

Bay of Islands Amateur Swimming Club P.O. Box 87 Kawakawa Northland 0210

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Bay of Islands Swimming Club Membership and Fee Structure Policy

Introduction

Bay of Islands Swimming Club is a non-profit incorporated society. The club's objective is to keep fees as reasonable as possible and thereby maximise the affordability and accessibility to the club, while at the same time ensuring that the club can meet its obligations in a responsible manner and on a sustainable basis. The club seeks to supplement its fee revenue with funds from grants from community trusts and from self fundraising activities.

Bay of Islands Swimming Club Fees:

Squads	Cost	Lesson Details
Beginner	\$115 per school term for 1 lesson per week, or \$200 per school term for 2 lessons per week.	30min/session
Development Squad	\$175 per school term for	2 lessons per week, 45min/session
Bronze Squad	\$80 per month	Up to five sessions per week, session times and length vary.
Silver Squad	\$85 per month	Up to five sessions per week, session times and length vary.
Gold Squad	\$90 per month	Up to five sessions per week, session times and length vary.

Fees and cancellation

Beginner and Development full term fee, to be paid at beginning of term. If any lessons are missed due to illness or other reasons, the club will endeavour to make up lesson(s) but this may not always be possible.

The cancellation policy for private lessons is minimum 24 hours' notice, preferably on text to coach.

Squads Bronze, Silver and Gold fees are calculated annually and are split into monthly installments, invoiced on the 1st of each month and to be paid directly to Bay of Islands Swimming Club 7 days from invoice.

On occasion there will be breaks for holidays and no club swimming for the swimmer, and issues beyond our control such as contamination, pool servicing etc. The fees are structured to cover these breaks. Remember: The club has commitments even though there may be no swimming i.e. wages, pool hire, equipment, maintenance etc continues.

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Account arrears

If you are experiencing financial hardship, please email the club Treasurer boiscacc@gmail.com and make payment arrangements as soon as possible. In the event a swimmer's account falls into arrears by 2 months then the swimmer may be stood down from training and entering any swim carnivals until the account is paid in full. Overdue debtors by 3 months or more will be liable for any and all debt recovery costs.

Resignations

If you wish to cease training permanently, you must give 1 month's written notice to Bay of Islands Swimming Club. This can be done via email to boiswimmingclub@gmail.com

Swimming NZ annual registration fee

All competitive swimmers must pay an annual registration fee to Swimming NZ (SNZ) and its associated groups (Swimming Auckland). It is a prerequisite that this payment be made before any swimmer is allowed to compete at any swim meets. This fee is not pro rata and therefore regardless of when a swimmer starts competitive swimming, the full fee is charged by SNZ / ASA. These fees are paid directly through SNZ 'Fastlane' www.swimmingnz.org and due 1st July or thereafter when a swimmer registers. Season goes from 1st July to the 30th June.

Fundraising

Bay of Islands Swimming Club must be actively fund raising for the benefit of the whole club and we ask members and their families to be available to help. The club needs to constantly think of ways to raise funds. If you can help at all, please contact any committee member or email boiswimmingclub@gmail.com

Officials and the roles of parent/guardian

Without Swimming Officials giving up their own time and effort, meets would not run, and swimming would not be a successful sport. All clubs are required to supply 1 qualified official per 3 swimmers entered. We therefore encourage all parents/family to support their child, the Bay of Islands Swimming Club, and the swimming community by volunteering to help at swim meets.

Timekeeping is the first step on the Officials ladder and all guardians are expected to do this, and your reward is a great seat, plus food and drink to help keep you going. Time keeping training involves 1-3 training sessions before you are qualified as a timekeeper. The BOISC Team Manager will put together the Officials roster prior to all meets. You will be notified as soon as practically possible if you are required for Official duties. If you are unable to fulfil this role, we kindly ask that you find a replacement as soon as possible to ensure smooth running on the day.

NOTE: All policies are correct at the time of writing but are subject to change from the Bay of Islands Swimming Club's committee via notifications from time to time.

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