STAR WARS

RETURN OF THE RACES

SUNDAY, MAY 3RD
WATERWORLD, HAMILTON

***Meet* Rational:**

A fun unofficiated SC meet with a star wars theme to give swimmers a good opportunity to race after their pinnacle event.

MEDALS ✕ **STAR WARS RELAY** ✕ **RAFFLES**

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SESSION 1

WARM-UP: 8:45 AM
RACING: 9:30 AM

1 ▸ 25M FREE
2 ▸ 400M FREE
3 ▸ 100M BREAST
4 ▸ 100M FREE
5 ▸ 200M IM
6 ▸ 50M FLY
7 ▸ 200 BACK

SESSION 2

WARM-UP: 30MINS
AFTER THE CONCLUSION OF SESSION 1

8 ▸ 400M IM
9 ▸ 200M FREE
10 ▸ 50M BACK
11 ▸ 100M FLY
12 ▸ 100M BACK
13 ▸ 50M BREAST
14 ▸ 50M FREE

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CONDITIONS OF ENTRY & RACING

Right to compete:
Star Wars:Return of the Races is open to all Club and Competitive swimmers who are registered in the SNZ database and are financial as of the date of the meet.

The swim meet will be conducted under "SNZ Regulations and Bylaws and World Aquatic Rules", except where local meet rules and conditions apply.

Age as of **3rd of May 2026.**
Times may be converted from Long Course.
No times (NT) will be accepted.
All events are Timed Finals and mixed gender.
The technical director reserves the right to restrict event numbers if entries exceed the nominated timeframe. Reseeding may be done at the discretion of the technical director.

Technical Director **Aaron Alderton**
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Entry Process:
Entries Close: Sunday 26th April 11:59pm.
Late entries need to be sent to **swimrecorder@stpauls.school.nz** and are accepted until 8am Tuesday 28th April.This will cost $50. Entries are to be submitted via Fastlane, Swimming New Zealand Fast Lane submission of entries constitutes acceptance of these meet rules & conditions.

Entry Fees:
Individual race entry: **$10.50** GST inclusive.

Timing:
Electronic/Manual timing will be used at this meet. The clubs will be given their timekeeper allocation. All clubs are required to provide 1 for Timekeeper / 4 swimmers.

General:
The meet will be conducted under Swimming New Zealand's regulations and bylaws, World Aquatic rules', except where local meet rules and conditions apply. Self Marshalling for sessions 1 & 2

Participants who have entered this meet agree to allow photograph, video, multimedia or film likeness taken by accredited photographers approved by Swimming Waikato, a club affiliated with Swimming Waikato or local media.

This is a living document, and amendments may be made. The information in this booklet was correct at the time of publication. St. Paul's Swim Club will not be held liable for any costs and expenses incurred by any person following changes to the information outlined in this booklet.

Scratchings / Withdrawals: Refunds will only be made if a medical certificate is provided to the meet recorder. All refunds are at the discretion of the technical director—no refunds for any withdrawals before or during the meet without a medical certificate.

Prizes
For event 2&8, Medals will be awarded to 1st, 2nd, and 3rd placings for the following age groups: **11&U, 12-13yrs, 14-15yrs**, and **16+** for both male and female swimmers. Medals will be awarded to 1st, 2nd, and 3rd placings in each event (exc. 2&8) for the following age groups: **9&U, 10-11yrs, 12-13yrs, 14-15yrs**, and **16+** for both male and female swimmers.

RELAYS
After session 1, we will run 20 mins of Star War-themed relays for swimmers wishing to take part - there is no fee for this, and we are happy to do mix club relays to ensure all swimmers have a chance to take part.

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HEALTH & SAFTEY

Notified Hazards

‣ Floor surfaces may be slippery when wet. No running.

‣ Stadium concrete & seating may be slippery when wet.

‣ Caution around electronic cords (Starting, Timing & Entertainment equipment)

‣ Please advise the Referee or pool staff if you observe a potential hazard.

‣ Please ensure any young children are aware of these hazards.

In General

‣ Please familiarise yourself with the pool layout, exits and equipment.

‣ Please take time to discuss with your Club how you will react and look after your Club members in the case of an emergency.

In an Emergency

‣ If you are required to contact Emergency Services, the address directions are:
“50m indoor Pool Waterworld Garnett Avenue Hamilton” - please note that Pool Staff are trained in First Aid & CPR.

For Evacuation

‣ Stay Calm.

‣ Three (3) loud blasts on the whistle by the Referee shall clear the pool.

‣ Leave the pool complex as directed by Pool Staff or Technical Officials.

‣ Assembly locations are dependent on the exit used:

1 ‣ Side door - assemble opposite the bike racks towards the front of the building.

2 ‣ Lido door - assemble out towards the boundary fence.

3 ‣ Main front doors - assemble opposite the bike racks.

‣ Assist Team Managers and Officials to evacuate the swimmers safely.

‣ Conduct a roll call to account for all persons (Children and Adults) in your Club.

‣ Notify the relevant emergency Services as required.

During the Meet

‣ Please take care to ensure the health and safety of yourself and others.

‣ Please leave the pool in a tidy state by properly disposing of all litter; please recycle where possible.