

Irish Summer Nationals 2020

Dublin, Ireland, 25 – 29 July 2020

Selection policy

- 1. The objective for this event** is to provide a meaningful and beneficial competitive opportunity to further the long term development of Maltese swimmers towards international success at GSSE (2021 & 2023) and Olympic (2024) levels.
- 2. Team selections** will be made taking into consideration:
 - The Vision of the ASA Swimming Development Program.
 - The development needs of individual athletes in terms of their potential to compete as part of the Maltese team at the 2024 Olympic Games in Paris, 2021 GSSE in Andorra and 2023 GSSE in Malta.
- 3. Selection period** is **01.09.2019 to 18.05.2020**. Athletes will be notified of their selections in the week after the selection deadline.
- 4. Selection Times:**

| Women | | Men |
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| 26.50 | 50 freestyle | 23.50 |
| 58.42 | 100 freestyle | 51.85 |
| 2.06.24 | 200 freestyle | 1.55.19 |
| 4.26.24 | 400 freestyle | 4.08.34 |
| 9.02.09 | 800 freestyle | 8.36.00 |
| 17.25.00 | 1500 freestyle | 16.27.68 |
| 30.55 | 50 backstroke | 26.95 |
| 1.05.90 | 100 backstroke | 58.09 |
| 2.23.25 | 200 backstroke | 2.10.34 |
| 33.95 | 50 breaststroke | 29.45 |
| 1.14.32 | 100 breaststroke | 1.04.80 |
| 2.40.15 | 200 breaststroke | 2.19.21 |
| 28.45 | 50 butterfly | 25.25 |
| 1.03.53 | 100 butterfly | 56.37 |
| 2.23.76 | 200 butterfly | 2.09.00 |
| 2.23.58 | 200 IM | 2.09.79 |
| 5.08.39 | 400 IM | 4.41.60 |

5. Team size.

All swimmers who have achieved a QT during the qualifying period for the Irish Summer Nationals 2020 will be selected. ASA reserves the right to nominate a swimmer/swimmers without QT at it's own discretion in addition to the qualified swimmers.

6. Coach selection.

The ASA will nominate one National Team Coach. Priority in selection will go to the coach having the highest number of **qualified swimmers**. Additional criteria for nomination is FINA points (most number of LC FINA points 2020 in one race during qualifying period).

7. To be eligible for selection, swimmers must achieve a time during the qualifying period in the Long Course Competitions approved by the ASA equal to or better than an individual event Selection Standard.

Athletes who want to be selected for the Irish Summer National Championships 2020 must inform the ASA in advance about their participation in international competitions.

8. Athletes eligibility.

- be a Maltese citizen
- be a registered ASA member for the 2019-2020 season
- be available to fulfil National Team commitments