

(Affiliated to Swim England South East)

Present

# Peter Bull Open Meet 2025

Licence No. 3SE25

 (Under Swim England laws and Technical Rules)

on

##  29th & 30th November 2025

at

**Waterlooville Leisure Centre**

Waterberry Drive, Waterlooville, PO7 7UW

8 Lane – 25m Pool – with Electronic Timing

**Ages 9 & Over as of 30th of November 2025**

Age Groups: 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16 & over

Categories: There will be two categories – Female and Open/Male.

The Female category is for birth sex females in accordance with Swim England’s Transgender and Non-binary Competition policy. By entering the Female category, a swimmer confirms that their birth sex is female.

Events: 50m, 100m & 200m all strokes, 400m Freestyle (11yrs & Over), 200m Individual Medley (10yrs & Over) & 400m Individual Medley (11yrs & Over).

### SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

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|   | **SATURDAY 29th of November 2025**  |
|   | **Session 1 Warm Up: 8:00am Events Start 8:45am**  |
| **101**   | Female 400m Individual Medley  | **102**   | Open/Male 400m Individual Medley  |

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|   | **SATURDAY 29th of November 2025**  |
|   | **Session 2 Warm Up: TBC Events Start TBC**  |
| **201**  | Female 200m Freestyle  | **202**  | Open/Male 200m Freestyle  |
| **203**  | Female 50m Breaststroke  | **204**  | Open/Male 50m Breaststroke  |
| **205**  | Female 100m Backstroke  | **206**  | Open/Male 100m Backstroke  |
|   | *Expected Finish: TBC*  |
|   | **Session 3 Warm Up: TBC Events Start TBC**  |
| **301**   | Female 200m Butterfly  | **302**  | Open/Male 200m Butterfly  |
| **303**   | Female 50m Backstroke  | **304**  |  Open/Male 50m Backstroke  |
| **305**   | Female 100m Freestyle  | **306**  | Open/Male 100m Freestyle  |
| **307**  | Female 200m Breaststroke  | **308**  | Open/Male 200m Breaststroke  |
|   | *Expected Finish: TBC*  |

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|   | **SUNDAY 30th of November 2025**  |
|   | **Session 4 Warm Up: 8:00am Events Start 8:45am**  |
| **401**   | Female 400m Freestyle  | **402**   | Open/Male 400m Freestyle  |

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|   | **SUNDAY 30th of November 2025**  |
|   | **Session 5 Warm Up: TBC Events Start TBC**  |
| **501**   | Female 200m Individual Medley  | **502**   | Open/Male 200m Individual Medley  |
| **503**  | Female 50m Butterfly  | **504**  | Open/Male 50m Butterfly  |
| **505**  | Female 100m Breaststroke  | **506**  | Open/Male 100m Breaststroke  |
|   | *Expected Finish: TBC*  |
|   | **Session 6 Warm Up: TBC Events Start TBC**  |
| **601**   | Female 200m Backstroke  | **602**  | Open/Male 200m Backstroke  |
| **603**  | Female 50m Freestyle  | **604**  | Open/Male 50m Freestyle  |
| **605**  | Female 100m Butterfly  | **606**  | Open/Male 100m Butterfly  |
|   | *Expected Finish: TBC*  |

**Upper Limit Qualifying Times**

Your entry times must be equal to or slower than these for events entered.

