



SPORTEXCEL/MILO/NSC/MAS JUNIOR SWIMMING CIRCUIT

Competition Rules

1. Aim

The aim of the SportExcel / Milo / NSC / MAS Junior Swimming Circuit is to provide additional avenue for the development of junior swimming talent to mature into National and/or International success.

2. Proposed Circuit

Shall consist of 2 Legs and a Grand Final. The hosts will be confirmed by MAS, with bidding from the affiliates in the preceding year.

1st leg	Selangor	12-13 March 2022
2 nd leg	Melaka	25-26 June 2022
Grand Final	Kuala Lumpur	20-21 August 2022

3. Competition Age Group

3.1	Separate events for Boys and Girls	Group IV –	10 years and below (born Year 2011 or later)
		Group III –	11 & 12 years (born Year 2009-2010)
		Group II –	13 & 14 years (born Year 2008-2007)

4. Eligibility

4.1 Swimmer

- Open to swimmers from Clubs duly registered and affiliated to their respective state or MAS
- National swimmers are not eligible to participate
- All participating swimmers shall be citizens of Malaysia. Clubs to re-confirm citizenship of swimmers with foreign names.
- Qualifying time applies. A penalty of RM20.00 per event will be imposed on the swimmer who does not swim within the Qualifying Time.

4.2 Sport Schools are eligible to participate but not eligible for Circuit Incentives or Awards

5. Events

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| • 50m, 100m Freestyle | } | All age groups listed above |
| • 50m, 100m Butterfly | } | |
| • 50m, 100m Backstroke | } | |
| • 50m, 100m Breaststroke | } | |

6. Competition Timing

1 st & 2 nd Leg	Saturday	Event starts at 8.00 am			
	Sunday	Event starts at 8.00 am			
Grand Final	Saturday	Heats	8:30am – 11:30 am	Finals	3:00 – 5:00 pm
	Sunday	Heats	8:30am – 11.30 am	Finals	3:00 – 5:00 pm

7. Competition Format

7.1 1st and 2nd Leg

All events will be swum on time final basis. The fastest timed swimmers shall be declared the winner with the rest in descending order.

7.2 Swimmers for the 1st and 2nd Leg of the Circuit will be awarded points on the following basis:

Placing	Points
1 st	24
2 nd	23
3 rd	22
4 th	21
5 th	20
6 th	19
7 th	18
8 th	17
9 th	16
10 th	15
11 th	14
12 th	13
13 th	12
14 th	11
15 th	10
16 th	9
17 th	8
18 th	7
19 th	6
20 th	5
21 st	4
22 nd	3
23 rd	2
24 th	1

The 24 Swimmers who have accumulated the most points **in each event** after the 1st and 2nd Leg of the Circuit will qualify for the Grand Final. Should there be a tie on points for the 24th placing, swimmers involved will be subjected to a swim off on morning of the first day to determine the qualifier. A swimmer must swim for the same club in both the 1st and 2nd legs and the Grand Final.

- 7.3 Heats and Finals will be held during the Grand Final with the fastest 8 swimmers during the morning heats advancing to the afternoon Finals. Swimmers who wish to scratch their event(s) for the Final must inform the Secretariat within 30 minutes of the official results of the morning heats are published. Swimmers who fail to swim their qualified events in the Finals will not be allowed to swim all subsequent events thereafter. In addition, a fine of RM50.00 will incur.
- 7.4 Certificate of Participation will be given to all participants.

8. Individual Circuit Overall Champion

- 8.1 Individual Circuit Overall Champion will be awarded to the best Boy and Girl swimmer of each Age Group on the basis of most gold medals won. The following shall apply for tie break: The number of silver medals won; follow by number of bronze medals won; follow by the number of meet records broken and should the results still tie, then Joint Champion will be declared.
- 8.2 The six (6) Individual Overall Circuit Champions for the SportExcel/Milo/NSC/MAS Junior Swimming Circuit will each be awarded vouchers amounting to RM500.00. Prove of citizenship is required when claiming the Individual Champion award.

9. Club Subsidy / Incentive Scheme

- 9.1 To assist Clubs to defray organising and participation cost, a Club Subsidy/Incentive Scheme is introduced for the top 8 Clubs with the most number of qualified swimmers for the Grand Final. Only swimmers having competed at the Grand Final will be considered as qualifiers for the purpose of determining club incentive.

Only Clubs having ten (10) Grand Final qualifiers or more will be entitled to this incentive scheme.

Should two Clubs have the same number of competing qualifiers, the amount of the combine total will be divided by two and share out equally. The same principal applies when three or more clubs have the same number of competing qualifiers.

Subsidy / Incentive

Most No Of Qualifiers	Incentive
1 st	RM2,000
2 nd	RM1,500
3 rd	RM1,200
4 th	RM1,000
5 th	RM800
6 th	RM700
7 th	RM600
8 th	RM500

10. Circuit Overall Champion Club

- 10.1 The Circuit Overall Champion Club will be the Club with the most number of scoring points accumulated by their swimmers achieved during all final events contested during the Grand Final competitions. Should there be a tie, the total number of gold medals won by their Club swimmers shall apply for tie break; follow by number of silver medals then the number of bronze medals and finally the number of meet records set by the Club's swimmers.

Placing Points – Grand Finals Only

Placing	Points
1 st	9
2 nd	7
3 rd	6
4 th	5
5 th	4
6 th	3
7 th	2
8 th	1

10.2 Champion Club Award

- 10.2.1 Cash incentive shall be awarded to the Top Three (3) Clubs as follows;

Position	Awards
Champion Club	RM1,500.00
2 nd Placing Club	RM1,000.00
3 rd Placing Club	RM 500.00

11. Organising Grant

- 11.1 Hosting state for 1st and 2nd Legs of the Circuit shall receive an organising grant of RM3,000 to offset organisational cost while host of the Grand Final shall receive an organising grant of RM6,000 due to lower number of participating swimmers and entries.
- 11.2 Organising states of all three Legs of the Circuit may charge an entry fee of RM10.00 per event to cover organising cost.