

LITHUANIAN OPEN SWIMMING CHAMPIONSHIPS 2017

Regulations

I PLACE AND TIME

1. The championships will be held in Alytus (LTU) from **3rd to 5th of July, 2017**, in the 50 m swimming pool of Alytaus SRC (Naujoji 52, Alytus).
2. Beginning of the competition:

2.1.	3 rd of July (Thursday)	- heats	10:30
		- finals	17:00
2.2.	4 th of July (Friday)	- heats	10:00
		- finals	17:00
2.3.	5 th of July (Saturday)	- heats	10:00
		- finals	16:00

3. Entry into the swimming pool opens 90 min before the beginning of the competition.

II PARTICIPANTS AND QUALIFY TIMES

4. The competition is open to the teams of the Lithuanian sports schools, facilities, and centres, swimming clubs or individual participants, also for the Lithuanians residing abroad.
5. The Lithuanian championships is open for the foreign teams and individuals.
6. The number of team members is not limited.
7. The organizations and their athletes who have not paid the fees for the previous competitions organized by the Lithuanian Swimming Federation are not allowed to participate.
8. Qualify times:

Women	Event	Men
31,07	50 m FREE	26,23
1.08,15	100 m FREE	57,38
2.30,04	200 m FREE	2.08,69
5.37,00	400 m FREE	4.56,46
11.33,20	800 m FREE	-
-	1500 m FREE	20.30,00
38,00	50 m BACK	31,65
1.22,00	100 m BACK	1.08,54
2.55,00	200 m BACK	2.32,62
41,88	50 m BREAST	34,86
1.29,29	100 m BREAST	1.17,14
3.16,73	200 m BREAST	2.56,21

35,25	50 m FLY	27,77
1.19,00	100 m FLY	1.03,72
2.52,50	200 m FLY	2.37,50
2.50,91	200 m MEDLEY	2.26,06
6.21,00	400 m MEDLEY	5.27,67

III COMPETITION PROGRAMME

10. Programme:

3 rd of July				4 th of July				5 th of July			
I part (start – 10:30)				I part (start – 10:00)				I part (start – 10:00)			
1	400 m FREE	W	Q	14	400 m FREE	M	Q	27	200 m FREE	W	Q
2	200 m FREE	M	Q	15	100 m FREE	W	Q	28	100 m FREE	M	Q
3	50 m BREAST	W	Q	16	50 m BREAST	M	Q	29	200 m BREAST	W	Q
4	200 m BACK	M	Q	17	100 m BREAST	W	Q	30	100 m BREAST	M	Q
5	100 m BACK	W	Q	18	100 m BACK	M	Q	31	50 m BACK	W	Q
6	50 m BACK	M	Q	19	200 m BACK	W	Q	32	200 m BACK	M	Q
7	200 m FLY	W	Q	20	50 m FREE	M	Q	33	100 m FLY	W	Q
8	100 m FLY	M	Q	21	50 m FLY	W	Q	34	50 m FLY	M	Q
9	50 m FREE	W	Q	22	200 m FLY	M	Q	35	200 m MEDLEY	W	Q
10	400 m MEDLEY	M	Q	23	200 m MEDLEY	M	Q	36	1500 m FREE	M	Q
11	400 m MEDLEY	W	Q	24	800 m FREE	W	Q				
II part (start – 17:00)				II part (start – 17:00)				II part (start – 16:00)			
1	400 m FREE	W	F-B,A	14	400 m FREE	M	F-B,A	36	1500 m FREE	M	F
2	200 m FREE	M	F-B,A	24	800 m FREE	W	F	31	50 m BACK	W	F-B,A
3	50 m BREAST	W	F-B,A	16	50 m BREAST	M	F-B,A	34	50 m FLY	M	F-B,A
6	50 m BACK	M	F-B,A	21	50 m FLY	W	F-B,A	35	200 m MEDLEY	W	F-B,A
9	50 m FREE	W	F-B,A	20	50 m FREE	M	F-B,A	30	100 m BREAST	M	F-B,A
4	200 m BREAST	M	F-B,A	15	100 m FREE	W	F-B,A	27	200 m FREE	W	F-B,A
7	200 m FLY	W	F-A	18	100 m BACK	M	F-B,A	28	100m FREE	M	F-B,A
8	100 m FLY	M	F-B,A	19	200 m BACK	W	F-B,A	29	200 m BREAST	W	F-B,A
5	100 m BACK	W	F-B,A	23	200 m MEDLEY	M	F-B,A	32	200 m BACK	M	F-B,A
12	4x100 m FREE	M	FAST	17	100 m BREAST	W	F-B,A	33	100 m FLY	W	F-B,A
10	400 m MEDLEY	M	F	22	200 m FLY	M	F-B,A	37	4x200 m FREE	M	F
11	400 m MEDLEY	W	F	26	4x100 m MEDLEY	W	F	38	4x200 m FREE	W	F
13	4x100 m FREE	W	FAST	25	4x100 m MEDLEY	M	F				

