



## Vancouver Island Regional SC Championships

January 24-26, 2020

Sanctioned by Swim BC: #34950



**HOST:** Tyee Aquatic Club / Pacific Coast Swimming

**MEET MANAGER:** Betsy Dunphy [betsy.dunphy@gmail.com](mailto:betsy.dunphy@gmail.com)

**MEET REFEREE:** Betsy Dunphy

**VENUE:** Saanich Commonwealth Place, 4636 Elk Lake Drive, Victoria, BC

### Pool & Facilities:

- Starts will be conducted from Starting Platforms (blocks) as per FINA FR 2.3 and SW 4.1
- Two 25m, 8 lane competition pools separated by a bulkhead
- A 25-metre dive tank for warm-up/warm-down
- Ares-Omega electronic timing, touch pads & scoreboard

**There will be a coach's meeting with meet management 8:50am on Friday, January 24 to cover any meet details and answer questions.**

### Eligibility:

- 1) Registered members of clubs of the VIRSA. Clubs from outside the region may be considered (depending on number of entries) but will not be eligible for A finals.
- 2) All swimmers must be registered with Swim BC, Swimming Canada, or other FINA recognized club.
- 3) Swimmer age is based on the first day of competition.
- 4) Qualifying times for individual events are per the 2019-20 VIR SC standards.
- 5) Entry times are to be submitted in SC meters established to a hundredth of a second. LC times converted by HyTek's Team Manager or Team Unify will be accepted.

### Entries and Deadline:

- 1) **Entry Deadline:** Meet entries must be uploaded no later than midnight **Friday, January 17, 2020** to [www.swimming.ca/MeetList.aspx](http://www.swimming.ca/MeetList.aspx). Entries sent directly to the Meet Manager will not be accepted.
- 2) **Entry Fees:** Must be received by Meet Management prior to VIR Championships Friday Prelims warm-ups.
  - Individual Events: \$10.00/event
  - Relays: \$10.00 /event
  - In addition, Swim BC requires a \$4.00/swimmer Provincial Team Fee & SCP requires a \$5.00/swimmer Facility Improvement Fee.
- 3) Cheques payable to: **Tyee Aquatic Club.**
- 4) **No Charge Scratch Deadline: Tuesday, January 21, 2019.** Email scratches to: [betsy.dunphy@gmail.com](mailto:betsy.dunphy@gmail.com)

### WARM-UP AND SESSION TIMES

#### Friday, January 24, 2020

Prelims	Warm-up	8:00 am - 8:50 am
	Start	9:00 am - 1:30 pm
Finals	Warm-up	4:00 pm - 4:50 pm
	Start	5:00 pm - 8:00 pm

#### Saturday, January 25, 2020

Prelims	Warm-up	8:00 am - 8:50 am
	Start	9:00 am - 1:30 pm
Finals	Warm-up	4:00 pm - 4:50 pm
	Start	5:00 pm - 8:00 pm

#### Sunday, January 26, 2020

Prelims	Warm-up	8:00 am - 8:50 am
	Start	9:00 am - 1:30 pm
Finals	Warm-up	3:30 pm - 4:20 pm
	Start	4:30 pm - 7:30 pm

### New Qualifiers:

**Entries for swimmers who have qualified for VIRs after the entry deadline will be accepted. Coaches must notify meet management by 11:59pm Sunday January 19, 2020. No updated times will be accepted, no new events for previously qualified swimmers will be accepted. This exception is for swimmers who qualified after entry deadline of Friday, January 17, 2020.**

