

25th July 2017

To  
The Secretaries/Managers,  
Affiliated Units

**Sub: Annual Senior Aquatic Meet cum Selection Trial &  
Lower Age Group Swim Meet 2017**

Dear Sirs,

The G.M.A.A.A. will be conducting its Annual Senior & Lower Age Group Aquatic Meet cum Selection Trial (for the forthcoming Maharashtra State Aquatic Meet for Seniors) on Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> & Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> August, 2017.

Details of the Meet are as under:

- Dates of the Meet : Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> & Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> August, 2017
- Venue : Tata Power Swimming Pool,  
Tata Electric Officers Colony,  
Aziz Baug, Chembur, Mumbai: 400074.
- Timings : Warm-up: 7.00 A.M.  
Starting: 8.00 A.M.
- Entry Rules : A swimmer shall be allowed to enter in  
Seniors : Maximum 5 Individual Events  
U/6 & U/8 : No restriction  
Swimmers interested in swimming Time Trial for relay selection of GMAAA Team should give entry (in addition to 5 Individual Events) and pay entry fee accordingly.
- Entry Fees : Rs.60/- per Individual & Relay Selection event.  
Rs.150/- per team for Relay event.
- Place for Entry Submission : Shri Zarir Baliwalla  
Baliwalla & Homi Pvt.Ltd, 614, Jagannath Shankarsheth Rd  
Dhobitalao Main Road, Next to Anjuman Fire Temple  
Mumbai – 400 002  
Tel No : 22035374 or 9820021749
- Date & Time for Submission : Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> August 2017 to Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> August 2017  
12 noon to 6.00 p.m.

**Affiliation** : **Annual Club/Institution Affiliation fee of Rs.5000/- for the year 2017-18 should be forwarded along with entry fee if not paid already, failing which entry will not be accepted.**

**Registration** : **Entries of only registered swimmers & divers of GMAAA will be accepted. Swimmers'/Divers'/Water polo players' entries should be sent along with annual registration fee of Rs.500/- each on Club's / Institution's letterhead, if not already paid.**

**Selection:**  
**Committee Meeting** : A Selection Committee meeting will be held on Sunday, 20th August, 2017, after conclusion of the swimming events, to select GMAAA's swimming team for MSAA Meet. Team Managers/Coaches of affiliated units are requested to attend this meeting to inform selection committee about the availability of their selected swimmers for the State Meet.

**Venue for MSAAA** : The MSAAA Senior Meet will be held either at Dhule or Nashik. (yet to be decided)

**Dates for MSAAA Senior Meet** : Saturday 9th September & Sunday 10th September 2017 or Saturday 16th & Sunday 17th September. (yet to be decided)

**Senior Nationals** : Senior National Aquatic Meet will be held in Bhopal from 7th to 11th October 2017. Diving Events will be held in Indore

### **DIVING MEET**

**Date of the Meet** : Friday - 11th August, 2017 or Saturday 12th August 2017

**Venue** : P.M.Hindu Bath, Netaji Subhash Road, Chowpatty  
Mumbai - 400 007.

**Entry Fees** : Rs.60/- per individual event

**Entry Submission to** : Shri Zarir Baliwalla  
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614, Jagannath Shankarsheth Marg  
Dhobitalao Main Road, Next to Anjuman Fire Temple  
Mumbai - 400 002  
Tel No : 22035374 or 9820021749

**Days & Timings for** : **Tuesday 8th August to Thursday 10th August 2017.**

**Entry Submission** : 12.00 noon to 6.00 p.m.

## WATER POLO

- Dates of the Meet : 14<sup>th</sup> to 18th August, 2017
- Venue : P.M.Hindu Bath, Netaji Subhash Road, Chowpatty  
Mumbai - 400 007.
- Entry Fees : Rs.500/- per team
- Entry Submission to : Shri Zarir Baliwalla  
Baliwalla & Homi Pvt.Ltd.  
614,Jagannath Shankarsheth Marg  
Dhobitalao Main Road, Next to Anjuman Fire Temple  
Mumbai – 400 002  
Tel No : 22035374 or 9820021749
- Days & Timings for : Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> August to Saturday 12th August 2017.
- Entry Submission : 12.00 noon to 6.00 p.m.,

