# City of Liverpool SC Tadpole's 2013. Licensed at Level 3. Gala Information & Entry Pack





In association with Liverpool City Council (Swim Liverpool) Swimming Development Section
Affiliated to A.S.A. Swim North West and
held under A.S.A. Law & FINA Technical Rules of Swimming

New Rules, Regulations and Competition Programme of Events for Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> and Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> September 2013.



# TADPOLE ENTRIES SECRETARY

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### PRESENT THE 2013 CITY OF LIVERPOOL SC TADPOLE GALA

(Held under A.S.A. Law and A.S.A. Technical Rules)

Supported by Liverpool City Council (Swim Liverpool) Swimming Development Department

Dear Secretary,

On behalf of the executive committee I would like to invite your club to take part in the 2013 City of Liverpool SC Tadpole gala, development competition. On Saturday14th and Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> September 2013.

All swimmers can enter up to a maximum of 6 events. This is a Level 3 Licensed Meet.

Please read the enclosed information and entry pack carefully, we have made a number of changes to the gala and the competition programme of events from 2012:-

- a) General aims, general conditions and conditions of entry.
- b) Individual entry & withdrawal forms.
- c) The clubs invited to compete are:-

Birkenhead, Bebington, Bootle & North Liverpool, Bridgefield, Crosby, Everton, Garston, Halton, Hoylake, Liverpool Penguins, Newton-le-Willows, Ormskirk, Prescot, St. Helens, Runcorn Reps, Southport, Wallasey, Warrington Warriors, Wirral Aquarius, Woodchurch and Woolton.

Swimmers, including swimmers with disabilities will be restricted to a maximum of six events which is a choice of up to 2 x 50m Form strokes, 2 x 200m Form strokes, an Individual Medley (100m IM for 9 yrs only; 200m IM for 10,11 & 12 yrs only), A distance freestyle event, either the 200m Freestyle for 9, 10 yrs only or the 400m Freestyle for 11, 12 yrs only. The cost is £.6.00 per event; up to a maximum of £30 for 6 events.

This is in line with British Swimming directives, Coaches Development Plans and BAGCAT awards.

All Events are Heat Declared Winner.

Entry times must be used. If a training time is used it must be verified by the club coach.

Age Groups will all be based on age on the 16th September 2013.

Entries for all galas must be received by the Tadpole Gala Entries Secretary, Diane West, **NO LATER THAN Friday** 2<sup>nd</sup> August 2013.

All entries must be submitted via the Swimming Club Competition / Gala Secretary, No individual entries from swimmers will be accepted.

Entries must be submitted via the Electronic Entry File which can be obtained by either emailing Diane West, the Tadpole League Entries Secretary on COLSC\_Events@hotmail.com or from the City of Liverpool SC Website www.colsc.co.uk

A. Pool entries will be accepted where the meet is not oversubscribed and there is room available in heats and lanes after heat start sheets have been produced to the maximum of 8 swimmers per heat. No additional heats will be created to accommodate poolside entries.

B. All poolside entries will be on a "TIME ONLY BASIS" Any swimmer accepted as a poolside entry will not be included in any individual awards, bagcat awards / points or presentations.

Swimming Clubs will also be required to download, free of charge the Sportsystems Entry Manager programme, version 2 from the Sportsystems website <a href="http://www.sportsys.co.uk/home.htm">http://www.sportsys.co.uk/home.htm</a> there are also instructions and useful video clips which explains how to use the entry manager and how to import your electronic file.

As well as the Electronic entry file being submitted to Diane West, each club will be required to submit paper entry forms for each swimmer to back up the electronic entry at the same time as the electronic file.

Confirmation of acceptance into events will be sent out prior to the start of the competition to all competing swimming clubs, gala secretary or identified club official.

This event will be a Card-less competition, swimmers wishing to withdraw from an event or the whole competition must, either, complete the attached form before the start of the gala warm-up and submit it to the relevant gala official or via email, text or phone.

<u>Coaches Passes</u> – Coaches passes must also be purchased by the closing date of the competition, namely the Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> August 2013. Please try to provide at least one male and female coach / team manager on the poolside, we would also encourage you to also look to support the younger team managers and coaches and offer them a chance to gain poolside knowledge and experience at this level of event. Please ensure that all coaches and team managers have a current CRB and are a registered member of your club. A coaches / team managers pass will cost £20.00 per club for the gala. Please complete the attached form and submit it to Diane West along with your entries.

