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## PRESIDENT'S REPORT

Swimming South Africa and the world of sport had their hopes, Olympic dreams, our national, continental and international strategies and high performance plans shattered. This by the Novel Corona Virus that arrived on our shores in March of this year and identified first in China Wuhan. The virus has fundamentally changed the face of the world and sport is hugely impacted by it. Our energies, all directed in making swimming South Africa a great national federation, with exceptional podium performance completely derailed. In February Swimming South Africa assembled a medical team under the leadership of Professor Rajen Naidoo to advise our federation on matters relating to COVID19. The advice was to suspend all competitions this certainly was the hardest decision I personal ever had to make in hindsight appeared to be the right decision for the federation. On March 15th our national government announced a hard lockdown that many had perceived will, at most, last a few weeks. Well we had 190 plus days of lockdown with 5 levels. We started engaging with the government in level 5 as we thought we could assemble the Olympic potential at a central venue. This was met with resistance from the government and the message was clear saving lives was the government's priority action plan. In Level 4 the government was more approachable and on engagement asked all non-contact federations to submit their resumption plans for levels 3-1. Our Plan for level 1 has always been resumption of competition. The virus brought massive hardship within our federation coaches, learn to swim instructors, the national and provincial federations facing insolvency. We shifted our approach focusing on getting back to training thus alleviating economic hardship for those who earn their living from our sport. Society and sport in particularly has

been very critical of the government but as a sports leader I must give credit where it's due, government has received international recognition for their approach to managing the virus. Fully equipped field hospitals built in a matter of weeks is certainly an indication of a country that can rise above political squabbles and focus on what we need as a country. Yes we have failed the nation in many areas and I have a firm belief that as weak as we are in many spheres of society and economic life, we will get through this stronger. All areas of life and sport is no different, as a matter of fact, we remain the hardest hit when looking at resource investment. Funding and sponsorship for sports and in particularly swimming, needs more support from our national department to take the sport forward. Despite the lack of resources and our own limitations, the performance of Swimming South Africa at every level has seen excellent improvement.

We must remember Swimming South Africa in world swimming context is a force to be reckoned with and we have always produced exceptional results at all levels. Medal performance in our zonal and continental competitions continuously improve our standards. Our Support in developing competitive aquatics on the continent is well received from our sister federations in CANA. Water Polo, Opening water swimming and Artistic swimming has excellent potential throughout the continent. Podium performances at Zone IV and junior worlds and Olympic Youth events is testimony of our focus on age group participation. The performance of our elite swimmers at 2019 World Championship in Kwangju, Korea placed us above many of competitors in the world of elite aquatics. Our Road Map to Tokyo remain highly competitive even with the impact of COVID19 across

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the world. We must remember that most of the world commenced training more than seven months ahead of SSA and has been participating in competitions. We are on the back foot, but well within our ability to make the country proud. Here I must give credit to all our coaches, right from our junior ranks to elite coaches across all our disciplines of Swimming, Water Polo, Artistic Swimming, Diving and Open Water.

Our Chief executive’s operational report will deal with some of the detail activities we have been involved with during Lockdown and the planned resumption of competitions, keeping our athletes, coaches, sub committees and provinces informed. I would also like to highlight some of our excellent performances: Zone IV in Botswana, World Champs in Korea, Africa Juniors in Tunisia and other continental and international events before COVID 19 disrupted the world of sports. The postponement of our events effected the Africa Seniors scheduled to take place in Durban, including all FINA events as well as the FINA Congress. The resumption of swimming in our country started with regional short course championships and the national Short Course champs set for 24-27 October.

We are extremely proud of all our athletes who have remained committed to our sport and tried their best to remain virus free and in good physical & mental shape. We are fortunate to have not had any fatalities to date,

but I ask all of the swimming community to be vigilant and keep safe. I must acknowledge work done by many of our affiliates and sub-committees. I want to personally thank our CEO for his role he played in the government initiated war room, preparing all presentation for discussions with government. Anton Jordaan for managing the national Compliance Office with all provincial, district and club compliance officers. The Provincial Presidents for participation in our weekly Covid Communication meetings and the Swimming South Africa War Room. Lastly, a thank you to the DSAC, our own athletes, coaches and sub committees. We have principally decided to postpone our QGM until such time as the environment permits. I ask all our members once again, don’t drop your guard we have done very well and should continue to implement social distancing, drive the health protocols and protect one’s self against the corona virus.

Stay Safe, Stay blessed



**Alan A Fritz**  
President  
Swimming South Africa



# CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER'S REPORT

**T**he year under review has been marked by the worldwide COVID-19 pandemic and had a marked impact on activities across the continents. This impacted all spheres of life including sport and aquatics in particular. A special mention to the passing of a long serving SSA Staff member, Mr Dave Norman in May 2019, whose experience and service to the organisation will be sorely missed.

This impacted on our activities with our major regional and national competitions not taking place following the lockdown imposed in March 2020. This has had a negative impact on revenue generated from competitions and resultant loss. Some of our activities did take place before the imposition of the lockdown and are detailed in the relevant activity reports.

## MASS PARTICIPATION AND EDUCATION

We have continued with our strategy to provide water safety education to the public with a specific focus on primary schools. For the period under review over 15 000 learners were exposed to water safety education.

Most of our activity programmes took place pre-lockdown and included programmes being conducted in Pool Splash, Rural Splash and Ocean Splash across the country. There has been some decrease in the number of activity programmes largely ascribed to the revised implementation of a decentralised approach.

This has also impacted our Club Development Programme and we will engage with Affiliates to strengthen this programme in accordance with our transformation imperatives.

Our Education and Training programme has had a busy year with training courses for Instructors, coaches technical Officials and team managers course and a number of FINA coaching clinics being conducted.

## COMPETITIONS & HIGH PERFORMANCE

### DOMESTIC COMPETITIONS

As mentioned due to the pandemic three Grand Prix events and the 2020 National Open Water Championships before the COVID-19 lockdown with the rest of our competitions cancelled.

### CONTINENTAL AND INTERNATIONAL COMPETITIONS

In the year under review, we have seen our athletes participate in various international Events including and delivering medal winning performances, in the Southern African Region, on the Continent and on the international stage. One of the standout out international competitions was the FINA World Junior Championships, which have seen one of the biggest South African Team that we have sent to this competition as compared to previous editions, as part of a concerted effort for exposure to our young potential elite athletes.

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#### GOVERNANCE & ORGANISATIONAL DEVELOPMENT

The pandemic imposed lockdown in March 2020, have had a profound effect on our activities and necessitated a shift in key parts of organisation, most notably the use of online platforms and the acceleration in the development of our systems for online use.

#### TRANSFORMATION

A concerted effort is required from us all SSA sectors to effect meaningful transformation to ensure business continuity for all our stakeholders. This will necessitate us to engage with each affiliate to ensure we respond to substantively to the

#### CONCLUSION

In the 2019 – 2020 year we received the financial support from the National Lotteries Commission, Sport and Recreation South Africa, SASCOC and Arena, which have greatly assisted us to sustain our activities.

