*The 10 & Under Spring Fest meet is an open meet full of fun racing for young competitive novice swimmers. Our goal is to give young notice swimmers a chance to enjoy competitive swimming while striving to improve throughout the year.*

 **Hosted by:** Charlottetown Bluephins Aquatic Club

**Sanctioned by**: SwimPEI

**Location**: Bell Alliant Centre

 550 University Avenue, Charlottetown, PE

**Meet Managers:** Katherine McQuaid & Gary Evans kmcquaid@aolpei.ca & gevans@upei.ca

**Meet Referee:**  DJ Welton Level 5

**Facility:** 25 meter pool, 8 lanes

**Timing system:** Daktronics equipped with eight (8) touch pads and one display board.

**Entries:** Hy-tek entries will be accepted via SNC web upload only.

Entries are due by midnight on March 22, 2019.

Entries are limited to first 130 entries received.

Swimmers may swim a maximum of three (3) events plus two (2) relays.

Meet Manager reserves the right to limit entries in the 200IM if necessary.

Swimmers must have a “Development” standard of 4:05.00 for male and female to swim in the 200 Individual Medley.

***Deck entries will NOT be accepted.***

***Meet management will not accept official split requests***

**Entry Fees**: $30.00 Flat fee per swimmer.

Cheques only please, no cash accepted**.**

Please make cheques payable to:  **Charlottetown Bluephins Aquatic Club.**

The amount due is based on the entries confirmed on March 22, 2019 at midnight AST.

Fees are due prior to warm-ups on March 30, 2019

**Meet Rules**: SNC/FINA rules will govern this meet.

View here: <https://www.swimming.ca/content/uploads/2015/08/2013-swimming-canada-rules.pdf>

Swimming Canada warm-up competition safety procedures will be in effect at this meet.

View here: <https://www.swimming.ca/en/resources/officiating/event-resources/competition-warm-up-safety-procedures/>

**Facility Rules**: All events will be swum in the deep end for all sessions. Starts will be conducted form Starting Platforms (blocks) as per FINA FR 2.3 and SW 4.1 (from deep end only)

 Proper footwear and clothing must be worn throughout the building (outside pool area). No outdoor footwear is allowed on deck. All swimmers must shower before entering pool. In case of a building emergency (power failure, etc.) swimmers are asked to clear the pool immediately and exit the building. All coaches shall meet in a designated area with the meet management for further instructions. Bell Aliant lifeguards will be on duty. The leisure pool and hot tub are strictly off-limits. ***In respect of those with allergies, please note that the meet will be peanut and nut free.***

**Recording of Event:** Only individuals that have made application and received authorization to record or photograph the event, in any manner, in any medium or context, shall be granted access and permission to do so. Please contact Meet Manager.

**Coaches:** All coaches must be registered with CSCTA. The CSCTA certification card will be required for deck access and should be visible on the deck.

**Eligibility:** All swimmers who are members of SNC or are associated with a FINA affiliated country.

A swimmer’s age will be determined on the day of the meet - March 30, 2019

**Meet Format**: One session maximum four (4) hours.

Age Categories: 8 & Under, 9 year old and 10 year old*.*

All events are timed finals consisting of 25 to 200 meter events listed below.

There shall be no charge for missed swims or step downs.

25m events will start from the blocks.

Events may be swum mixed gender.

Tiered events are for first time swimmer. No disqualifications will be given in the “TIERED” events. The results of these events will not be official.

**Event Entry Limits:** Swimmers may swim up to three (3) individual events plus two (2) relays

Meet Management reserves the right to limit entries in the 200 Individual Medley.

**Scratches**: The scratch deadline is 30 minutes before the start of the session.

**Relay Rules**: Each club may enter multiple relay teams per event number as long as they meet the following criteria:

1. all swimmers must be legally entered in the meet in an individual event;
2. a swimmer may only swim once per event number, with an event defined as an individual relay race assigned a specified number in the program and consisting of one or more heats.

**Awards:** Best Time Ribbons

**Officials**: Please submit names of interested officials and level to Officials Coordinator: Scott Stewart (scottstewartpei@gmail.com).

 An officials briefing will be held at the beginning of warm-up for all sessions.

**Canteen**: Food & Beverage may be purchased on site by Subway Restaurants

**Session Information**

Warm-up: 8:00-8:30am pm (maximum 30 minutes)

**Start: 8:40am/ (4hr maximum)**

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| EVENT # | AGE GROUP | EVENT |
| 101 | 8 & Under Female | 4 X 25 Free relay |
| 102 | 8 & Under Male | 4 X 25 Free relay |
| 103 | 8 & Under Female | 25 Free |
| 104 | 8 & Under Male | 25 Free |
| 1 | 10 & Under Female | 50 Free |
| 2 | 10 & Under Male | 50 Free |
| 3 | Open Female | 100 Free |
| 4 | Open Male | 100 Free |
| 105 | 8 & Under Female | 25 Back |
| 106 | 8 & Under Male | 25 Back |
| 5 | 10 & Under Female | 50 Back |
| 6 | 10 & Under Male | 50 Back |
| 7 | Open Female | 100 Back |
| 8 | Open Male | 100 Back |
| 107 | 8 & Under Female | 25 Breast |
| 108 | 8 & Under Male | 25 Breast |
| 9 | 10 & Under Female | 50 Breast |
| 10 | 10 & Under Male | 50 Breast |
| 11 | Open Female | 100 Breast |
| 12 | Open Male | 100 Breast |
| 109 | 8 & Under Female | 25 Fly |
| 110 | 8 & Under Male | 25 Fly |
| 13 | 10 & Under Female | 50 Fly |
| 14 | 10 & Under Male | 50 Fly |
| 15 | Open Female | 100 Fly |
| 16 | Open Male | 100 Fly |
| 17 | Open Female | 200 IM |
| 18 | Open Male | 200 IM |
| 19 | Open Female | 4 X 50 Free relay |
| 20 | Open Male | 4 X 50 Free relay |