### IMPORTANT ENTRY RULES:

1. In Individual Swimming Events for Boys/Girls under 6 years and under 8 years category, Competitors shall take part in their own age group only.
2. Please indicate latest recorded time of swimmer for individual events.
3. Entries will be accepted only from those Swimming Pools / Clubs/Institutions which are **affiliated to G.M.A.A.A.** and from those competitors who are **registered with G.M.A.A.A. for the year 2017 – 2018.**
4. **LATE ENTRIES and SPOT ENTRIES** will not be entertained.
5. Events / Results will be determined on **Time Trial Basis.**

### ENTRY FORMS:

- An entry form is enclosed herewith. You are requested to use Xerox copies of entry forms in case the number of swimmers from your club is large.
- Kindly keep a duplicate / Xerox – copy of the completed **ENTRY - FORM** for your reference.
- Only properly completed entry – forms with the name of **CLUB/INSTITUTION**, duly **signed by the officials and stamped** will be accepted.
- **USE SEPARATE ENTRY FORMS FOR BOYS/MEN AND GIRLS/WOMEN.**
- **Entry Fees are payable in cash, or by cheque drawn A/c Payee in favour of 'Greater Mumbai Amateur Aquatic Association'.**

**PROTEST:**

A protest must be lodged in writing, duly signed by the official-in-charge of the Club/Institution, within 30 minutes after the end of the event or announcement of the result (whichever is later) together with protest fee of Rs. 500/-, which will be forfeited if the protest is rejected. The decision of the Jury of Appeal shall be **FINAL AND BINDING** on all the participants.

**Please find enclosed List of Events, Order of Events, Entry Forms and Instructions regarding Points computation & criteria for determination of Best Swimmer in each age category together with specific circumstances under which exemption from participation in the GMAAA Meet will be considered for onward selection for State Meet.**

Thanking you.

Yours Sincerely,

**(Pradeep Divgikar)**  
**Honorary General Secretary**  
**GMAAA**

**Encl: As above**

**GREATER MUMBAI AMATEUR AQUATIC ASSOCIATION**

**SENIOR& LOWER AGE GROUP SWIMMING MEET 2017  
TATA POWER SWIMMING POOL,CHEMBUR**

**ORDER OF EVENTS**

**SATURDAY -19<sup>th</sup> AUGUST 2017**

**WARM-UP:7.00 A.M.**

**STARTING TIME:8.00A.M.**

<b>SR.NO.</b>	<b>EVENT</b>	<b>AGE GROUP</b>
1	200 M. Free Style	Men
2	200 M. Free Style	Women
3	100 M. Breast Stroke	Men
4	100 M. Breast Stroke	Women
5	25 M. Butterfly Stroke	Boys Under 6
6	25 M. Butterfly Stroke	Girls Under 6
7	400 M. Ind. Medley	Men
8	400 M. Ind. Medley	Women
9	25 M. Back Stroke	Boys Under 6
10	25 M. Back Stroke	Girls Under 6
11	4x50 M. Medley Relay	Men
12	4x50 M Medley Relay	Women
13	50 M. Breast Stroke	Men
14	50 M. Breast Stroke	Women
<b>I N T E R V A L</b>		
15	50 M. Free Style	Men
16	50 M. Free Style	Women
17	25 M. Free Style	Boys Under 6
18	25 M. Free Style	Girls Under 6
19	200 M. Butterfly Stroke	Men
20	200 M. Butterfly Stroke	Women
21	25 M. Breast Stroke	Boys Under 6
22	25 M. Breast Stroke	Girls Under 6
23	200 M. Back Stroke	Men
24	200 M. Back Stroke	Women
25	800 M. Free Style	Men
26	800 M. Free Style	Women

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TATA POWER SWIMMING POOL,CHEMBUR**

