

ENTRY DATES

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Closing date; 6PM: Wednesday 7 June 2017

i This date is when the Intention to Enter and an onsite Team Manager needs to be added to guarantee inclusion in the competition.

Publish draw date: Friday 9 June 2017

i This date is when London Youth Games publishes which Boroughs are entered into the competition.

Confirm squad date; 6PM: Wednesday 5 July 2017

i This date is when the squad details need to be entered on the entry management system.

COMPETITION DATES AND INFORMATION

QUALIFIERS

Finals only

FINALS

Saturday 8 July 2017

Crystal Palace NSC, SE19 2BB
 londonyouthgames.org/CrystalPalaceNationalSportsCentre
 Registration: 11:00am – 12:00pm
 Competition: 13:00 – 17:00pm

WHO IS IT FOR?

Any Licence, minimum grade or standard required?

Must be able to swim 100m and tread water for 3 minutes. Achieve standard of ASA Preliminary Start Award to dive from starting blocks.

SQUAD NOMINATIONS

i This is the squad you originally nominate.

Minimum: 1
Maximum: 20
Alternates permitted: 2

TEAM ON THE DAY

i This is the team you bring to the competition.

Minimum: 1
Maximum: 20

i Some competitions allow alternates. This is where you can bring a previously un-nominated competitor.

Event	Oldest DOB	Youngest DOB	Likely School Year
Swimming Junior (Male)	01/09/02	31/08/05	Year 7 - 9
Swimming Senior (Male)	01/09/99	31/08/02	Year 10 - 12

HOW DO I ENTER?

Competition Type: Secondary Open

How to enter: You will need to provide full details of your squad before the 'squad closed' date so each competitor can be checked and confirmed as eligible. Teams are submitted online. Contact your Borough Team Organiser for online access.



ABOUT THE COMPETITION

Competition Format	All individual events will be 50 metres and all relay events will be 4x50 metres.
Draw Format	All heats will be ordered based on their Borough's name in alphabetical order.
Seeding	None
Final Positions	Results will be determined on the heat declared winner principle.
Medals	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• GOLD: winner, SILVER: 2nd place, BRONZE: 3rd place.• Individual medals awarded throughout the day• Borough trophy awarded for overall winner (team medals not awarded).

WHAT KIT & EQUIPMENT DO I NEED?

Kit & Equipment: Competitors are encouraged to wear a swimming cap.

Team Manager Notes: Competitors may only compete in up to **ONE** individual event and **TWO** relay events.

SPORT SPECIFIC RULES

- 1) The competition will be run under ASA laws and FINA Technical Rules of Swimming.
- 2) For swimmers to use a shallow racing dive from the starting blocks, Team Managers must be satisfied that they have achieved the standard of the ASA Preliminary Start Award. If they have not achieved this standard then they may start from the side of the pool or in the water.
- 3) Events:
 - Competitors may compete in up to one individual event but may also compete in one or both of the freestyle and medley relays.
 - There will be separate Junior and Senior events.
 - Individual events:
 - 50m Butterfly
 - 50m Backstroke
 - 50m Breaststroke
 - 50m Freestyle
 - Relay events;
 - 4 x 50m Medley Relay
 - 4 x 50m Freestyle Relay
 - There will be scheduled warm up time for all teams.
- 4) Eligibility:
 - A junior swimmer is not eligible to compete in a senior event. A senior swimmer is not eligible to swim in a junior event. Any breach of this rule will result in disqualification of the borough from the competition.
 - Incorrect information provided during nominations can disqualify the team and cause their entire Borough team to receive penalty points. Please check competitor's details.
- 5) The Competition Director reserves the right to suspend/cancel the event where required by unsafe conditions

INCOMPLETE COMPETITION:

In the event that the competition is cancelled or suspended, the following steps will be used to calculate a final result.

- a) Results from all completed events are combined and used to identify the overall winner.
- b) Event types: Individual (50m Free, 50m Back, 50m Fly, 50m Breast), Relay (4x50m Medley, 4x50m Free)
- c) Minimum requirements: To determine a completed event all heats must take place. To determine a result for the competition 1 event must be completed.
- d) Tied teams: will not be separated once scores from events are combined, except in the event that the top 3 teams have the same number of points then the highest number of first place event finishers will be the deciding factor, then second place event
- e) Borough entry: If a borough has entered the competition but not an event that is used in the scoring calculation, they will be placed in last position.

