

Parramatta City Swim Club Inc.

Newsletter



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September 2017

Welcome members and friends. The winter season is just about over and the weather is warming up. Again we expect the summer season to be hectic with lots of new members as well as those members from last summer.

Read on to find out what is happening within the club.

Winter Season Ending

The 2017 winter season will finish on Saturday 16 Sept. There will then be a two week break before the summer season recommence on 7 Oct.

The program for the 16 October is

7.30 to 8.10	50 Back & 50 Brst Handicaps
8.10-8.30	Handicap Relay
8.30-9.30	End of season breakup party (hot dogs) with pool games
9.30-10.30	Learn to Swim

Club Training

Due to other commitments, there will be **no club training Thursday 14th or Friday 15th Sept.**

Weekday club training will recommence on Thursday 12th Oct while Saturday club training will recommence on 7th October.

Summer Season

The 2017/18 summer season will begin on 7th October. Again this year races will be on Saturday mornings at 7.30am.

For the first week, swimmers can enter on the day. From then on, entries must be in the letter box located at the Pool's front desk by 6pm Thursday.

If for some reason you can not make it to the pool, you can ring entries through to Bruce Horlyck (9858 1437) or Wendy Wood (9688 3367). Note, entries will only be accepted by phone three times during a season

Fees for 2017/2018

Fees for the 2017-2018 season are now due. Fees must be paid before the end of October otherwise swimmers will not be able to compete in club races.

NSW Registration fees are \$68.00 for swimmers and \$20.50 for non-swimmers. These fees must be paid online using a credit card and will attract a 1.5% processing fee. An email containing a link to complete your registration will be sent in early September. If you have trouble registering or do not receive a registration email by mid-September please contact us by email (swim@parracityswimclub.com.au)

Club Fees remain unchanged at \$20 for an individual and \$40 for a family. These need to be paid directly to Betty Horlyck.

Learn-to-Swim

The club's Learn-to-Swim lessons for the summer season will recommence on Saturday 7th October at 9.30am. We expect this summer to begin with a rush and therefore it will again be necessary to close off registrations early in the season as the number of pupils will outstrip the teacher numbers and pool space. It is recommended that if you are interested in joining the lessons you do so as early as possible to not be disappointed.

Classes for advanced pupils (Blues) will also be on 7th October but at 8.30am.

If you are interested in helping with the club's Learn-to-Swim program and becoming an AUSTSWIM Instructor please see Bruce or Wendy.

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InterClub Carnival

The interclub carnival between Parramatta City, Parramatta Memorial and Merrylands Swimming Clubs will be held on the afternoon of Saturday 11th Nov at Merrylands Pool. Please keep this day free.

Once the summer season commences, all swimmers will be asked to nominate if they are available to swim in this carnival.

Bunning BBQ – 15th Oct

On Sunday 15th October, Parramatta City Swim Club will be running the BBQ and cake stall at Bunnings Rydalmere (on Victoria Road)

If you are available to help for an hour or two please let Betty or Bruce know what time you are available to help.

Remember, if you are a bit of a cook, any cakes for the Cake Stall can be brought along to swimming on Saturday 14th October.

Winter Presentation & Club Picnic

The Winter Presentation and Club Picnic will be held on Saturday 29 October. This event is opened to all swimmers, not just those that competed during the winter season.

The venue for the event will be announced in the next few weeks.

Helping on Saturday Mornings

To allow races to run smoothly on Saturday morning it is essential that everyone pitches-in and helps.

As the number of swimmers increases during summer it is important that we do not have swimmers timekeeping as this will cause delays.

Pink Triathlon

On Saturday 2nd December there will be no races or learn to swim as the club will be volunteering to help out at the Pink Triathlon at Sydney Olympic Park.

After the event is completed the club will hold a club function which will be heavily subsidised.

More information on what is happening on the 2nd December will be available nearer to the date.

Club Clothing

The following club clothing is now available:

Hoodies	\$45
Large Club Towels	\$15
Club Polo Shirts	\$10 / \$15

Club Tracks Suits and Parkas are also available. See Betty Horlyck prices and sizes

Club Contacts

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