

# Barbados Masters International Swim Meet

Barbados Aquatic Centre, Willey, St. Michael. Barbados  
October 29<sup>th</sup> – 31<sup>st</sup>, 2014

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Swim Barbados Vacations



Flying Fish Masters Swim Club



Sanctioned by:

Barbados Amateur Swimming Association





# **2014 Barbados Master's International** **Swim Meet**

## **DATE & TIME:**

Wednesday October 29<sup>th</sup> – Warm up 5:00 p.m; Competition Starts 6:00 p.m.

Thursday October 30<sup>th</sup> – Warm up 5:00 p.m; Competition Starts 6:00 p.m

Friday October 31<sup>st</sup> - Warm up 5:00 p.m; Competition Starts 6:00 p.m

## **HOSTS:**

Swim Barbados Vacations, in collaboration with the Barbados Amateur Swimming Association and the Flying Fish Masters Swim Club.

## **SANCTIONED BY:**

Barbados Amateur Swimming Association

## **ORGANIZING COMMITTEE:**

Meet Manager: Aquatic Centre Management & Staff

Meet Referee: Kathleen Beckles

Entries: Zary Evelyn

Technical Chair: Tony Selby

Social Event: Zary Evelyn

## **LOCATION:**

Aquatic Centre, Sir Garfield Sobers Sports Complex, Wildey, St. Michael, Barbados.

## **FACILITY:**

The Barbados Aquatic Center is an Olympic Sized 50m x 25m pool with a 12.5m x 25m paddle pool. There is seating capacity for over 600 athletes and spectators with changing / bathroom facilities and ample parking is available on site. Visit [www.swimbarbados.com](http://www.swimbarbados.com)

## **MEET FORMAT:**

The competition pool will be configured to an 8 lane, 25m pool with continuous warm-up in the shallow section of the pool. All events are timed finals.

## **AGE GROUPS:**

For individual events: 25-29, 30-34, 35-39, 40-44, 45-49, 50-54, 55-59, 60-64, 65-69, 70-74, 75-79,...(five year age groups as high as is necessary).

Relay age groups will be determined by the total age of team members in whole years. Age groups of relay events are as follows: 100-119, 120-159, 160-199, 200-239, 240-279, 280-319 (forty year increments as high as necessary).

**MEET WEBSITE:**

[www.swimbarbadosvacations.com](http://www.swimbarbadosvacations.com) and/or [www.swimbarbados.com](http://www.swimbarbados.com)

**RULES:**

FINA MASTERS RULES 2013 – 2017 WILL BE ENFORCED

**ELIGIBILITY:**

MGR 2: Except for specific exceptions in the FINA Rules and regulations all other FINA Rules and Regulations shall apply to Masters Competitions.

MGR 3: Individual entries shall only be accepted from persons representing clubs. No swimmer or team may be designated as representing a country or Federation.

MGR 4: Age shall be determined as of December 31 of the year of competition.

MGR 5: Masters Competitors must be aware of the need of being well prepared and medically fit before entering into Masters Competitions. They shall assume full responsibility for the risks included in competing in such competitions. In consideration of their entry, they must agree to waive and release FINA, the Organizing National Federation and the Organizing Committee from any kind of liability for accidents, which may cause death, injury or property loss. Entry Forms containing a warning of the risks, an Accident Waiver and Release of Liability must be signed by each Masters competitor.

**SEEDING:**

Shorter events will be seeded by age and time, slowest to fastest. Events of 400m, or over may be seeded by time only. The slower heats of some events may have both genders swimming together as determined by entry times.

The 800m and 1500m freestyle may require 2 swimmers per lane at the discretion of the meet management and will be seeded slowest to fastest. Competitors may request 1 swimmer per lane with their entry form (see below).

**RESULTS:**

Results will be posted at designated areas on the deck and/or pool lobby during the meet. Results will be posted on the Meet website.

**AWARDS:**

Official SBV/2014 Barbados Masters International plaques/medals will be awarded to each 1st, 2nd and 3rd place finishers in each age group for all individual events and relays. Ribbons will be awarded to 4th to 8th place finishers in each age group of individual events and relays. Clubs may enter a maximum of two (2) relay teams, but ONLY the top finishers per club will be awarded points and medals.

Points will be awarded 1<sup>st</sup> – 8<sup>th</sup> respectively: 9, 7, 6, 5, 4, 3, 2 and 1; Double points will be awarded for relays 1<sup>st</sup> - 8<sup>th</sup> respectively: 18, 14, 12, 10, 8, 6, 4, and 2.

Top 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> place overall Clubs will be awarded SBV trophies

**REGISTRATION COMMENCEMENT:**

Entries will be accepted from **March 1<sup>st</sup>, 2014.**

**DEADLINE:**

**Preliminary Entries** are due by **June 30<sup>th</sup> 2014** which should include but not limited to the initial number of competitors, officials and supporters.