### Individual Events:

- 1) As of the entry deadline, a swimmer must have attained, after September 1, 2018, at least one qualifying time.
- 2) Swimmers with 1-5 qualifying times may enter a maximum of **SIX** events. All nonqualified swims must have a minimum 'A' qualifying time.
- 3) To enter more than 6 events, swimmers must have qualifying times in all events entered. Swimmers may enter a maximum of **NINE** individual events.
- 4) **Dequalifying times will be in effect for the 14&U and Open age groups (see time standards on p.3). Swimmers whose entry times in selected events exceed these standards will be entered as Exhibition. They will NOT be eligible to advance to finals, receive awards, or score points.**
- 5) Qualifying time for Girls 1500 Free is VIR standard in the 800 Free. Qualifying time for Boys 800 Free is VIR standard in the 1500 free.
- 6) Age groups for individual events are: 10&U, 12&U, 14&U, Open. Competitors may swim in any age group in which they meet the qualifying standard. Swimmers shall only swim in one age group for any given event. **Meet Management must be notified of swimmers who will swim up an age group before the meet entry deadline.**



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### Meet Rules:

- 1) SNC current swimsuit policy will be in effect.
- 2) SNC warm-up procedures will be in effect.
- 3) No deck entries or time trials.
- 4) The Swim BC Scratch Rule will be in effect (see Scratch deadlines for Finals for more details)

### 10 & Under Events:

- 1) All 10&U individual 100m events will be heats & finals events. They will be swum mixed gender and circle-seeded during prelims, with separate gender finals.
- 2) All other 10&U individual events will be swum as timed finals, mixed gender, senior seeded (slow to fastest).

### 11 & Over Events:

- 1) All individual 11&O events 200m or less will be circle-seeded, swum slowest to fastest, in open age groups. Finals will swim in age groups: 12&U, 14&U and Open.
- 2) There will be a Consolation Final for all events with 32 or more entries. Consolation Finals will be swum after the A finals.
- 3) 400m events may be limited to 7 heats – the fastest 8 entry times regardless of age plus the top 16 entry times in each age category. These events will be run as Timed Finals (senior seeded, slowest to fastest) with the fastest heat in each age group swimming in the evening final. Positive check-in required for the top 8 swimmers by 10 am on the day of the event.
- 4) The 11&O 800F and 1500F events will be Timed Finals and may be limited to 4 heats each. The top eight in each age group will be guaranteed a swim, with extra entries going to the next fastest entry times regardless of age. Swimmers will be seeded by time but awarded by age group. These events may be swum with 2 swimmers per lane. These events will be swum fastest to slowest alternating girls' and boys' heats, if feasible. Positive check-in required by 10 am on the day of the event.
- 5) Any entries in excess of heats permitted above will be notified and entry fees will be refunded.

### Para Swimming Information:

- 1) Para-swimmer's complete sport-class designation \*(S, SB, SM) must be included with athlete surname in their entries.
- 2) Para-swimmers must have a Level 2, 3 or International sport classification by the entry deadline.
- 3) No sport classification will be provided at the event, swimmers requiring sport class evaluation must submit a request a minimum of 60 days in advance of the entry deadline on the Swimming Canada website.
- 4) The most current WPS rules will be observed for all Para-swimming events.

- 5) Para Swimming events are Open Age Group and will run as multi-class. There are no minimum qualifying standards for Para Swimmers.
- 6) Para-swimmers may enter Able-bodied events provided they meet the VIR standard in their age group and that event. Para-swimmers cannot enter the same event in both the Para and Able-bodied categories.
- 7) Para-swimmer events will be single-gender and multi-class. Winners will be determined by using the respective male and female SNC Performance Points Charts.
- 8) There will be SEVEN designated para events: 50 Free, 100 Free, Distance Free (S1-5 & 14 200m / S6-13 400m), Backstroke (S1-5 50m / S6-14 100m) Breaststroke (SB1-3 50m / SB4-15 100m), Butterfly (S1-7 50m / S8-14 100m) and Individual Medley (SM1-4 150m / SM5-15 200m) with distances for each class corresponding to the distances outlined in Canada Games events.
- 9) Strokes / events where distances are split by class (e.g., 50/100 Back) will be scored against each other for one set of finalists (and one set of awards) for the combined distance event.
- 10) Para-swimming events with more than six (6) entries, Para-swimmers will have Para-swimmer-only prelims and finals.
- 11) Para-swimming events with fewer than 6 entries, the events(s) will be Para-swimmer-only time finals during the preliminary sessions.