**Spectators.** Entry will cost £10 per day including a programme If you leave before the second session starts you will be refunded £4. Afternoon session will be £5. Concessions are £6. £3 refunded if you leave before the start of the second session. Afternoon concession is £4. Under 16's free.

<u>No Photographic Policy</u> – In accordance with Liverpool City Council and City of Liverpool SC policy, this event will be run under a **no photographic policy from anywhere inside the Everton Park Sports Centre**, this includes all forms of photographic devices. We intend inviting a professional company to attend and if you do not wish your swimmer to be photographed you must inform the meet promoter on the day.

<u>Cafeteria -.</u> There will be a cafe on site providing refreshments throughout the gala.

**SRS.** Leisure Will be providing a swim shop throughout the gala, with a full range of swim wear available to purchase.

The Meet Promoter will be Bryan Langley.

If you have any problems please get in touch via the new email address COLSC\_Events@hotmail.com and We will do our best to resolve them as soon as possible.

Yours sincerely,

Diane West Tadpole Gala Entries Secretary

# City Of Liverpool Tadpole Gala

(Held under A.S.A. Law and A.S.A. Technical Rules)

### **GENERAL AIMS**

- 1. To encourage and develop a broad base of young, skill-full swimmers within the Merseyside area and all invited clubs.
- 2. To stimulate and develop an interest in competitive swimming at an early age.
- 3. To use this series of gala's to provide the swimming clubs and coaches with an opportunity to Talent I.D. young swimmers with potential and their parents within the local swimming clubs and encourage them to participate and progress through the A.S.A. and Local Long Term Athletic Development Pathways, Structures, Schemes and Development Galas.
- 4. To offer children an opportunity to gain knowledge, experience in a fun environment and a chance to represent their swimming club in a gala.
- 5. We welcome and encourage the participation of swimmers with disabilities in this competition as we are keen to develop an elite development pathway through clubs and squads for swimmers with disabilities within a Merseyside area as well as Regional and National Programme.

### **GENERAL CONDITIONS**

- 1. The competition will take place at the Everton Park Sports Centre, Liverpool short-course (25m). Morning session warm up times are 8.00am with a start time of 9.00am. There will be 15 minutes for both girls and boys. Afternoon session warm up times are 1.00pm with a start time of 2.00pm.
- 2. This is a Level 3 Licensed Meet. Times achieved can be used for entry into County and Regional Championships and level 1 and 2 Meets.
- 3. Age Groups: 9, 10, 11, 12 years as at the 16<sup>th</sup> September 2013.
- 4. All Events will be Heat Declared Winner.
- 5. Heat start lists will be provided for coaches and team managers
- 6. All swimmers must be Category 2 ASA members.
- 7. There are no lower limit entry times. But we encourage all swimmers to enter a time!
- 8. Entry times must be used. If a training time is used it must be verified by the coach.
- 9. In the event of oversubscription the slowest entry times will be rejected.
- 10. Withdrawals can be made by completing the form and passing it to Diane West, prior to the session warm up in advance of the swim taking place. Or via email: COLSC\_Events@hotmail.com or via Phone or Text: 07873 812 390
- 11. Swimmers will be allowed to enter up to a maximum of six events from four categories which is a choice of:

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Category 1 -		(Form Strokes are Butterfly, Backstroke and Breaststroke)
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Category 2	-	(Form Strokes are Butterfly, Backstroke and Breaststroke)
Cotomomica		Up to a maximum of 1 x Individual Medley event
Category 3	-	(100m IM for 9yrs only) or (200m IM for 10, 11, 12yrs only)
Cotomomia		Up to a maximum of 1 Distance Freestyle event either
Category 4	-	(1 x 200m Freestyle for 9/10yrs only) or (1 x 400m Freestyle for 11/12 yrs only).

This is in line with the A.S.A. / British Swimming and local coaches directives such as (LTAD) Long Term Athletic Development Pathways and Bagcat competitions.