**ORDER OF EVENTS**

**SUNDAY – 20<sup>th</sup> AUGUST 2017**

**WARM-UP:7.00 A.M.**

**STARTING TIME:8.00A.M.**

<b>SR.NO.</b>	<b>EVENT</b>	<b>AGE GROUP</b>
1	100 M. Free Style	Men
2	100 M. Free Style	Women
3	50 M. Butterfly Stroke	Boys Under 8
4	50 M. Butterfly Stroke	Girls Under 8
5	200 M. Breast Stroke	Men
6	200 M. Breast Stroke	Women
7	50 M. Back Stroke	Men
8	50 M. Back Stroke	Women
9	50 M. Back Stroke	Boys Under 8
10	50 M. Back Stroke	Girls Under 8
11	100 M. Butterfly Stroke	Men
12	100 M. Butterfly Stroke	Women
13	4x50 M. Free Style Relay	Boys Under 6 & 8
14	4x50 M. Free Style Relay	Girls Under 6 & 8
15	4x50 M. Free Style Relay	MEN
16	4x50 M. Free Style Relay	WOMEN
<b>I N T E R V A L</b>		
17	400 M. Free Style	Men
18	400 M. Free Style	Women
19	50 M. Breast Stroke	Boys Under 8
20	50 M. Breast Stroke	Girls Under 8
21	50 M. Butterfly Stroke	Men
22	50 M. Butterfly Stroke	Women
23	200 M. Ind. Medley	Men
24	200 M. Ind. Medley	Women
25	50 M. Free Style	Boys Under 8
26	50 M. Free Style	Girls Under 8
27	100 M. Back Stroke	Men
28	100 M. Back Stroke	Women
29	1500 M. Free Style	Men
30	1500 M. Free Style	Women
31	4x50 M. Medley Relay	Boys Under 6 & 8
32	4x50 M. Medley Relay	Girls Under 6 & 8

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HON. GEN. SECRETARY  
GMAAA**

**G.M.A.A.A.**  
**SENIOR & LOWER AGE GROUP AQUATIC CHAMPIONSHIP – 2017**

**LIST OF EVENTS FOR SENIORS**  
**SELECT ONLY 5 INDIVIDUAL EVENTS**

MEN		WOMEN	
NO	EVENT	NO	EVENT
1	50 MTS. FREE STYLE	20	50 MTS. FREE STYLE
2	100 MTS. FREE STYLE	21	100 MTS. FREE STYLE
3	200 MTS. FREE STYLE	22	200 MTS. FREE STYLE
4	400 MTS. FREE STYLE	23	400 MTS. FREE STYLE
5	800 MTS. FREE STYLE	24	800 MTS. FREE STYLE
6	1500 MTS. FREE STYLE	25	1500 MTS. FREE STYLE
7	50 MTS. BREAST STROKE	26	50 MTS. BREAST STROKE
8	100 MTS. BREAST STROKE	27	100 MTS. BREAST STROKE
9	200 MTS. BREAST STROKE	28	200 MTS. BREAST STROKE
10	50 MTS. BACK STROKE	29	50 MTS. BACK STROKE
11	100 MTS. BACK STROKE	30	100 MTS. BACK STROKE
12	200 MTS. BACK STROKE	31	200 MTS. BACK STROKE
13	50 MTS. BUTTERFLY STROKE	32	50 MTS. BUTTERFLY STROKE
14	100 MTS. BUTTERFLY STROKE	33	100 MTS. BUTTERFLY STROKE
15	200 MTS. BUTTERFLY STROKE	34	200 MTS. BUTTERFLY STROKE
16	200 MTS. INDIVIDUAL MEDLEY	35	200 MTS. INDIVIDUAL MEDLEY
17	400 MTS. INDIVIDUAL MEDLEY	36	400 MTS. INDIVIDUAL MEDLEY
18	4X50 MTS. FREE STYLE RELAY	37	4X50 MTS. FREE STYLE RELAY
19	4X50 MTS. MEDLEY RELAY	38	4X50 MTS. MEDLEY RELAY

**RELAY SELECTION TRIAL EVENTS TO FORM GMAAA TEAM FOR MSAAA MEET**

39	100 MTS. FREE STYLE	44	100 MTS. FREE STYLE
40	200 MTS. FREE STYLE	45	200 MTS. FREE STYLE
41	100 MTS. BREAST STROKE	46	100 MTS. BREAST STROKE
42	100 MTS. BACK STROKE	47	100 MTS. BACK STROKE
43	100 MTS. BUTTERFLY STROKE	48	100 MTS. BUTTERFLY STROKE