A special thank you to our general membership, our Affiliate Presidents, Committee Convenors, Staff, SSA Executive Committee and the SSA President whose support have ensured a successful year under difficult circumstances.



**S. L. Adriaanse**  
Chief Executive Officer  
Swimming South Africa



# i. MASS PARTICIPATION

**T**he running of a good development programme is an essential part of the SSA mandate in terms of building the base. It is of paramount importance for SSA through its provincial affiliates to reach out to the majority of disadvantaged communities who are not exposed to aquatics and often experience drownings. It is important to acknowledge those provinces that take their own initiative and drive some of the development programmes.

It is also important to start a mentoring programme, particularly for small affiliates, as they often do not have the capacity to deploy members who can go into communities and coordinate mass participation programmes.

To encourage community clubs it is important for provinces to provide guidance and support and not to marginalise community clubs by imposing high registration fees and gala entries that they clearly cannot afford. Request for documentation from development clubs might also pose some challenges due to lack of resources and these are some of the genuine challenges that often hamper transformation.

## LEARN TO SWIM

The teaching of learn to swim encompasses water safety, water orientation and survival skills in addition to basic stroke development and the target group is from three to four year olds until adulthood.

The decentralisation of mass participation activities has had a huge negative impact on the learn to swim programme. Out of 17 districts, only five districts have continued with the programme. The programme also suffered a setback as most pools within Gauteng, Buffalo City and Cape Town municipalities were closed for maintenance without any prior notice to the affiliates. The abrupt discontinuation affects working relations with the different stakeholders that participate in the programmes.

Umlazi Sharks hosted a recreational gala with a few schools to assess learner's swimming ability.

The recreational gala has turned out to be an annual event for the school learners around Umlazi. Learners go for lessons during physical education which is part of life skills and the learn to swim programme is an important life skill for all children. Umlazi Shark's main aim is to increase their numbers at grass root level





*Layout of the branding before the programme*



*Instructor conducting water safety education*

### **SPRING LAUNCH**

Rustenburg Swimming club in conjunction with Rustenburg Municipality hosted the spring launch and invited surrounding villages, on the 14th September 2019 at Rustenburg Town Pool. Over 500 community members and 200 children graced the event as the pool gates opened for free on the day.

The day started with water safety education which was well received by parents. The learn to swim programme did not go very well as only two instructors were available but that did not discourage the two instructors who made sure every child had an opportunity to get into the water for basic swimming lessons.

The mass participation programme was followed by demonstrations from the Rustenburg club swimmers, then followed by lifesavers demonstration and splash polo games that ended off the day on a high note. Parents were impressed and encouraged the team to visit schools and introduce the programme.

### **ALEXANDRA SPRING LAUNCH**

The Alexander programme was a follow up of the FINA WORLD AQUATICS DAY that was celebrated at Alexander Mall on the 2nd July 2019 focussing mainly on water safety education.

The event was held in conjunction with Akhani swimming club, a newly formed club in Alexander. The programme commenced on 23rd to 27th September 2019. The community of Alexander welcomed the programme. On the first day there were over 250 kids in attendance and in the rest of days the number decreased due to cold weather conditions.

The days started with water safety education which was very interactive and reinforced with SSA branded items.



*Lifegaurds performing reach rescue*



*Kids lined up for their lesson*



## CLUB DEVELOPMENT

The club development programme aims at the establishment of new clubs in disadvantaged communities for high performance participation. The learn to swim programme feeds into the club development programme which focuses on stroke development and refining the swimming skill.

Currently the following two clubs were beneficiaries of the club development programme:

1. Paarl Aquarius (WPA)
2. Umlazi Sharks Swimming Club (KZN)

In the past season, George Thabethe was appointed as an assistant manager and Sandra Thambeen a team manager for the SA team at CANA Zone 4 Championships in Botswana and they did an excellent job.

## SCHOOL SWIMMING

Schools are a critical component of the SSA development strategy. Schools have the natural numbers and if every

school had to run a learn to swim programme or open an aquatics club there will be overwhelming results which will not only transform the sport but would also save lives and eradicate drownings. Only KZN and Western Cape provinces managed to run inter school galas

- Umlazi Sharks
- Cape Town City Metro Aquatics

## HOLIDAY PROGRAMME

The programme lasted from the 02nd to the 20th December 2019 in Gauteng, Eastern Cape, Western Cape, North West, Northern Cape, Kwa Zulu-Natal and Mpumalanga. The holiday programme is always the best platform to reiterate the importance of water safety education, which helps to minimise drownings. Various other programmes, including ocean splash, pool splash and splash polo were implemented. The ability to swim is an opportunity to expose children to other aquatic disciplines.





## OCEAN SPLASH

Focus was on children visiting the beach with emphasis on safety, fun and swimming as a vital life skill. It is common knowledge that adults go to the beach to enjoy themselves and that is often when children are neglected and the best recipe is to empower children to enjoy water and take care of themselves.

### OCEAN SPLASH STATS

PROVINCE	CITY	SITE	TOTAL NUMBER
Eastern Cape	East London	Eastern Beach	218



## POOL SPLASH

Municipal swimming pools were used to create aquatics awareness and for talent identification and hopefully increase the number of club development swimmers. The rainy weather that lasted for two weeks did not discourage some of the coordinators as they managed to adjust their calendars and continued with the programme after the rain. Communities and holidaymakers welcomed and enjoyed the programme as they joined in huge numbers.

There was a lot of interest from both the children that participated in the activities and parents who acknowledged the importance of the programme. Different activities were conducted on a daily basis from water safety, introduction to water for beginners, stroke correction, splash polo and synchronised swimming.



*WOW moment for the kids as instructors are taking kids into the ocean for the first time...*



*Learners feeling the water after being taught back and front floats*

## HOLIDAY PROGRAMME STATS

PROVINCE	CITY	SITES	TOTAL NUMBER
<b>KZN</b>	Durban	Stanmore Pool	514
		Isipingo Hills Pool	324
<b>Eastern Cape</b>	East London	Parkside Pool	515
<b>Mpumalanga</b>	Nelspruit	Van Riebeeck Pool	147
<b>North West</b>	Klerksdorp	Kanana – Orkney	78
		Tigane Hartebeesfontein	109
<b>Western Cape</b>	Cape Town Metro	Hanover Park Pool	954
		Bellville South Pool	250
<b>Northern Cape</b>	Kimberley	Galeshewe	147
<b>Free State</b>	Bloemfontein	Bloemanda	394
		Heidedal	302
			<b>3 734</b>