### **CONDITIONS OF ENTRY.**

- 1. Entry to the Gala will **NOT** be open to any swimmer who has:
  - a) Qualified to compete in an individual event of the 2012 British Gas A.S.A. National Age Group Championships in Sheffield.
  - b) Has qualified for or been placed in a Final, Top eight in any event at the A.S.A. North West Regional Age Group Championships.
  - c) Finished in the first three in the Bagcat Competition at a 2012 County Age Group Championships / Competition.
  - d) Has won the City of Liverpool SC Tadpole League Age Group Bagcat award in the previous year, 2012.
- 2. Swimmers may compete for one club only.
- 3. There will be an entry fee of £4.50 per event up to a maximum of £27 for 6 events.
- 4. Entries for all galas must be received by the Gala Secretary, no later than **Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> August 2013**.
- 5. Competitors must be a minimum of 9 years of age and no older than 12 years of with age taken as of 16<sup>th</sup> September 2013.

### **Bagcat Awards**

- 5. The individual boy and girl, in each age group, gaining the highest Bagcat awards using Fina points, overall will be the winner for 2013.
- 6. Trophies will be awarded to the top three, 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, & 3<sup>rd</sup> placed swimmers in each single age group, 9, 10, 11, 12 yrs.

### **Top Club Award**

- 7. Points will be awarded to all swimmers for their club in each event towards the Top Team Competitions.
- 8. A trophy and cash prize of £25 will be awarded to the Top Club at the end of the competition.
- 9. A trophy and cash prize of £25 will be awarded to the top relays Club

### **Individual Awards**

10. Prizes will be awarded to the swimmers placed 1st, 2nd & 3rd.

# City of Liverpool Swimming Club Tadpole Gala INDIVIDUAL SWIMMER ENTRY FORM

Swimming Club:																
Swimmers First Name:																
Swimmers Surname:																
Sex: Please Delete						Mal	е	/	Fer	nale	;					
Age Group at 16 / 09 / 2013:																
Date of Birth:						/				/						
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Line 2:																
Post Code:																
Phone No: Land Line																
Phone No: Mobile																
Email:																
Please enter up to a maximum of <u>6</u> events from:																
Category 1 - Up to a maximum of 2 x 50m Form strokes,																

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Category 1		(Form Strokes are Butterfly, Backstroke and Breaststroke)
Cotogony		Up to a maximum of 2 x 200m Form strokes,
Category 2		(Form Strokes are Butterfly, Backstroke and Breaststroke)
Cotogon, 2		Up to a maximum of 1 x Individual Medley event
Category 3	-	(100m IM for 9yrs only) or (200m IM for 10, 11, 12yrs only)
Cotogory		Up to a maximum of 1 Distance Freestyle event either
Category 4	-	(1 x 200m Freestyle for 9/10yrs only) or (1 x 400m Freestyle for 11/12 yrs only).
Bagcat		To be considered for the Bagcat Awards at the end of the gala, you must have competed in at least 1
Awards	-	scoring event from each category above, namely 1 to 4.

Stroke	Butterfly Form Stroke	Backstroke Form Stroke	Breaststroke Form Stroke	Freestyle <u>Distance Event</u>	Individual Medley
50m	Time	Time	Time		
100m					100m Medley (9yrs Only) Time
200m	Time	Time	Time	200m Fr/s (9/10 yrs only) Time	200m Medley (10, 11, 12yrs) Time
400m				400m Fr/s (11/12 yrs only) Time	

Fees Enclosed	Events @ £4.50 each (Max of £27 for 6	6) £

I confirm that the swimmer above has not:

- a) Qualified to compete in an individual event of the 2013 British Gas A.S.A. National Age Group Championships in Sheffield.
- b) Has qualified for or been placed in a Final, Top eight in any event at the A.S.A. North West Regional Age Group Championships.
- c) Finished in the first three in the Bagcat Competition at a 2013 County Age Group Championships / Competition.
- d) Has won the City of Liverpool SC Tadpole League Age Group Bagcat award in the previous year, 2013.

Signed	Parent.	Coach.
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- ◆ When completed, please return this form to Diane West the Tadpole Gala Entries Secretary.
- ♦ Please send only One Club Cheque, not multiple individual cheques or cash, made payable to <u>"City of Liverpool SC"</u> to cover all your Club's entries. Please include the coaches passes costs.