**Final Entries** are due by **September 30<sup>th</sup> 2014** which should include the complete list of registered competitors, entry fees, official delegates and supporter packages.

**Relay Entries** are due by **October 10<sup>th</sup> 2014** which should include the complete list of registered competitors, entry fees (both individual gender and mixed relay entries)

**ENTRIES:**

Foreign participants are advised to make their entries via [www.swimbarbadosvacations.com](http://www.swimbarbadosvacations.com) . Local participants can enter via the same website or at Free Style Kids located at the Aquatic Centre, please note the deadlines stated above.

**NO DECK ENTRIES WILL BE ACCEPTED.**

**INDIVIDUAL EVENTS:**

Entry times are required with registration. "No Time" (NT) entries will not be accepted.

All swimmers must provide Masters Affiliation number, and the club with whom they represent. **UNATTACHED ENTRIES WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED.**

An email address is required for each participant to ensure entries can be confirmed. When the maximum number of entries are reached in the long distance events, as determined by session length and the predetermined number of heats, (see ENTRY LIMITS) the swimmer will be notified as soon as possible, and alternative events can be chosen.

Meet management may limit the number of entries in any event depending on session length; Events (MALE & FEMALES) may be combined at the discretion of Meet Management

**RELAY EVENTS:**

Relay swimmers may swim once in each relay event including gender-specific and mixed. Mixed relays must have 2 men and 2 women. Relay entry names must be confirmed and substitutions given to the Meet Management by the end of warm up of the session containing the relay. Substitutions may not change the relay entry age.

**ENTRY LIMITS:**

Each participant may enter a maximum of **6 individual events and 8 relays.**

**Only the first 400 swimmers registered are guaranteed entry.** The 400m IM, 400m, 800m & 1500 m Freestyle events may be limited to each gender, either 1 or 2 per lane as determined by entry numbers. Swimmers may request a single lane for 800m and 1500m freestyle, space permitting. These requests will be processed in the order that they were received and will ONLY be accepted with entries.

**NO DECK REQUESTS WILL BE ACKNOWLEDGED.**

**ENTRY FEES:**

Individual registration: International participants -\$45 USD; Caricom Residents - \$45 BDS.  
Entry fee: International participants- \$7 USD/ entry; Caricom Residents- \$7 BDS / entry  
Relay team entry fee- \$12 USD.

Coaches/Official Delegates must complete registration form accompanied by required fee.

Technical officials willing to assist are required to complete a registration form and state the role and dates in which they will offer their services. There will be no registration fee.

**FEES CANNOT BE REFUNDED AFTER THE ENTRY DEADLINES.**

**PAYMENT:**

Registration and entry fees for foreign participants have to complete their entry via [www.swimbarbadosvacations.com](http://www.swimbarbadosvacations.com) . Local participants can register on the same website or pay fees at Freestyle Kids, Aquatic Centre, Widey, St. Michael.  
See "Deadline" section above for information on critical dates.

**CONFIRMATION:**

The first 400 swimmers to register will receive confirmation using the email address provided with the registration. Status may be checked on the meet website. The remaining registrants will have their request acknowledged, and they will be entered in order of receipt as determined by available heats and session length. Once entered, they will receive confirmation. Entrants above 400 swimmers cannot be guaranteed.

**AT THE MEET:**

Technical Meeting: ALL CLUB DELEGATES are required to attend the **Technical Meeting** at the Aquatic Centre **Tuesday October 28<sup>th</sup> 2014 at 6:00pm** in the Meet Secretariat upon arrival to verify their registration status and to collect their meet information packages. The Meet Secretariat will be located on the mezzanine floor of the Aquatic Centre. Heat sheets, any meet updates and results will be available for coaches from the Meet Secretariat.

Clerk of Course: ALL SWIMMERS must report to the Clerk of Course 3 events prior to the events being swam by the participant.

Relay Check-in: Relay cards will be available from the Meet Secretariat at the start of the session containing the relay. Cards will have the team/club preprinted. Coaches/Official Delegate must provide swimmers' names and ages (including Substitute) and returned to the Meet Manager by the end of the warm-up period.

Substitutions may be of registered swimmers only. Once a relay has been entered, the Age Group cannot be changed. All substitutions must have the swimmers' name and age as of December 31 2014. Relay heat sheets and relay cards, will be available from the Meet Secretariat. Swimmers must swim in the order on the card as presented to the lane timers.

Readiness: Please ensure that all swimmers report to the Clerk of Course. Missed swims will be scratched from the event. Heats will start with the swimmers remaining in the water, except for backstroke. Follow the Referee's instructions.

Deck Seating: Only competitors and coaches will be allowed on the deck. Seating for swimmers will be available on pool side; spectator seating is available in the stands.

### **WARM UP/DOWN:**

There will be an "open pool" warm up in effect from 17:00 – 17:45pm for each session October 29<sup>th</sup>, 30<sup>th</sup> and 31<sup>st</sup> 2014.

