



KWAZULU-NATAL AQUATICS

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SSA REGIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS 2022

KZNA dates and rules for the following Regional Level Championships 2022

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| ➤ KZNA Regional Level 1 | 5 th and 6 th March 2022 |
| ➤ SSA KZN Regional Level 2 | 11 th till 13 th March 2022 |
| ➤ SSA KZN Regional Level 3 | 17 th till 20 th March 2022 |
| ➤ SSA KZNA Regional Senior & Junior | 30 th March till 3 April 2022 |

General Competition Rules for all Regional Events.

1. FINA Technical Rules will apply.
2. 2022 SSA Regional Swimming Competition Rules will apply.
3. ONLY SSA and KZN registered swimmers may enter.
4. Only Official Recorded times on SSA and KZNA data base as from 1 May 2021 will be accepted.
5. No Swimmer may enter on a NO TIME.
6. The age of the swimmer will be determined by the swimmers age on the first day of competition.
7. Please take note of specific rules for each level of competition
8. In case of a dispute the referee's decision will be final.
9. Only **SSA REGISTERED COACHES** will be allowed on pool deck.
10. Managers must be registered with SSA and KZNA.
11. TD and Referee have the power to remove from Pool Deck any person that is not an accredited coach. Parents are not permitted on pool deck.
12. COVID protocols will be enforced.
13. No Spectators will be allowed until all Officials and COVID requirements have been met.
14. Coach or Manager to be present at the warm-up and they are to ensure the following rules apply,
 - No diving from the starting blocks, feet first entry only.
 - All lanes can be used for general warm up.
 - During the Last 20 Minutes of warm-up Lanes 0 and 9 can be used to practice starts; The Referee may open more lanes for diving if necessary.
 - Exit pool at stairs and not over the touch pads.
 - Coaches and Managers to ensure that the outside pool is used as a warm down pool and not a recreational pool.
 - The Referee may designate a lane for DISSA swimmers at their discretion

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- Please instruct parents that the outside pool is for swimmers only and if this is abused by non-entry swimmers a total ban will be enforced.
- Diving boards are out of bounds and swimmers will be evicted from the pool area if they are caught jumping from the diving boards.

15. **Technical Officials** as per 2022 National/Regional swimming Competition Rules.
- a. OFFICIALS Judges, COC, Time-Keepers and Officials Volunteering to assist the LOC with COVID related functions, must be registered with SSA/KZNA.
 - b. Time Keepers must have completed the Level 1 Timekeeping Course.
 - c. Officials are required to be dressed in white shirts and navy (dark) pants for both sessions.
 - d. If a swimmer is expected to make the Finals, please allocate the related official to the Finals session
 - e. Officials requirements per number of swimmers

1 – 3	1 x timekeeper
4 – 10	2 x timekeeper
11 – 20	3 x timekeepers
21 – 30	2 x timekeepers 1 x Judge
31 – 40	2 x timekeepers 2 x Judges
41 +	2 x timekeepers 3 x Judges

16. Withdrawals, Scratching and Objections.

- a. Only the accredited Team Manager or Coach of a Club may withdraw or late enter competitors, lodge a complaint, protest or an objection.
- b. Withdrawals done at Managers Meeting will be at No Charge.
- c. Scratchings from first session events must be handed in at the Managers Meeting.
- d. Scratchings from the Finals must be done 20 minutes after the last heat has been swum.
- e. Scratchings from Timed Finals and DISSA events must be done before 07h30 on the day or the day preceding the event whether in the fast or slow heat.
- f. Scratchings outside of the time limit will be fined R200 per event.
- g. A “No show” for heats will be fined R100 per event; A “No show” for Finals will be fined R300 per event a. Doctor’s note must be submitted for a NO Show that is due to medical reasons; in this instance no fine will be levied
- h. Swimmers will not be allowed to compete in any event until the fine is paid.

17. FINALS: All first and second reserves are required to report for finals.

- Reserves will be checked by marshals at finals and those that are not present shall be liable for an R100.00 fine.
- **Please note** that once the COC has closed the marshalling for an event and put in a reserve, then finalists reporting late for said event will not be put back in.

