



AKL-MSWP SWIMMING TALENT CARNIVAL 2025 **(Karnival Bakat Sukan Renang AKL-MSWP 2025)**



Information Bulletin

1. **Name of Meet** The swimming carnival shall be named the **AKL-MSWP Swimming Talent Carnival 2025 (Karnival Bakat Sukan Renang AKL-MSWP 2025)**
2. **Aim** The aim of the Carnival is to encourage swimming for young children and to identify new talents at junior levels in Wilayah Persekutuan Kuala Lumpur (WPKL), Putrajaya and Labuan.
3. **Venue** 50m Competition Pool
National Aquatic Centre, Kuala Lumpur Sports City, Bukit Jalil
4. **Date/Time** 31st May – 1st June, 2025 (Saturday - Sunday) @ 8:30 am.
5. **Warm-Up**
 - a) The pool will be opened for warm-up on the eve of competition between 9:30 am. to 3:00 pm. and on competition days at 6:30 am.
 - b) There will not be any specific lanes allocation for clubs/teams for the warm-up sessions, however the outer lanes 0 and 9 on both ends of the pool shall be reserved for plunging and backstroke start practices only.
 - c) To avoid injury, no fins, bands nor snorkels can be used during the warm-up.
 - d) Swimmers must clear the competition pool for the race by 8:15 am.
6. **Eligibility**
 - 6.1 Malaysians who are novice swimmers (*non-state**) from :
 - a) registered affiliates/associates of Akuatik Kuala Lumpur;
 - b) schools and swimming academies with address in Wilayah Persekutuan Kuala Lumpur, Putrajaya or Labuan;
 - c) invitational novice teams from neighbouring states outside Wilayah Persekutuan may participate for time trials, subject to availability of capacities, however they are not entitled to any medal awards.
 - 6.2 **Swimmers who have advanced to the following meets in preceding years are NOT allowed to participate:*
 - National Age Group Swimming Championships 2023-2025;
 - MSSM Swimming Championships 2023-2024; and
 - SportExcel Junior Swimming Circuit Grand Finals 2023-2024.
 - 6.3 Swimmers in violation of rule 6.2 shall have their results reclassified as Exhibition (Exh), and they shall not be entitled to any awards.
 - 6.4 No unattached swimmers are allowed.

7. **Entry Restriction** Each swimmer may enter a maximum of eight (8) events only.

8. **Age Groups**

<u>Group</u>	<u>Age</u>	<u>Year of Birth</u>
Group 1	16 & above	Born in 2009 & before
Group 2	14 to 15 years	Born in 2010 to 2011
Group 3	12 to 13 years	Born in 2012 to 2013
Group 4	10 to 11 years	Born in 2014 to 2015

Group 5	8 to 9 years	Born in 2016 to 2017
Group 6	6 to 7 years	Born in 2018 to 2019

Swimmers are only eligible to swim in their respective age group for individual events.

9. **Date of Reckoning** 31st December, 2025

10. **Competition Format**
- The World Aquatic rules on swimming shall apply for the competition, subject to final decisions by the referees or technical committee.
 - The organising committee reserves the right to amend any rules deemed fit to suit the local condition of the meet.
 - All events will be held on Time Final basis.
 - For heats with lesser swimmers, the events for the same stroke and distance may be combined and swum together for certain age groups but the results shall be scored separately.

11. **Qualifying Meet** This meet shall be the qualifying meet for selection of novice swimmers to the national swimming series of Karnival Bakat Kebangsaan (KBK) to be organized by Majlis Sukan Negara in 2025.

12. **Awards**
- Participation Certificates
All participants will be awarded Certificates of Participation.
 - Medal Awards
Eligible WPKL swimmers who obtained top 3 positions for each event shall be awarded medals and Certificates of Achievement.
 - Ribbon Awards
Ribbon awards and Certificate of Achievements will be presented to swimmers who achieved positions 4, 5 and 6.
 - There may be a Victory Ceremony for selected events during the interval of the meet, subject to time availability. Other medals and awards can be collected by authorized Team Managers from the Secretariat room.
 - Points Award
Eligible WPKL swimmers will be awarded points under each team to determine the Champion Team as follows :

Placing	Points
1 st	11
2 nd	9
3 rd	8
4 th	7
5 th	6
6 th	5
7 th	4
8 th	3
9 th	2
10 th	1

