 years	HDW
	259	50m Breaststroke	Female	10 years	HDW
	260	50m Breaststroke	Female	11 years	HDW
	261	50m Breaststroke	Male	9 years	HDW
	262	50m Breaststroke	Male	10 years	HDW
	263	50m Breaststroke	Male	11 years	HDW
	264	50m Breaststroke	Male	12 years	HDW
	265	100m Butterfly	Female	9 years	HDW
	266	100m Butterfly	Female	10 years	HDW
	267	100m Butterfly	Female	11 years	HDW
	268	100m Butterfly	Male	9 years	HDW
	269	100m Butterfly	Male	10 years	HDW
	270	100m Butterfly	Male	11 years	HDW
	271	100m Butterfly	Male	12 years	HDW

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Saturday, 30 January 2027

Session 5		Warm-Up TBC		Start TBC	
Event No.	272	50m Freestyle	Female	9 years	HDW
	273	50m Freestyle	Female	10 years	HDW
	274	50m Freestyle	Female	11 years	HDW
	275	50m Freestyle	Male	9 years	HDW
	276	50m Freestyle	Male	10 years	HDW
	277	50m Freestyle	Male	11 years	HDW
	278	50m Freestyle	Male	12 years	HDW



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Sunday, 31 January 2027

Session 8		Warm-Up TBC		Start TBC	
Event No.	351	100m Breaststroke	Female	9 years	HDW
	352	100m Breaststroke	Female	10 years	HDW
	353	100m Breaststroke	Female	11 years	HDW
	354	100m Breaststroke	Male	9 years	HDW
	355	100m Breaststroke	Male	10 years	HDW
	356	100m Breaststroke	Male	11 years	HDW
	357	100m Breaststroke	Male	12 years	HDW
	358	50m Backstroke	Female	9 years	HDW
	359	50m Backstroke	Female	10 years	HDW
	360	50m Backstroke	Female	11 years	HDW
	361	50m Backstroke	Male	9 years	HDW
	362	50m Backstroke	Male	10 years	HDW
	363	50m Backstroke	Male	11 years	HDW
	364	50m Backstroke	Male	12 years	HDW
	365	100m Freestyle	Female	9 years	HDW
	366	100m Freestyle	Female	10 years	HDW
	367	100m Freestyle	Female	11 years	HDW
	368	100m Freestyle	Male	9 years	HDW
	369	100m Freestyle	Male	10 years	HDW
	370	100m Freestyle	Male	11 years	HDW
	371	100m Freestyle	Male	12 years	HDW

Junior Championships Qualifying Times

	FEMALE				MALE			
	9yrs	10yrs	11yrs	EVENTS	9yrs	10yrs	11yrs	12yrs
Qualifying Time	00:41.69	00:38.61	00:35.76	50m Freestyle	00:38.26	00:36.44	00:34.70	00:33.26
Consideration Time	00:52.12	00:48.26	00:44.71		00:47.82	00:45.55	00:43.38	00:41.58
Qualifying Time	01:33.57	01:25.95	01:18.48	100m Freestyle	01:23.66	01:19.68	01:15.88	01:12.10
Consideration Time	01:56.97	01:47.44	01:38.09		01:44.58	01:39.60	01:34.85	01:30.12
Qualifying Time	03:04.61	02:55.82	02:47.88	200m Freestyle	03:01.97	02:53.31	02:45.06	02:37.46
Consideration Time	03:50.76	03:39.77	03:29.84		03:47.47	03:36.64	03:26.32	03:16.83
Qualifying Time	00:48.92	00:44.95	00:41.47	50m Backstroke	00:43.87	00:41.78	00:39.79	00:38.39
Consideration Time	01:01.15	00:56.18	00:51.84		00:54.84	00:52.23	00:49.74	00:47.99
Qualifying Time	01:48.98	01:36.36	01:31.23	100m Backstroke	01:34.75	01:30.24	01:25.94	01:21.48
Consideration Time	02:16.22	02:00.46	01:54.03		01:58.44	01:52.80	01:47.43	01:41.85
Qualifying Time	00:55.80	00:50.53	00:46.44	50m Breaststroke	00:50.76	00:48.34	00:46.04	00:42.85
Consideration Time	01:09.75	01:03.16	00:58.05		01:03.45	01:00.43	00:57.55	00:53.56
Qualifying Time	02:06.14	01:49.68	01:41.33	100m Breaststroke	01:50.39	01:45.13	01:40.12	01:32.40
Consideration Time	02:37.68	02:17.10	02:06.66		02:17.98	02:11.41	02:05.15	01:55.50
Qualifying Time	00:47.09	00:42.59	00:39.35	50m Butterfly	00:41.18	00:39.22	00:37.35	00:35.95
Consideration Time	00:58.86	00:53.24	00:49.19		00:51.48	00:49.02	00:46.69	00:44.94
Qualifying Time	01:51.48	01:38.97	01:28.90	100m Butterfly	01:33.48	01:29.03	01:24.79	01:19.78
Consideration Time	02:19.36	02:03.71	01:51.13		01:56.85	01:51.29	01:45.99	01:39.72
Qualifying Time	04:01.07	03:27.72	03:13.25	200m Individual Medley	03:27.04	03:17.18	03:07.79	02:57.01
Consideration Time	05:01.34	04:19.65	04:01.57		04:18.80	04:06.47	03:54.74	03:41.27

