

REGULATIONS

1. VENUE AND DATE

- 1.1. Venue: Alytus Sports and Recreation Center, Naujoji St. 52.
- 1.2. Date: June 14-15, 2024.
- 1.3. Pool length: 50 m, number of lanes: 8.
- 1.4. Organizer: LTU Aquatics.

2. PARTICIPANTS

- 2.1. Age of athletes: boys and girls born in 2010 or younger.
- 2.2. Teams can register athletes who have met the qualifying standards from April 1, 2023, to June 4, 2024.
- 2.3. An athlete who has met the qualifying standard in any event may participate in an unlimited number of events.
- 2.4. An athlete must participate in at least one event where they have met the qualifying standard.

3. TIME STANDARDS

Girls		Events	Boys	
25 m	50 m		25 m	50 m
34,25	35,35	50 m Freestyle	30,23	31,23
1.15,06	1.17,24	100 m Freestyle	1.07,13	1.10,07
2.53,01	2.57,01	200 m Freestyle	2.35,69	2.39,81
6.06,50	6.10,48	400 m Freestyle	5.32,54	5.44,80
1.21,99	1.25,99	100 m Backstroke	1.13,01	1.17,45
3.06,80	3.13,26	200 m Backstroke	2.45,49	2.55,35
1.33,15	1.35,79	100 m Breaststroke	1.23,07	1.24,96
3.30,84	3.37,95	200 m Breaststroke	3.08,26	3.17,60
1.21,57	1.22,87	100 m Butterfly	1.11,82	1.13,94
3.07,40	3.10,84	200 m Butterfly	2.49,58	2.53,48
3.10,92	3.17,60	200 m IM	2.51,76	2.58,61
6.45,70	6.57,32	400 m IM	6.07,89	6.22,04

4. COMPETITION PROGRAM

Day 1 – June 14, Friday		Day 2 – June 15, Saturday	
Part I, Heats		Part III, Heats	
Start at 11:00		Start at 10:00	
200 m Freestyle	Boys	200 m Freestyle	Girls
100 m Freestyle	Girls	100 m Freestyle	Boys
400 m IM	Boys	400 m IM	Girls
200 m IM	Girls	200 m IM	Boys
200 m Backstroke	Boys	200 m Backstroke	Girls
100 m Butterfly	Girls	100 m Butterfly	Boys
100 m Breaststroke	Boys	100 m Breaststroke	Girls
200 m Breaststroke	Girls	200 m Breaststroke	Boys
50 m Freestyle	Boys	50 m Freestyle	Girls
100 m Backstroke	Girls	100 m Backstroke	Boys
200 m Butterfly	Boys	200 m Butterfly	Girls
400 m Freestyle	Girls	400 m Freestyle	Boys
Part II, Finals		Part IV, Finals	
Start at 17:00		Start at 16:00	
200 m Freestyle	Boys	200 m Freestyle	Girls
100 m Freestyle	Girls	100 m Freestyle	Boys
400 m IM	Boys	400 m IM	Girls
200 m IM	Girls	200 m IM	Boys
200 m Backstroke	Boys	200 m Backstroke	Girls
100 m Butterfly	Girls	100 m Butterfly	Boys
100 m Breaststroke	Boys	100 m Breaststroke	Girls
200 m Breaststroke	Girls	200 m Breaststroke	Boys
50 m Freestyle	Boys	50 m Freestyle	Girls
400 m Freestyle	Girls	400 m Freestyle	Boys
200 m Butterfly	Boys	200 m Butterfly	Girls
100 m Backstroke	Girls	100 m Backstroke	Boys
4x100 m Freestyle	Girls	4x100 m Freestyle	Boys
4x100 m Medley	Boys	4x100 m Medley	Girls

Entry to the swimming pool 30 minutes before the start of the warm-up.