**AGES AS AT 30th of November 2025**

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| **Female**   | Age 9  | Age 10  | Age 11  | Age 12  | Age 13  | Age 14  | Age 15  | Age 16/Over  |
| 50m Freestyle  | 35.35  | 32.78  | 29.90  | 28.85  | 28.36  | 26.90  | 26.71  | 25.71  |
| 100m Freestyle  | 1:17.05  | 1:11.48  | 1:06.65  | 1:03.47  | 58.36  | 57.70  | 57.24  | 55.86  |
| 200m Freestyle  | 3:01.53  | 2:36.68  | 2:28.00  | 2:18.68  | 2:06.77  | 2:04.00  | 2:03.57  | 2:03.04  |
| 400m Freestyle  |   |   | 5:11.52  | 4:52.73  | 4:27.40  | 4:26.64  | 4:24.50  | 4:20.84  |
| 50m Backstroke  | 41.44  | 38.21  | 36.01  | 32.47  | 31.27  | 31.13  | 29.51  | 28.09  |
| 100m Backstroke  | 1:29.02  | 1:18.81  | 1:13.89  | 1:10.43  | 1:06.31  | 1:05.96  | 1:02.70  | 1:00.78  |
| 200m Backstroke  | 3:11.22  | 2:52.85  | 2:39.72  | 2:31.94  | 2:25.39  | 2:23.26  | 2:15.70  | 2:13.96  |
| 50m Breaststroke  | 48.67  | 41.23  | 39.67  | 36.70  | 34.93  | 34.63  | 33.98  | 32.19  |
| 100m Breaststroke  | 1:44.66  | 1:34.20  | 1:27.85  | 1:21.39  | 1:18.53  | 1:16.21  | 1:14.55  | 1:09.83  |
| 200m Breaststroke  | 3:36.63  | 3:19.33  | 3:10.66  | 2:56.84  | 2:48.40  | 2:41.39  | 2:40.90  | 2:28.86  |
| 50m Butterfly  | 38.33  | 35.29  | 32.38  | 31.89  | 30.41  | 29.90  | 28.68  | 27.91  |
| 100m Butterfly  | 1:34.31  | 1:24.29  | 1:19.39  | 1:14.98  | 1:07.84  | 1:05.24  | 1:05.10  | 1:01.90  |
| 200m Butterfly  |   | 3:23.57  | 3:17.80  | 2:58.02  | 2:40.99  | 2:22.84  | 2:21.24  | 2:13.64  |
| 200m Ind Medley  | 3:15.67  | 2:53.32  | 2:40.95  | 2:34.82  | 2:27.24  | 2:22.76  | 2:20.27  | 2:17.31  |
| 400m Ind Medley  |   |   | 5:59.01  | 5:26.47  | 5:14.61  | 5:07.52  | 5:04.61  | 5:00.13  |

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| **Male/Open**   | Age 9  | Age 10  | Age 11  | Age 12  | Age 13  | Age 14  | Age 15  | Age 16/Over  |
| 50m Freestyle  | 34.56  | 32.33  | 29.54  | 28.50  | 27.58  | 24.88  | 23.44  | 21.93  |
| 100m Freestyle  | 1:17.04  | 1:10.71  | 1:06.16  | 1:02.93  | 1:00.84  | 57.70  | 55.01  | 53.01  |
| 200m Freestyle  | 2:56.23  | 2:37.71  | 2:24.09  | 2:14.94  | 2:05.54  | 1:59.45  | 1:57.14  | 1:47.16  |
| 400m Freestyle  |   |   | 5:06.53  | 4:41.45  | 4:24.92  | 4:19.22  | 4:18.84  | 3:49.06  |
| 50m Backstroke  | 40.21  | 36.70  | 33.79  | 31.34  | 30.56  | 28.85  | 26.98  | 25.59  |
| 100m Backstroke  | 1:27.16  | 1:18.80  | 1:13.99  | 1:11.76  | 1:07.45  | 1:03.61  | 1:00.79  | 54.96  |
| 200m Backstroke  | 3:08.93  | 2:49.26  | 2:35.55  | 2:33.68  | 2:26.16  | 2:12.47  | 2:07.83  | 2:04.32  |
| 50m Breaststroke  | 47.23  | 39.76  | 38.89  | 34.25  | 33.96  | 31.24  | 30.15  | 28.57  |
| 100m Breaststroke  | 1:45.77  | 1:33.19  | 1:27.86  | 1:17.07  | 1:15.08  | 1:08.80  | 1:07.25  | 59.95  |
| 200m Breaststroke  | 3:36.63  | 3:10.68  | 3:03.51  | 2:46.28  | 2:42.55  | 2:30.95  | 2:25.65  | 2:28.86  |
| 50m Butterfly  | 38.33  | 35.15  | 32.10  | 30.62  | 29.76  | 27.72  | 25.34  | 23.71  |
| 100m Butterfly  | 1:34.31  | 1:24.29  | 1:17.96  | 1:10.06  | 1:05.30  | 1:00.94  | 59.30  | 54.63  |
| 200m Butterfly  |   | 3:14.58  | 2:53.47  | 2:33.26  | 2:24.06  | 2:18.88  | 2:14.28  | 2:02.14  |
| 200m Ind Medley  | 3:14.72  | 2:53.32  | 2:40.95  | 2:32.42  | 2:22.31  | 2:16.74  | 2:12.19  | 2:02.72  |
| 400m Ind Medley  |   |   | 5:46.93  | 5:27.68  | 5:01.22  | 4:56.12  | 4:41.11  | 4:21.71  |

