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CCASA CHAMPIONSHIP/AGE GROUPS 2012
ADDITIONAL RULES AND CONDITIONS

Gala Entries - Any Swimmer who fails to turn up for a Gala without notification, having previously entered, will incur a fine for their CLUB of £5 per entry. This is subject to exceptional circumstances.

50m. - 100m. - 200m. Championship Finals. There will be two Championship Finals in each event one for Seniors one for Juniors comprising of the six Senior/Junior competitors returning the fastest times in the heats. Two reserves for each Final will be named. Should more than two competitors withdraw from a Final no further invitations to participate will be issued.

Senior Champion will be the fastest placed swimmer in the Senior Championship Final or Heat Declared Event.

Junior Champion will be the fastest placed swimmer in the Junior Championship Final or Heat Declared Event

To qualify as a **Junior** swimmers must be aged **Under sixteen years at midnight on the day of the swim.**

Finalists Following the conclusion of all Heats in both sessions when Finalists have been announced, **FINALISTS AND FIRST TWO RESERVES IN EACH FINAL** must declare their intention to swim in the Final to the Recorders. This to be done by signing the relevant form and **MUST** be done within **15 MINUTES** after the announcement of the Finals. Swimmers will then be informed of the approximate **START TIME** of the Finals.

IT IS UNACCEPTABLE FOR SWIMMERS TO SCRATCH FROM A FINAL BY SIMPLY NOT REPORTING AT THE TIME OF THE EVENT

Any Swimmer not reporting for a Final having declared their intention to swim in the Final will incur a fine for their club of £100.

To compete in a Final all swimmers must have swum in the Heats. Only the last heat of the H.D.W. will be spearheaded, no other heats will be spearheaded.

Events without Finals will be **Heat Declared Winners** with the same conditions applying.

Age Groups:- BAGCAT points can only be achieved in the HEATS.

Only 9y., 10y., and 11y. old Boys and Girls can achieve BAGCAT points in the 100m. Individual Medley.

Warm Up:- Before the start of each session of heats there will be two Warm Ups of 45 minutes each. Clubs will be allocated a lane and a time and coaches will be expected to run their own Warm Up. During the Warm Up all swimmers must exit by the side of the pool at the shallow end and at all times be aware of other lanes activities. The Warm Up before the Finals shall be for all Finalists, Senior and Junior together, and again be run by the swimmers coaches. Lanes will not be allocated for Finals Warm Up. The Warm Up for the second session shall follow immediately after the end of the first session of heats and the Warm Up for the Finals shall follow immediately after the end of the second session of heats

No Start time for the second session or Finals session will be published.

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