5. ENTRIES

- 5.1. Technical entries must be submitted by June 5, 2024, at 2:00 PM.
- 5.2. Changes/withdrawals (changing events after submission is not allowed) can be made until June 13, 2024, at 2:00 PM.
- 5.3. If an athlete is unable to participate in an event due to significant reasons, the organization leader/coach must submit a written request to the secretariat to withdraw the athlete from the event before the warm-up of the session in which the event is held.
- 5.4. Each athlete participating in the championship must have a valid health certificate. The

- sending organization is responsible for ensuring and verifying the validity of such certificates.
- 5.5. Submitted results must have been achieved in official competitions and recorded in the swimrankings.net system. If the result is not recorded in the swimrankings.net system, a copy of the protocol of the competition where the result was achieved must be sent via email to entries@ltuaquatics.com when submitting the entry.
- 5.6. Entries can be submitted:

Via the Swimrankings.net online system	Using the "Entry Editor" program
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Athlete data, events, and number of relay teams must be provided.• The file "entries by athlete" generated by the system must be sent via email to entries@ltuaquatics.com	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Entries must indicate the best 50 m or 25 m result and meet the qualifying standards.• For athletes who have not achieved a result in the event during the qualifying period (2.2), NT is used.• When filling in results, the pool length, achievement date, and city must be indicated.• An entry is considered accepted if a response is received.

5.7. Results can be found on our website: www.ltuaquatics.com.

6. COMPETITION, DETERMINATION OF WINNERS, AWARDS

- 6.1. The competition will follow the "World Aquatics" rules.
- 6.2. Competition results will be recorded using the Omega Timing electronic timing system.
- 6.3. The championship will be held with preliminary and final heats.
- 6.4. Preliminary and final heats will be held for 50–400 m events.
- 6.4.1 A and B finals if more than 19 participants are registered.
- 6.4.2 Only A finals if more 9–19 participants are registered.
- 6.4.3 If 8 or fewer athletes registered, the event will be held as timed final in the evening session.
- 6.5. All relay events will be held as timed finals in the evening session.
- 6.6. Relay teams formed on the basis of national teams and foreign relay teams will not compete for awards.
- 6.7. The maximum number of foreign team participants in the "A" final is 4; there is no limit for the B final.
- 6.8. Competitors' swimwear must comply with World Aquatics requirements.
- 6.9. Competitors must register with the official at the participants' table before their swim. Competitors who do not report are not allowed to start in the event.
- 6.10. 1-3 place winners in individual and relay events will be awarded with medals.
- 6.11. Doping samples may be taken from participants (more information: <https://www.antidopingas.lt/>).
- 6.12. Three girls and three boys who achieve the highest results according to the WA points table, summing up the three individual event WA rating points, will be awarded monetary prizes and cups:

I place: €150
II place: €100
III place: €50

6.13. If athletes achieve the same WA points sum after summing the results of three events, the higher place is awarded to the athlete who has achieved more first (second, third, etc.) places in individual events. If the results are the same in this category, the higher place is awarded to the athlete who has achieved more WA points in one event.

6.14. The official championship results ranking is considered as recorded in the championship protocol using the computer program used by the organizers at that time.

6.15. Withdrawal from the final must be submitted in writing to the secretariat no later than 20 minutes after the announcement of the preliminary heat results.

6.16. An athlete who does not attend the award ceremony may lose the right to the award.

6. PROTESTS

7.1. Protests are considered if submitted regarding the compliance with competition rules and regulations, or if the actions of participants, judges, or spectators pose a threat but not against the fact of the violation.

7.2. Protests must be submitted in writing along with a €50 deposit no later than 30 minutes after the appealed incident.

7.3. Protests are considered by the appeal committee according to WA rules.

7.4. If the protest is upheld, the deposit is refunded.

8. FINANCIAL CONDITIONS

8.1. Participation fee: €10 for each event submitted.

8.2. Participation or start fees are paid for all participants included in the initial protocol.

8.3. Fee for missed event without a submitted withdrawal form for individual events: €15; for relays: €30.

8.4. Travel, accommodation, and other expenses for participants are covered by the sending organization.

9. FINAL PROVISIONS

9.1. The Lithuanian Junior Swimming Championship is a public event that may be filmed and photographed.

9.2. Participants agree that the filmed or photographed material will be distributed in the media or online.

9.3. Team leaders are responsible for:

- Timely submission of documents;
- Safety of participants during travel and competition;
- Proper behaviour of participants during the competition and free time.

9.4. By submitting an entry, the team confirms that they have read and will comply with these regulations.