Short course (25m) times must be submitted. This can include long course (50m) that have been converted.

**Promoter’s Conditions**

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| **PROMOTER**   | The promoter is Havant & Waterlooville Swimming Club.   |
| **CONTACT**   | For any queries, please contact us at meets@handwsc.co.uk   |
| **VENUE**   | Horizon Leisure Centre, Waterberry Drive, Waterlooville, PO7 7UW   |
| **POOL**   | 8 Lane 25 metre pool, with electronic timing and anti-turbulence lane ropes.  |
| **ELECTRONICS**   | Electronic timing will be in use. Swimmers must not leave the pool by climbing over the time pads.   |
| **RULES**   | The competition is a level 3 Open Meet and will be swum under Swim England Technical Rules. A secondary strobe light is available at this meet.   |
| **AGE GROUPS**   | The competition will be open to age groups 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16 & over.   |
| **AGE**   | Ages will be at midnight 30th November 2025  It is the swimmer's responsibility to ensure his/her eligibility for each event. Swimmers will be distributed in spearheaded heats from the submitted entry times. Improved times will not be accepted after the entries have been received. All eventswill be swum on a heat declared winner (HDW) basis.    |
| **COMPETING CATEGORIES:**   | Swimmers will be required to swim in one of two groups: * Female – Athletes with a birth sex of female.
* Open/Male – Athletes with a birth sex of male, trans or non-binary competitors and any competitor not eligible for the female category.

The Female category is for birth sex females in accordance with Swim England’s Transgender and Non-Binary Competition Policy. By entering the ‘Female’ category, a swimmer confirms that their birth sex is female.  Please note: - Rankings will refer to ‘Open/Male’ times rather than simply ‘Male.’ Given [swimmingresults.org i](https://www.swimmingresults.org/)ncludes British, Welsh and Scottish rankings the term ‘Male’ will still be included for accuracy. The Meet entry software has not been updated yet by its developers to comply with this new policy. Swim England is in discussion with meet entry software providers about the changes and further updates will be published in due course.  |
| **MEET OBJECTIVE**   | The objective of the Meet is to provide a fun event along with the opportunity to achieve some county and regional qualifying times for the season 2025-26.   |
| **EVENTS**   | 50m, 100m & 200m all strokes, 400m Freestyle (11yrs & Over), 200m Individual Medley (10yrs & Over) & 400m Individual Medley (11yrs & Over).   |
| **QUALIFYING STANDARDS**   | Upper qualifying times will apply. All swimmers including those with no times are eligible to enter.  All entry times should be converted to Short Course times.   |
| **SWIM ENGLAND RATIOS**  | Swim England ratios must be followed by all clubs.  |

