



ASA NATIONAL YOUTH CHAMPIONSHIPS RELAY TEAMS SELECTION POLICY

Relay Teams for the National Youth Championships will be selected in accordance with this policy and using the ASA and City of Leeds Swimming Club Rankings Database.

1. SELECTION

1.1. ELIGIBLE AGE

Males: aged 15- 18 years
Females: aged 15 -18 years

1.2. 4 x 100m FREESTYLE RELAY

The 4 highest ranked available swimmers will be selected to swim in the 4 x 100m Freestyle Team. Where additional teams qualify, the next highest ranked 4 swimmers will be selected to swim.

1.3. 4 x 200m FREESTYLE RELAY

The 4 highest ranked available swimmers will be selected to swim in the 4 x 200m Freestyle Team. Where additional teams qualify, the next highest ranked 4 swimmers will be selected to swim.

1.4. 4 x 100m MEDLEY RELAY

The 4 swimmers who are able to give the best cumulative time will be selected to swim the 4 x 100m Medley Team.

Where additional teams qualify the 4 swimmers who are able to give the next fastest cumulative time will be selected to swim.

2. GENERAL

- 2.1. Only those swimmers who are registered members of the City of Leeds Swimming Club will be selected for the National Youth Championships Relay Teams.
- 2.2. If during the course of the National Youth Championships a swimmer swims a faster time in an individual event which occurs in a session before, but not including the session of the Relay event, they may be selected for the team at the discrepancy of the Head Coach in order to provide the best overall result for the team.
- 2.3. Swimmers becoming unfit due to illness or injury at any time between selection and the day of the competition must notify the Head Coach immediately. Any swimmer judged to be unfit by the Head Coach may be de-selected in the interest of the team.
- 2.4. The replacement of swimmer (s) who have withdrawn or have been de-selected will be the remit of the Head Coach.
- 2.5. All selected team members for National Youth Championships Relay Teams will be required to sign and comply with the club's Code of Conduct.
- 2.6. When on poolside, swimmers **MUST** wear the full City of Leeds Swimming Club team kit including t-shirts, tracksuits/shorts (or tracksuits and shorts in club colours if swimmers do not have club kit) and club swim caps for those who wear them when racing.
- 2.7. Swimmers who are selected for the National Youth Championships Relay Teams, who are not swimming in individual events, will have the option to stay in the team accommodation the evening before the respective Relay Event.
- 2.8. In all matters concerning team selection, the Head Coach reserves the right to select swimmers that fall outside the normal selection policy to ensure the best possible result for the team.