

<p><b>1. Competition</b></p>	<p><b>JUNIOR PAN PACIFIC (JPP) CHAMPIONSHIPS</b>  <b>24<sup>th</sup> - 27<sup>th</sup> August 2022</b>  <b>Hawaii, USA</b></p>
<p><b>2. Initial Release Date</b></p>	<p>22 November 2021</p>
<p><b>3. Selection Events</b></p>	<p><b>3.1</b> 2022 Apollo Projects New Zealand Swimming Championships  (5<sup>th</sup> – 9<sup>th</sup> April 2022) – Auckland</p> <p><b>And</b></p> <p><b>3.2</b> 2022 Apollo Projects New Zealand National Age Group Championships  (20<sup>th</sup> – 24<sup>th</sup> April 2022) - Wellington</p>
<p><b>4. Eligibility Rules</b></p>	<p><b>To be considered for selection, athletes must:</b></p> <p><b>4.1</b> Be a New Zealand citizen who is eligible to represent New Zealand in competition as per FINA General Rule 2 (GR2)</p> <p><b>4.2</b> Be a registered and financial member of Swimming NZ</p> <p><b>4.3</b> Be and remain in “good standing” with Swimming NZ and always comply with any established code of conduct or athlete agreement of Swimming NZ and otherwise conduct themselves in a way that does not bring their sport or the team into disrepute</p> <p><b>4.4</b> Not used or administered any substance which, if it had been detected as being present in the athlete’s body tissue or fluids, would have constituted doping, or used any prohibited method or committed any other doping offence as defined in Swimming NZ’s or FINA’s Anti-Doping Bylaw.</p> <p><b>4.5</b> Must be able to comply with SNZ’s policy on Covid-19 Vaccinations.</p> <p><b>Pan Pacific Charter specific eligibility rules:</b></p> <p><b>4.6</b> Females must be born between 1<sup>st</sup> January 2004 and 31<sup>st</sup> December 2008 (i.e., be 14-18 years as on 31<sup>st</sup> December 2022)</p> <p><b>4.7</b> Males must be born between 1<sup>st</sup> January 2004 and 31<sup>st</sup> December 2007 (i.e., be 15-18 years as on 31<sup>st</sup> December 2022)</p> <p><b>4.8</b> Any athlete who attends the 2022 FINA World Championships or Commonwealth Games <b>and</b> places in the Top 16 is ineligible to compete at the Junior Pan Pacific Championships.</p>
<p><b>5. Team Commitments</b></p>	<p>All selected athletes must:</p> <p><b>5.1</b> Comply with the provisions of the Swimming NZ Code of Conduct at all times</p> <p><b>5.2</b> Commit to Swimming NZ’s requirements regarding team participation. This includes, but may not be limited to, providing an acceptable Individual Performance Plan (IPP), attendance at a pre-event camp and wearing team uniform as required make themselves available for all team activities designated by Swimming NZ.</p> <p><b>5.3</b> not act in such a manner as to bring themselves or Swimming NZ into public disrepute.</p> <p><b>5.4</b> be available compete in relay events that, in the opinion of the Swimming NZ team management, do not interfere with individual races.</p>

**6. Performance Requirements**

**6.1** To be considered for selection for an individual event at the 2022 JPP's, athletes must record a time equal to or better than the times detailed in Table 1 in the relevant Individual Swimming Event at the Selection Event(s), subject to Clause 9 below.

**Table 1 – Performance standards**

Women	Event	Men
<b>15 years National Age Programme Silver time</b>		<b>16 years National Age Programme Silver time</b>
26.48	50 Freestyle	23.55
57.58	100 Freestyle	51.91
2.04.89	200 Freestyle	1.54.10
4.23.28	400 Freestyle	4.04.19
9.03.33	800 Freestyle	8.28.74
17.24.26	1500 Freestyle	16.11.53
1.04.26	100 Backstroke	57.99
2.18.40	200 Backstroke	2.06.86
1.12.09	100 Breaststroke	1.04.49
2.35.65	200 Breaststroke	2.20.20
1.02.37	100 Butterfly	55.65
2.19.30	200 Butterfly	2.05.07
2.20.92	200 IM	2.07.90
5.01.74	400 IM	4.35.40

**7. Selection to the Team**

- 7.1** At the conclusion of the Selection Events, each eligible athlete who achieves a qualifying time as per Table 1 at a selection event and complies with all Eligibility Rules outlined in section 4, will be considered for selection.
- 7.2** At the sole discretion of Swimming NZ, athletes who qualify for an event on the above basis, on request, may be able to swim in other events where there is an available position.
- 7.3** Selections for relays will be done from within the total team selected for the 2022 JPP Championships.
- 7.4** Swimming NZ's philosophy is to ensure that the best possible relay team is on the blocks representing New Zealand at the Championships. The final composition of the team will be determined by the staff and all athletes must be ready to swim relays at the competition.

**8. Team Announcements**

**8.1** The selection of the athletes that have met the eligibility and performance requirements will be announced no later than Friday 6<sup>th</sup> May 2022.

**9. Extenuating Circumstances**

**9.1** If an athlete is unable to compete at the Selection Events due to extenuating circumstances (as set out below), the Swimming NZ Selectors may consider

	<p>previous performances within the 12 months prior to the Selection Events in a long course event at a competition acceptable to the Swimming NZ Selectors.</p> <p><b>9.2</b> Athletes must advise the Swimming NZ Selectors (<i>via the HP Manager <a href="mailto:amanda@swimming.org.nz">amanda@swimming.org.nz</a></i>) of the extenuating circumstances and reasons, in writing, prior to commencing the individual event. If Swimming NZ is not notified of any extenuating circumstances before the athlete commences their individual race, then the Swimming NZ Selectors have no obligation to rely on such circumstances.</p> <p><b>9.3</b> In considering the selection of athletes in accordance with the selection criteria, the Swimming NZ Selectors may, in their sole discretion, give weight to any extenuating circumstances which may include, but are not limited to, the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Injury or illness</li> <li>• Travel delays</li> <li>• Equipment failure</li> <li>• Bereavement or personal misfortune</li> <li>• Covid-19 (pool closures)</li> <li>• Any other factors reasonably considered by the Swimming NZ Selectors to constitute extenuating circumstances.</li> </ul> <p><b>9.4</b> In the event of illness or injury, athletes will be required by the SNZ Selectors to provide a medical certificate and may be required to undergo an examination by a health practitioner/s nominated by Swimming NZ, and to provide that opinion and/or report to the Swimming NZ Selectors including an indication of the current and future performance impact of the condition. Any failure to agree to such a request may result in the Swimming NZ Selectors being unable to consider the injury or illness as an extenuating circumstance.</p> <p><b>9.5</b> Selection of any athletes, as outlined above, will be subject to confirmation of their satisfactory return to training. This process is to include a test in the swimming event that they have been selected for. The test must be performed by a designated date decided by the Swimming NZ Targeted Program Manager. A target time indicating satisfactory progress will be decided and announced to the athlete before the designated date</p>
<b>10. Note</b>	Swimming NZ may amend these selection criteria at any time, by giving, where practicable, reasonable notice to all athletes eligible for selection.
<b>11. Approved</b>	22 November 2021