

# Mount Pearl Marlins Spring Swim Carnival 2024



April 12-14, 2024  
Mount Pearl Summit Center  
126 Smallwood Drive, Mount Pearl, NL

## GENERAL INFORMATION

<b>Dates:</b>	April 12-14, 2024		
<b>Location:</b>	Mount Pearl Summit Center 126 Smallwood Drive, Mount Pearl, NL		
<b>Spectator Admission:</b>	No charge		
<b>Pool:</b>	8 lanes 25 meters plus two 25 meter lanes for additional warm up and cool down throughout the meet.		
<b>Coordinating Referee:</b>	TBD		
<b>Sanction:</b>	Swimming Newfoundland and Labrador		
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<b>Important Dates:</b>	April 5, 2024	2100 NST	Entry Deadline
	April 7, 2024	2100 NST	Team Entries and Session Report
	April 9, 2024	2100 NST	Scratch Deadline
	April 10, 2024	0645 NST	Finalized Team Entries
	April 12, 2024	1515 NST	Coaches Meeting
	April 12, 2024	1530 NST	Officials Meeting
	April 12, 2024	1600 NST	Meet Start

## MEET INFORMATION

### Rules:

- Swim Canada rules will govern the meet. Swim Canada Warm-Up safety procedures will be in effect. FINA One-Start Rule (False Start DQ) in effect.

**Package:**

- The only meet package that will be considered as valid shall be the most current version found on [www.swimming.ca](http://www.swimming.ca).

**Description:**

- Swim Newfoundland and Labrador sanctions the meet as an open invitational.
- The meet will include four (4) sessions only.
- All events will be timed finals.
- The 800 and 1500 Free will be swum mixed gender, open age, and seeded fastest to slowest.
- All other events will be swum boys and girls, open age, and seeded slowest to fastest.

**Relays:**

- All relays are timed-final events.
- A maximum of two relay teams per club per event.
- A small club (20 or fewer swimmers) may have no more than one swimmer from another club.
- Relay cards will be used. Relay cards are to be submitted 45 minutes prior to the start of the session. A late relay card or non-submission will result in the relay team being scratched. Late substitutions (name changes) will be entertained at the discretion of meet management.

**Warmups:**

- **SWIMMING CANADA WARM-UP COMPETITION SAFETY PROCEDURES WILL BE IN EFFECT.**
- Sprint lanes will be available for the last 10 minutes of warm-up. Lanes 1, 2 and 8 will be used for sprinting and are designated as diving lanes with one way traffic only. Lane 7 will be designated for pacing.
- The leisure pool may be used for open warm up and cool down during competition.
- Swim Canada Warm-up procedures will be posted during the meet.

**Officials:**

- Official Signup sheets can be found in the official room (multiple purpose room) on the second floor of the Summit Centre at the beginning of each session.
- Teams are encouraged to support each session. With an 8-lane pool, there is an increased demand for on-deck officials and the MPM kindly thank all volunteers in advance.
- There will be an officials meeting held 30 minutes prior to the start of each session.
- Officials are to be in position 5 minutes prior to the start of the session.
- Food and refreshments will be provided to coaches and officials prior to and during each session. Please note that food is uncontrolled with respect to allergies and dietary needs.

**Coaches:**

- There will a coaches meeting held at 1515 NST, April 12, 2024 on the second floor of the Summit Centre. Each team shall send a representative.

- All Coaches must be in good standing with their respective provincial bodies.
- Coaches must submit contact information plus email address where they can receive messages from meet management. Please email this information when submitting entries.
- Coaches requesting information on a DQ must speak to the Referee.

**On Deck Access:**

- Only participating swimmers and registered coaches plus officials are permitted on deck.
- Meet Management and Referees reserve the right to request a coach to produce coaching credentials. Failure to produce credentials may result in the coach being asked to leave the pool deck.

**Photography and video:**

- Only meet management sanctioned photography and video recordings are permitted on deck.
- Coaching video is considered sanctioned.