### Scratch Deadlines for Finals:

- 1) There is no scratch penalty for no-shows, step downs and unexcused and/or incomplete swims during prelims and/or time finals.
- 2) The following rules apply for all finalists (A and B) plus alternates as listed on the official posting of prelims results.
  - a. For all final sessions, no-shows, step downs and unexcused incomplete swims will be considered "late scratches" and subject to the late scratch penalty of \$20. Fines are to be paid immediately. The swimmer and/or relay swimmers in question shall not swim subsequent events until the fine is paid.
  - b. For finals, the scratch deadline will be 30 minutes following the completion of the preliminary events (excluding time final events).
    - Friday preliminary session after Event 10
    - Saturday preliminary session after Event 24
    - Sunday preliminary session after Event 32
  - c. For finals, email scratches will not be accepted.

### Relay Events:

- 1) Clubs may enter a maximum of 3 relay teams per event. Only A and B teams will be eligible for scoring.
- 2) Swimmers participating in relay events only must be identified on the entries as "RELAY ONLY SWIMMERS".



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- 3) There are no qualifying times for relays; however, entry times should be submitted for seeding purposes.
- 4) Club Relay teams (no Association teams) must include 8 swimmers: 1 girl + 1 boy from each of the 10&U, 12&U, 14&U, Open age groups. Swimmers may move up an age group ONLY if the club has no swimmers in the meet in that age group.

**5) Relay name changes are to be submitted to the Clerk of Course 45 minutes before the start of finals.**

### Scoring:

1. Individual and Relay events will be scored as follows:
  - 50-30-20-15-14-13-12-11.
  - Consolation finals will not be scored.

### Awards:

- 1) For individual events, medals shall be presented for places 1<sup>st</sup> – 3<sup>rd</sup>. Ribbons shall be presented for 4<sup>th</sup> through 8<sup>th</sup>.

- 2) For relays, medals shall be presented to the 1st place team only. Ribbons shall be presented to 2<sup>nd</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> place teams.
- 3) Awards will be given on a minus one rule. (e.g. 4 or more splashes = 3 awards ... 1 splash = no awards).

### Officials:

The VIR Championships are offered as a cooperative effort with officials participating from all clubs. **Each participating club is expected to provide officials for all meet sessions.**

Please ask your officials to sign up on the 2020 VIR Signup website (<https://signup.com/go/naSPUSG>) noting their Club affiliation when registering or email the names of your volunteers to: [betsy.dunphy@gmail.com](mailto:betsy.dunphy@gmail.com)

**All officials should report to the officials briefing room 45 minutes prior to the start of the session for which they are volunteering.**



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## 2019-20 VIR Time Standards