PROVINCES /DISTRICTS	WHITE				AFRICAN				STATS		
	JUNIOR		SENIOR		JUNIOR		SENIOR		OVERALL STATS		
	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	TOTAL MALES	TOTAL FEMALES	TOTAL MALES & FEMALES
<b>KZN</b>	0	0	0	0	479	276	44	39	523	315	838
<b>Eastern Cape/ Buffalo City</b>					304	194	6	11	310	205	515
<b>Mpumalanga</b>	6	8	0	0	66	67	0	0	72	75	147
<b>North West</b>					97	85	4	1	101	86	187
<b>Western Cape</b>	3	8	0	0	304	505	106	278	413	791	1204
<b>Northern Cape</b>	0	0	0	0	125	18	3	1	128	19	147
<b>Free State</b>	0	0	0	0	302	394	0	0	302	394	696
<b>Eastern Beach/ BCA</b>	4	1	2	0	167	44	0	0	173	45	218



*Instructor making sure that the children feel safe*



## **ii.** **COMPETITIONS, DISCIPLINES & HIGH PERFORMANCE**



# COMPETITIONS

## DOMESTIC COMPETITIONS

### GRAND PRIX

The SSA Grand Prix consisted of 3 meets, Nelspruit, Stellenbosch and Durban. Swimmers from the senior squad were invited to attend these competitions and selected swimmers received funding to participate.

The first one was held in Nelspruit, in the first week of January, in conjunction with the annual training camp.

The second one was held in Stellenbosch and the third in Durban. The swimmers once again posted good times.

Unfortunately due to the lockdown, to curb the spread of the Covid – 19 pandemic, the only 2020 Championships that was held, was the S A National OWS Championships - Marina Martinique. Once again these championships were very successfully hosted by the LOC in the EC. There were 231 swimmers, 113 Women and 118 Men.

## INTERNATIONAL AND CONTINENTAL COMPETITIONS

Swimming South Africa participated at the following Continental Competitions:

### AFRICA GAMES

These games were held in Casablanca and Rabat, Morocco in August. The South African swimming team swam exceptionally well and posted good times.

### CANA JUNIOR AFRICAN SWIMMING AND OPEN WATER SWIMMING CHAMPIONSHIPS

These were held in Tunis, Tunisia in September. South Africa fielded a strong team and these Junior swimmers had great performances.

### ZONE 3 – KENYA NOVEMBER 2019

South Africa sent a team and the swimmers all achieved good results

### ZONE 4 – GABORONE, BOTSWANA FEBRUARY 2020

The team selected to represent South Africa could have been more competitive, future selections should take this into account.

## INTERNATIONAL MEETS

FINA World Swimming Cups held at the end of 2019, were attended by Senior Swimmers.

FINA World Junior Championships – Budapest, Hungary held in August. The team members achieved good results.

All International events scheduled from March 2020 to date including the Olympic Games were either cancelled or postponed.

The Aquatic fraternity looks forward to the resumption of International events.



## HIGH PERFORMANCE

**T**he 2019-2020 season started on a high note with the World University Games, where South Africa finished 2nd to the USA. Highlights were Michael Houlie becoming the first swimmer of colour in South African history to achieve an “A” Olympic qualifying time, Tatjana Schoenmaker winning double gold in the breaststroke events, Tayla Lovemore winning double gold in the butterfly events and Zane Waddell winning gold in the 50m backstroke.

We then moved on to the FINA World Champs held in Gwanjou, China where ever reliable Chad le Clos won double bronze in the butterfly events. South Africa was very proud to have 2 female swimmers in the 200m breaststroke final, Kaylene Corbett and Tatjana Schoenmaker. Tatjana managed to win the silver medal in this event. The final day of the competition brought huge excitement to the team when Zane Waddell took gold in the 50m backstroke.

August 2019 saw the FINA World Junior Championships in Budapest, Hungary, where Aimee Canny was the stand out performance, just missing out on medals in the 50m and 100m freestyle, and emerged as one of South Africa’s swimming talents.

At the 12th All Africa Games in Casablanca, Morocco, Erin Gallagher highlighted with setting a new SA record in the 50m freestyle in a time of 24:9.

In January 2020, the SSA Grand Prix series started in Nelspruit, with the contingent of swimmers of the CANA Sub-Saharan countries, coming on a swimming training camp and competing at our Grand Prix. We then moved on to the Stellenbosch Grand Prix leg in February

2020, where over 300 swimmers participated, including swimmers from Europe. The final leg held in Durban in February 2020, saw 2 of South Africa’s youth swimmers just missing the Olympic “A” time, Rebecca Meder in the 200m IM and Ethan du Preez in the 200m butterfly.

Then Corona virus came and changed the world as we knew it, putting everything on hold. It will be a year that will be remembered in everyone’s life, not only for the great successes, but also the hardship everyone had to endure during this pandemic.

### MARE NOSTRUM TOUR (PREPARATION FOR WORLD CHAMPS) – JUNE 2019

We sent 6 of our Tokyo Olympics to compete at the Mare Nostrum Competitions in Monaco and Canet, under the guidance of head coach, Graham Hill.

Erin Gallagher, Ayrton Sweeney and Rebecca Meder made it to the A-finals. Alaric Basson and Dune Coetzee made it through to the B-finals.

### TREVISO SWIM CUP – ITALY – JUNE 2019

We sent some of our swimmers from the World Junior Championships team to compete at the Treviso Swim Cup.

Kobe Ndebele achieved 4th position in the 100m freestyle, Trinity Hearne 3rd in the 100, butterfly, Matthew Bosch 1st in the 100m freestyle and Hannah Robertson 1st in the 400m freestyle event.

## WORLD UNIVERSITY GAMES – NAPOLI – 4TH TO 10TH OF JULY 2019

The Souths African Swimming team successfully concluded the 30th Summer Universiade in Napoli, 4th – 10th of July 2019, achieving 2nd spot to the USA in overall standings.

### GOLD MEDALS

Tayla Lovemore 50m Butterfly, 100m Butterfly

Zane Waddell 50m Backstroke

Tatjana Schoenmaker 100m Breaststroke, 200m Breaststroke Silver medal

Michael Houlie 50m Breaststroke Championship records

Zane Waddell 50m Backstroke (Heats and Semi-finals)

Michael Houlie 50m Breaststroke (Heats and Semi-finals)



## FINA WORLD CHAMPIONSHIPS – GWANJOU

Chad le Clos led the team by winning 2 bronze medals. Tatjana Schoenmaker won the silver medal in the 200m breaststroke and placed 6th in the 100m breaststroke. Kaylene Corbett had an amazing swim and gave South Africa 2 finalists in the 200m breaststroke event. Zane Waddell won the gold medal in the 50m backstroke event.