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| **ENTRY FEES**   | £9 per event.  |
| **OPEN DATE**   | Now open  |
| **CLOSING DATE**   | Midnight Fri 3rd Oct 2025  |
| **ENTRIES**   | Entries not meeting the required criteria will be rejected. There will be no refunds after the entry is received except for medical reasons where evidence can be provided of the inability to compete. All events will be inclusive of para swimmers, and they should provide their categorisation on entry. ANY ENTRIES RECEIVED AFTER THE CLOSING DATE MAY NOT BE ACCEPTED AND WILL BE SUBJECT TO AN ADDITIONAL £10 ADMINISTRATION FEE.   |
| **PAYMENT**   | Once entries have been accepted, invoices will be issued after the meet to assist with any refunds.   |
| **REJECTIONS**   | **Rejections** will be made when the volume of entries exceeds the time allowed under Swim England rules for competitive meets.   |
| **ACCEPTED ENTRIES**   | Once accepted, entries will be sent out to all, it will be the responsibility of the club/Individual representative to check entries, inform all swimmers of their entries and notify the meet secretary immediately of any errors. Once entry times have been accepted no changes will be made unless with agreement of the meet secretary.  |

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| **STARTS**   | At the referee’s discretion we reserve the right to use over the top starts.   |
| **SEEDING**   | Events will be seeded based on the submitted entry.   |
| **AWARDS**   | * We will award the Top 3 in each event for each age group they will receive a medal which can be collected from the Medal Collection Table. Please collect all medals during the Meet.
* Heat results will be announced and results of each event and details of winners will be posted around the pool and on Meet Mobile as soon as they are available.

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| **WITHDRAWALS**   | There will be no refund of entry fees to swimmers who withdraw from event after the initial closing date, unless the withdrawal is for medical reasons and a doctor’s certificate, or medical evidence is supplied. All refunds will be made via the clubs who submitted the entries.  Withdrawals can be made up until 18:00 via email sent to meets@handwsc.co.uk on Friday 28th November 2025.  |
| **OFFICIALS**   | **All clubs submitting entries are requested to assist in the running of the meet by supplying details of any Licensed officials who are willing to assist at this Gala.** Any meet that does not have the number of officials required by the licensing board run the risk of it being downgraded. Names and contact details for officials should be provided by the person responsible for submitting the entries and forwarded to meets@handwsc.co.uk  |
| **COACH / TEAM**  **MANAGER**  **PASSES**  | Coach and Team Manager’s packs are available at £20 each for the whole weekend. They include start sheets, food, and refreshments.  Only swimmers, team managers and coaches with passes will be allowed on poolside.  Poolside coaches need to be registered with Swim England (or equivalent national swimming organisation) and hold a valid DBS check. Team Managers need to be registered with Swim England (or equivalent national swimming organisation), hold a valid DBS check, have the relevant safeguarding, and team management qualifications.   |
| **CHAPERONE PASSES**   | Chaperone passes are available free of charge if swimmers require assistance in the changing rooms and will allow access to the spectator area. The chaperone must have Swim England membership (or equivalent national swimming organisation) & valid DBS. If a swimmer requires additional assistance on poolside, please contact the meet organisers in advance.   |

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| **MARSHALLING**   | Competitors must report to the Competitor Stewards when they are called. Any competitor not reporting in time **may** be excluded.   |
| **CHANGING ROOMS**   | The changing rooms are for competitors only, parents are not permitted in the changing area and will be asked to leave. Competitors are politely asked not to change poolside and use the facilities available. Cameras and phones are strictly prohibited in the changing area.   |
| **JEWELLERY**   | For safety and security reasons, the wearing of jewellery is not permitted while in the water during warm-ups / swim-downs and / or competition. This includes watches, necklaces, chains, bangles, wrist bands, earrings (except studs), and rings (except wedding bands). HWSC will not be responsible for any jewellery brought to events and will not be liable if such jewellery is lost or damaged.  |
| **MEET RESULTS**   | Meet results will be posted on Meet Mobile and paper copies will be available in the pool area.   |
| **SPECTATORS**   | Spectators may be restricted due to site capacity and safety mitigations. Spectators will be accommodated wherever possible.  Full event programs (which include seeded heat sheets) will be emailed out to all clubs as soon as available and will also be on Meet Mobile.  Cost is £5 per session or £8 all day.   |
| **CAMERAS**   | Mobile phones that have a camera facility/hardware are recognised as a camera or photographic device. Any photos taken should fall within the Swim England guidelines. NO FLASH photography is permitted.  Please be advised that photographs may be taken at this event by a club representative.  HWSC are aware of the wide range of devices including mobile telephones which have photographic and filming capabilities. This enables the capture of both static and moving images. Used responsibly, such devices are perfectly safe, but sharing images widely may betray a confidence or identity of an individual which may present a risk of harm to the individual concerned. The use of such equipment is difficult to control but we can all be vigilant. HWSC may use photographs taken at this event as promotional material and used across public forums including their website and social media accounts.  If you have any concerns or safeguarding queries, please bring them to the immediate attention of the event management team. Should you wish to refuse photographic permission please contact the event management team on site. Post event, if at any time an individual wishes an image of themselves to be removed from the public platform, 7 days’ notice must be given to HWSC after which the data will be removed.   |

