



Laois Marlins Swimming Club

LAOIS SWIMMING CLUB – VALENTINES FUN GALA – FEB 16th 2019

Meet Licence No: 1S -TBC

Chairperson: Rose Bergin
Secretary: Anna Hayes
Coaching Staff: Padraic Dolan(H), Joe Bergin, Jordan Overton, Dave Overton & Rafal Lechicki
Leinster Officials: Ross Moore & Gillian Markey

5th JAN 2019

Dear Secretary,

I am pleased to enclose details of our upcoming Valentines Fun Gala which will be held this year on Saturday 16th February at the Portlaoise Leisure Centre, Portlaoise, Co. Laois. We will be running each individual event seeded by entry times and not ages. Results will be divided into age groups and medals will be awarded for 1st, 2nd and 3rd place. The emphasis will be on keen competition in a relaxed and friendly atmosphere. We welcome entries from your club. We will be using "Meet Manager 5" to run the gala, so files from Hy-Tek "Team Manager" can be exported and sent to us (as an email attachment).

A Swim Ireland Registration Number must be included for all swimmers. If you have any queries we would be glad to take them by phone or email. As per SI guidelines the minimum age for entry into the gala is for swimmers aged 7 as at 31.12.2019, in addition a local maximum age restriction of 14 as at 31.12.2019 will also apply. Diving blocks will be positioned at the deep end of the pool. Stop watch- timing will be in use. A copy of all your swimmer's times/results will also be made available to clubs at the conclusion of the gala. Results will also be posted on the Leinster Swimming website.

Please note that this is a level 1 fun gala hence times achieved will not count for any Level 3 or higher competition, but will be sent to all visiting coaches for the clubs own records.

We look forward to welcoming your club swimmers to Portlaoise in December.

Yours Sincerely

Ross Moore

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Gala Secretary LMSC

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VALENTINES FUN GALA

VENUE: PORTLAOISE LEISURE CENTRE, PORTLAOISE, CO. LAOIS

DATE: **SATURDAY 16th FEBRUARY**

TIMES SESSION: WARM-UP 11:00am START 12:10pm

SCRATCHES: THURS 14th FEBRUARY 20:00

ORDER OF EVENTS: AS PER ATTACHED LIST.

ENTRY FEES: €6.00 PER INDIVIDUAL EVENT

CHEQUES PAYABLE TO **“LAOIS MARLINS SWIM CLUB”**

TIMING: STOP WATCH TIMING WILL BE USED FOR THIS GALA.

AGE GROUPS: 7-8 (50s Only),9-10, 11-12, 13-14
(GALA AGE LIMITED TO 14 & UNDER)

- HEATS WILL BE SEADED ON TIMES NOT AGE
- AGE AS AT 31.12.2018 as per SI Guidelines
- PRIZES: MEDALS WILL BE AWARED TO TOP 3 SWIMMERS IN EACH AGE GROUP.
- HEATS WILL BE H.D.W. WITH RESULTS PRESENTED IN AGE GROUPS
- ENTRY SHEETS: IF YOU ARE USING TEAM MANAGER PLEASE EXPORT ENTRY FILES IN HY-TEK AND PDF FORMATS.
- ENTRY DEADLINE: SATURDAY 9th FEBRUARY 18:00

ENTRIES TO: ROSS MOORE (EMAIL ONLY)

TEL: 086 8360767 EMAIL: ROSS.MOORE24@GMAIL.COM

FEE PAYMENT DEADLINE: WEDNESDAY 13th FEBRUARY

FEES TO: IBAN IE68IPBS99072215619324 Bank: PTSB Portlaoise

TEL: 087 204 1298 EMAIL: treasurer@Laoismarlins.ie

Any points not covered by the above will be at the discretion of the Gala Organisers



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LIST OF EVENTS

- EVENT 1: GIRLS 50m Freestyle
- EVENT 2: BOYS 50m Freestyle
- EVENT 3: GIRLS 100m Backstroke
- EVENT 4: BOYS 100m Backstroke
- EVENT 5: GIRLS 50m Breaststroke
- EVENT 6: BOYS 50m Breaststroke
- EVENT 7: GIRLS 100m Freestyle
- EVENT 8: BOYS 100m Freestyle
- EVENT 9: GIRLS 100m IM
- EVENT 10: BOYS 100m IM
- EVENT 11: GIRLS 50m Fly
- EVENT 12: BOYS 50m Fly
- EVENT 13: GIRLS 100m Breaststroke
- EVENT 14: BOYS 100m Breaststroke
- EVENT 15: GIRLS 100m Fly
- EVENT 16: BOYS 100m Fly
- EVENT 17: GIRLS 50m Backstroke
- EVENT 18: BOYS 50m Backstroke
- EVENT 19: GIRLS 200m IM
- EVENT 20: BOYS 200m IM