13. **Entry Fees**

- a) Fees payable comprise of :
 - 1. Registration fee of RM20 per pax for WPKL athletes
 - 2. A fixed entry fee of RM120 per swimmer.
- b) Total entries fee is payable to AKL based on the checklist confirmation as advised by organizer.
- c) There will be no revision to the entry fees payable in the event of subsequent withdrawals/scratching.
- d)

e)

14. **Entries**

- a) Submission of entries using Hytek Team Manager software is preferred. The event file for import into Hy- Tek Team Manager is as attached.
- b) Those who do not own the software are advised to download a free version of Team Manager Lite from [http://www.hy- tek.com/downloads.html](http://www.hy-tek.com/downloads.html)
- c) However, manual form submission can be accepted for those without the Team Manager software.
- d)

15. **Closing Dates**

Please submit your duly completed forms together with the entry fees to AKL

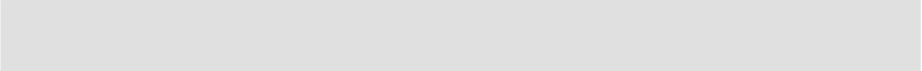
16. **Events**

Events available are tabulated below, subject to maximum entry of **6 events for Group 6** and **8 events** for other age groups.

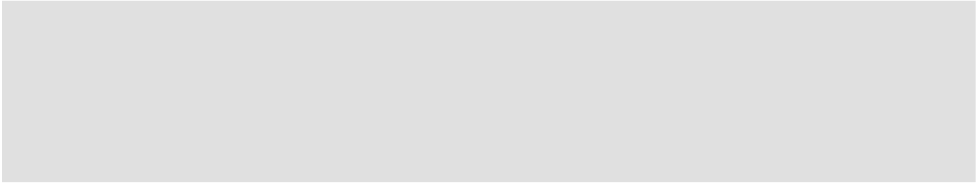
Events	Group 6 6-7 years	Group 5 8-9 years	Group 4 10-11 years	Group 3 12-13 years	Group 2 14-15 years	Group 1 16 years & above
50m free	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
50m breast	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
50m back	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
50m fly	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
100m free	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
100m breast	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
100m back		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
100m fly		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
200m free		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
200m IM		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓

17. **Team Managers' Meeting**

There will be a meeting for all Team Managers at the Marshal Room, National

18. **Events Scratching**
- a) 
 - b) Withdrawal of events is no longer allowed after Team Managers' meeting.
 - c) A penalty of RM50/event shall be imposed for each event withdrawn (WDR) on the day of the meet or No Show (NS) or Did Not Swim (DNS). The penalty must be paid before the swimmer's next event on the same day.
 - d) If withdrawal of event is due to medical reason, a medical certificate must be furnished to the Secretariat by the Team Manager. A swimmer is deemed to be unfit to swim for the rest of the day upon presentation of a medical certificate.

19. **Results**
- a) Unofficial results can be viewed from Meet Mobile App. (charges apply). Official results will be available online via a shared folder as well as on the blog www.klaquatics.blogspot.com.
 - b) No hardcopy of results will be distributed.

20. **Key Time Line**
- All teams are to observe the important deadlines below :
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21. **Protest**
- a) Protest is allowed against the decision of Referee, provided the official protest form is submitted in writing by the Team Manager to the Referee within 30 minutes of the display of official results, accompanied with a protest fee deposit of RM400.
 - b) If the Referee rejects the protest, the reason(s) for the decision will be explained to the complainant. The Team Manager may then further appeal against the decision to the Jury of Appeal, whose decision shall be final.
 - c) If the protest is rejected, the deposit shall be forfeited by the Organising Committee. If the protest is upheld, the deposit shall be returned.

22. **Jury of Appeal**
- Jury of Appeal shall comprise of three (3) members from the Technical Committee and two (2) Team Managers from participating clubs not involved in the Appeal.

23. **Facility Rules**
- a) Spectators' seating is available on a first come first served basis. Do not pre-book seatings or paste any reservation labels.
 - b) Pool deck access is only for participants, authorized coaches and team managers only.
 - c) Kindly ensure the stadium and pool deck is kept clean at all times. Please clear rubbish from the spectators' seats at the end of the meet each day.
 - d) The diving platforms and springboards are out of bounds at all times.
 - e) Parking is available at the public car parks surrounding the national stadiums. Please do not park at unauthorized space to avoid clamping by the stadium authorities/venue manager.