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59TH INTERNATIONAL CHALLENGE OF GENEVA

Dates	23 th to 25 th January 2026
Venues	Genève, Centre Sportif des Vernets, Rue Hans Wilsdorf 4, 1227 les Acacias Indoor Olympic pool 8 x 50 m - Automatic Timing - Warm up pool 4 x 25 m
Organisation	Genève Natation 1885 - phone +41 22 342 19 72 - web : www.gn1885.ch/cig
Event coordinator	Laurent Trincat
World Aquatics Approved	CIG is approved by World Aquatics, complies with the rules of World Aquatics and Swiss Aquatics, open to swimmers holding an annual licence of Swiss Aquatics or another World Aquatics federation. Registered performances will be recognized per qualifications to official International Championships.

Entries	PRE-ENTRY FORM of your team sent before October 31 st will give you 10% reduction on entry fees. Please fill out form (to be found in www.gn1885.ch/cig).
Mail address	All entries should be sent to : cig@gn1885.ch
Registration	- For swiss Teams : by email with LENEX file. - For foreign Teams : please download (https://gn1885.ch/cig) and fill out the excel frames. Entries list will be published on our website from the 14 th of January 2026.

Deadline & entry fee >>> At latest on **Monday, January 12th 2026, 23h59. Fee : 17.-Chf per entry** <<<

Payment	Before the beginning of the competition (based on sent invoice), or by cash directly at the venue.
Withdrawals	Attention : All changes, withdrawals or cancellations occurring after the deadline on January 22th 2026 will be billed. Last opportunity for entry modification : Thursday, January 22th 2026 before 6:00 PM. <u>Note</u> : Withdrawals from finals within 30 minutes after the end of the event is required. An undeclared withdrawal or unsportsmanlike behavior during a final result in disqualification for the event concerned and for the next subsequent event.
Entry time	The organising committee can demand proof of entry times (swam within the previous 12 month - official list provided by your federation / association), and reserves the right to limit the number of entries in order to maintain the Meet with reasonable size and quality.
Officials	Clubs with more than 15 swimmers have to provide at least one official. The name, qualifications of the official and his/her availability (sessions) have to be submitted along the entries.

Insurance	Each individual participating in the event (swimmers, team leaders, coaches, etc...) must have their own insurance. Genève Natation 1885 will not be held responsible in case of accidents. The organisation reserves the right to modify the schedule and limit the registrations if the sanitary rules become again in a wrong side.
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Event/Seeding **Heats and Finals** shall be seeded with all submitted entry times and swim regardless of categories.

For 50m events - heats followed by :

- Semi-final and final for 50 fly, 50 breaststroke and 50 backstroke.
- Semi-final, final and followed by a "SKINS" formula for 50 freestyle.

For 100 events : heats followed by (in following order) C, B and A finals.
C final if at least 32 swimmers on the ranking after the heats.

For 200 events : heats followed by (in following order) B and A finals.
B final if at least 24 swimmers on the ranking after the heats.

For 400 events : heats followed by A final.

For 800 and 1500 freestyle events, no final. Ranking by time.
Pay attention : only one heat for 1500m Women and 800m Men.

Awards Gold, silver and bronze medals for each event. Ceremony will be just after each event.

Prize money **For swimmers**

Meeting ranking : Top best swimmers (men and women) based on FINA points will earn a dotation at the end of the meeting

1st place: 1'500.-Chf 2nd place 1'000.-Chf 3rd place 500.-Chf (above ranking)

Winner of the "SKINS 50m freestyle" event : special prize.

Meeting record : prize in .-Chf by record. Swimmer have to swim the final and keep the record.

For coaches : A prize money will be awarded to the first 8 coaches whose ranking will be set according to the addition of their swimmers point ranking. In case of tie, the prize money will be divided in two.

1st place : 800.-Chf 2nd place : 600.-Chf 3rd place 500.-Chf
4th place : 400.-Chf 5th place : 300.-Chf 6th to 8th place : 200.-Chf

Image Rights

An official photographer will be present throughout the entire duration of the competition. By participating in the event, athletes, coaches, and officials authorize the organizing club, Genève Natation 1885, as well as its partners, to freely use and distribute any images (photos and videos) taken during the event.

These images may be used for communication, promotional purposes, on any medium (website, social media, printed materials, etc.), without any time limitation.

It is the responsibility of the heads of delegations to inform the swimmers and to notify us if any withdrawal needs to be made before the event.



