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The Bramcote Open 2016 Bramcote Swimming Club's 9th Annual Open Meet Sunday 27th November 2016 Licenced Level 3 (3EM162347)

Rules and Conditions

1. The 9th Bramcote Open Meet will be held under ASA Laws and ASA Technical Rules. This Meet is level 3 licenced (3EM162347)
2. The Meet will be held on Sunday 27th November 2016. The venue will be Bramcote Leisure Centre, Derby Road, Nottingham NG9 3GF.
3. The Age Groups are 9, 10, 11, 12, 13 & 14/over. Ages are as on the day of the Meet.
4. For 9 year olds, individual events are over 50m, all four strokes plus the 200m IM and 200m Freestyle. For swimmers aged 10/over, individual events are over 50m, all four strokes, 100m, all four strokes, plus 200m IM and 200m Freestyle. All events will be Age Group Heat Declared Winners.
5. The pool length is 25m, six lanes. The pool will be equipped with electronic timing and anti-wave lane ropes. Depth at the deep end is 11'6"; depth at the shallow end is 4'6".
6. Heats will be swum with all age groups combined and swimmers seeded by entry times. **Entries must be slower than the published upper cut-off times for each event.**
7. Overhead starts may be used at the Promoters discretion.
8. Awards will be presented to the first six places in each age group, in each individual event, after taking into account the upper qualifying times.
9. Swimmers who swim faster than the upper qualifying times will be ineligible for an award but will be presented with a speeding ticket.
10. An award for the Top Visiting Club will also be presented.
Points will be awarded to clubs in each group and event as follows:-

1 st Place = 6 Points	2 nd Place = 5 Points	3 rd Place = 4 points
4 th Place = 3 Points	5 th Place = 2 Points	6 th Place = 1 Point
11. The meet will operate on a first come first served basis. It may be necessary to close some entries to some events prior to the Official Closing Date. **NO POOLSIDE ENTRIES WILL BE ACCEPTED.**
12. Entries are to be made on the Hy-Tek Team Manager entry software. Clubs with more than 5 swimmers are required to submit an electronic entry. Individual paper entries will be accepted, but only at an additional cost.
13. For entry via Hy-Tek Team Manager the entry fee is £5.00 per event, and the closing date for entries will be midnight **6th November 2016.**
14. For **paper entries**, the entry fee is £5.50 per event and the closing date for entries will be **1st November 2016.**
15. All entries must include the swimmer's ASA Registration Number, date of birth, and a contact telephone number as well as the club name, together with the correct fees. Please include an e-mail address. Incomplete entries will not be accepted.

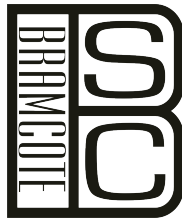
If you are sending a paper entry, then please send your cheque with your entry.

All cheques should be made payable to Bramcote Swimming Club Ltd. Please send all entries to:

Open Meet Co-ordinator, Bramcote Swimming Club, Bramcote Leisure Centre, Derby Road, Nottingham, NG9 3GF

e-mail: bramcoteopen@gmail.com





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16. This meet will be a cardless meet. Details confirming the events entered for all accepted swimmers will be published after 8th November on our website <http://swim-to-win.com/bramcote-open-meet/>
17. Refunds for unaccepted entries will be sent to the club after the open meet has finished. No refunds will be made for the withdrawal of accepted entries after the closing date. The Promoter reserves the right to refuse entry without reason.
18. To assist in the smooth running of the meet, and for the best interest of all competitors, if you intend not to compete in an event and it is after the closing date, then help your fellow competitors by e-mailing bramcoteopen@gmail.com by midday Saturday 26th November 2016. Swimmers wishing to withdraw from an event on the day of the meet **must text 07498 604991 prior to the start of the warm up session in which the event is due to be swum**; otherwise lanes will be left empty during that heat.
19. Entries will be held on a computer solely for the purposes of this competition and consent, as required by the Data Protection Act 1984, to the holding of personal information on computer will be deemed to have been given by the submission of the entry. Personal Data will be available for inspection during the meet on application to the Promoters.
20. The Meet will consist of three sessions:-
Session 1 – Warm up 8:30am, start 9:30am
Sessions 2 and 3 – Warm-up & Start time to be confirmed.
Sessions 1 and 2 may be up to a maximum of 2 ¼ hrs each and Session 3 may be up to a maximum of 2hr with a total maximum competition time of 7 ½ hrs.
21. Swimmers will be called up to two events prior to their swim and should report to the Competitors Steward immediately. The Stewards will send the swimmers to the starting area.
22. Swimmers must wear appropriate footwear when leaving the poolside.
23. Swimmers & officials MUST NOT sit or climb over the spectator/poolside wall.
24. The Seating Capacity at Bramcote is 240 and there is a large, free car park at the Leisure Centre. There are no in-house catering facilities.
25. A coach's pass for the day will cost £12.50 per individual. This will include a programme, meals between sessions and one full results sheet per pass. Please indicate the number of coaches passes required and include the remittance with entry fees. You are reminded that entry to poolside without a pass will not be permitted.
26. Spectator entry will be £7.50 for the day (£4.00 for OAPs/NUS, £1 for children U16) or £4.50 per session (£2.00 OAPs/NUS & 50p for children U16).
27. You are advised not to leave clothing or other articles unattended as neither the Promoter nor the Pool management are able to accept any responsibility for loss or damage. There are coin lockers available for storage of clothing and valuables operated using a £1.00 coin, which is returnable.
28. By competing in the Meet, you are agreeing to photography taking place. An official photographer may be in attendance, however, anyone wishing to use cameras, video recorders or camera phones should complete the register at the entry desk. Any concerns about photography should be raised with the meet co-ordinator.
29. If you have any officials within your Club who can help with this meet please send an e-mail marked 'Officials' to bramcoteopen@gmail.com. Food and refreshments will be provided for the officials between sessions. We ask all clubs sending 10 or more swimmers to provide at least one qualified official per session.
30. We respectfully ask you that should you wear a swim hat it should be either a plain cap or one for the club for which you are competing for on the day.
31. Any conditions not covered by this information will be at the discretion of the Promoter.



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Bramcote Swimming Club would like to thank all officials from Nottinghamshire and those from clubs outside the county who have volunteered to officiate at our open meet in recent years and helped to make it a success.

A large number of volunteers are required to run a successful competition and Bramcote SC invites you to give some of your time if you are able. If you are attending with your swimmer and are a qualified official, please volunteer to support the meet.

We ask all clubs sending 10 or more swimmers to provide at least one qualified official per session.

We will accommodate J1 and J2 mentoring as much as possible, given sufficient advance notice.

If you are a qualified official and are willing to help out at the meet please e-mail Geraldine Lally at bramcoteopen@gmail.com