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| **WARM UP**   | Swimmers and coaches must ensure that they take no action that would endanger themselves or others. Club Coaches are responsible for their swimmers during warm up. Sprint lanes will be announced.   |
| **WARM DOWN**   | There will not be a warm down facility provided.   |
| **POOLSIDE RULES**   | Due to limited space poolside we kindly request that swimmers only bring small bags poolside and use the lockers provided. Chairs should not be brought on poolside.  Teams will have a dedicated area by poolside, clubs are reminded to be mindful of officials and their working area.  Teams are requested not to use strength and conditioning equipment (i.e., medicine balls, stretch bands, mats, etc.) on poolside. Any team wishing to bring such equipment are encouraged to contact the club and agree a specific area outside poolside that can be used.   |
| **PARKING**   | Parking is available; however, the amount of parking may be restricted due to other events running at the venue.   |
| **EVENT** **CANCELLATION**   | If the meet has to be cancelled due to unforeseen circumstances, entry fees and passes will be refunded. The Promoter is not responsible for any travel or accommodation costs incurred.   |
| **HEALTH & SAFETY**   | All meet participants must observe the safety precautions in operation at Horizon Leisure Centre and must have footwear when leaving the poolside. Swimmers must be fully clothed on the balcony. Due to limited spectator seating we kindly request that seats are used for spectators only other than the HWSC dedicated swimmer area.   |
| **BEHAVIOUR AND ATTITUDE**   | HWSC has a zero-tolerance policy on negative behaviour at meets.  Disrespectful and poor attitude resulting in unacceptable behaviour will not be tolerated. All those on-site including competitors, parents, coaches, and clubs are expected to behave in an appropriate manner, respectful of officials, volunteers, staff, and others. HWSC holds the right to ask those behaving inappropriately to leave the event and/or meet if deemed necessary. Refunds will not be issued for dismissal from an event. The right to remove competitors and/or clubs from the meet is held by the meet manager and senior team of officials. We ask that you remind your competitors of the above policy and remain vigilant throughout the meet. Please report any inappropriate behaviour to a member of the event team on site.  |
| **DATA PROTECTION**   | Entries will be held on a computer solely for the purposes of this competition. Consent, as required by the General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR), to the holding of personal information on computer will be deemed to have been given by the submission of the entry. This data will be held at least 1 year. Data and results will be shared with the British swimming for rankings and the competitors own swimming clubs. Results will be posted at the pool & on the website.   |
| **EQUALITY**   | HWSC promotes inclusion and diversity and welcomes participation from everyone. If you have any particular requirements in respect of participating, officiating, or volunteering then please mention this, in confidence if required, to our Meets or Volunteers Manager. HWSC aims to provide a discrimination-free environment. We are committed to an action plan and policy in line with the Equality Act 2010, which ensures that no one receives less favourable treatment because of a protected characteristic.   |
| **GENERAL**   | Any point not covered in these rules is at the discretion of the organisers. In extenuating circumstances and due to situations out of the club’s control during the competition the promoter reserves the right to make changes to the running of the meet.   |