



3SA SOUTHPORT DISTRICT 2018 SWIMMING CARNIVAL

GENERAL SWIMMING INFORMATION

- Date:** Wednesday 28th February
- Time** **Arrive 10am** for 10.30am Start. Finish 2.15pm
- Venue:** Prahran Aquatic Centre, Essex St, Prahran
VIC, 3181
(03) 82907140
- Age:** Age is calculated as of 31/12/18
Three Age Groups: 9/10 yr Boys & Girls, 11 yr Boys & Girls, 12/13 yr Boys & Girls.
- Results:** Timekeepers to record first four place getters with their time and submit to the results table as soon as event is completed.
- Starts:** Competitors will line up behind the starting blocks
1. The starter will blow the whistle where competitors will stand on their starting blocks.
 2. Take your marks - competitors assume their starting position.
 3. Gun – The gun is fired when all competitors are steady. A second gunshot will be fired or a whistle will be blown to signal a false start & the flags will be dropped into the water.
- Officials:**
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| Coordinator/Referee | Sam FitzGerald (Windsor) |
| Announcer | Sam Cheshire (St Kilda) |
| Results Recorder | Sam FitzGerald |
| Marshall: | Travis (South Yarra) + Lewis (Middle Park) + Jen (Toorak) + SEDA |
| Ribbons: | SEDA |
| Starter: | Peter Cracknell (Armadale PS) |
| False Start Rope: | SEDA |
| Timekeepers: | Kate (APPS) + SEDA |
| Chief Place Judge: | Marcus (Caulfield) |
| Place Judges: | SEDA |
| Roaming + SEDA Liaison | Stephen (Port Melbourne) |

Supervision:

All schools to appoint a teacher to ensure that all children are supervised at all times. All competitors must return to their school group after their event.

Results:

Send Timekeepers result cards with the place getters to the score table immediately following the conclusion of the event. All other competitors should return immediately to their school area unless they are involved in a subsequent event.

First Aid:

Sam Fenech will provide first aid and pool for lifesavers etc.

Codes of Behavior:

Teachers and spectators should be aware of the "Fair Play in School Sport" code of behaviour (VPSSA Handbook)

The fastest 2 times per individual event & fastest 2 times per relay event will qualify to represent Southport District at the Beachside Division Swimming Carnival on March 9 at Oakleigh Recreation Centre.

South-Metro Regional Championships:

The **first** place getters in individual & relay events will represent the Beachside Division at the Regional Championships on Wednesday 28th March at MSAC.

State Championships:

The **first** place getters in individual events & relay teams will represent the SM Region at the State Swimming Championships to be held on Wednesday 18th April at MSAC.

LIMITATION OF EVENTS:

1. A child is permitted to compete in two individual events and two relay events.
2. No child may enter the same event in two different age groups.

LANE ALLOCATION:**Heat 1:**

Lane 2 Albert Park

Lane 3 Armadale

Lane 4 Caulfield

Lane 5 Middle Park

Lane 6 Port Melb

Heat 2:

Lane 2: St Kilda

Lane 3: St Kilda Park

Lane 4: South Yarra

Lane 5: Windsor

Lane 6: Toorak

Medley relay order for swimming

1. Backstroke (start at shallow end)
2. Breaststroke (deep end)
3. Butterfly (shallow end)
4. Freestyle (deep end)

Freestyle Relays start at **DEEP** end