Times can be achieved in either a 25m or 50m pool. 25m times must be converted to 50m times. Times must be achieved in competition licensed or ratified by the country within which the meet was held and should not be older than 12 months. The promoter will request validation of any stated entry time.



Promoter's Conditions

1. All competitions will be held in line with World Aquatics Law and Technical Rules.
2. All clubs entering Hamilton Aquatics Competitions are required to be members of the UAE Aquatics or their own country's swimming federation. **Proof of national federation membership may be requested at the discretion of the promoter.**
3. A one-start rule will apply. Over-the-top starts may be used at the promoter's discretion.
4. All sessions will be limited to a maximum of 3½ hours.
5. Club entries (5 or more competitors) must be made using Hy-Tek. If required, the Hy-Tek lite application is available to download free from Hy-Tek here: https://hytek.active.com/user_guides_html/swmm8/tmliteforentries.htm **Only one file per club is permitted.**
6. Teams not using Hy-Tek will be charged AED 180 per entry per swimmer (Open Division) and AED 140 per entry per swimmer (Junior Division).
7. The Event Entry file is available on request from dubaiopen@hamiltonaquatics.ae
8. All entries made via Hy-Tek should be sent via email to dubaiopen@hamiltonaquatics.ae
9. Individuals wishing to enter should email dubaiopen@hamiltonaquatics.ae to request an entry form.
10. Individual confirmation of received entries will not be sent to teams or individuals. If you require confirmation, please request an automated read receipt from your email client.
11. The promoter reserves the right to limit entries in cases of oversubscription.
12. When limiting entries, the slowest swimmers in each age group, in each event, will be rejected.
13. Entries received after the published closing date may be rejected.
14. Late entries may be accepted at the discretion of the promoter. **Any late entries that are accepted will be subject to a charge of AED 50 per swimmer.**
15. Clubs entering via Hy-Tek will be sent, via email, entry and exception reports once their entry has been processed.
16. Requests for changes of personal details such as date of birth, gender and spelling of name must be sent to dubaiopen@hamiltonaquatics.ae at the earliest opportunity. **After the final programme has been published, no changes will be made.**
17. Once entries have been accepted and the draft programme has been published, competitors will not be permitted to change their entered events or submitted entry times.
18. By submitting entry, participants agree to the conditions of entry for the competition and the Hamilton Aquatics Promoter's Conditions.
19. Poolside entries will not be accepted.
20. Entry times must be achieved in competitions licensed or ratified by the country within which the meet was held.

Promoter's Conditions (Continued)

21. Competitors must have achieved the stated entry time for every event they wish to enter.
22. Entry times should not be older than 12 months.
23. All entries must have a proof of time and should be sent with the entries. Failure to produce proof of time will result in the entry being rejected at the discretion of the promoter.
24. Qualifying times may be achieved in 25m or 50m pools. Please specify whether entry times were achieved in an LC (50m) or SC (25m) pool. If entering via Hy-Tek please, put an 'L' next to 50m times and an 'S' next to 25m times.
25. Entry times **must** be submitted for all events entered where there are qualifying standards. If no entry time is submitted the entry will be rejected.
26. If there are no minimum entry standards advertised, then no entry time is required.
27. All entries must be paid for.
28. Once the draft programme has been sent and the withdrawal deadline has passed, all entries are considered confirmed and **no refunds** will be issued. However, in cases of illness or injury, a refund may be considered **only if a mandatory medical certificate (sick note) is provided** from an authorised healthcare professional or recognised medical body.
29. Under exceptional circumstances, a refund may be given for withdrawals made before the release of the invoice of the competition at the discretion of the promoter.
30. Payment can be made by bank transfer or cheque – payable to 'Hamilton Aquatics Swimming Training'.
31. Entries rejected by the promoter will not be charged.
32. Teams will be invoiced after the withdrawal deadline following the release of the draft programme. **Full payment must be received no later than 7 days prior to the first day of the meet.**
33. Any team or competitor that has not submitted full payment by this deadline **may be withdrawn from the meet and excluded from participation.**
34. Late payments may be accepted at the discretion of the promoter. Any late payment will be subject to a late payment fee of **AED 150 per swimmer.**
35. Failure to make payment will result in teams and their members being excluded from all future Hamilton Aquatics competitions.
36. All coaches must wear the coach's passes provided.
37. Events will be swum as advertised. **Time trials will not be permitted.**
38. Competitors whose entries have been accepted will be expected to swim unless they have formally withdrawn in advance.
39. Withdrawals must be submitted by **9:00pm on the day prior to each competition day** by emailing dubaiopen@hamiltonaquatics.ae. All advance withdrawals must be submitted via email to this address.

