



LITHUANIAN OPEN WINTER SWIMMING CHAMPIONSHIPS 2017

REGULATIONS

**2–4 MARCH, 2017
KAUNAS**



Lietuvos plaukimo federacija

I PLACE AND TIME

1. The competition will take place in Kaunas at 50 m 8 lanes swimming pool (Kovo 11-osios str. 26) on 2–4 March, 2017.

2. Beginning of the competition:

2 March (Thursday)	- Heats	10.30;
	Finals	17.00;
3 March (Friday)	- Heats	10.00;
	Finals	17.00;
4 March (Saturday)	- Heats	9.00;
	Finals	15.00

3. Teams can enter the swimming pool 60 min before the beginning of the competition.

II PARTICIPATION

4. The athletes from the Lithuanian Swimming Federation's member organizations, the swimmers from the other Lithuanian organizations and abroad are welcomed to participate in the Lithuanian Open Winter Championships 2017. The money prizes, medals, diplomas will be given to the best athletes.

5. Number of swimmers in teams is not limited.

III PROGRAM OF THE COMPETITION

6. Competition program:

2 March (Competition starts – 10,30)				3 March (Competition starts – 10.00)				4 March (Competition starts – 9.00)			
1	400 m freestyle	W.	Final	14	400 m freestyle	M.	Final	27	200 m freestyle	W.	Q
2	200 m freestyle	M.	Q	15	100 m freestyle	W.	Q	28	100 m freestyle	M.	Q
3	50 m breastroke	W.	Q	16	50 m breastroke	M.	Q	29	200 m breastroke	W.	Q
4	200 m breastroke	M.	Q	17	100 m breastroke	W.	Q	30	100 m breastroke	M.	Q
5	100 m backstroke	W.	Q	18	100 m backstroke	M.	Q	31	50 m backstroke	W.	Q
6	50 m backstroke	M.	Q	19	200 m backstroke	W.	Q	32	200 m backstroke	M.	Q
7	200 m butterfly	W.	Final	20	50 m freestyle	M.	Q	33	100 m butterfly	W.	Q
8	100 m butterfly	M.	Q	21	200 m butterfly	M.	Final	34	50 m butterfly	M.	Q
9	50 m freestyle	W.	Q	22	50 m butterfly	W.	Q	35	200 m medley	W.	Q
10	400 m medley	M.	Final	23	200 m medley	M.	Q	36	1500 m freestyle	M.	Final
11	400 m medley	W.	Final	24	800 m freestyle	W.	Final				
(Finals B-A start – 17.00)				(Finals B-A start – 17.00)				(Finals B-A starts – 15.00)			
3	50 m breastroke	W.	F-A	16	50 m breastroke	M.	F-A	31	50 m backstroke	W.	F-A
6	50 m backstroke	M.	F-A	22	50 m butterfly	W.	F-A	34	50 m butterfly	M.	F-A
9	50 m freestyle	W.	F-A	20	50 m freestyle	M.	F-A	35	200 m medley	W.	F-B,A
4	200 m breastroke	M.	F- B,A	15	100 m freestyle	W.	F- B,A	30	100 m breastroke	M.	F-B,A
8	100 m butterfly	M.	F- B,A	18	100 m backstroke	M.	F- B,A	27	200 m freestyle	W.	F-B,A
2	200 m freestyle	M.	F- B,A	19	200 m backstroke	W.	F- B,A	28	100 m freestyle	M.	F-B,A
5	100 m backstroke	W.	F- B,A	23	200 m medley	M.	F- B,A	29	200 m breastroke	W.	F-B,A
12	4x100 m freestyle	M.	F	17	100 m breastroke	W.	F- B,A	32	200 m backstroke	M.	F-B,A
13	4x100 m freestyle	W.	F	25	4x100 m medley	W.	F	33	100 m butterfly	W.	F-B,A
				26	4x100 m medley	M.	F	37	4x200 m freestyle	W.	F
								38	4x200 m freestyle	M.	F