	2019 - 2020 VIR Standards: Female SCM					2019 - 2020 VIR Standards: Female LCM					Dequalifying Times		
	10&U	12&U	14&U	15&Over		10&U	12&U	14&U	15&O		14&U SCM	14&U LCM	
50 fr	:42.99	:34.99	:31.99	:30.99	50 fr	:43.99	:35.99	:31.99	:31.99	50 fr	0:27.25	50 fr	0:27.81
100 fr	1:34.09	1:15.99	1:08.99	1:06.99	100 fr	1:37.99	1:17.99	1:10.99	1:07.99	100 fr	0:58.97	100 fr	1:00.17
200 fr	3:28.99	2:45.99	2:31.99	2:24.99	200 fr	3:33.99	2:49.99	2:34.99	2:26.99	200 fr	2:07.77	200 fr	2:10.38
400 fr		5:51.99	5:22.99	5:07.99	400 fr		5:58.99	5:29.99	5:08.99	400 fr	4:31.81	400 fr	4:37.36
800 fr		12:11.99	11:05.99	10:38.99	800 fr		12:26.99	11:18.99	10:48.99	800 fr	9:20.91	800 fr	9:32.36
1500 fr					1500 fr					1500 fr	18:12.71	1500 fr	18:35.01
50 bk	:50.99				50 bk	:51.99				50 bk	0:31.75	50 bk	0:32.40
100 bk	1:49.99	1:27.99	1:19.99	1:15.99	100 bk	1:51.99	1:28.99	1:21.99	1:16.99	100 bk	1:06.43	100 bk	1:07.79
200 bk		3:06.99	2:48.99	2:43.99	200 bk		3:10.99	2:52.99	2:44.99	200 bk	2:23.71	200 bk	2:26.64
50 br	:58.99				50 br	:59.99				50 br	0:35.25	50 br	0:35.97
100 br	2:04.99	1:37.99	1:30.99	1:26.99	100 br	2:06.99	1:39.99	1:31.99	1:27.99	100 br	1:16.01	100 br	1:17.56
200 br		3:28.99	3:13.99	3:06.99	200 br		3:32.99	3:17.99	3:09.99	200 br	2:44.41	200 br	2:47.77
50 fly	:50.99				50 fly	:51.99				50 fly	0:29.62	50 fly	0:30.22
100 fly	1:54.99	1:30.99	1:18.99	1:14.99	100 fly	1:57.99	1:32.99	1:19.99	1:15.99	100 fly	1:04.57	100 fly	1:05.89
200 fly		3:32.99	3:03.99	2:50.99	200 fly		3:37.99	3:06.99	2:52.99	200 fly	2:26.47	200 fly	2:29.46
200 IM	3:56.99	3:06.99	2:49.99	2:43.99	200 IM	4:00.99	3:10.99	2:52.99	2:45.99	200 IM	2:25.27	200 IM	2:28.23
400 IM		6:46.99	6:01.99	5:49.99	400 IM		6:54.99	6:08.99	5:52.99	400 IM	5:08.75	400 IM	5:15.05

	2019 - 2020 VIR Standards: Male SCM					2019 - 2020 VIR Standards: Male LCM					Dequalifying Times		
	10&U	12&U	14&U	15&O		10&U	12&U	14&U	15&O		14&U SCM	14&U LCM	
50 fr	:42.99	:37.99	:33.99	:30.99	50 fr	:43.99	:38.99	:34.99	:30.99	50 fr	0:25.04	50 fr	0:25.55
100 fr	1:35.99	1:22.99	1:15.99	1:05.99	100 fr	1:37.99	1:24.99	1:16.99	1:07.99	100 fr	0:54.41	100 fr	0:55.52
200 fr	3:28.99	3:02.99	2:45.99	2:25.99	200 fr	3:33.99	3:06.99	2:48.99	2:27.99	200 fr	1:59.27	200 fr	2:01.70
400 fr		6:29.99	5:54.99	5:10.99	400 fr		6:37.99	6:01.99	5:16.99	400 fr	4:15.45	400 fr	4:20.66
800 fr		13:38.99			800 fr		13:55.99			800 fr	8:53.04	800 fr	9:03.92
1500 fr			23:17.99	21:01.99	1500 fr			23:46.99	21:27.99	1500 fr	17:01.52	1500 fr	17:22.37
50 bk	:50.99				50 bk	:51.99				50 bk	0:28.70	50 bk	0:29.29
100 bk	1:49.99	1:35.99	1:26.99	1:15.99	100 bk	1:51.99	1:37.99	1:28.99	1:17.99	100 bk	1:01.88	100 bk	1:03.14
200 bk		3:26.99	3:03.99	2:44.99	200 bk		3:31.99	3:07.99	2:47.99	200 bk	2:14.84	200 bk	2:17.59
50 br	:58.99				50 br	:59.99				50 br	0:31.16	50 br	0:31.80
100 br	2:04.99	1:49.99	1:39.99	1:25.99	100 br	2:06.99	1:51.99	1:41.99	1:27.99	100 br	1:09.69	100 br	1:11.11
200 br		3:55.99	3:31.99	3:08.99	200 br		4:00.99	3:35.99	3:12.99	200 br	2:32.49	200 br	2:35.60
50 fly	:50.99				50 fly	:51.99				50 fly	0:26.70	50 fly	0:27.24
100 fly	1:54.99	1:40.99	1:25.99	1:14.99	100 fly	1:57.99	1:42.99	1:27.99	1:15.99	100 fly	0:59.36	100 fly	1:00.57
200 fly		3:53.99	3:20.99	2:52.99	200 fly		3:58.99	3:24.99	2:56.99	200 fly	2:15.33	200 fly	2:18.09
200 IM	3:56.99	3:26.99	3:07.99	2:44.99	200 IM	4:00.99	3:31.99	3:11.99	2:48.99	200 IM	2:15.24	200 IM	2:18.00
400 IM		7:23.99	6:42.99	5:49.99	400 IM		7:32.99	6:50.99	5:56.99	400 IM	4:50.12	400 IM	4:56.04



