**24th Copeland Graded Gala**

1. **General Conditions**

*Entries to the meet will be held on computer and consent, as required by the Data Protection Act 2018, to the holding of personal information on computer will be deemed to have been given by the submission of an entry.*

*You agree that we may publish your Personal Information as part of the results of the competition. Your information will only be shared in relation to your participation in the event, e.g. the list of entrants, results and event reports and may be shared on the Cumbria ASA website, social media pages or in emails sent by the organiser. We may pass such information to the governing body or any affiliated organisation for the purpose of insurance, licences or for publishing results either for the event alone or combined with or compared to other events. Information may include but not be limited to name, club affiliation, race times, age category and para swimming classification(s).*

* 1. The Copeland Graded Gala will be held on Saturday June 8th 2019 and shall be run in accordance with ASA Laws and Technical Rules.
  2. This competition will be licensed at Level 3.

1.3 Para swimmers will be accepted for all events. All competitors must indicate their disability classification OR provide a valid Certificate of Disability issued by the ASA at the time of entry

* 1. Competition format:

• The competition format will be based on disability inclusion within the able bodied programme.

• All swimmers will be seeded in the heats according to their entry times.

• Para swimmers will be included within the results for their age group.

• There will be no separate results for para swimmers.

* 1. The competition shall include the following age groups for each sex:

9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14 years and over

* 1. The competition schedule is shown in Section 3 below.
  2. Upper limit times will apply to all individual events i.e. a swimmer who has achieved a time faster than the upper limit for any event prior to the closing date cannot enter that event (see Section 6 below).
  3. All individual events will be swum as ‘Heat Declared Winner’ in mixed age groups, seeded by entry time. All heats shall be spearheaded
  4. Age Groups will be separated for results and awards purposes.
  5. Results will be published in time order.
  6. The entry fee will be £4.50 per individual event.
  7. Late entries may be accepted but poolside or improved entries will not be accepted.
  8. A maximum of four poolside passes per club will be available at a cost of £6.00 each. Only pass holders, swimmers and officials will be allowed on poolside.
  9. Age on the day will be as of June 8th 2019.
  10. The closing date for entries will be Wednesday May 22nd 2019.
  11. Copeland ASC reserves the right to restrict entries in the interests of safety, time constraints and to ensure the smooth running of the competition. Where this rule is invoked the swimmers with the most entries shall take precedence and the events chosen, if any, will be at the discretion of the Competition Organiser. Full reimbursement of fees shall be made to unsuccessful applicants.
  12. Any matters not covered in these conditions or any supplementary information will be at the discretion of the Competition Organiser.
  13. The preferred method of payment is Bank transfer to the following account

Nat West Bank

Account No 77338391

Sort Code 01-09-54

Cheque payments to the following address please

Copeland ASC

33 Rannerdale Drive

Whitehaven

CA28 6LA

* 1. A strobe light is available on the starting system.

**2. Meet Procedures**

2.1 Entries shall reach the Competition Organiser no later than Tuesday Wednesday May 22nd 2019 accompanied by the appropriate fee. Late entries may be accepted at the discretion of the Competition Organiser.

2.3 Clubs will be advised of the entries stored by the meet management software as soon as possible after the closing date for the competition. It is the responsibility of each club Competition Secretary to check the accuracy of the entries to allow any necessary corrections to be made. The final gala programmes will be produced as a result of any corrections that are received.

2.4 A withdrawal system will be in operation. This means that a swimmer will be assumed to be competing in the events in which they have entered unless they have informed the Competition Manager of their withdrawal from any/all events. The closing deadline for withdrawals will be the start of the warm-up for each session.

* 1. Any swimmer who has previously withdrawn can be reinstated before the appropriate closing deadline without penalty.
  2. Any withdrawals after the closing deadline will result in heats being swum with empty lanes.
  3. Any swimmer who has previously withdrawn can be reinstated before the closing deadline.
  4. Heat Start Lists will be made available to clubs as soon as possible after the commencement of the warm-up of each session.
  5. Swimmers must present themselves to the Competitors Stewards one event prior to the one in which they are competing.