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FRIDAY

WARM-UP 7H30-8H45 RACES START AT 9H00

1	400	Free	W	5 heats
2	100	Free	M	Heats
3	100	Free	W	Heats
4	200	Breast	M	Heats
5	200	Back	W	Heats
6	200	IM	W	Heats
7	400	IM	M	3 heats max
8	50	Fly	W	Heats
9	50	Fly	M	Heats
10	50	Back	W	3 heats max
11	50	Back	M	Heats
12	50	Breast	W	Heats
13	50	Breast	M	Heats

WARM-UP 15H30-16H45 RACES START AT 17H00

14	800	Free	M	Final
1	400	Free	W	Final
2	100	Free	M	Final C, B & A
3	100	Free	W	Final C, B & A
4	200	Breast	M	Final B & A
5	200	Back	W	Final B & A
6	200	IM	W	Final B & A
7	400	IM	M	Final
15	1500	Free	W	Final
8	50	Fly	W	Semi
9	50	Fly	M	Semi
10	50	Back	W	Semi
11	50	Back	M	Semi
12	50	Breast	W	Semi
13	50	Breast	M	Semi



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SATURDAY

WARM-UP 7H30-8H45 RACES START AT 9H00

16	400	Free	M	5 Heats
17	200	Breast	W	Heats
18	200	Back	M	Heats
19	1500	Free	M	1 Slow heat
20	800	Free	W	1 Slow heat
21	100	Fly	W	Heats
22	100	Fly	M	Heats
23	200	IM	M	Heats
24	400	IM	W	3 Heats max
25	50	Free	W	Heats
26	50	Free	M	Heats

WARM-UP 15H30-16H45 RACES START AT 17H00

8	50	Fly	W	Final
9	50	Fly	M	Final
10	50	Back	W	Final
11	50	Back	M	Final
12	50	Breast	W	Final
13	50	Breast	M	Final
16	400	Free	M	Final
24	400	IM	W	Final
23	200	IM	M	Final B & A
18	200	Back	M	Final B & A
21	100	Fly	W	Final C, B & A
22	100	Fly	M	Final C, B & A
17	200	Breast	W	Final B & A
19	1500	Free	M	Fast Heat
20	800	Free	W	Fast Heat
25	50	Free	W	Semi
26	50	Free	M	Semi



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SUNDAY

WARM-UP 7H30-8H45 RACES START AT 9H00

27	200	Free	M	Heats
28	200	Free	W	Heats
29	200	Fly	M	Heats
30	200	Fly	W	Heats
31	100	Back	M	Heats
32	100	Back	W	Heats
33	100	Breast	M	Heats
34	100	Breast	W	Heats

WARM-UP 14H30-15H30 RACES START AT 15h45

27	200	Free	M	Final B & A
28	200	Free	W	Final B & A
29	200	Fly	M	Final B & A
30	200	Fly	W	Final B & A
31	100	Back	M	Final C, B & A
32	100	Back	W	Final C, B & A
33	100	Breast	M	Final C, B & A
34	100	Breast	W	Final C, B & A
35	50	Free	W	Final - Skins
36	50	Free	M	Final - Skins



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Men - Entry time limits

50 Fr	26.50	50 Fly	28.50	50 Br	33.00
100 Fr	55.00	100 Fly	1:01.50	100 Br	1:11.00
200 Fr	2:02.00	200 Fly	2:22.00	200 Br	2:37.00
400 Fr	4:15.00	50 Back	29.00	200 IM	2:19.00
800 Fr	Best 8	100 Back	1:06.00	400 IM	Best 24
1500 Fr	Best 16	200 Back	2:21.00		

Women - Entry time limits

50 Fr	30.00	50 Fly	32.50	50 Br	38.50
100 Fr	1:01.00	100 Fly	1:09.00	100 Br	1:22.00
200 Fr	2:12.00	200 Fly	2:40.00	200 Br	2:58.00
400 Fr	4:42.00	50 Back	34.00	200 IM	2:36.50
800 Fr	Best 16	100 Back	1:10.50	400 IM	Best 24
1500 Fr	Best 8	200 Back	2:29.00		



