

# **DORKING SWIMMING CLUB - MASTERS SQUAD**

## **Masters Competition Calendar 2009 to 2010 and beyond**

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1. Events marked \* or 'tbc' have been based upon most reliable previous dates and/or otherwise remain to be confirmed.
2. Almost all Masters events are open to 18-24yrs Seniors, unless stated otherwise.  
*Since 2007, ASA Rules state that - Seniors must be 18yrs on day of competition, for both men & women.*
3. Since 1st October 2005 Dorking SC has been within the SE Region, comprising the Counties of Kent, Surrey, Sussex, Hampshire and IOW, Middlesex, Berkshire, Buckinghamshire, Oxfordshire, Essex, and the Channel Islands, but excluding clubs within London Boroughs who are now in the London Region.
4. Surrey comprises the 'old' boundaries of Surrey, even though Clubs within London Boroughs may be within the London Region. Surrey Masters Clubs therefore will include Cranleigh\*, Dorking, Elmbridge, Epsom, Godalming, Guildford, Haslemere, Leatherhead\*, Redhill & Reigate, Waverley, Wey Valley, Woking, as well as Kingston Royals, Kings Cormorants, Croydon Amphibs, Sutton & Cheam, Wandsworth, Spencer, Cheam Marcuda, South London SC, Old Mid Whitgiftians, etc.  
\* currently have no active Masters section or are very limited.
5. Events in **Red** and marked 'High' priority are to be **main focus** events **for all competitive swimmers** and any clashes with Club Competitions and events are hopefully to be avoided at Club planning stage.
6. Events in **Blue** and marked 'Medium' priority are **secondary focus** events, where some participation may be expected and encouraged. Potential clashes if really unavoidable nevertheless to be considered, discussed, and agreed as soon as practicable
7. Events in **Black** and marked 'Individual' are there for information and for the decision and diaries of the individual swimmer. Nevertheless, let Phil and others know you are thinking of going, you may well find others with a like mind. Tell us about it and pass on the results afterwards too, maybe others would like to try it next time.
8. If you are aware of any other events not listed, have an update on those shown, or wish to suggest a focus on one of the lower priority events, do please let your thoughts be known, email Phil or Andy.
9. If you are selected for an Age-Group/Open Club event (Arena (ex Speedo)/Rother Leagues etc) do first check that it does not affect your availability for a main focus **Masters** event, which should be your **FIRST CLAIM**. Otherwise, congratulations, swim well!
10. Some of the popular Open Water events are listed, but a separate list will also be provided. Please ask if you cannot find the info.
11. One or two social events and activities are listed, just to give context, but don't forget a calendar of main DSC events and competition will be included in the Club Newsletter, usually circulated by email and published on the website [www.dorkingsc.com](http://www.dorkingsc.com)
12. This is not an exhaustive list of all Masters events, further info will be found on the ASA website at [www.britishswimming.org](http://www.britishswimming.org) etc.
13. Most Masters results are collated and entered automatically in the ASA National Decathlon Competition, in certain categories of event and age adjusted according to an internationally agreed format. Get involved, check it out on the ASA website. Club team and Individual male and female results are listed. Try an unfamiliar event maybe? Where did you come last year?
14. All DSC Club Championships are also age adjusted to the same format - are you good for your age? One way to find out!





Day	Date	tbc	Event	Venue	Closing	email/contact	Forms	Priority
<b>May 2010</b>								
Sa	08/05/10	tbc	Essex County Sen Masters Open Champs	Thurrock		DSC have been for last 2yrs	will circulate	Medium
Sa	08/05/10		Welsh Capital Sen/Masters LC Meet	Cardiff	10/04/10	www.cardiffmasters.co.uk		Ind
Sa	15/05/10		Yorkshire County Sen Masters Open Champs	Scarborough	17/04/10	yorkswim@ntlworld.com		Ind
Sa	22/05/10		DSC Club 50m Sprint Champs	tbc		Amanda Doyle*	DSC Website	High
<b>June 2010</b>								
Fri	04/06/10	tbc	Guildford Summer Aquathlon No1 500/5km	Guildford Lido		www.phoenixtri.co.uk	will circulate	High
Sun	06/06/10	tbc	Eastbourne Sen & Masters Open	Sovereign Centre		Eastbourne SC	will circulate	Ind
Sat	12/06/10	tbc	BLDSA Champ of Champs 5,3 & 1 mile ow	Dover Harbour				Ind
Fri - Sun	18/06 - 20/06/10	tbc	GB Sen & Masters Long Course Champs				will circulate	Medium
Sat	26/06/10	tbc	Surrey Senior & Masters Sprint Champs	Spectrum G'ford		Top Surrey Club 2008/2009!!	will circulate	High
Sun	27/06/10	tbc	Sussex Sen & Masters Championships	K2 Crawley*		Check eligibility		Ind
<b>July 2010</b>								
Sat	03/06/10		North West Masters	Blackpool		www.swimnorthwest.org		Ind
Sun	04/07/10	tbc	Henley Regatta Dawn Swim 2000m ow	Henley		On the regatta course		Ind
Sun	04/07/10		British Modern Biathlon Champs (swim&run)	Liverpool	By 05/06	By SE Region Qualifier		Ind
Sa - Sun	10/07 - 11/07/10		DSC Club 100m Campionships	Dorking S Centre*		Amanda Doyle*	DSC website	High
Sun	11/07/10	tbc	Brighton Pier 2 Pier 1km Sea Swim ow	Brighton		Brighton SC (SER Series)	will circulate	High
Fri		tbc	2nd Sen & Masters Inter Club 50m Relay Event	Guildford Lido		Ref Jim Boucher	will circulate	High
Fri	16/07/10	tbc	Guildford Summer Aquathlon No2 500/5km	Guildford Lido		www.phoenixtri.co.uk		High
	17/07 - 18/07/10	tbc	Barnet Cophall Sprints Meet	Barnet Cophall			will circulate	High
Sat	24/07/10		Vibes & Scribes River Lee Swim 2000m ow	Cork		(2 DSC swam in 2009!)	will circulate	Ind
Sat	24/07/10	tbc	SER Sussex Open Water Champs 5km ow	Eastbourne		Eastbourne SC	will circulate	Medium