**LOWER AGE GROUP - UNDER 6 YEARS**  
**BORN ON OR AFTER 1-1-2011**

BOYS		GIRLS	
NO	EVENT	NO	EVENT
49	25 MTS. FREE STYLE	53	25 MTS. FREE STYLE
50	25 MTS. BREAST STROKE	54	25 MTS. BREAST STROKE
51	25 MTS. BACK STROKE	55	25 MTS. BACK STROKE
52	25 MTS. BUTTERFLY STROKE	56	25 MTS. BUTTERFLY STROKE

**LOWER AGE GROUP - UNDER 8 YEARS**  
**BORN DURING 2009&2010**

BOYS		GIRLS	
NO	EVENT	NO	EVENT
57	50 MTS. FREE STYLE	61	50 MTS. FREE STYLE
58	50 MTS. BREAST STROKE	62	50 MTS. BREAST STROKE
59	50 MTS. BACK STROKE	63	50 MTS. BACK STROKE
60	50 MTS. BUTTERFLY STROKE	64	50 MTS. BUTTERFLY STROKE
<b>RELAYS OPEN FOR UNDER 6 &amp; 8 YEARS BORN ON OR AFTER 1-1-2009</b>			
65	4X50 MTS. FREE STYLE RELAY	67	4X50 MTS. FREE STYLE RELAY
66	4X50 MTS. MEDLEY RELAY	68	4X50 MTS. MEDLEY RELAY

## DIVING

MEN OPEN		WOMEN OPEN	
NO	EVENT	NO	EVENT
69	1 MTR. SPRING BOARD DIVING	72	1 MTR. SPRING BOARD DIVING
70	3 MTR. SPRING BOARD DIVING	73	3 MTR. SPRING BOARD DIVING
71	HIGH BOARD DIVING	74	HIGH BOARD DIVING

## WATER POLO

- 75. MEN OPEN
- 76. WOMEN OPEN

# Complete list of 15 players should be submitted by participating teams at the time of draw and certainly before playing their first match

**(PRADEEP DIVGIKAR)**  
**HONORARY GENERAL SECRETARY**  
**GMAAA**



## **GMAAA - POINTS COMPUTATION & CRITERIA FOR DETERMINATION OF BEST SWIMMER**

### **POINTS COMPUTATION:**

- For determination of the Best Swimmer – Winner/Runner Up in Men/Women or in each age category for Boys/Girls, the points allocated will be 7, 5, and 3 points for the top three places respectively in each individual event
- For computation of Team Championship, the points allocated will be 7, 5, 4, 3, 2, 1 for the top six places respectively in each individual event. Whereas, the corresponding points allocation for the Relays, will be 14, 10, 8, 6, 4, 2

### **CRITERIA FOR DETERMINATION OF BEST SWIMMER – WINNER/RUNNER UP IN EACH CATEGORY FOR MEN/WOMEN & BOYS/GIRLS**

The Best Swimmer – Winner/Runner up in each category will be determined by sequentially adopting the following criteria:

- The number of records broken/ bettered in individual events
- The total number of points earned in individual events
- The Total number of Gold/Silver/Bronze Medals earned in individual events
- If deadlock still persists, the honours will be shared

### **EXEMPTION FROM PARTICIPATION IN GMAAA SENIOR/ AGE GROUP MEET**

As you are aware, the GMAAA Senior/ Age Group Meet besides being a District Championship, is also a selection trial for the MSAAA (Maharashtra State) Meet, which in turn forms the basis of selection for the Senior/Age Group Nationals conducted by the SFI (Swimming Federation of India). It is, therefore, imperative for all GMAAA swimmers to participate in the GMAAA Senior/Age Group Meet, as only top six/four in each event qualify for the MSAAA Meet. It has been observed over the years, that several swimmers are not participating in the GMAAA Meet citing a variety of reasons, but seek selection for participation in the MSAAA Meet on past performances (not contemporary). It has, therefore, been decided that exemption from participation in the GMAAA Senior/Age Group Meet would only be considered in the following cases and subject to conditions specified:

- a) **If the swimmer is required to appear for a School/Board/College/University exams on the days of the GMAAA Senior/Age Group Meet provided adequate proof is produced to show that the exam dates clash with the GMAAA Senior/Age Group Meet.** Swimmers seeking exemption must ensure that their entries are sent by their respective clubs/units/institutions for the GMAAA Senior/Age Group Meet in the events that they desire to be considered for selection for the MSAAA Meet. They are also required to make an application well in advance before the

GMAAA Meet with their most recent timings (not older than 3 months from the GMAAA Senior/ Age Group Meet) recorded in a competition supported by a Certificate.

- b) **If a swimmer falls ill or suffers an injury before/during the GMAAA Senior/Age Group Meet, thus preventing him/her from participating in the Meet, provided he/she produces a Medical Certificate in support of the same.** Swimmers seeking exemption must ensure that their entries are sent by their respective clubs/units/institutions for the GMAAA Senior/Age Group Meet in the events that they desire to be considered for selection for the MSAAA Meet. In cases where the illness or injury has been suffered before the GMAAA Meet, they are also required to make an application well in advance with their most recent timings (not older than 3 months from the GMAAA Senior/Age Group Meet) recorded in a competition supported by a Certificate.
  
- c) **If the swimmer is undergoing training in a National Camp organized by the SFI or is participating in an international meet as a member of the Indian team at or around the same time as the GMAAA Senior/Age Group Meet.** Swimmers seeking exemption must ensure that their entries are sent by their respective clubs/units/institutions for the GMAAA Senior/Age Group Meet in the events that they desire to be considered for selection for the MSAAA Meet. They are also required to make an application well in advance before the GMAAA Meet with their most recent timings (not older than 3 months from the GMAAA Senior/Age Group Meet) recorded in a competition supported by a Certificate.
  
- d) **If the swimmer is undergoing training overseas/outside Mumbai at the time of the GMAAA Senior/Age Group Meet, provided his/her timings recorded in a recognized competition (long course) conducted before the GMAAA Senior/Age Group Meet, are available on a website for verification of current (contemporary) performances.** Alternatively, they are required to submit their most recent timings recorded in any swimming meet in India (not older than 3 months from the GMAAA Senior/Age Group Meet) supported by a Certificate. Swimmers seeking exemption must ensure that their entries are sent by their respective clubs/units/institutions for the GMAAA Senior/Age Group Meet in the events that they desire to be considered for selection for the MSAAA Meet. They are also required to make an application well in advance before the GMAAA Senior/Age Group Meet intimating the country/club they desire to visit and coach under whom they would be training.

## **RULES FOR REPRESENTING GMAAA FOR THE RELAY RACES AT THE STATE MEETS:**

1. All the contestants would be eligible to take part in the GMAAA relay teams on the basis of their final timings in the eligible races.
2. All interested participants would need to explicitly convey their request for consideration for the relay team participation within 48 hours of the GMAAA Meet closure.
3. A relay team thus chosen will be then asked to represent GMAAA at the State Meet.
4. Once chosen, the participant must compulsorily be available for the relay race at the designated time. Any failure to do so will result in the participant being debarred from the representing GMAAA in the relays in future. The erring swimmer will also face a 3 month ban from taking part in any GMAAA Meet or any Meet conducted under the auspices of GMAAA. This ban will be effective from the date of the Relay which the swimmer failed to swim.
5. If due to unavoidable circumstances, a chosen swimmer is unable to take part, they must give a request to GMAAA in writing one week before the Meet asking for exemption by giving clear reason. Any last moment/ urgent request will be considered by the GMAAA President directly.
6. The underlying principle is that if a swimmer is fit to compete in the individual races, then he/she is fit to take part in the relays that they themselves have opted for and hence GMAAA will not take a lenient view of any request for absence for the relay event while taking part in the individual races.

It is an earnest request to all the constituents of GMAAA to carefully read the above instructions and ensure their diligent adherence and compliance to ensure that the swimmers concerned are not put through any hardships in their pursuit of excellence.

(PRADEEP DIVGIKAR)

HONORARY GENERAL SECRETARY - GMAAA