

	<p>Bank Account Name: Swim Ireland Connacht Bank: AIB Bank Bank Address: West End Retail Park, Blanchardstown, Dublin 15. IBAN: IE60AIBK93251559772477 BANK: AIBIE2D REFERENCE: Please reference club and gala on the transfer narrative, and email connachttreasurer@swimireland.ie to confirm. Proof of payment must be sent with entry,</p>
Eligibility	<p>Only swimmers registered with Connacht clubs, age over 10yrs who have NOT been accepted for a swim within the consideration times for Summer Nationals in their age bracket, This applies regardless of whether they intend to enter the Summer National event or not, Age are as of the 31st Dec 2026</p>
Entries By	<p>Tuesday 12th June 2026 at 5pm</p>
Entries	<p>Entries, on Hy-Tek only. Entries should be email to connachtgalasecretary@swimireland.ie NT will be accepted for this meet.</p> <p>Swimmers MUST NOT have achieved a Summer National Consideration time to enter this meet, any club found to enter such athletes will be fined €100.</p>
Scratches	<p>All Scratches on or before 5pm 19th June 2026</p>
Officials	<p>Clubs must provide volunteers for timekeeping duties. Volunteers should be trained to Level 1 Officials standard.</p> <p>Regional Officials will be arranged directly by the region in accordance with the licence category. Officials seeking specific duties for experiences may request particular roles</p>
World Aquatics	<p>This swim meet will be run under World Aquatics rules. In particular, please note that the regulations relating to FINA-approved swimsuits will be enforced https://swimireland.ie/wp-content/uploads/sites/2/2023/06/Swim-Ireland-Tech-Suit-Policy-Updated-20th-June-2023.pdf</p>
Photography Rules	<p>https://www.swimireland.ie/wp-content/uploads/sites/2/2023/02/Briefing-Note-Competition-Photography-and-Changing-areas.pdf</p>
Awards	<p>Medals Awarded 1st 2nd 3rd.</p> <p>Age 10-11yrs, combined 12-13yrs, combined 14-15yrs, combined 16yrs & over.</p> <p>Relays mixed age and gender no medals fun participation event,</p>
Data Protection	<p>Swim Ireland Connacht and its registered clubs use a software database to manage entries and results of swimming meets, and also to manage competition records of swimmers. By submitting and accepting entries, consent is hereby given, as required by the Data Protection Act, to the holding of personal information on databases. Personal data held for each swimmer will be name, date of birth, club, Swim Ireland registration number, entry times, achieved times. Certain elements of this data (name,</p>

	<i>club, age, times, achieved times) may be made public prior to, during or after the meet (e.g. programmes, results sheets, social media updates etc.)</i>
Note on times achieved	<p><i>Times achieved can be used to enter Regional & Club Open SC & LC L3 meets.</i></p> <p><i>Times achieved at this meet will NOT be eligible for Qualification to National events.</i></p> <p><i>Times will only be accepted and recorded on the National Database when ALL Meet paperwork has been submitted after the Meet and all the conditions of the licence have been satisfied.</i></p>
Hydration	<i>Please note that, as an environment-friendly measure, timekeepers/officials/coaches are encouraged to bring their own bottles.</i>
First Aid	<p><i>First Aid facilities will be provided by facility lifeguards and staff.</i></p> <p><i>Fire exits should be noted on arrival. In the event of fire alarm, swimmers and volunteers will take direction from the facility staff and / or Meet Director.</i></p>

Appendix 1 - Order of Events

Session 1; Connacht Swim Festival	
50m Backstroke Male / female	10 years and over
100m Backstroke Male/Female	10 years and over
50m Breaststroke Male/Female	10 Years and over
100m Breaststroke Male/Female	10 Years and over
Mixed, 4 x 50m MTR.	Mixed Age mixed Gender.
50m Butterfly Male/Female	10 Years and over
100m Butterfly Male/Female	10 Years and over
50m Freestyle Male/Female	10 Years and over
100m Freestyle Male/Female	10Years and over
100m Individual Medley Male/Female	10 years and over
Mixed 4 x 50m Freestyle Relay	Mixed age mixed Gender
Swimmers May only swim max 3 individual events	