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## Event Order

Female	Friday, PRELIMS	Male
101	10 & U 100 Breast	102
201	Para 50 / 100 Breast	202
1	11 & O 100 Breast	2
103	10 & U 100 Fly	104
3	11 & O 200 Fly	4
105	10 & U 50 Back (TF)	106
203	Para 50 / 100 Back	204
5	11 & O 50 Back	6
107	10 & U 200 IM (TF)	108
7	11 & O 200 IM	8
205	Para 50 Free	206
9	11 & O 50 Free	10
11	11 & O 800 Free (TF)	12
13	11 & O 1500 Free (TF)	14

Female	Friday, FINALS	Male
301	4 x 50 Free Relay	302
11	11 & O 800 Free (TF)	12
13	11 & O 1500 Free (TF)	14
101	10 & U 100 Breast	102
201	Para 50 / 100 Breast	202
1	11 & O 100 Breast	2
103	10 & U 100 Fly	104
3	11 & O 200 Fly	4
303	4 x 50 Mixed Medley Relay	303
203	Para 50 / 100 Back	204
5	11 & O 50 Back	6
7	11 & O 200 IM	8
205	Para 50 Free	206
9	11 & O 50 Free	10

Female	Saturday, PRELIMS	Male
207	Para 150/200IM	208
15	11 & O 400 IM (TF)	16
109	10 & U 100 Back	110
17	11 & O 100 Back	18
111	10 & U 100 Free	112
19	11 & O 200 Free	20
113	10 & U 50 Fly (TF)	114
211	Para 50 / 100 Fly	212
21	11 & O 50 Fly	22
23	11 & O 200 Breast	24

Female	Saturday, FINALS	Male
305	10 & U 4 x 50 Medley Relay	306
207	Para 150/200IM	208
15	11 & O 400 IM (Fastest Heat)	16
109	10 & U 100 Back	110
17	11 & O 100 Back	18
111	10 & U 100 Free	112
19	11 & O 200 Free	20
307	8 x 50 Club Relay	307
211	Para 50 / 100 Fly	212
21	11 & O 50 Fly	22
23	11 & O 200 Breast	24

Female	Sunday, PRELIMS	Male
115	10 & U 200 Free (TF)	116
213	Para 100 Free	214
25	11 & O 100 Free	26
117	10 & U 50 Breast (TF)	118
27	11 & O 50 Breast	28
119	10 & U 50 Free (TF)	120
215	Para 200 / 400 Free	216
29	11 & O 200 Back	30
31	11 & O 100 Fly	32
33	11 & O 400 Free (TF)	34