Promoter's Conditions (Continued)

40. Failure to comply with the withdrawal deadline (09:00 PM on the preceding day) will result in a fine of **AED 100 per event, per swimmer**. For example, if a swimmer entered in four (4) events is withdrawn after the deadline, the club will be charged AED 400.
41. Under exceptional circumstances, late withdrawals may be accepted at the discretion of the promoter.
42. **No reserves will be used.** At the discretion of the promoter, if a lane is empty then a reserve may be used from Hamilton Aquatics.
43. All competitors will be expected to report to marshalling before their swim. It is the responsibility of the competitor to report to marshalling in sufficient time before the event. Swimmers failing to report in time may not be permitted to swim at the discretion of the promoter.
44. It is the responsibility of each club to ensure that swimmers are behaving appropriately and respectfully when marshalling. Swimmers who fail to do so will be asked to leave the marshalling area and may not be permitted to swim at the discretion of the promoter.
45. The meet director may decide to carry out presentations during the meet. Competitors called for presentation should report to the presentation area in **appropriate clothing i.e. t-shirt, shorts, appropriate footwear or a full tracksuit**. Awards may not be presented if a competitor is inappropriately dressed.
46. Protests must be submitted in writing to the Meet Director within 30 minutes of the conclusion of the event in question. A club has the right to appeal a decision relating to an event by completing the official Appeal Form, available from the Meet Organiser. Each appeal is subject to **a non-refundable fee of AED 1,000 per appeal**. Video footage or photographic evidence will **not** be considered in the determination of any protest or appeal.
47. The Referee's decision is final.
- 48. "A" Final** – Top 10 swimmers overall (ranks 1–10)
- 49. "B" Final** – Next 10 fastest swimmers overall (ranks 11–20)
- 50. "Youth" Final** – Top 10 eligible Youth Swimmers
51. For the finals, the next two fastest swimmers will be selected as reserves. No other swimmers will be permitted to compete in the final of any event.
52. If a **"Youth Swimmer"** qualifies for the "A" or "B" Final, they must compete in that final.
53. Fewer than 6 swimmers remaining after withdrawals: No final will be held. Final rankings will be based on preliminary heat times.
54. 6 to 19 swimmers remaining: Only the "A" Final will be held, with up to 10 swimmers and 2 reserves.
55. 20 to 22 swimmers remaining: Both "A" and "B" Finals will be held, each with 10 swimmers and 2 reserves.

Promoter's Conditions (Continued)

56. If a swimmer wishes to withdraw from a final, they must do so within **30 minutes** of the results being posted. The time that the results are posted will be written on the results. The club of any competitor failing to comply will be fined **AED 500** for each inappropriate withdrawal per event.
57. The Hy-Tek results file will be sent to all teams entering via Hy-Tek after the meet. This will usually be within 5 days but may take longer.
58. Full results will be available on the Hamilton Aquatics website at the [Hamilton Aquatics Dubai Competitions Page](#) after the meet. This will usually be within **48 hours** but may take longer.
59. Results will not be considered 'official' until published by the Meet Director.
60. All results will be published via Meet Mobile after each event (unless stated otherwise) and on the Hamilton Aquatics website after the competition.
61. Hamilton Aquatics reserves the right to use and share photos taken during any of its hosted or promoted competitions with its partners and sponsors for marketing and social media purposes. These photographs may be taken by an external professional company or an individual assigned by the organisation.
62. Videography may also be taken during the Hamilton Aquatics competitions which may be used by Hamilton Aquatics or its partners and sponsors for marketing and social media purposes. By entering this competition, you understand that you may feature in photography and videography content captured, which may be used for promotional purposes.
63. Any point not covered by these conditions will be at the discretion of the Meet Organisers.



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Entry Pack – 2027

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