

Swim England South East Region Championships 2024

How to Request a Reswim

Because of problems with the boom at K2, it was not possible to configure the pool for a long-course competition.

We are offering re-swims to up to 8 swimmers who have a realistic chance of qualifying for one of the National Summer meets. To be fair to other swimmers, we ask that swimmers who already have a time on rankings that guarantees an invitation to swim in the Summer meets not to ask for a re-swim.

We must have a way of selecting swimmers if there are more than 8 applications. The process we use must be objective and transparent. The way we have chosen is to select those swimmers with highest notional LC ranking position based on the time recorded in their SC event at K2.

There is no ideal way for us to select swimmers. This approach is objective. Please understand that we are doing the best we can in an almost impossible situation. This will depend on as many submissions as possible including a notional LC ranking, established as follows:

- Convert the SC time to LC (using the Swim England conversion tables)
- Check 2024 LCrankings for England and find out where that swim would place the swimmer (if the swimmer already has a faster LC time, DO NOT enter that time.)

Don't worry if you are unable to do that, we will calculate the position for you, but there is not time for us to do this for every request. We will do random checks to ensure that the ranking in the request is valid. (We do understand that rankings will change as more results are added).

To request a re-swim, please complete the online form at

<https://forms.gle/tyxSxewVUZjENHyK7>

All applications must be received by 8pm on the evening of Monday 22nd April 2024.

You should receive an e-mail confirmation of your request. If in doubt submit the request again. If we receive duplicates for the same event, we will take the latest.

To apply the swim must have qualified for the final, or be in the top 8 in an HDW event.

- If the swimmer withdrew from the final, enter the heat time
- If the swimmer's time in the heats was faster than in the final enter the heat time

The form asks for the following information:

- Swimmer name
- Club
- Stroke
- Distance
- Time recorded at K2
- Position
- Notional age group ranking position

Before submitting a request please consider the overall programme of events that the swimmer will be entering. Not only will there be a fine for swimmers who withdraw from an event, that also will deny another swimmer the opportunity to compete.

All events will be scheduled alongside the same stroke/distance for the opposite sex with the exception of the girls 800m freestyle which will take place at the start of Sunday morning and the boys 1500m which will take place at the end of Sunday afternoon, because we cannot expect a swimmer to swim 800m and 1500m in the same session.

I will do the analysis one event at a time and at the end of each day, I will publish a list accepted requests for events I have completed. It may take until Thursday to finish the task.

Please be aware that I will not have time to respond to questions submitted by email until the analysis of re-swim requests is complete.

Mike Lambert

Swimming Manager