**3. The Events**

Session 1 warm-up will commence at 9.00am for a 10.00am start.

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| Event 1 |  | 9 years/over | Girls | 200m | IM |
| Event 2 |  | 9 years/over | Boys | 100m | Breaststroke |
| Event 3 |  | 9 years/over | Girls | 100m | Butterfly |
| Event 4 |  | 9 years/over | Boys | 50m | Freestyle |
| Event 5 |  | 9 years/over | Girls | 100m | IM |
| Event 6 |  | 9 years/over | Boys | 100m | Backstroke |
| Event 7 |  | 9 years/over | Girls | 100m | Freestyle |
| Event 8 |  | 9 years/over | Boys | 200m | Freestyle |
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Session 2 warm-up will commence at 1.30pm for a 2.30pm start (to be confirmed on the day)

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| Event 9 |  | 9 years/over | Boys | 200m | IM |
| Event 10 |  | 9 years/over | Girls | 100m | Breaststroke |
| Event 11 |  | 9 years/over | Boys | 100m | Butterfly |
| Event 12 |  | 9 years/over | Girls | 50m | Freestyle |
| Event 13 |  | 9 years/over | Boys | 100m | IM |
| Event 14 |  | 9 years/over | Girls | 100m | Backstroke |
| Event 15 |  | 9 years/over | Boys | 100m | Freestyle |
| Event 16 |  | 9 years/over | Girls | 200m | Freestyle |
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**4. Trophies and Medals for Individual events**

* 1. Medals (places 1 to 3) and ribbons (places 4 to 6) will be awarded for all events for each age group.

**5. Upper Limit Times**

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|  | **9 year** | | **10 year** | | **11 year** | | **12 year** | | **13 year** | | **14 years and over** | |
| **Boys** | **Girls** | **Boys** | **Girls** | Boys | **Girls** | **Boys** | **Girls** | **Boys** | **Girls** | **Boys** | **Girls** |
| 100m IM | 1.34.0 | 1.33.2 | 1.27.8 | 1.27.0 | 1.22.0 | 1.21.2 | 1.16.6 | 1.16.0 | 1.11.4 | 1.12.5 | 1.08.1 | 1.12.0 |
| 200m IM | 3.29.8 | 3.28.0 | 3.15.9 | 3.14.0 | 3.02.9 | 3.01.2 | 2.50.6 | 2.49.0 | 2.39.1 | 2.41.4 | 2.31.5 | 2.40.3 |
| 50m Freestyle | 38.2 | 40.2 | 35.7 | 37.5 | 33.2 | 35.0 | 30.9 | 32.6 | 29.2 | 31.2 | 28.1 | 30.6 |
| 100m Freestyle | 1.24.7 | 1.25.3 | 1.19.1 | 1.19.6 | 1.13.9 | 1.14.3 | 1.08.7 | 1.09.3 | 1.03.6 | 1.06.6 | 1.01.1 | 1.05.2 |
| 200m Freestyle | 2.56.3 | 2.47.7 | 2.46.2 | 2.41.2 | 2.36.6 | 2.34.8 | 2.27.4 | 2.28.6 | 2.19.3 | 2.23.4 | 2.13.0 | 2.20.9 |
| 100m Backstroke | 1.29.2 | 1.31.4 | 1.24.9 | 1.27.0 | 1.20.3 | 1.22.7 | 1.16.8 | 1.18.7 | 1.13.2 | 1.14.9 | 1.08.5 | 1.12.9 |
| 100m Breaststroke | 1.49.8 | 1.47.0 | 1.43.5 | 1.40.9 | 1.37.5 | 1.35.0 | 1.31.7 | 1.29.4 | 1.25.5 | 1.23.9 | 1.18.1 | 1.22.7 |
| 100m Butterfly | 1.37.0 | 1.40.6 | 1.29.8 | 1.33.7 | 1.23.0 | 1.26.0 | 1.16.6 | 1.19.5 | 1.13.4 | 1.13.3 | 1.09.4 | 1.11.6 |