### GOLD MEDAL

Zane Waddell 50m Backstroke

### SILVER MEDAL

Tatjana Schoenmaker 200m breaststroke

### BRONZE MEDAL

Chad le Clos 100m butterfly, 200m butterfly



## FINA WORLD JUNIOR CHAMPIONSHIPS – BUDAPEST, HUNGARY

World Junior swimming took a quantum leap forward with the World Junior Champs held in Budapest, 20th to 25th of August 2019. SA sent a big team of youth ranging from 14 to 17 years who had the highest number of semi-finalists and finals to any previous World Junior Champs. The stand-out performers were Lara van Niekerk and Aimee Canny, who just missed medalling and Aimee just missed the Olympic qualifying time, at the age of 15.

### SEMI-FINALISTS:

Pieter Coetzee	50m backstroke
Dune Coetzee	100m butterfly
Gawie Nortje	50m freestyle

### FINALISTS:

Lara van Niekerk	50m breaststroke – 4th
Aimee Canny	100m freestyle – 5th
Aimee Canny	50m freestyle – 4th
Ethan du Preez	200m butterfly – 8th
Dune Coetzee	200m butterfly – 8th

## 12TH ALL AFRICA GAMES – CASABLANCA, MOROCCO (20TH – 24TH OF AUGUST 2019)

The South African swimming team concluded the aquatics program with a total of 45 medals; 20 gold, 13 silver and 12 bronze, claiming the top spot.

Stand-out performances were Erin Gallagher setting a new SA record in the 50m freestyle in a time of 24:9, Alaric Basson also had a great swim in the 100m breaststroke, dipping under the 1:01's in a time of 1:00.9. Kaylene Corbett also won 3 gold medals in the 50m, 100m and 200m breaststroke events.





### SA SHORT COURSE CHAMPS – PIETERMARTIZBURG, 8TH – 11TH OF AUGUST 2019

For a non-selection event, the SA Short Course Champs was of really high standard. Tayla Lovemore was just outside the SA record in the 50m butterfly, but the championships were dominated by new generation swimmers. Matthew Sates was dominating most of the men's events and Caitlin de Lange showed great promise in the women's sprint events.

### CANA ZONE 3 - NAIROBI, KENYA - NOVEMBER 2019

We sent a small contingent of swimmers to Zone 3 championships in Kenya. South Africa finished 4th on the medal table, and the following swimmers excelled winning gold in their respective events:

- Christine Mbite
- Refiloe Mashao
- Matunda Banza
- Lerato Thobeha
- Aimeé-Jane Jephtah
- Megan Bulose
- Jeanre Catillaz

### CANA ZONE 4 – BOTSWANA – FEBRUARY 2020

Botswana, the hosting country, provided all the necessary logistic support for a great competition. The team comprised swimmers from level 2 & level 3 and, for many of them, this was the first time to compete at international level.

Emma Beyers and Matunda Banza were top performers winning gold in their respective events.

### GRAND PRIX SERIES 2020

#### NELSPRUIT

This was the first leg of our Grand Prix series. We had the FINA Junior World's team and an invitation CANA team doing a training camp and then competing at the Grand Prix. Yet again, this training camp / Grand Prix proved to be one of our highlights on the calendar with many of South Africa's top coaches in attendance. Workshops were held to give our coaches the current trends in world swimming.

#### CAPE TOWN – STELLENBOSCH

We then moved on to the Stellenbosch Grand Prix leg in February 2020, where over 300 swimmers participated, including swimmers from Europe.

#### DURBAN

The final leg held in Durban in February 2020, saw 2 of South Africa's youth swimmers just missing the Olympic "A" time, Rebecca Meder in the 200m IM and Ethan du Preez in the 200m butterfly.

### "HOW THEY TRAIN" WEBINAR SERIES – APRIL 2020

At the end of March, Corona virus hit South Africa and all swimming came to a halt. High- Performance in conjunction with SwimCoach, held a series of 2 webinars, where top coaches from around the world shared their programs and advice with over 500 coaches in South Africa.



### iii. EDUCATION AND TRAINING

**T**raining kicked off well with a lot of plans from provinces. There were a few educational activities and courses scheduled and these were unfortunately derailed by COVID-19. Provinces are presently proactive and comfortable in identifying the correct speakers for a specific target of instructors /coaches within their provinces.

It is also impressive to see most coordinators getting out of the comfort zones by getting external speakers that would contribute towards the quality of teaching and coaching. Provincial coordinators have all grown and developed in their duties and some of them are now training and getting on board as district coordinators in an attempt to get the entire province to be operational and have E&T footprints in every district.

## LEARN TO SWIM COURSES

AFFILIATE	NO OF COURSES DONE	TOTAL PART	AFRICAN		WHITE		COLOURED		INDIAN		ASIAN		TOTAL MALES	TOTAL FEMALES	CERTIFICATES PRINTED
			M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F			
CGA			DID NOT SUBMIT												27
ECA	2	16	0	1	0	15	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	16	13
EGA	6	102	9	8	33	45	0	6	0	1	0	0	42	60	88
FSA	3	25	1	0	10	13	0	1	0	0	0	0	11	14	13
KZNA	4	46	8	5	4	21	2	3	3				17	29	38
LIM	4	15	2	1	4	7	0	1	0	0	0	0	6	9	1
MPU	2	32	2	6	2	22							4	28	1
NTS	4	49	1	2	13	33	0	0	0	0	0	0	14	35	33
NWS	4	37	0	3	7	27	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	30	19
NCA	1	9	1	0	1	5	0	2	0	0	0	0	2	7	5
SEDIBENG	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
WCP	6	88	6	1	19	43	5	12	0	2	0	0	30	58	62
<b>SUMMARY</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>419</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>93</b>	<b>231</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>133</b>	<b>286</b>	<b>300</b>

It continues to be a struggle to encourage teachers that are teaching children below the age of three to sit on a tod swim course, which will provide most of them with the knowledge and expertise to teach children and ensure that they have a good foundation to move on the LTS course.

## TODSWIM COURSES

AFFILIATE	NO OF COURSES DONE	TOTAL PART	AFRICAN		WHITE		COLOURED		TOTAL MALES	TOTAL FEMALES	CERTIFICATES PRINTED
			M	F	M	F	M	F			
WCP	1	3	0	0	0	2	0	1		3	1

The level one coaching course is picking up momentum as more and more provinces are keen to coordinate the course due to the demand from membership. The challenge of it being a SETA has many other challenges that are beyond the federation's control, the files have to be moderated by the SETA, information has to be captured on the SETA platform and wait for statements of results. The process often takes very long and causes frustration amongst members who are waiting for their certificates. There were a set of POE's due for moderation in the last week of March, which is when COVID-19 was spreading very fast nationally and the moderation did not happen.

