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Tecumseh Torpedoes Swim meet

July 29, 2023

590 Lacasse Blvd

8AM - 4PM

Hosted By: The Town of Tecumseh

**Tecumseh Torpedoes July 11, 2023**

12021 McNorton St.

Tecumseh, ON

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**Attention Swim Teams:**

The Town of Tecumseh and the Tecumseh Torpedoes Swim Team cordially invite you to attend our swim meet, to be held at the Tecumseh Leisure pool, in Lacasse park, Tecumseh Ontario. The address of the pool is 590 Lacasse Blvd, Tecumseh Ontario.

Lacasse park has parking spaces around the facility, please do not park on the grass. Additional parking is available along Lacasse Blvd and near the St. Pius grade school. Please feel free to use the grass areas of the park for spectating purposes.

We will be providing a spectator area, standing room only, along the shallow end of the pool. There will be two sets of washrooms available, one in the pool facilities and one in the park located near the pool.

Food will be provided for each swimmer and complimentary for coaches. More details to follow as we get closer to the swim meet.

Late entries will be accepted after July 21 however, they will not be guaranteed a meal on the day of the event.

The registration fee is $15 per swimmer. This must be paid at the coaches meeting and late entries must be submitted at this time as well. The coaches meeting will take place at 7:45 AM before Warm-ups at 8:00 AM

Prior to the meet, please be sure to notify the swimmers of their age group and respective event numbers to ensure that the marshalling goes efficiently.

We are expecting this year to be a lot of fun, so come out for a great day of swimming. Get ready to have a great day with the Tecumseh Torpedoes.

Yours truly,

Town of Tecumseh and Tecumseh Torpedoes Staff

**Torpedo’s Swim Meet 2023**

The Town of Tecumseh and the Tecumseh Torpedoes are happy to announce our swim meet for the 2023 swimming season.

This year’s swim meet will be held on **July 29, 2023 from 8am – 4pm.**

**Below are some important details to know for our swim meet:**

- Each swimmer may swim **Three** individual events, **plus IM and one freestyle Relay**

- Swimmer’s age will be determined as of **July 29, 2023**

- Swim Canada’s strokes and turns rules will apply during competition

- Club swimmers, as recognized by Swim Canada, must swim up one age category in order to compete.

**Example:** a 7 year old club swimmer will swim in the 9-10 age category

- High school swimmers, as recognized by OFSAA, can remain in their age category

- Ribbons will be given to 1stth - 6th place for each race as separated by gender

- Genders will swim their races together based upon age category but will be separated for scoring purposes.

- Swimmers are asked to use the large gate to access the marshalling area.

- The pool deck is restricted to coaches and swimmers.

- Seating around the exterior of the facility will be assigned to each team. Please refrain from using the Pavilion during the swim meet.

- A spectating area is available for use by parents and guests along the shallow area of the deck. This area is only accessible via the front gate entrance and is standing room only.

- Coach’s meeting to be held at 7:45 AM

- Warm-Ups are scheduled from 8:00-9:00 AM with the swim meet starting shortly thereafter. Warm-up assignments will be confirmed after we have received registration packages.

If you have any questions please contact:

Pool Coordinators: Steven R or Ila O. - tecpool@tecumseh.ca 519-735-4756 ex 435

Meet Manager: Zak K. – zakkolasa@hotmail.com

As we will be using computers for our scoring and marshalling slips, it is important that the enclosed registration form be returned **no later than** **July 21, 2023**. Thank you.

2023 Tecumseh Torpedo’s MEET – RULES AND REGULATIONS

1. Strokes and turns must follow Swim Canada regulations. Referee’s decision is final. Discrepancies should be brought to the attention of the referee immediately exclusively by coaches.
2. Any swimmer who has been competing or training with a swim club at any time between June 1st, 2022 and July 1st, 2023 shall swim up one age category. High School swimmers, as recognized by OFSAA, will not be considered “club” and shall swim in their age category.
3. No coaches may swim for points individually or team.
4. Age is to be determined as of the day of the swim meet. Swimmers must swim in the same age category for all individual races for the entire meet.
5. We will have a 6 & under category for butterfly, backstroke, breaststroke, and front crawl, but not IM. If they wish to swim an IM, they may swim IM with the 8 & under.
6. Swimmers may swim in a maximum of **three** individual events, plus IM, and one Freestyle Relay.
7. Swimmers may swim up for relays but may not swim down. There must be a minimum of 2 swimmers in the correct age category in each relay team. There will be no limitation on the number of relay teams per age group, as long as the above qualifications are met. Incoming swimmers must touch the wall for the appropriate stroke before outgoing swimmers may leave. Each swimmer may not swim more than one leg of a relay.
8. Swimmers may dive or start in the water for all races except relays, where the swimmer starting in the shallow end shall start in the water only. There will be absolutely no dives permitted in the shallow end of the pool.
9. Two hands must touch for butterfly and breaststroke.
10. Swimmers will be allowed 2 false starts. The third will result in disqualification.
11. 8 & under competitors will be disqualified for the following:
	* wrong stroke to gain advantage
	* standing on bottom of pool or grabbing ropes or sides to gain advantage
	* interfering with another swimmer

9 & over competitors will be disqualified for the following:

 - Wrong stroke

 - touching bottom of pool, ropes or sides to gain advantage

* + interfering with another swimmer

 - Not doing a two-hand touch in breaststroke or butterfly

1. Points will be awarded as follows for individual and relay events:

1st – 7 pts, 2nd – 5 pts, 3rd – 4 pts, 4th – 3 pts, 5th – 2 pts, 6th – 1 pts

1. Ribbons will be awarded for 1st through 6th place for individual events and relays.
2. A plaque will be awarded to the overall top team with the most points. The best overall girls’ team and the best overall boys’ team will be awarded a plaque as well.
3. Have fun and swim your best, support your team, and please respect the pool.



**TEAM NAME**: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Please fill in completely, 3 events plus IM max (check club column if swimmer swam with a club anytime between June 1, 2022 and July 1, 2023)

Please return form **no later than JULY 21st, 2023**. Please send this entry form to tecpool@tecumseh.ca

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