Tynemouth ASC Autumn Gala
Friday - Sunday 22nd – 24th November 2019
Meet Conditions

1. The meet will be held under ASA Laws and Technical Rules. This is a level 3 licensed meet – licence number – **3NExxxxxx**
2. The pool length is 25m of variable depth with 6 lanes & anti-wave lane ropes; a separate swim down facility is available.
3. The starting gun will provide an internal starting strobe, but no external starting strobe facility will be provided.
4. Swiss Electronic Timing will be in operation with scoreboard display. Times and places shown on the scoreboard are for information only and are not necessarily the official result. The referee's decision is final.
5. Start sheets will be available for each session at a cost of 50p. Copies of results will be available over the duration of the event and will be available on the club website.
6. The age groups will be 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14+. **Age at 24th November 2019**
7. Swimmers must not have swum faster than the **upper** qualifying times within the 12 months prior to this event (refer to Qualification Times).
8. Closing date: **Friday 1st November**. Entries will be selected on a first come first served basis (from **4th October**). Entries may be further restricted to comply with session limits.
9. All events are Heat Declared Winner (HDW), heats being seeded slowest to fastest based on submitted entry times.
10. Awards will be made to the first three in each age category. These awards will be available for collection after the winners are announced for each event.
11. No entry cards will be issued. Seeded heat start lists will be produced prior to the start of each session. If a swimmer is not swimming an event, we request that the recorders are informed no later than 45 minutes prior to the session start time. Complying with this request will keep the number of empty lanes to a minimum and this courtesy is appreciated.
12. No refund will be given for a withdrawal after the closing date.
13. Entry Fees £5.50 per event on disc (using TMLite), £6.00 on paper
    Coaches passes £20.00 to include poolside refreshments & lunch (Sat & Sun only)

    Cheques should be made payable to **Tynemouth ASC**

    BACS – sort code 20-62-09 account 70947512 – please make ref **your club code + Nov 2019**

    Paper entries can be submitted to: TASC, 108 The Wynd, North Shields, NE30 2TE
    Mail to: tascmeetmanager@hotmail.co.uk

    Electronic entries are to be submitted using Hy-tek Team Manager/Team Manager Lite. An event file is available from the Meet Manager or via the website. Entry times should be valid **short course** times. Converted times will be accepted.
14. All entries to swim must have an entry time for seeding purposes. Coaches realistic times are acceptable. Tynemouth ASC reserves the right to fill any empty places with its own eligible swimmers.
15. Coaches/Team Managers are responsible for ensuring competitors report to the marshalling area at the required time. Failure to report to marshalling in good time may result in elimination from the event.
16. Tynemouth ASC will not be responsible for any unaccompanied swimmers on the poolside. The responsibility falls with the club entering the swimmer, who should appoint a responsible individual to be on poolside.
17. Tynemouth ASC cannot be held responsible for loss or damage to spectators' or swimmers' property.
18. Access to pool-side will be restricted to swimmers, coaches, officials and authorised helpers in line with ASA Child Protection Policy.
19. The Lead Referee for this event will be: Paula Gibbons-Fewster
20. Spectator admission will be £4.00 per session. £7.00 for the day or a week-end pass - £12. All 5 sessions £15. Concessions will apply.
21. Our club website will provide information of any last-minute changes. www.tynemouthasc.co.uk . Alternatively, you can contact the Meet Manager via email: tascmeetmanager@hotmail.co.uk.
22. The use of any photographic equipment (still, video or digital, including mobile phones with camera facilities) will not be allowed anywhere on the premises. Mobile phones must not be used anywhere on the premises.
23. By entering this gala, it is assumed a swimmer accepts these terms & conditions.
24. Any points not covered above will be at the discretion of the Meet Manager.