

**FAREHAM NOMADS – VALENTINE MEET 2018 (License 3SE180128)  
at Waterlooville Leisure Centre 11<sup>th</sup> February 2018**

**PROMOTER'S CONDITIONS**

1. All events will be conducted in accordance with ASA Laws and Regulations.
2. Competitors must be members of an ASA affiliated club as defined by ASA Law and may enter in the name of one club only. ASA registration numbers MUST be included on all entries.
3. Acceptance into any event will be on a 'FIRST COME, FIRST SERVED' basis. Any swimmer not accepted due to a restriction on numbers being imposed by the Promoter will have the entry fee refunded in full.
4. Any swimmer who at the time of entry for the Meet has achieved a time faster than the published limit time may not enter that event. Should it transpire at any stage that a swimmer has submitted an ineligible entry then the entry will be rejected and the fee forfeited.
5. Time Trials may be permitted by FNSC if the meet is undersubscribed. Details of all time trial requests should be submitted with the Entries Summary Form.
6. All entries, associated paperwork and cheques must be received by the specified closing date of FRIDAY 19<sup>th</sup> JANUARY 2018. Late or ineligible entries will not be accepted. There will be no refunds for withdrawals after the closing date.
7. Ages will be as at 31<sup>st</sup> December 2018.
8. INDIVIDUAL AGE GROUPS will be: 10yrs, 11yrs, 12yrs, 13yrs, 14yrs 15yrs & 16yrs and over.
9. The entry fee will be £6 per event. All entries must be made electronically. Club entries should be submitted using the Hy-tek electronic entry file – download available from [openmeets@farehamnomads.co.uk](mailto:openmeets@farehamnomads.co.uk) or from [www.farehamnomads.co.uk](http://www.farehamnomads.co.uk)

Please note that entries will not be accepted without the purchase of a Coach Pass as we cannot be responsible for unaccompanied swimmers.

All Clubs must complete the Entries Summary Form and return this together with a printed summary of those swimmers entered and either a) a cheque for the total fee to THE MEET PROMOTER, 1 MAYS LANE, STUBBINGTON, FAREHAM, PO14 2ER please, made payable to FNSC, or b) an associated electronic payment.

For electronic payments, an online payment must be made to the sort code and account number as identified on the Entries Summary Form, and the associated payment reference stated against PAYMENT REF.

10. A withdrawal system will be in operation. Club representatives are expected to submit withdrawal forms for swimmers who are not intending to swim, no later than 50 minutes before the advertised starting time of the first event in

the session. There shall be no refund of entry fees to swimmers who withdraw from events.

11. Prior to the Meet a list of entries will be made available. It will be the responsibility of the club representative to carefully check all entries for correct name spellings, ages and entry times. Any errors must be reported to the Meet Promoter by the date specified when this information is made available.
12. All Meet participants and spectators must observe all safety precautions in operation at Waterloo Leisure Centre and follow instructions of Pool Staff and Fareham Nomads Meet Management Team. Prior to leaving poolside swimmers must dry off and put on appropriate clothing and footwear. No swimmers will be allowed into the spectator area unless they have complied with this requirement. For safety reasons spectators must ensure that all gangways are kept clear. Participating clubs are responsible for ensuring that their members are made aware of these Health and Safety requirements and those laid down in ASA Laws.
13. Failure to comply with any condition may result in disqualification and forfeiture of any fee paid.
14. Lanes will be allocated for the purpose of warm-up and announcements will be made. Diving will only be allowed in specified lanes.
15. Swimmers are responsible for reporting to the Competitor Stewards on time. For the first two events in each session swimmers should report to the Competitor Stewards directly after the warm-up. Swimmers in all other events should report to the Competitor Stewards at least one event before their own event.
16. All events will be run on a Heat Declared Winner (HDW) basis. All heats in each event will be spearheaded.
17. All events will start at the deep end of the pool. Over the top starts will be used at the discretion of the Meet Management and the Lead Referee.
18. Electronic timing will be used. Competitors must leave the pool at the sides, and not climb over the electronic timing boards.
19. Heat results will not be announced but will be displayed in an appropriate location as soon as they are available.
20. Awards will be made to those swimmers coming 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> in each event age group. All medals will be available for collection from the medals table. A permanent trophy will be presented to the top visiting club; this trophy will be presented as soon as possible after completion of the final event.
21. Competitors are advised not to leave their belongings unattended and to ensure that all valuables are placed in a locked locker. Neither Fareham Nomads Swimming Club nor the Management of Waterloo Leisure Centre can accept responsibility for any property that may be lost or stolen.
22. Data Protection.  
With the submission of entry details, consent is deemed to have been given, as required of the Data Protection Act, to the holding, and distribution as necessary, of personal information on computer to enable the running of the Meet.

23. Coach passes will be issued at a cost of £15. Passes will provide admission to all sessions, a Programme and Results Sheets (if requested). Passes must be displayed at all times. Clubs should be aware that the recommended ratio of adults to swimmers on poolside is 1:10.
24. Spectator entrance will be charged at £5.00 for the day or £3.00 for the afternoon. Programmes will be on sale at £1.00 but will also be available to be downloaded before the meet.
25. For any matters not covered by these Conditions the Meet Management will make any decisions it deems necessary to provide for the satisfactory running of the competition. By submitting an entry participants have deemed to agree to such decisions.