## LEVEL ONE-COACHING COURSES

AFFILIATE	NO OF COURSES DONE	TOTAL PART	AFRICAN		WHITE		COLOURED		INDIAN		TOTAL MALES	TOTAL FEMALES	CERTIFICATES PRINTED
			M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F			
CGA													7
ECA	1	7	0	0	2	3	2	0	0	0	4	3	0
EGA	1	7	0	1	1	5	0	0	0	0	1	6	8
FSA	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4
KZNA	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
LIM	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
MPU	0												0
NTS	1	26	1	0	4	21	0	0	0	0	5	21	0
NWS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
NCA	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
SEDIBENG	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
WCP	1	14	1	0	1	7	3	2	0	0	5	9	4
<b>SUMMARY</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>24</b>

## LEARN TO SWIM QUALITY ASSURANCE

Quality Assurance is always a popular alternative to sitting on a course and provinces have done well in ensuring that all the application requirements are met. Now all the candidates applying for quality assurance must have a clear understanding of the LTPD model, the child protection policy and the minimum touch workshops. The final step is the practical assessment, which verifies the quality of teaching /coaching. It is surprising to have such low stats in this area.

AFFILIATE	NO OF COURSES DONE	TOTAL PART	AFRICAN		WHITE		COLOURED		INDIAN		TOTAL MALES	TOTAL FEMALES	CERTIFICATES PRINTED
			M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F			
KZNA	2				2						2		7

## COACHING LEVEL 1 RENEWALS

It is a crucial step in terms of bridging the gap between level one courses that have been run in the past and those done in the present, unfortunately candidates are often negligent and forget that they need to renew their certificates timeously. The renewal process enables candidates that have an old SSA certificate to have it renewed if they have been attending workshops and registering annually.

AFFILIATE	TOTAL PART	AFRICAN		WHITE		COLOURED		INDIAN		TOTAL MALES	TOTAL FEMALES
		M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F		
NCA	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
WCP	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1

## COACHING LEVEL 1 QUALITY ASSURANCE

Enables candidates that have been coaching for years without the paper work to get themselves aligned by recognizing their experience and expertise. Usually most practicing coaches would opt for QA in getting themselves aligned with the required SSA accreditation process.

AFFILIATE	TOTAL PART	AFRICAN		WHITE		COLOURED		TOTAL MALES	TOTAL FEMALES
		M	F	M	F	M	F		
EGA	1			1					1

## SWIMMING SOUTH AFRICA ADMINISTRATION COURSES

Team managers courses are often in demand as teams from the five disciplines go out to take part in competitions and need good team managers that will ensure that all the steps and events are well managed and report to the federation.

AFFILIATE	TOTAL PARTICIPANTS	AFRICAN		WHITE		COLOURED		NON-SOUTH AFRICAN		TOTAL MALES	TOTAL FEMALES
		M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F		
Team Management Course	23	1	0	1	12	6	2	0	1	8	15

## PROVINCIAL CONFERENCES

Provinces have embraced the importance of developing and empowering their members and one of the most effective ways to achieve that is to run conferences with several speakers and allocate CPD points. This also becomes a cost saving exercise for most people who are struggling financially. What is even more exciting is when small provinces cater for those needs and enable members that are in the outskirts of their provinces to have an opportunity to empower themselves.

AFFILIATE	AFFILIATE CONFERENCE DATES	TOTAL PART	AFRICAN		WHITE		COLOURED		INDIAN		TOTAL MALES	TOTAL FEMALES
			M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F		
ECA	25-May 2019	56	0	0	10	36	4	5	1	0	15	41
NCA	17-Aug-19	13	0	0	2	10	1	0	0	0	2	11
WCP	01-May-19	116	0	0	13	68	15	20	0	0	28	88
NTS	15-Jul-19	56	0	4	7	44	0	1	0	0	7	49
KZNA	11-12 July 2019	48	0	0	2	40	0	0	2	4	4	44

## FINA SCHOOLS/CLINICS

FINA is always the cherry on the top and they attract attention, as there is an international facilitator and it exposes SSA members to what is happening in aquatics across the globe. Provinces apply to host and SSA provides support and guidance.

VENUE	NAME OF THE SCHOOL/ CLINIC	DATES	TOTAL NO OF PART.	AFRICAN		WHITE		COLOURED		INDIAN		NON-SOUTH AFRICAN		TOTAL MALES	TOTAL FEMALES
				M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F		
Durban	FINA Diving Judges Certification School	09- 11 Dec	18	1	2	1	11	1	0	0	0	1	1	4	14
Gauteng	FINA Swimming School for Officials	31 May – 01 June 2019	36	2	1	15	13	3	1	1	0	0	0	21	15
Gauteng	FINA Aquatics Managers Programme	22-23 June 2119	60	3	6	10	9	2	1	0	0	19	10	34	26

## TECHNICAL OFFICIALS COURSES

The technical official's courses are crucial for the provincial structures as they enable provinces to empower and update their members which will help them run galas that are of a very high standard. A lot of dedicated and passionate parents and members go through the technical officials training to officiate at the galas.

## TIME KEEPERS COURSES

AFFILIATE	NO OF COURSES DONE	TOTAL PART	AFRICAN		WHITE		COLOURED		INDIAN		ASIAN		TOTAL MALES	TOTAL FEMALES
			M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F		
ECA	2	79	13	13	9	34	2	5	0	3	0	0	24	55
EGA	6	86	6	5	62	12	0	0	1	0	0	0	19	67
FSA	4	45	3	4	12	26	0	0	0	0	0	0	15	30
KZNA	6	250	8	34	40	128	2	7	13	18	0	0	63	187
LIM	3	81	14	12	16	34	0	4	0	0	1	0	31	50
MPU	7	108	8	19	18	61	0	1	0	1	0	0	26	82
NTS	3	70	1	2	25	41	0	0	0	0	0	1	26	44
NWS	3	68	2	5	31	28	0	1	0	0	0	1	33	35
NCA	1	13	0	2	0	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	13
SED	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
WCP	12	299	3	5	67	140	33	45	0	1	1	4	104	195
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>1099</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>101</b>	<b>280</b>	<b>515</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>63</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>341</b>	<b>758</b>

## JUDGES COURSES

AFFILIATE	NO OF COURSES DONE	TOTAL PART	AFRICAN		WHITE		COLOURED		INDIAN		ASIAN		TOTAL MALES	TOTAL FEMALES
			M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F		
ECA	1	15	0	0	6	7	1	1	0	0	0	0	7	8
EGA	2	27	2	0	14	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	13	14
FSA	1	6	0	1	2	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	4
KZNA	5	128	5	2	14	93	1	1	8	4	0	0	28	100
LIM	1	19	0	1	3	14	0	0	0	0	1	0	4	15
MPU	2	39	1	2	17	19						0	18	21
NTS	2	19	0	17	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	17
NWS	3	28	0	1	13	11	1	1	0	1	0	0	13	15
NCA	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
SED	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
WCP	6	81	1	0	17	39	11	13	0	0	0	0	29	52
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>362</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>88</b>	<b>197</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>116</b>	<b>246</b>

