

OPEN LITHUANIAN YOUTH (U 23) SWIMMING CHAMPIONSHIPS 2019

REGULATIONS

I. TIME AND PLACE

1.1. The championships will take place in Klaipėda 50 m swimming pool (Dubysos 12), on June 27-28, 2019.

The beginning of the competition:

1.2. June 27 (Thursday) 11:30 – **part I** (warm-up – 10:30)

17:30 – **part II** (warm-up – 16:30)

1.3. June 28 (Friday) 10:00 – **part III** (warm-up – 9:00)

16:30 – **part IV** (warm-up – 15:30)

II. COMPETITION PROGRAMME

Day 1							
PART I HEATS				PART II FINALS			
No	Event	Sex		No	Event	Sex	
1,2	50 m free	W; M	Q	1,2	50 m free	W; M	FINAL B, A
3,4	100 m back	W; M	Q	3,4	100 m back	W; M	FINAL B, A
5,6	200 m breast	W; M	Q	5,6	200 m breast	W; M	FINAL B, A
7,8	100 m fly	W; M	Q	7,8	100 m fly	W; M	FINAL B, A
9,10	200 m free	W; M	Q	9,10	200 m free	W; M	FINAL B, A
11,12	400 m medley	W; M	SLO	11,12	400 m medley	W; M	FAST
				13.	4*100 m free	MIX (2 W; 2 M)	FINAL

Day 2

PART III HEATS				PART IV FINALS			
No	Event	Sex		No	Event	Sex	
14,15	100 m free	W; M	Q	14,15	100 m free	W; M	FINAL B, A
16,17	200 m back	W; M	Q	16,17	200 m back	W; M	FINAL B, A
18,19	100 m breast	W; M	Q	18,19	100 m breast	W; M	FINAL B, A
20,21	200 m fly	W; M	SLO	20,21	200 m fly	W; M	FAST
22,23	400 m free	W; M	SLO	22,23	400 m free	W; M	FAST
24,25	200 m medley	W; M	Q	24,25	200 m medley	W; M	FINAL B, A
				26.	4*100 MIX	MIX (2 W; 2 M)	FINAL

III. PARTICIPANTS AND STANDARTS

3.1

Women	Event	Men
30.20	50 m free	26.50
1.06.50	100 m free	59.70
2.39.00	200 m free	2.24.00
5.37.00	400 m free	5.10.00
34.40	50 m back	30.50
1.14.20	100 m back	1.06.10
2.55.00	200 m back	2.38.00
37.90	50 m breast	33.80
1.22.40	100 m breast	1.14.30
3.17.00	200 m breast	2.59.00
31.90	50 m fly	28.40
1.11.50	100 m fly	1.03.40
2.52.20	200 m fly	2.37.50
2.59.00	200 m medley	2.41.00

IV. ENTRIES

4.1. Entries must be submitted by no later than **14:00, 21 June, 2019**.

4.2. With entries you must submit the relay team entry. The number of the relay team is unlimited. **Only the teams who have submitted the relay team will be allowed to submit the named entries during the competition** (must be submitted 30 minutes before the beginning of that competition part where the relay event will take place).

4.3. Changes/withdrawals will be accepted until **12:00, June 26, 2019**. No changes will be accepted after the deadline.

4.4. The number of withdrawn athletes can only be replaced with the same number of other athletes. The latter can submit their entries to all events.

4.5. From the entries, submitted until 14:00, June 21, the events are allowed to be withdrawn but cannot be changed.

4.6. Entries must hold doctors' visas allowing participation in competition. Team leaders are responsible for the valid allowances.

4.7. The results must be achieved in the competition of at least sport's school.

4.8. All results must be confirmed with protocols and must be sent to the federation by email: lpf.paraikos@gmail.com until June 21, 2019. The results should be found in www.swimrankings.net system.

4.9. Entries may be submitted as following:

Swimranking.net online	„Entry Editor”
<ul style="list-style-type: none">- All athletes and relay teams;- File “entries by athlete” must be sent to lpf.paraikos@gmail.com	<ul style="list-style-type: none">- Entry times from 50 m pools will be seeded ahead of times from 25 m pools. In case the athlete has not result the NT must be indicated. The submission must include: pool length, date, city (not the title of the event).- The completed application forms (entries) must be named after team (i.e. Kauno PM, Vilniaus VSM, ...).- The results must be achieved in the competition of at least sport's school. The swimmers, whose achieved results mismatch with the results from the technical entry or are achieved in the event of lower level than sport school's, will start with the mark “no result”.- All entries must be sent only by e-mail: lpf.paraikos@gmail.com- Entries are considered to be accepted after a confirmation (reply) is received.