IV ENTRIES

11. Technical entries must be submitted until 17:00 on 23rd of June, 2017.
12. Last corrections can be made (deletion or submission into the same place) until 14:00 on 28th of June, 2017. No changes will be accepted after the deadline.
13. Entries must hold doctors' visas allowing participation in competition. Team leaders are responsible for the valid allowances.
14. Non-Lithuanian athletes can take part in the competitions. Every submitted result has to be approved by www.swimrankings.net.
15. Every participating organization can register more than one team in the relays.
16. The entry form must include the number of relay teams.

17. Relay entries by name must be submitted not later than 60 minutes before the relay event starts.
18. The results submitted in the entry form must be achieved within the period of 1st of June 2016 and 23rd of June, 2017.
19. Entries must be submitted via “Entry Editor”.
20. Entries must indicate achieved result (if there is no result, please indicate NT), the length of the swimming pool, date of achievement, city (not the name of the competition).
21. The completed application forms (entries) must be sent to the Lithuanian Swimming Federation. The document file of the attached application must be named as the team name (i. e., Kauno PM, Vilniaus VCM).
24. All entries must be sent **only** by e-mail: lpf.paraiskos@gmail.com
25. Entries will not be accepted after the deadline.
26. Entries are considered to be accepted after a confirmation (reply) is received.
27. The swimmers, whose achieved results mismatch with the results from the technical entry and are achieved at the 25 m pool, will start with the mark “no result”.

V COMPETITION PROCEDURE

28. The competition is held with heats and finals.
29. In 50 m, 100 m, 200 m, 400 m FREE, 400 m MEDELY distances, the heats and A and B finals will be held. The event with less than 32 participants will be held as an A final. The event with 8 participants or less will be held in the evening session in the form of an A final.
30. In 800 m, 1500 m FREE distances, in the morning session the weaker heats will be held and in the evening session – the strongest.
31. The relays will be held as finals.
32. Every athlete has to register at the event judge 10 min before the heat of their event. Athletes who do not register or are late are not allowed to participate in the event.
33. For the finals, 2 additional athletes will be announced; they have to proceed to the call room.
34. The refusal form must be submitted to the secretary desk no later than 30 min after the results announcement.
- 35. The competition is open but in the A and B finals only the Lithuanian athletes are allowed to participate.**
36. If the event has more than 4 foreign athletes participating in it, the C final might be held. In this case, the athletes would compete for a result in a non-competition event and would not be eligible for awards and prizes. The organizers might establish extra prizes.

VI ORGANIZATION, AWARDS AND WINNERS DETERMINATION

37. FINA rules are applied.
38. Competition results will be recorded with OMEGA ARES21 timing system.
39. The swimming outfit must meet the FINA requirements.
40. The winners are awarded with federation diplomas and medals. **Only the Lithuanian athletes.**
41. The three best male and female athletes who have achieved the highest results (according to FINA points table) after summing up the points of three events (only individual events) will be awarded with money prizes: I place – 500 €, II place – 300 €, III € – 200 € (**eligible for all participants**).
42. If there is a situation with a couple of athletes having the same amount of points after summing up the points of 3 events, the higher place will go to the athlete having a higher rank in the first (second, third...) events.
43. The athlete who does not participate in the podium ceremony loses the right to the award.
44. The organizers may present extra prizes; the information will be published before the championships.

VII PROTESTS

45. Protests are allowed only against violations of Competition rules and regulations as well as in the situations where the Competition or participants are endangered.
46. All protests must be submitted in writing with a deposit of 50 Euro.
47. The appeal commission will process protests according to the FINA rules.
48. In case of granted protest, deposit will be returned.

VIII FINANCIAL TERMS

53. Participation fee – 15 €/person.
54. The fine for missing the start (in the heats) – 5 €, in the finals and relay – 10 €.
55. The fine for not achieving the qualifying standard is – 5 €.
56. All expenses must be covered by the sending organization.

X. FINAL STATEMENTS

57. Lithuanian open summer swimming championships is a public event, where videos and photos might be taken.
58. The filmed and photographed material may be published in the media and online.
59. The team leaders are responsible for:
 - 60.1. following the deadlines;
 - 60.2. the participants' safety during the arrival/departure and the competition;
 - 60.3. proper behaviour of their athletes during the competition and the free time.
60. By submitting application form participants agree to the Terms and Conditions of the Event.

X CONTACTS

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