## STARTERS COURSES

AFFILIATE	NO OF COURSES DONE	TOTAL PART	AFRICAN		WHITE		COLOURED		TOTAL MALES	TOTAL FEMALES
			M	F	M	F	M	F		
ECA	4	31	0	0	15	14	1	1	16	15
FSA	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
EGA	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
KZNA	1	3	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	3
LIM	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
MPU	1	4	0	0	2	2	0	0	2	2
NTS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
NWS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
NCA	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
SED	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
WCP	1	19	0	0	4	5	5	5	9	10
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>30</b>

## REFEREES COURSES

AFFILIATE	NO OF COURSES DONE	TOTAL PART	AFRICAN		WHITE		COLOURED		INDIAN		TOTAL MALES	TOTAL FEMALES
			M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F		
ECA	3	79	13	13	9	34	2	5	0	3	24	55
FSA	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
EGA	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
KZNA	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
LIM	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
MPU	1	6	1	1	2	2					4	2
NTS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
NWS	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
NCA	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
SED	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
WCP	2	23	1	0	4	5	12	1	0	0	17	6
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>109</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>64</b>

## WORKSHOPS

	TOPICS	TOTAL NO OF PART	AFRICAN		WHITE		COLOURED		INDIAN		ASIAN	TOTAL MALES	TOTAL FEMALES	AFFILIATE
			M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M			
1	SAIDS Workshop	22	0	0	9	12	1	0	0	0	0	10	12	ECA
2	HP Feedback session	11	0	0	5	5	1	0	0	0	0	6	5	
3	Progressions	47	14	6	1	25	0	1	0	0	0	15	32	EGA
4	Progressions (Back and Breast)	18	5	0	2	11	0	0	0	0	0	7	11	
5	Progressions (Fly and Free)	15	1	1	0	13	0	0	0	0	0	1	14	
6	Swimming Camps	18	1	0	8	9	0	0	0	0	0	9	9	NTS
7	Coaches: Framework for Swimming Competitions	13	0	1	4	7	1	0	0	0	0	5	8	
8	Keeping Swimmers Motivated	12	0	0	4	8	0	0	0	0	0	4	8	
9	Water Therapy	19	1	1	2	13	1	1	0	0	0	4	15	
10	Minimum/Appropriate Touch	21	1	1	2	17	0	0	0	0	0	3	18	
11	Coach's Burnout	19	0	0	7	12	0	0	0	0	0	7	12	
12	Coaches Coffee Session: Power of the mind	12	0	1	5	6	0	0	0	0	0	5	7	
13	Coaches Coffee Session: Motivation	11	0	0	3	8	0	0	0	0	0	3	8	
14	Coaches Coffee Session: Pro's and Con's of training equipment	14	0	0	5	9	0	0	0	0	0	5	9	
15	Coffee Session: Keeping Swimmers Motivated	12	0	1	5	6	0	0	0	0	0	5	7	
16	Coffee Session: Training Camps Pro's and Con's	18	1	0	8	9	0	0	0	0	0	9	9	
17	Coaches Coffee Session: High Performance Academies	12	0	0	4	8	0	0	0	0	0	4	8	
18	Training plan and Prep to Olympic Trials on Pieter Coetzee	45	0	2	10	27	2	4	0	0	0	12	33	
19	North West Academy Squad	44	0	2	10	26	2	3	1	0	0	13	31	
20	E & T Questions and answers	46	0	2	9	28	3	3	1	0	0	13	33	
21	How to peak female swimmers	46	0	2	10	27	3	3	1	0	0	14	32	
22	Transformation	45	0	2	9	26	3	4	1	0	0	13	32	
23	LTPD	35	0	1	6	28	0	0	0	0	0	6	29	MPS
24	Child Protection	35	0	1	6	28	0	0	0	0	0	6	29	
25	Training Zone	3	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	LIMPOPO
26	Tapering Planning	3	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	
27	Program Planning	3	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	
28	Child Protection/ Abused	3	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	

**WORKSHOPS (CONTINUED)**

	TOPICS	TOTAL NO OF PART	AFRICAN		WHITE		COLOURED		INDIAN		ASIAN	TOTAL MALES	TOTAL FEMALES	AFFILIATE
			M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M			
29	LTS Teachers Meeting	16	0	0	1	14	0	0	0	1	0	1	15	KZNA
30	How to adapt your swimming lessons to include special need	60	0	0	2	58	0	0	0	0	0	2	58	
31	SAIDS	8	1	2	2	0	0	0	1	2	0	4	4	
32	How to Balance family life and career whilst maintaining a sense of self	94	0	1	25	64	0	0	1	3	0	26	68	
33	Why we need to vary our teaching styles and incorporate new ideas on a regular basis	87	0	0	5	80	0	0	1	1	0	6	81	
34	WS - Lotte Henning (Spinal Dev)	38	1	0	4	18	4	11	0	0	0	9	29	WPA
35	WS - LTPD	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	
36	WS - LTPD	1	0	0	0		1	0	0	0	0	1	0	
37	WS - LTPD	4	0	0	0	3		1	0	0	0	0	4	
38	WS - Nailah Davids (Phsio)	82	0	0	4	50	5	23	0	0	0	9	73	
39	WS - SAID	48	0	0	2	21	11	14	0	0	0	13	35	
40	WS Child Protection	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	
41	WS Child Protection	16	0	0	1	14	0	1	0	0	0	1	15	
42	WS Long term athlete development and its interaction with the local, provincial and National competition structure	16	0	0	7	8	1	0	0	0	0	8	8	
43	WS Low Muscle Tone	19	0	0	3	15	0	1	0	0	0	3	16	
44	WS LTPD	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	
45	WS LTPD	15	0	0	3	10	0	2	0	0	0	3	12	
46	WS Recovery strategies for Swimmers	16	0	0	7	8	1	0	0	0	0	8	8	
47	WS Registration of Swim School	13	0	0	0	12	0	1	0	0	0	0	13	
48	WS Thaniya' (Jackrabbit)	65	1	0	5	37	6	16	0	0	0	12	53	
49	STRETCHING FOR SWIMMERS	26	0	0	13	12	1	0	0	0	0	14	12	NCA
50	SUPPLEMENTS	26	0	0	13	12	1	0	0	0	0	14	12	
51	PSYCHOLOGY AND SWIMMING	26	0	0	13	12	1	0	0	0	0	14	12	
52	SWIM MOTIVATION AND TRAINING	26	0	0	13	12	1	0	0	0	0	14	12	
53	SWIM PROGRAMMES	26	0	0	13	12	1	0	0	0	0	14	12	
54	SWIM LIFE SKILLS FOR ALL AGES	26	0	0	13	12	1	0	0	0	0	14	12	
55	HOW THEY TRAIN	303	1	0	132	162	4	1	1	2	0	138	165	ASCA
56	2020/21 SSA season plan	49	0	0	29	13	2	1	0	2	2	33	16	
57	Challenges confronted by elite athletes in lockdown and how coaches can assist them	7	0	0	4	2	0	0	0	1	0	2	5	
	<b>SUMMARY</b>	<b>1718</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>448</b>	<b>1043</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>92</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>544</b>	<b>1174</b>	



# **iv.** **SPECIAL PROJECTS**



# OPEN WATER SWIMMING

**T**he 2019 / 2020 season saw the continued resurgence in the discipline of open water swimming within the Republic of South Africa that can be attributed to the positive structures that had been put in place by the Swimming South Africa Executive in January 2016.