## ENTRIES & SCRATCHES

**Meet Management Conditions:**

- Meet Management reserves the right to limit, or exclude entries, in any event, session, or the meet to maintain facility session times.
- Meet Management reserves the right to modify session times and event order as necessary to accommodate meet requirements and will notify coaches whenever possible.
- Meet Management reserves the right to combine heats and events when numbers warrant.

**Eligibility:**

- All athletes must be registered as Competitive Swimmers with Swim Canada, or any other amateur swimming organization recognized by FINA.
- A valid SNC registration number is required for all Canadian swimmers, and entries without a Swim Canada registration number will be declined entry.
- There is no entry standard, note entry limitations below.

**Entries:**

- Swimmers may enter up to six individual events plus relays.
- Swimmers are restricted to entering no more than three individual events per session.
- Swimmers age 12 & under who have not achieved one Swim NL Championship Standard time are limited to one 200 meter or greater event.
- Electronic entries will be accepted via SNC online system only. Limited email entries may be accepted at the discretion of meet management.
- Entry deadline is 2100 NST, April 5, 2024.
- All entries will be processed after the entry deadline.
- Teams will have the opportunity to review club entries.
- Relay entries shall include swimmer names with entries.

### **Para-Swimmers**

- Para-swimmers must be classified as per Swim Canada with their names reflecting their classification.
- Para-swimmers will swim in able-body events.

### **Charges and fees:**

- \$50.00 fee per swimmer. Check or e-transfer only please (cash not accepted).
- Please make check payable to Mount Pearl Marlins Swim Team; or send e-transfer to [marlinstreasurer2016@gmail.com](mailto:marlinstreasurer2016@gmail.com).
- Fees due will be based on the entries confirmed on 2100 NST, April 9, 2024 (Scratch Deadline).
- \$10.00 deck entry fee per entry (no refund), payment required with submission at Meet Manager Desk.

### **Deck Entries:**

- Deck entries must be made 30 minutes prior to start of the session.
- Deck entries will only be accepted based on the availability of empty lanes only and at the discretion of Meet Management.

### **Scratches:**

- There are no penalties for late scratches or no-shows.
- Meet Management may not accommodate swimmers who no-show.
- Meet Management may not accommodate requests to move a swimmer to another open lane.
- Any accommodations are at the sole discretion of Meet Management and are not tied to precedents.

## **RESULTS/SCORING & AWARDS**

### **Results:**

- Results will be posted on the deck and outside the multi-purpose room throughout the session.
- Results will be uploaded to Meet Mobile after the conclusion of the session.
- If the results fail to upload, a copy will be posted on the MPM website.

### **Scoring:**

- There will be no scoring.

### **Prizes:**

- There will be a personal best (PB) time draw box on deck at the Meet Manager desk for all sessions. Each PB allows one entry for the draw. Prize draws will be done during each session.
- There will also be prizes for winning a heat in which music is played (or bell is rung). The prize can be claimed at the Meet Manager Desk.

## SESSION INFORMATION

SESSION 1 Friday PM	SESSION 2 Saturday AM	SESSION 3 Saturday PM	SESSION 4 Sunday AM
1500 – warm-up	0730 – warm-up	1500 – warm-up	0730 – warm-up
1600 – Start	0830 - Start	1600 – Start	0830 - Start
1900 – End	1130 - End	1900 – End	1130 - End

- Warm-up ends 5 minutes before start of session. Swimmers are expected to have vacated the pool by this time. Session lengths are approximate.
- Warm-up and start time may be adjusted once entries are received and session times reviewed.

SESSION 1 Friday PM	SESSION 2 Saturday AM	SESSION 3 Saturday PM	SESSION 4 Sunday AM
100 Free	100 Fly	100 Breast	100 Back
50 Fly	50 Free	50 Back	50 Breast
200 Back	200 IM	200 Free	200 Fly
100 IM	200 Breast	400 IM	400 free
200 Free Relay	800 Free	200 Medley Relay	
	1500 Free		