



Young Amateur Swimming Club (YASC)

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Welcome to our friendly club where we encourage and teach the art of swimming. During our swimming season, October to March, we offer training and have regular Friday night club swims. YASC also participate in carnivals and events at district, regional, country, state and national levels.

2023/2024 Season Fees

Full Swimming Club Member (training and Friday nights):

- \$300 each for swimmers aged 11 years and over (on day of registration)
- \$275 each for swimmers aged 9 and 10 years (on day of registration)
- \$250 each for swimmers aged 8 years and under (on day of registration)

Swimming Club Friday Night Only Members (no training) → \$150

Second Club Claim Membership → \$200

Club Supporter Membership (committee members and parents) → \$35

*Please note pool entry is **not** included. A transaction fee will be applied during the registration process on Swim Central.*

New members can register via our website, click on the 'Join Now' button.

Help will be available at the pool on Tuesday and Thursday afternoons at the start of the season for any questions or problems with registration.

Code of Conduct

This year it is a requirement for **ALL Members to print & sign the Code of Conduct and return to the ballot box in the clubhouse by 30th October 2023.** YASC promotes being a family friendly club where all swimmers have the right to learn and improve their swimming in a respectful and safe environment, at the pool or attending a carnival.

Training

Swimming training is provided at Young Aquatic Centre for YASC members during the summer months. Participants must be registered as full or second club claim members to attend training. The coaching team are fully trained, and swimmers are placed in the appropriate development squad depending on their ability. Refer to the Training Schedule for specific days & times.

General Info about Friday Night Club Swims

This season we have three weeks of competition and then a night off on the fourth Friday.

Please come from 5.30pm to help set up and warm up, for a 6.00pm sharp race start.

- ✓ Each competitor needs to submit their own race entries online using Swim Central before 4pm each Friday. Swimmers can select up to 4 swims out of 5 on offer. If you have any difficulties with your online entries, please ask a committee member.
- ✓ On the night, you can check which races you have been entered into by looking at the event lists on the table. Please listen to instructions over the loudspeaker. The events will be called twice, and you should make your way to the marshalling area.
- ✓ Points are awarded for each swim, based on your personal best time. A boy and girl with the highest score for each month is awarded a monthly medal. The cumulative total is used to award trophies at the end of the season.

12 metre Swims

The first event of the evening is a 12m swim starting at the shallow end, where swimmers are encouraged to have a go. This season the 12m races won't be available to enter via Swim Central, the races will be called on the night.

BBQ & Raffle

Each club night a BBQ is operated by volunteers. A roster is prepared during the first few weeks of the season with families nominating a preferred night. It is desirable that 3 or 4 adults operate the BBQ each night. Please note that children under 14 years of age are not allowed behind the BBQ.

Everything required for the BBQ will be in the club house. BBQ helpers are required to start preparation and cooking at 6.00pm.

Also, each Friday a raffle is run which is donated by a family or families. Again, a roster is prepared during the first few weeks of the season with families choosing a night on which they can donate a prize. Raffle organisers are required to collect the tickets and float by 6.00pm.

Both the BBQ and raffle rosters will be placed on the notice board in the club house and will also be available on the website. Money raised from the BBQ and raffles help us to purchase new equipment for our members.

Timekeeping

Parents are a very important part of the club, and we cannot operate effectively without your help. We require 1 timekeeper per lane. Timekeeping is easy – do not be afraid to have a go! We are happy to help.



The Club House

All members are encouraged to use the clubhouse. We are very privileged to have a great clubhouse. All members are reminded that respectful behaviour is required at all times. There are to be no games or running in the clubhouse. If you make a mess, you are to clean it up.

Club Meetings

Club meetings are held on the third Thursday of each month at 6.00pm. During the swimming season they are held in the club house. All interested persons are welcome and encouraged to attend. You need to be a club member to vote.

Carnivals/Upcoming Events

Check the noticeboard in the clubhouse, website or Facebook page or;

[SISA Meet Calendar](#)

[Swim Central Calendar](#)

Club Championships



In February and March club championships are contested by age (as at the first championship night). All members are encouraged to participate. Awards and trophies, both for championships and club points will be presented at our presentation event after in end of season in 2024.

Club Captains

The Club elects a boy and girl captain, over the age of 15 years, to assist with the running of the club. The club captains should be examples of acceptable behaviour and attend training sessions, club swim events and carnivals/SISA events. They assist new members and young swimmers in understanding the many and varied aspects of swimming club from a swimmer's perspective. The club captains select 2 members as the recipients of the annual Captains' Awards.

Club Captains for 2023/2024 - **Caitlyn Williams & Chloe Laybutt**

2023/2024 Committee

President:	Renee Williams
Treasurer:	Tracey Laybutt
Secretary:	Samantha Brodbeck
Registrar:	Michelle Rathjen
Club Race Secretary:	Natalie Buck
Carnival Race Secretary/Records:	Natalie Buck
Publicity Officer:	Renee Williams, Michelle Madden
Coaches:	Kylie Rutter, Belinda Graham, Emma Bigwood, Ellie Rutter, Renee Williams, Dee McEvoy, Justine Neilsen
Multi Class Co-ordinator:	Belinda Graham
Public Officer:	Renee Williams
Child Safety & Member Protection Officer:	Michelle Madden
Sponsorship Officer:	Peter Cockburn
<i>(In addition to the above)</i>	
General Committee:	Patrick Brodbeck, Alleena Vitnell & Teresa Taylor
Patrons:	Nancy McGregor, Diana Boyd, Ian McAlister, Brian Williamson, Glenise Dean, Carole Clark, Tracey Clarke, Mike and Lorna Donnelly.