The appointment of Dave Norman as Chief Operating Officer at the Federation in June 2018 was a massive boost to the discipline. His intimate knowledge of aquatics coupled with his excellent communication skills helped to ensure that the discipline maintained the upward trajectory that was seen during the past season.

While the growth in the interest of the discipline had not been without challenges, the compliance by most of the Affiliates, Districts, Clubs and Coaches has been a major contributing factor to the discipline once again taking its rightful place amongst the other disciplines under the auspices of Swimming South Africa.

Dave Norman's untimely death in May 2019 impacted on the discipline immensely, while his contribution to aquatics in South Africa and beyond, can never be underestimated.

## HIGH PERFORMANCE - DOMESTIC

At the conclusion of the successful 2019 South African National Open Water Swimming Championships hosted at Marina Martinique, based on the criteria stipulated, the 2019 / 2020 SSA National Open Water Swimming Squads were announced.

The SSA National Open Water Swimming Squads have been aligned with the SSA National Swimming Squads under the guidance of SSA High Performance Manager,

Dean Price. This ensured that the squad system encompassed a wider range of athletes and personal coaches.

The integration of the SSA National Open Water Swimming squads into the SSA National Camp program organized by the SSA High Performance Manager and SSA National Swimming Coach, Graham Hill, proved to be a positive move in raising the standard of participation along with the profile of the discipline within the domestic fraternity.

Only one camp was held during the 2019 / 2020 season. This was the camp in White River that was held in conjunction with the SSA Grand Prix#1, with close to 50 Open Water Swimming athletes in attendance. This camp also afforded the athletes racing opportunities.

Full credit must be given to the MPS OWSTC for once again presenting an excellent event for this group of athletes. This event once again conformed to all the requirements as stipulated in the SSA Regulations for Open Water Swimming Event Approval – 2017

The domestic camps have gone a long way to integrate athletes and coaches in a manner which has had a significant positive impact on interpersonal relationships when travelling with a squad and or team. Coach attendance has seen the number of available coaches for National Squad and Teams grow significantly, however competent managerial personal personnel? is still of concern.

Ideally attendance at the National Camp program should be made compulsory, however due to the "self funding" nature of aquatics in South Africa it is often fiscal constraints that determine who attends these camps, which is unfortunate. What is concerning is the reluctance

of certain athletes to attend these camps and the reluctance of certain coaches to allow a number of “their athletes” to be part of the system. Cognizance should be taken of this when selecting teams in the future.

## HIGH PERFORMANCE – INTERNATIONAL

In line with the Swimming South Africa High Performance strategy of “Train and Race” a number of opportunities were afforded to the Swimming South Africa National Open Water Swimming Squads during 2019 / 2020 Season.

International competitive opportunities were afforded to squad members. These included the Fina World Open Water Swimming Championships in Korea, The Italian Open Water Championships, The Fina 10km Marathon Series – Seychelles, The Len Cup in Spain, the Grand Bled Challenge in Slovenia, the French Cup in France and the Len Cup in Denmark.

While there were some encouraging performances the general consensus was that, while many of our athletes are vastly inexperienced, most acquitted themselves well, but some were under-prepared. Cognizance has been taken of this.

## EDUCATION & TRAINING

Compliance in meeting the requirements in the SSA Regulations for Open Water Swimming Event Approval has been embraced by most of the Affiliates / Event Organizers during the 2019/ 2020 season. The Regulations aim to regulate safety standards, the quality of technical officials along with many other matters pertaining to this discipline.

To this end, a number of SSA Open Water Swimming Technical Official Clinics have been hosted in Mpumalanga, KwaZulu-Natal, Eastern Cape and Western Cape over the past few years. Central Gauteng Aquatics hosted a further well-attended Clinic in September 2019. Delegates attended the Clinic from NWS, CGA, NTS & EGA. Neville Smith facilitated this meeting.

The Clinics provide basic education and training of interested parties who were suitably qualified at various levels at pool swimming as well as novices in the fundamentals of the discipline, with the focus being on “Time Keeping & Judging”.

A practice session is included in the Clinic, which affords all the opportunity to familiarize themselves with the technical equipment (Continuous Timers etc.)

I have engaged in discussions with Ms. Eileen Xhakaza regarding the disciplines’ education and training requirements as well as discipline promotion ideas.

A suitable set of lectures pertaining to the discipline of Open Water Swimming will be presented to SSA Management E&T department for consideration. This will include, but not be restricted to:

- The SSA Open Water Swimming – Technical Official Clinic in 4 x 90 minute segments,
- SSA Open Water Swimming - Introduction to Open Water Swimming presentation (1 hour)
- SSA Open Water Swimming – Structuring Open Water Swimming workouts (1 hour)

It is envisaged that these lectures are presented by Google Teams / Zoom, which will be the preferred media meeting platform for the Federation.

After the recent SA National Open Water Swimming Championships at Marina Martinique, Jeffreys Bay in March 2020 I have been approached by Free State Aquatics and KwaZulu-Natal Aquatics to assist them with building Technical Official capacity. Both Affiliates were left wanting in their contribution towards the provision of Technical Officials at said National competition.

By having a general Technical Official Clinic via interactive video presentations we will be able to include our current Open Water Swimming facilitators, thereby providing them with an opportunity to be mentored and monitored. The one constant will be the contents of the presentation, which will mirror that of our domestic landscape. Here Ronel Bekker (MPL) and Thian de Jager (ECA) are suitably qualified, while Andrew Brummer (NTS) can be considered as Theresa Aarensen (CGA) has stepped down from aquatics duties due to business commitments. Once facilitation approval is confirmed, the Federation will have sufficient facilitators to present adequate consistent Education & Training modules for our members.

While each segment of the Technical Official Clinic should conclude with a basic exam and a certificate of competency along with CPD points being allocated, it is certainly not an OWS Referee E&T. A separate module should be considered for this in the future.

With our initial Technical Official Clinic the aforementioned individuals will co-present along with the undersigned. Consideration should be given to holding these Clinics on consecutive days, twice during the forthcoming season.

While the limitations of what has become an important part the Technical Official Clinic, that of practical Time Keeping and Judging sessions, will have to be addressed by the Affiliates at their SSA Approved Open Water Swimming events during the forthcoming season.

The implementation of the SSA Regulations for Open Water Swimming Event Approval of 2017 require that annually, suitably trained Technical Officials should be available to officiate at SSA Approved OWS Events.