Female	Sunday, FINALS	Male
309	11 & O 4 x 50 Medley Relay	310
213	Para 100 Free	214
25	11 & O 100 Free	26
27	11 & O 50 Breast	28
215	Para 200 / 400 Free	216
29	11 & O 200 Back	30
31	11 & O 100 Fly	32
33	11 & O 400 Free (TF)	34





## COMPETITION WARM-UP SAFETY PROCEDURES

Meet Management for all sanctioned Canadian swimming competitions must ensure the following safety procedures are applied. It is incumbent on coaches, swimmers, and officials to work together to comply with these procedures during all scheduled warm-up periods. Coaches are requested to encourage swimmers to cooperate with Safety Marshals.

### GENERAL WARM-UP:

- Swimmers must enter the pool **FEET FIRST** in a cautious manner, entering from a start or turn end only and from a standing or sitting position.
- Running on the pool deck and running entries into the pool are prohibited.
- Meet Management may designate the use of sprint or pace lanes during the scheduled warm-up time. Any such lane usage must be communicated through a pre-competition handout, an announcement or deck signage.
- Diving starts shall be permitted only in designated sprint lanes. Only one-way swimming from the start end of sprint lanes is permitted.
- Pools with backstroke starting ledges available may offer a designated lane for backstroke starts, at meet management's discretion. (This is not mandatory if not enough general lane space is available for the number of swimmers in the meet.)
- Notices or barriers must be placed on starting blocks to indicate no diving during warm-up.

### EQUIPMENT:

- Kick Boards, Pull-Buoys, Ankle Bands, and Snorkels are permitted for use in the main warm-up pool during warm-up.
- Hand paddles and flippers are permitted for use in a secondary warm-up pool only (where available), at meet management's discretion and recommended only for higher level or senior competitions.
- At meet management's discretion and based on available space, the Meet Manager may permit use of tubing or cord assisted sprinting in designated lanes and during specific times of the warm-up only. It is recommended that this only be allowed in secondary warm-up pools as space allows. Coaches are responsible for equipment reliability and use. This is recommended only for higher level or senior competitions.

### VIOLATIONS:

*It is recognized that there is a level of interpretation and common sense that must be applied when applying these guidelines. Diving headfirst quietly into an empty pool at the start of warm-up is not the same as diving headfirst into a crowded lane. Judgment and context is required.*

- Swimmers witnessed by a Safety Marshal diving or entering the water in a dangerous fashion may be removed without warning from their first individual event following the warm-up period in which the violation occurred and the alternates in that event notified should that event be a final. They may also receive a verbal warning from the Safety Marshal. Swimmers receiving verbal warnings will have their names and clubs registered with the Meet Manager.
- In the case of a second offense during the same competition the swimmer may be removed from the remainder of the competition.

### SAFETY MARSHALS:

The Safety Marshal is a trained position designated by Meet Management. Safety Marshals shall:

- Be visible by safety vest.
- Be situated at each end of the competition pool and when applicable, similarly situated in designated warm-up pools when pre-competition warm-ups are scheduled.
- Actively monitor all scheduled warm-up periods.
- Ensure participants comply with warm-up safety procedures and report violations to the Referee.

Depending on the level of competition, Safety Marshals have a role to help work with coaches and swimmers to ensure a safe warm-up environment. This may include educating a younger swimmer on the rules or communicating a concern to a coach.

Judgment, tact and confidence is required and therefore the Safety Marshal should ideally be a more experienced official.

### PARA-SWIMMER NOTIFICATION:

Coaches are requested to notify Safety Marshals of any Para-swimmers participating in warm-ups where necessary and at the coach's discretion.

The following statement must appear in all Swimming Canada sanctioned meet information and posted notices:

**"SWIMMING CANADA COMPETITION WARM-UP SAFETY PROCEDURES WILL BE IN EFFECT AT THIS MEET."**