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Men meeting records

Record categories for 2026

OPEN: born 2007 & older
JUNIOR: born 2006 & younger

Stroke	Record	Holder	Year	Prize money (-Chf)
50 Fr	<i>21.90 Open</i>	Kartavi Martin	<i>2024</i>	<i>250</i>
100 Fr	<i>48.90 Open</i>	<i>Fraser Brett</i>	<i>2020</i>	<i>450</i>
	<i>49.93 Junior</i>	<i>D'ambrosio Carlos</i>	<i>2025</i>	<i>200</i>
200 Fr	<i>1:48.30 Open</i>	Liess Nils	<i>2021</i>	<i>400</i>
	<i>1:49.62 Junior</i>	Djakovic Antonio	<i>2020</i>	<i>325</i>
400 Fr	<i>3:48.88 Open</i>	Djakovic Antonio	<i>2024</i>	<i>250</i>
	<i>3:52.17 Junior</i>	Djakovic Antonio	<i>2020</i>	<i>325</i>
800 Fr	<i>7:58.01 Open</i>	Djakovic Antonio	<i>2023</i>	<i>250</i>
1500 Fr	<i>15:15.89 Open</i>	Jervis Daniel	<i>2024</i>	<i>250</i>
50 Fly	<i>23.32 Open</i>	Korstanje Nyls	<i>2021</i>	<i>400</i>
100 Fly	<i>51.93 Open</i>	<i>Metella Mehdy</i>	<i>2019</i>	<i>500</i>
	<i>52.71 Junior</i>	<i>Burdisso Federico</i>	<i>2019</i>	<i>350</i>
200 Fly	<i>1:56.72 Open</i>	<i>Burdisso Federico</i>	<i>2025</i>	<i>200</i>
	<i>1:57.14 Junior</i>	<i>Burdisso Federico</i>	<i>2019</i>	<i>350</i>
50 Ba	<i>25.01 Open</i>	<i>Ndoye Brouard Yohann</i>	<i>2021</i>	<i>400</i>
100 Ba	<i>53.06 Open</i>	<i>Ceccon Thomas</i>	<i>2022</i>	<i>350</i>
	<i>54.85 Junior</i>	<i>Ceccon Thomas</i>	<i>2019</i>	<i>350</i>
200 Ba	<i>1:55.99 Open</i>	<i>Mityukov Roman</i>	<i>2024</i>	<i>200</i>
	<i>2:00.31 Junior</i>	<i>Garcia Nicolas</i>	<i>2020</i>	<i>325</i>
50 Br	<i>26.68 Open</i>	<i>Martinenghi Nicolo</i>	<i>2021</i>	<i>400</i>
100 Br	<i>59.10 Open</i>	<i>Martinenghi Nicolo</i>	<i>2021</i>	<i>400</i>
	<i>1:01.45 Junior</i>	<i>Petrashov Denis</i>	<i>2018</i>	<i>375</i>
200 Br	<i>2:09.35 Open</i>	<i>Kamminga Arno</i>	<i>2021</i>	<i>400</i>
	<i>2:12.62 Junior</i>	<i>Petrashov Denis</i>	<i>2018</i>	<i>400</i>
200 IM	<i>1:58.77 Open</i>	<i>Desplanches Jeremy</i>	<i>2021</i>	<i>400</i>
	<i>2:03.18 Junior</i>	<i>Ceccon Thomas</i>	<i>2019</i>	<i>350</i>
400 IM	<i>4:18.46 Open</i>	<i>Desplanches Jeremy</i>	<i>2024</i>	<i>250</i>
	<i>4:22.30 Junior</i>	<i>Potenza Emanuele</i>	<i>2024</i>	<i>225</i>



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Women meeting records

Record categories for 2026

OPEN: born 2008 & older
JUNIOR: born 2009 & younger

Stroke	Record	Holder	Year	Prize money (-Chf)
50 Fr	24.91 Open	Busch Kim Bonnet	2021	400
100 Fr	53.72 Open 55.98 Junior	Bonnet Charlotte Taylor Theodora	2018 2025	550 200
200 Fr	1:57.70 Open 2:01.09 Junior	Bonnet Charlotte Domina Lucrezia	2018 2025	550 200
400 Fr	4:11.90 Open 4:14.09 Junior	Vrooman Lindsay Domina Lucrezia	2015 2025	550 200
800 Fr	8:33.42 Open	Quadarella Simona	2018	550
1500 Fr	16:13.18 Open	Quadarella Simona	2018	550
50 Fly	25.91 Open	Henique Mélanie	2020	450
100 Fly	58.73 Open 1:00.74 Junior	Vanotterdijk Roos Santambrogio Caterina	2025 2025	200 200
200 Fly	2:10.78 Open 2:15.00 Junior	Jakabos Zusanna Mac Innes Keanna	2016 2016	650 425
50 Ba	27.86 Open	Toussaint Kira	2021	400
100 Ba	59.85 Open 1:02.27 Junior	Toussaint Kira Wild-Richards Cassie	2021 2017	400 400
200 Ba	2:10.40 Open 2:13.40 Junior	Panziera Margherita Shanahan Katie	2022 2020	350 325
50 Br	30.89 Open	Hannis Molly	2016	650
100 Br	1:06.47 Open 1:09.29 Junior	Hannis Molly Pineda Lopez Nayara	2016 2025	650 200
200 Br	2:28.51 Open 2:28.73 Junior	Trníková Nikoleta Pineda Lopez Nayara	2021 2024	400 225
200 IM	2:12.84 Open 2:15.69 Junior	Gastaldi Anita Shanahan Katie	2025 2020	200 325
400 IM	4:45.79 Open 4:49.41 Junior	Pirovano Anna Shanahan Katie	2025 2020	200 325