4.10. The results can be found: www.ltuswimming.com

4.11. Entries will not be accepted after the deadline.

V. PARTICIPANTS, COMPETITION, WINNERS, AWARDS

5.1. Athletes and teams from the Lithuanian swimming schools, facilities, centers, swimming clubs, or individual participants as well as Lithuanians residing abroad, foreign teams and participants are welcomed to participate in this championships.

5.2. There is a possibility that the participants of Open Lithuanian Youth (U-23) championships will have to submit doping samples (more information: <https://www.antidopingas.lt/>).

5.3. The number of team members is not limited, the championships is personal.

5.4. The age of the participants of Open Lithuanian Youth (U-23) championships: women and men, born in 1997–2007.

5.5. Girls and boys, born in 1996 and older are allowed to participate NON-COMPETITION and can swim only in heats.

5.6. Participants can enter the swimming pool 30 min before the beginning of the warm-up.

5.7. The Lithuanian swimming federation is the organizer of this championships.

5.8. The competition is held with heats and finals.

5.9. In the 50 m free, 100 m, 200 m free, back, breast, fly (except 200 m fly) events the heats and B and A finals will be held according to the results. The events with less than 30 participants will be held as an A final only. Events with 10 participants or less will be held as an A final in the evening session as an A final only.

5.10. In the 200 m fly, 400 medley and 400 m free events in the morning session the events' SLO heats will take place and in the evening session - the fastest, with 10 best results.

5.11. The apparel and swimming costumes of the participants must meet the FINA requirements.

5.12. Before entering the race, the participant must register at the participants' judge. In case of not showing up, the participant will not be allowed to participate in the event.

5.13. The first three swimmers in individual events will be awarded with medals and diplomas of the Lithuanian Swimming Federation, in relays – only with medals.

5.14. The best three female and male swimmers who will collect the higher amount of FINA points in three events sum total (only in the individual events) will be awarded with money prizes:

- female group I place – 300 €, II place – 200 €, III place – 100 €;

- male group I place - 300 €, II place – 200 €, III place – 100 €.

5.15. If two or more swimmers collect the same amount of FINA points in three events the winners will be announced according to the ranking he has in the first (second, etc.) event.

5.16. If the athlete misses the award ceremony, he/she may not receive the prize.

VI. PROTESTS

- 6.1. Protests are allowed only against violations of competition rules and regulations as well as in situations where the competition or participants are endangered.
- 6.2. All protests must be submitted in writing with deposit of 50 Euro **but no later than 30 min after the fact of appeal.**
- 6.3. Meet's board of appeal will process protests according to the FINA rules.
- 6.4. In case of granted protest, deposit will be returned.

VII. FINANCIAL TERMS

- 7.1. Participation fee – 10 Eur/participant.
- 7.2. The fine for not meeting the standard in heats – 8 € . No fine – in the finals and fast Q.
- 7.3. The participation fee must be paid for all participants included into the protocol.
- 7.4. The fine for missing the start of the heats and finals is 8 Euro and the fine for missing the start of relays – 20 Euro. If the participant misses the start due to illness but delivers a medical certificate (original, scanned or photographed) to the organizers during the competition or no later than within 5 days after the competition is over, the fine will not be applied.
- 7.5. All expenses must be covered by the sending organization.
- 7.6. Participation fee and fines must be paid to the Lithuanian Swimming Federation's account:

Lithuanian swimming federation

Neries krantine 16-406, Kaunas

Company code 191917910

IBAN LT49 7044 0600 0150 1455

AB SEB Bank SWIFT

code CBVILT2X

Reference: U23 2019 (club's name)

If you need an invoice, please provide you details with entries.

VIII. FINAL STATEMENTS

- 8.1. Lithuanian Open Youth (U-23) swimming championships is a public event, where videos and photos might be taken.
- 8.2. The filmed and photographed material may be published in the media and online.
- 8.3. The team leaders are responsible:
 - 8.3.1. following the deadlines;
 - 8.3.2. the participants' safety during the arrival /departure and the competition;

8.3.3. proper behaviour of their athletes during the competition and the free time.

8.4. By submitting the application form, the team agree to the Terms and Conditions of the Event.

8.5. The organizers, if necessary, have the right to change the date, time and programme of the competition.