18. Protests are possible:

- a. If the rules of the Championship have not been observed. •
- b. If conditions endanger the competitors or spectators. •
- c. Lodged against the decision of the Referee. •
- d. No protest may be lodged against decision of fact.
- e. Protests must be submitted in writing to the referee by the Team Manager together with a deposit of R300 within 30 minutes following the conclusion of the event.

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KZN Aquatics Level 1 Championships

- All Districts must submit their venue, gala times and Flyer to Swimboard by **Thursday 17th February**.
- Flyer must include the below rules,
- District Level 1 Event Programme must be submitted to Hennie Bezuidenhout for approval by **Thursday 17th February**.
- SSA scheduled date: **Saturday 5th March. One or Two days as required.**

- 2022 SSA Regional Swimming Competition Rules will apply
- This level of competition will be held at district level.
- Each District to forward their respective flyer for distribution.
- Event Schedule to be signed off and Meet Manager to be sent to Hennie for authorization.
- Ribbons will be provided by KZNA to districts that hold a KZNA sanctioned gala.
- A swimmer may not enter this level if a level 2 or higher qualifying time has been achieved.
- All events are timed finals.
- Only registered School Swimmers on the SSA data base under code SS and have times on the data base will be allowed to participate.
- Swimmers that achieve a Level 2 QT may enter the SSA Regional Level 2 Championships on the 11th March 2022, to be held at Kings Park.
- School Registered swimmers must be up graded to a Competitive swimmer to enter the Level 2 Championships.
- Swimmers may only compete in their own age group.
- The organisers or referee shall have the right to alter or consolidate heats, as they deem fit.
- **ENTRY FEE:**
 - Individual events: R20.00 per event plus R10.00 Levy per event.
 - Relays R30.00 plus R10.00 Levy
- **Entry Closing Date:** 23rd February 2022.
- **Proof of payment to be submitted with the entries.**
- **Officials and COVID Volunteer list must be submitted with the entries.**
- **IF Proof of Payment and Officials List is not attached, entries will not be captured**
- Districts to forward flyer to all district clubs.
- The following age groups.
 - 10U, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15 & 16, 17 to 24
- Relays will be swum in the following age groups:
 - 12U, 13 and 14, 15 to 24.

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SSA REGIONAL LEVEL 2

Date: Friday 11th March till Sunday 13th March 2022
Managers Meeting: Friday 11th March at
Venues: **Kings Park:**
eThekweni, ILembe, UMDM, Amajuba, UGU, Harry Gwala and
UMzinyathi Districts.
Arboretum Richards Bay.
King Cetshwayo District and Zululand

- 2022 SSA Regional Swimming Competition Rules will apply.
- Only Registered SSA Swimmers may enter these championships.
- Swimmer must have a minimum of ONE 200 IM time on SSA Data Base.
- It is not compulsory for the swimmer to complete in the 200IM event.
- ALL 200m events will be timed finals and all 100m and 50m events Heats and Finals.
- SSA Medals will be awarded.
 - Kings Park and Arboretum finished times will be collated to determine the top 3 finisher in the Province.
 - Individual: 10U, 11,12, 13, 14, 15-16, 17 to 24
 - Relays: 12&U. 13&14, 15 to 24.
- A swimmer may not enter this level if they have a level 3 or higher qualifying time on the data base.
- Swimmers must have one level 2 QT and may enter all events that they have times on the SSA data base.
- The organisers or referee shall have the right to alter or consolidate heats, as they deem fit.
- **ENTRY FEE:**
 - Individual events: R40.00 per event plus R10.00 Levy per event.
 - Relays R50.00 plus R10.00 Levy
- **Entry Closing Date:** 25th February 2022
- **Entries to be sent to Hennie at bezu@mweb.co.za**
- **Proof of payment to be submitted with the entries.**
- **Officials and COVID volunteers list to be submitted with the entries.**
- **IF Proof of Payment and Officials List is not submitted, entries will not be captured**
- **BANKING DETAILS**
 - KZN Aquatics**
 - Standard Bank
 - Account Number: 053074564
 - Branch Code: 045426
 - Reference to be used: Club Name and level.
 - EG: Action Level 2
- E-mail entries and proof of payment to bezu@mweb.co.za. with the subject SSA Regional Level 2