During the SBV/Barbados Masters International a portion of the pool will be available for warm up and warm down at all times, and for 15 minutes after the last event of the day. Diving will ONLY be permitted during the warm-up, from the start end of the pool in lane 1 and 8 for the last 20 minutes of warm-up.

### **SAFETY:**

Marshals will be on duty during all warm-up times to ensure swimmer safety.

### **MEDICAL:**

A medical response team will be onsite during the event.

### **OFFICIALS AND VOLUNTEERS:**

Officials, timers and other volunteers are required and welcomed for all sessions. Please indicate with your registration or email the meet manager what technical role you intend to carry out. Meals and refreshments will be provided to the volunteers.

### **T-SHIRTS:**

T-shirts are available for purchase for \$20 USD. They can be preordered and prepaid with the registration to guarantee your size.

### **HOST HOTELS & PACKAGES:**

Details on hotels, travel packages and social events available for participating swimmers, family and friends will be available on the meet website [www.swimbarbadosvacations.com](http://www.swimbarbadosvacations.com) by **March 1<sup>st</sup>, 2014.**

## 2014 Barbados Masters International Swim Meet Program

### Session 1 Wednesday October 29th 2014

Warm-up 17:00 – 17:45 p.m. Start 18:00 p.m.

WOMEN	EVENT	MEN
1	4x50 medley relay (mixed)	1
2	1500 free	3
4	200 IM	5
6	100 breast	7
8	50 Back	9
10	200 Fly	11
12	100 Free	13
14	4x100 medley relay (W,M)	15

### Session 2 Thursday October 30th 2014

Warm-up 17:00 – 17:45 p.m. Start 18:00 p.m.

WOMEN	EVENT	MEN
16	4 x 100 Free Relay (MIXED)	16
17	800 free	18
19	100 Back	20
21	200 Breast	22
23	4 x 50 Free Relay (W,M)	24
25	100 I.M	26
27	50 Fly	28
29	200 Free	30
31	4x100 medley relay (MIXED)	31

### Session 3 Friday October 31st 2014

Warm-up 17:00 – 17:45 p.m. Start 18:00 p.m.

WOMEN	EVENT	MEN
32	4x50 Free Relay (MIXED)	32
33	400 Free	34
35	50 Breast	36
37	200 Back	38
39	4 x 50 Medley Relay (W,M)	40
41	100 Fly	42
43	400 I.M	44
45	50 Free	46
47	4x100 free relay (W,M)	48

## 2014 Barbados Master's International Swim Meet Individual Entry & Registration Form

**REGISTRATION, ENTRIES & FEES MUST BE RECEIVED BY SEPTEMBER 30<sup>TH</sup>, 2014**

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[www.swimbarbadosvacations.com](http://www.swimbarbadosvacations.com) website.

Surname: \_\_\_\_\_ First Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Age as of December 31 2014: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Gender M F (circle) Masters Registration Number: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Club Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Club Code: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Volunteer/Technical Role: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Email Add: \_\_\_\_\_ Sessions Willing to Assist:    **1**        **2**        **3**

	Event Number	Event Name (e.g. 50 free)	Entry time
1			
2			
3			
4			
5			
6			

I wish to swim one per lane for \_\_\_\_\_ 800 m free \_\_\_\_\_ 1500 m free (time permitting)

T shirt preorder (please circle or indicate number)

M F                      XS\_\_\_\_ S\_\_\_\_ M\_\_\_\_ L\_\_\_\_ XL\_\_\_\_ XXL\_\_\_\_

	International Cost-USD \$	Caricom Cost-BDS \$	Total USD or BDS
Registration Fee	\$45	\$45	
Number of events	( ) x \$7 per event	( ) x \$7 per event	
T-shirt USD	\$20		
	Total Payable	Total Payable	

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Signature of Registrant

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Date



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## Relay Entry Form

For reference only for foreign participants; Entries are to be completed on the [www.swimbarbadosvacations.com](http://www.swimbarbadosvacations.com) website.

ONLY registered swimmers may enter relays, Use additional forms for your club if needed

Confirmation of relay swimmers and substitutions must be given to the Meet Management by the end of warm up of the session containing the relay. Substitutions may not cause change to the relay entry age group.

Club Name \_\_\_\_\_ Club Code \_\_\_\_\_

Club Representative \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

<u>Relay Event Number</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Swimmer Number</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Age</u>
		1		
		2		
		3		
		4		
<u>Relay Event Number</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Swimmer Number</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Age</u>
		1		
		2		
		3		
		4		
<u>Relay Event Number</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Swimmer Number</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Age</u>
		1		
		2		
		3		
		4		
<u>Relay Event Number</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Swimmer Number</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Age</u>
		1		
		2		
		3		
		4		

Total # of relays x \$12 USD= \_\_\_\_\_ Must be received by October 10<sup>th</sup>, 2014 (no refunds after this date)

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Signature of Club Representative

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Date