# City of Liverpool Swimming Club Tadpole Gala Swimming Club Team Relay Entry Form

Swimming Club:	
Contact Name:	
Club Position:	
Address:	
Line 2	
Post Code:	
Phone No: Land Line	
Phone No: Mobile	
Email:	

Boys Relay Events Entry Form								
Event & Age Group:	4 x 25m Medley Relay Team	4 x 25m Freestyle Relay Team	8 x 25m Freestyle Relay Cannon					
9 - 10yrs								
11 - 12yrs								

Girls Relay Events Entry Form								
Event & Age Group:	4 x 25m Medley Relay Team	4 x 25m Freestyle Relay Team	8 x 25m Freestyle Relay Cannon					
9 - 10yrs								
11 - 12yrs								

Total of Teams			
	Relay Teams Entered	@ £4.50 each =	£

- To enter the relevant event, please place a tick or time in the space provided and complete the box at the bottom of the form to say how many teams you are entering in total @ a cost of £4.50 per team.
- If you wish to enter more than 1 team in any event, please indicate this by placing an "A", "B", "C" etc...
- Swimmers are reminded that to dive into the water they must have achieve the appropriate start award as defined by the A.S.A.
- Team Managers Please Note: Any, swimmer who is not allowed to swim in the individual events / competition in accordance with the rules, is also not allowed to swim in the relay events as well.

# City of Liverpool SC Tadpole Gala 2013 Everton Park Sports Centre

# **WITHDRAWAL FORM**

Swimmers, Parents, Coaches and Clubs, to ensure we run a smooth event, we require you to let us know if any of your swimmers wish to withdraw from an event or the whole competition in plenty of time so we can delete them off the computer system and to stop races taking place with empty lanes.

Any competitor wishing to withdraw from an event or the competition must inform a gala official via either:

- I. Completing the form below and passing it to Diane West, prior to the session warm up in advance of the swim taking place.
- II. Texting, stating the swimmers name, club and the event you want them to withdraw from on 07873– 812 390
- III. Leaving an answer machine message on 07873 812 390

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Swimmers Last	t Name:						
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# City of Liverpool S.C.

# 2013 Tadpole Gala - Appeal for A.S.A. Officials

Dear Club's, Coaches & Parents,

To organise a licensed meet takes a lot of help, co-operation and organisation. We would be extremely grateful if your club have any parents or club members who are qualified A.S.A. Officials or Timekeepers, who will be attending the meet with their children or the team and who may be willing to assist our team of officials. In return for this help, the officials will be entitled to expenses, lunch and free drinks during the gala.

If so, please complete the following form and return it with your entries to Lynn Stuttard, City of Liverpool SC Officials Secretary.

Many thanks for your assistance.

Yours sincerely

Lyn Stuttard

Name of Official	Home Address	Home Telephone Number	A.S.A. Qualification

# City of Liverpool SC 2013 Tadpole League Team Staff / Coaches' Pass / Chaperone / Helper / Personal Care Attended / Assistant Information Sheet

Please read the team staff pass application information carefully and ensure its' completed and returned along with your clubs entries. When completing the information below, please print your details clearly. Thank you.

# **Application for Coaches Passes**

- 1. Each club is entitled to a ratio of 1 coach to 10 swimmers but if your team consists of both male and female competitors then the ratio will be 1 male and 1 female coach to 10 swimmers. If your club enters more than 20 swimmers then you are entitled to additional coaches' passes. A club is limited to a maximum number of 3 coaches' passes for this competition.
- In accordance with child protection rules and guidelines, we request each club submits the name(s) of the coaches/team managers/chaperones who will be accompanying their team on the poolside at the same time as submitting their swimmers entries. Along with this, we ask your club secretary to sign the accompanying letter to declare at the point of submitting the entries all the named staff has been CRB checked and are registered as a member of your club.

### Please Note:

- 3. All coaches, team managers' & chaperones must be CRB checked to gain a coaches pass and access onto the poolside.
- 4. Any parent wishing to act as a coach must also be CRB checked and registered as a member of the club they are representing.
- 5. Parents must also ask the club secretary to sign the appropriate letter on their behalf and submit it along with the swimmers entries.
- 6. Without the letter / application form being signed by the club secretary, no coaches' passes will be issued.
- 7. Each club and coach will be allocated a specific number on their coaches' pass for the period of the gala each coach must sign in each day they attend the meet when collecting their pass to signify they are on the poolside.
- 8. Coaches' passes will be issued on the day of the competition. Passes need to be returned at the end of each day to the assigned gala official.

# City of Liverpool SC 2013 Tadpole Gala Swimming Club Application for Team Staff / Team Managers / Coaches' / Chaperone's / Helper's / Personal Care Attendants Pass

Please note: This letter / application form must be completed and returned along with your club's entries, without this, no team staff / coaches' passes will be given out to your club.

