



Kent County Masters Championships 2026 – Update 2 - 2026-06-15 21st June @ Tunbridge Wells Sports Centre

Timings

Session 1 Warm Up – 08:45 to 09:30 (3 x 15 mins)

Session 1 – 09:30 to 12:00 (estimated)

Session 2 Warm Up – 12:30 to 13:15 (3 x 15 mins)

Session 2 – 13:15 to 16:05 (estimated)

Warm up schedules are at the end of this document – **please ensure you adhere to the schedule, as these have been calculated to ensure the pool is not overloaded.** Where possible, clubs should ensure supervision is in place for their club to warm up.

The diving pit available for warm down throughout each session. Where possible, please ensure that you have supervision while using the diving pit.

Meet Programme

You can find the accepted entries for this meet, organised by club and swimmer name, on the Masters Championships page of the Kent Swimming website. **If you find any issues with this list, please email Nathan Friend (events.manager@kentswimming.org) and John King (john.king@kentswimming.org) as soon as possible so they can be fixed.** The entry portal is now closed, and any edits that need to be made must be made manually.

Withdrawals

This meet is operating on a sign-out basis. Withdrawals should be emailed to Nathan Friend (events.manager@kentswimming.org) and John King (john.king@kentswimming.org) **if they are before 21st June, or if no other swimmers from your club are competing.** Withdrawals to be made on the day of the meet should be reported through swimmers from your club who are present.

Marshalling

There is no marshalling for this event. Please check Meet Mobile and heat sheets stuck up around the pool to ensure you are ready for your heat. Swimmers are asked to lineup at the diving boards near the meet management desks before proceeding to the start end for their heat.

Relay Declarations

Relay teams should be declared using the form below – please print this and fill out one form per relay entry (e.g. 8 teams competing = 8 forms). We will have spares available on the day, however filling these out ahead of time will help massively with processing them for heat sheets.

[LINKED] Relay Declaration Form

Poolside Space



Space on poolside is limited – competitors are welcome to use the spectator gallery if needed. The meet management team may ask you to move upstairs if they deem that the poolside is too crowded.

Results

Results will be available on the Meet Mobile app throughout the meet, including a running total of points throughout the meet.

Parking

The Sports Centre car park is available for use – in the event this fills up, the car park next door for Tunbridge Wells Grammar School for Boys is available as an overflow.

Medals

Medal winners will be able to collect their awards at the table on poolside – please ensure you collect them by the end of the day, as medals will not be posted after the event. Trophies for the best club by points and medals for the Sprint Events will be awarded at the end of the day.

Volunteers & Technical Officials

We have enough volunteers to run the meet (thank you to RTW Masters for providing support), however we are dangerously low on technical officials. **While the meet is not licensed, we do need people to ensure the meet can be appropriately officiated.** This meet is a great opportunity for J1s in Training, or for younger officials (16+), who wish to get some of their competencies signed off. Offers of support should be sent to Jean Scott (jean.scott@kentswimming.org).

Thank you in advance to Mark Leman of RTW Monson and John King from Beachfield for looking after AOE and meet management for the day.



Warm Up Schedules

Session 1 – 15 mins for warm up

08:45 to 09:00 – Male & Female, 18 to 39 years

09:00 to 09:15 – Male & Female, 40 to 54 years

09:15 to 09:30 – Male & Female, 55+ years

Session 2 – 15 mins for warm up

12:30 to 12:45 – Male & Female, 18 to 39 years

12:45 to 13:00 – Male & Female, 40 to 54 years

13:00 to 13:15 – Male & Female, 55+ years

10 minutes – Continuous swimming

Last 5 minutes – Sprint lanes in Lanes 1/2/5/6

Continuous swimming in Lanes 3/4

The warm up marshall may introduce sprint lanes in Lanes 3/4 depending on demand.

No more than 10 swimmers per lane – clubs are asked to supervise their own warm up where possible.