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SSA REGIONAL LEVEL 3

Date: Thursday 17th March till Sunday 20th March 2022
Managers Meeting: Thursday 17th March
Venue: **Kings Park:**

- 2022 SSA Regional Swimming Competition Rules will apply.
- All 200m, 100m and 50m events will be swum as heats and finals.
- 400 Free will be swum as a Timed Final.
- Only Registered SSA Swimmers may enter these championships.
- Swimmer must have a minimum of two 200 or 400 IM time on SSA Data Base.
- Multi-Disability aged 18 and Under that has not got a Multi-Disability senior national time may enter these Championship.
- No QT for Multi-Disability but must have a time on the data base.
- Multi-Disability events will be swum in the Finals session
- It is not compulsory for the swimmer to complete in the 200IM or 400IM events.
- Medals will be awarded in the following age groups:
 - Individual: 11U, 12, 13, 14, 15-16, 17-24
 - Relays: 13 & under, 14 to 24
 - Multi-Disability 14U, 15 to 18

- A swimmer may not enter this level if they have a Regional Junior/Senior or higher qualifying time on the data base.
- The organisers or referee shall have the right to alter or consolidate heats, as they deem fit.
- Event Schedule as per the 2022 National Swimming Competition Rules programme

- **ENTRY FEE:**
 - Individual events: R60.00 per event plus R10.00 Levy per event.
 - Relays R60.00 plus R10.00 Levy
- **Entry Closing Date:** 16th February 2022
- **Entries to be sent to Hennie at bezu@mweb.co.za**
- E-mail entries and proof of payment to bezu@mweb.co.za. with the subject SSA Regional Level 3
- **Proof of payment to be submitted with the entries.**
- **Officials and COVID volunteers to be submitted with the entries.**
- **IF Proof of Payment and Officials List is not submitted, entries will not be captured**

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SSA Regional Seniors and Juniors

Date: Wednesday 30th March till Sunday 3rd April 2022
Managers Meeting: Wednesday 30th March at 16H00
Venue: **Kings Park:**

- 2022 SSA Regional Swimming Competition Rules will apply.
- Only Registered SSA Swimmers may enter these championships.

- THE FOLLOWING PROVINCES/CLUBS MAY OPT TO PARTICIPATE AT THE KZNA REGIONAL SENIORS AND JUNIOR CHAMPIONSHIPS:
NORTH WEST, NORTHERN CAPE, FREE STATE, MPUMALANGA AND LIMPOPO

- **Entries to be submitted to bezu@mweb.co.za**
- **Payments to be made to KZN Aquatics. Details Below**
- Proof of payment to be submitted with the entries,
- IF Proof of Payment is not attached, entries will not be captured
- **Payments made to SSA directly will result in entries will not being captured.**

- A swimmer that has a SA Senior or SA Junior National qualifying time may opt to swim at the KZN Regional Senior and Junior Championships.
- **A swimmer may only swim at one of the Senior /Junior Championships.**
- **Swimmers swimming at a Regional Championships will be removed from the SA Senior and Junior Championships in Gqeberha**

- Swimmer must have a minimum of two 200 or 400 IM time on SSA Data Base.
- It is not compulsory for the swimmer to complete in the 200IM or 400IM events.
- Medals will be awarded in the following age groups:
 - Individual: 12U, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17 & 18
 - Relays: 14 & under, 15 & 16, Open

- The organisers or referee shall have the right to alter or consolidate heats, as they deem fit.
- Event Schedule as per the 2022 National Swimming Competition Rules programme
- **ENTRY FEE:**
 - Individual events: R80.00 per event plus R20.00 Levy per event.
 - Relays R90.00 plus R20.00 Levy

- **Entry Closing Date: 28th February 2022**
- **Entries to be sent to Hennie at bezu@mweb.co.za**
- **Proof of payment to be submitted with the entries.**
- **Officials and COVID volunteers to be submitted with the entries.**
- **If Proof of Payment and the Officials List is not submitted, entries will not be captured.**

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- E-mail entries and proof of payment to bezu@mweb.co.za. with the subject SSA Regional Senior/Junior Championships, by the closing date.

Please contact Rodney Du Toit on 0844017428 or swimboard@kznaquatics.co.za. if you have any queries.

KZN Swim Board

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