IV QUALIFY TIMES

Women	Event	Men
31,07	50 m freestyle	26,23
1.08,15	100 m freestyle	57,38
2.30,04	200 m freestyle	2.08,69
5.37,00	400 m freestyle	4.56,46
11.33,20	800 m freestyle	-
-	1500 m freestyle	20.30,00
38,00	50 m backstroke	31,65
1.22,00	100 m backstroke	1.08,54
2.55,00	200 m backstroke	2.32,62
41,88	50 m breaststroke	34,86
1.29,29	100 m breaststroke	1.17,14
3.16,73	200 m breaststroke	2.56,21
35,25	50 m butterfly	27,77
1.19,00	100 m butterfly	1.03,72
2.52,50	200 m butterfly	2.37,50
2.50,91	200 m medley.	2.26,06
6.21,00	400 m medley.	5.27,67

V ENTRIES

7. Technical entries must be submitted before 17:00 on 22 February, 2017.
8. Last corrections (withdrawals and substitutions) can be made till 14.00 on 28 February, 2017.
9. All entries must be sent **only** by e-mail: lpf.paraikos@gmail.com.
10. Entry times must be based on results found on the www.swimrankings.net
11. Times submitted in the entries must be achieved in period from the 1st January, 2016.
12. Entries will not be accepted after the deadline.
13. Entries are considered accepted after receiving the confirmation (reply).
14. Swimmers whose achieved results mismatch with the results from the technical entry, will start with mark "NT" (No time).
15. The entries can also be submitted online via www.swimrankings.net. Please don't forget to write down the title of your club when submitting the entry.

VI COMPETITION PROCEDURE

16. FINA rules are applied.
17. Competition results will be recorded with OMEGA ARES21 timing system.
18. A competition is held with heats-qualification and finals.
19. 100, 200 m events (except 200 m butterfly) will be held with "B" and "A" finals.
20. If 24 or more swimmers register for event the Final "A" and "B" will be held.
21. If 9 to 23 swimmers register for event, only the Final "A" will be held.
22. If 8 or less swimmers register for the event, the final will be held straight in the evening session.
23. 200 m butterfly, 400 m IM, 800 m FREE, 1500 m FREE will be held in the morning session in the form of a final. In 50 m events, only the Final "A" will be held. The fastest 3 swimmers will be awarded before the evening session.
24. In the evening sessions, the Final "B" will be held first and then the Final "A".

25. 2 substitute swimmers for the Finals will be announced. They must come to call room before the final.
26. The refusal form (if you want to withdraw your swimmers from the finals) must be handed over to the competition secretary no later than 30 min after the heats are over.
27. The Lithuanian Open Winter Swimming Championships is a public event, where videos and photo might be taken.
28. By submitting application form participants agree to the Terms and Conditions of the Event.
29. Application forms for relays with names of the swimmers must be submitted to secretary of the competition 60 min before the start of the Finals.
30. The swimming apparel of competitors must meet the Fina requirements.
31. Relays will be held straight in the evening session in the form of a final.
32. Before entering the race, the participant must register at the participants' judge in the call room.

VII PROTESTS

33. Protests are allowed only against violations of competition rules and regulations as well as in situations where the competition or participants are endangered.
34. All protests must be submitted in writing with deposit of 50 Euro.
35. Meet Referee will process protests according to the Fina rules.
36. In case of granted protest, deposit will be returned.

VIII. AWARDS

37. The winners of Lithuanian Open Winter Swimming Championships will be determined according to the FINA rules.
38. The first three swimmers in each event will be awarded with medals and diplomas of the Lithuanian Swimming Federation.
39. The best three female and male swimmers who will collect the higher amount of FINA points in three events sum total (only in the individual events), will be awarded with money prizes:
 - I place – 500 Euro
 - II place – 300 Euro
 - III place – 200 Euro
40. If two or more swimmers collect the same amount of FINA points in three events, the winners will be announced according to the results or medals which he or she has achieved during the Championships.

IX. FINANCIAL TERMS

41. Competition registration fee for one participant is 15 Euro.
42. All expenses must be covered by the sending organization.
43. The fine for missing the start of heats and final events is 6 Euro and the fine for missing the start of relay events – 12 Euro.
44. The fine for not achieving the qualifying standard is 6 Euro.

The participation fee and fines can be paid via bank transfer:

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Žemaitės st. 6, LT-03117 Vilnius
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IBAN LT49 7044 0600 0150 1455
SWIFT code CBVILT2X
Reference: LZP 17 participation fee (club name)

X. CONTACTS

45. E-mail: - lpf.paraiskos@gmail.com

46. Entry list, meet results, information on website - www.ltuswimming.com

47. Meet referee: Saulius Binevicius, phone No: +370 613 48621