Swimmi	ing Club					
Club Secretary, please print your name						
I / We would like to purchase a total of		Team Staff / Coaches Passes at a price of £10.00 per pass.				
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Managers	4.		5.	6.		
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Chaperones	4.		5.	6.		
	1.		2.	3.		
Helper's	4.		5.	6.		
Personal Care	1.		2.	3.		
Attendants	4.		5.	6.		
As Club Secreta members	ary, I confirn	n that all the individua	als listed above have bee	en CRB checked and are current		
of				Swimming Club.		
Signed				Secretary		

Please return all forms and remittance to Diane West, Tadpole Gala Entries Secretary E-Mail: COLSC\_Events@hotmail.com

# **CITY OF LIVERPOOL SC TADPOLE GALA 2013**

# **Schedule of events**

Affiliated to A.S.A. North West Region (Held under ASA Laws and FINA Technical Rules of Swimming)

### Licensed at Level 3

**VENUE: - Everton Park Sports Centre, Great Homer Street, Liverpool** 

	Gala Day 1, Saturday 14 <sup>th</sup> September 2013, Warm Up 8.00am – 09.00 am Start							
1	В	11/12 400m Freestyle						
2	G	9/12	200m	Butterfly				
3	В	9/10	50m	Backstroke				
4	G	9/10	50m	Breaststroke				
5	В	9/12	200m	Breaststroke				
6	G	9/12	200m	Breaststroke				
7	В	9/10	4 x 25m	Freestyle Relay				
8	G	9/10	4 x 25m	Medley Relay				
9	В	9/10	4 x 25m	Medley Relay				

(	Gala Day 1, Saturday 14th September 2013 Warm up 13.00pm – 14.00pm Start							
10	G	11/12 400m Freestyle						
11	В	9/12 200m Butterfly						
12	G 9/10 50m Backstroke							
13	В	9/10	50m	Breaststroke				
14	G	9/10	50m	Butterfly				
15	В	9/10	/10 50m Butterfly					
16	G	G 11/12 4x25m Medley Relay						
17	В	11/12	4x25m Medley Relay					
18	G	9/10	4 x 25m	Freestyle Relay				

	Gala Day 2, Saturday 21 <sup>st</sup> September 2012								
Warm up 8.00am – 9.00am Start									
19	В	9/12	9/12 200m Freestyle						
20	G	11/12	50m	Butterfly					
21	В	11/12	50m	Backstroke					
22	G	11/12	50m	Breaststroke					
23	В	9/12	200m	Backstroke					
24	G	9/12	200m	Backstroke					
25	В	9/10yr	100m	Ind. Medley					
26	G	9/10yr	100m	Ind Medley					
27	В	11/12	4 x 25m	Freestyle Relay					
28	G	11/12	4 x 25m	Freestyle Relay					

Gala Day 2, Saturday 21 <sup>st</sup> September 2012 Warm up 13.00 – 14.00pm Start								
29	G 9/12 200m Freestyle							
30	В	B 11/12 50m Butterfly						
31	G	11/12	50m	Backstroke				
32	В	11/12	50m	Breaststroke				
33	В	10/12	200m	Ind. Medley				
34	G	11/12	200m	Ind. Medley				
35	В	Mixed	8 x 25	Cannon				
36	G	Mixed	8 x 25	Cannon				

# <u>Tadpole Gala 2013 Consideration Times</u> (<u>To be no Faster.</u>)

Boys Girls

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5.15.10	05:43.4	05:20.7	05:01.0	400 FREE	6.03.40	05:46.0	05:17.7	05:00.0
43.08	40.06	37.73	35.47	50 BACK	43.09	39.69	37.42	35.61
	01:26.9	01:20.0	01:14.9	100 BACK		01:26.5	01:19.6	01:14.8
3.19.10	03:03.8	02:50.6	02:40.0	200 BACK	3.06.00	03:02.9	02:48.2	02:39.6
48.79	45.44	42.38	39.57	50 BRST	49.09	45.29	42.28	39.92
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3.19.70	03:31.8	03:17.0	03:03.5	200 BRST	3.12.10	03:30.1	03:14.5	03:03.0
42.2	38.75	36.26	34.18	50 FLY	42.4	38.55	36.32	34.48
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