SSA Open Water Swimming - Introduction to Open Water Swimming presentation (1 hour) is a concept presentation that I got when I attended a similar webinar presented by a major Federation during this current "lock down" period. It's a presentation that is designed to give members a better insight into what Open Water Swimming entails and assists to encourage both athletes and parents to embrace the discipline. This is a presentation that can be presented on multiple occasions during the season to target athletes within an Affiliate prior to SSA Approved Open Water Swimming events in that specific region.

This presentation should not have CPD points and will be presented by the undersigned initially.

#### SSA OPEN WATER SWIMMING – STRUCTURING OPEN WATER SWIMMING WORKOUTS (1 HOUR)

Again, this is a concept that I got when I attended a similar webinar presented by a major Federation during the current "lock down" period. The presentation is an ideal blueprint for any Coach to embrace open water opportunities when a pool facility is unavailable and or the fact that the Coach would like to avail their charges with a structured approach to a different training opportunity.

This presentation should precede all SSA Approved Open Water Swimming Camps - District, Affiliate and National so as to ensure that both athletes and coaches are aware of the expectations.

The presentation should have CPD points and will be presented by the undersigned.

The Introduction to Open Water Swimming and Structuring Open Water Swimming workouts presentations need to be regarded as part of the open water swimming curriculum and could also be shared with CANA Zone IV members in an effort to grow the discipline regionally.

## SSA APPROVED OPEN WATER SWIMMING EVENTS

Swimming South Africa requested that all open water swimming event organizers seeking SSA Approved Open Water Swimming Event status should have been submitted to the Federation by the end of August 2019 for inclusion onto the SSA Approved Open Water Swimming Event Approved calendar, which was published during September 2019, so that Coaches and athletes could plan the periodization of their training programs accordingly.

The response from most Affiliates and Event Organizers was positive, with a comprehensive SSA Approved Open Water Swimming Event Calendar being published well before the onset of the South African summer open water-swimming season. These were the approved dates. Relevant paperwork notification / submission was in line with stipulated SSA Executive approved and published protocol

The protocol of regulations governing the approval of SSA Approved Open Water Swimming Events clearly defined:

- The event organizer shall submit their application along with relevant water samples, safety plans etc. to the District / Affiliate in the first instance THIRTY days prior to the event taking place.
- This is then submitted to the Federation for APPROVAL and confirmation onto the SSA Approved Open Water Swimming Event Calendar.
- Once approved by the Federation, all relevant parties are informed, via the same process of the outcome of the application.
- A final set of satisfactory water samples is required to be submitted within 10 days of the event-taking place. Only then is final approval granted.

The conformity growth of the discipline within the Affiliates was extremely encouraging. (Only times recorded domestically at SSA Approved Events will be considered for entry into the SA National Open Water Swimming Championships.)

A twenty five (25%) per cent increase of SSA Approved Open Water Swimming Events nationally has seen thirty two (32) events on the 2019 – 2020 SSA Approved Open Water Swimming Events Calendar. <http://swimsa.org/disciplines/open-water/2016-2017-sa-ows-calender>

The event breakdown per District / Affiliate, including respective Regional Championship events is as follows:

Western Cape Aquatics = 4  
NMBA / E Cape = 5  
Eastern Gauteng Aquatics = 5  
Mpumalanga Swimming = 5  
North West Swimming = 2  
Central Gauteng Aquatics = 7  
Kwa Zulu Natal Aquatics = 2  
Free State Aquatics = 1  
Limpopo = 1

Significant growth emanated from the Gauteng region with both CGA and EGA initiating their own respective series. Both were extremely successful, however at a meeting at SA National Championships, the Districts of Gauteng have decided to “pool their resources” and present a condensed series (5 events) that will be known as the Aquatics Gauteng Grand Prix – open water series.

With the increase in available SSA Approved Events and the opportunity for technical officials to gain valuable experience as well as affording athletes regular competition at international distances, should result in a more experienced and “street wise” athlete evolving within the domestic program. This is vital if South Africa wishes to be competitive on the international open water swimming circuit, which in the recent past has seen significant advancement regarding many aspects of the discipline.

Water quality has become a concern. Bilharzia has been reported in Gauteng. Consideration will be given to investigating these and other concerns regarding safety, ensuring that safeguards are presented for inclusion into the SSA Regulations for Open Water Swimming Event Approval 2017.

Despite seeking SSA Open Water Swimming Event Approval and being included on the original SSA Open Water Swimming Approved Calendar there were three events, one in the Western Cape, one in Free State and one in Gauteng that were on the original calendar but, due to unforeseen circumstances, had SSA Open Water Swimming Event Approval revoked.

## **2020 SOUTH AFRICAN NATIONAL OPEN WATER SWIMMING CHAMPIONSHIPS**

The 2020 South African National Open Water Swimming Championships took place on 7 & 8 March 2020 at Marina Martinique, Jeffery’s Bay within the municipality of Kouga

in the Eastern Cape. This was the fourth consecutive year that the event has taken place at South Africa’s premier open water swimming venue.

The host was ECA / NMBA and was without a doubt the best SA National Open Water Swimming Championships that have been presented at this South Africa’s premier open water swimming racing venue. The LOC was innovative with the provision of an ETD system, “Big Screen” TV, improved facilities and planning ensuring that a “world class event” was presented.

SSA Head Coach, Graham Hill commented, “Without a doubt, a well presented world class event” SSA OWS Head Coach Cedric Finch attended the event.

Kouga Municipality, in terms of a three year MOA negotiated in 2018, contributed R100 000.00 towards the event. This MOA concluded in 2020. The Mayor of Kouga, Clr. Horatio Hendricks has indicated that this amount will be increased to R130,000.00 for the next four year period should the event be allocated to the Affiliate again.

The LOC planning for this event started in August 2019: course changes, location changes, event logistics – catering, event layout, technical equipment requirements, safety requirements etc.

This ensured that all parties were clear as to what the Federation expected for a Federation Championship event. The NMBA OWS TC headed by Greg Tucker did a stellar job. Regular communication ensured that all targets were achieved which led to a highly successful event.

The introduction of a “Google form” created by Greg Tucker ensured that Technical Official allocation was accurate in ensuring that competent individuals were placed in correct duties, appropriate to their qualification / experience. This innovative concept was utilized during the domestic competition in the region, the E Cape Series and will certainly form an integral part of the planning tools for the competition in the future.

Some Affiliates, due to their lack of event exposure were left wanting in capable Technical Official personnel? provision. One Affiliate, who had 20% of the total participants at the competition, provided one Technical Official on one day of the competition.

Affiliates will be encouraged to attend the SSA Open Water Swimming Technical Official Clinic in the future.

With the competition set up completed well ahead of schedule on the 6th March, this provided adequate time for the compulsory Technical Meeting at 17:00, which was

hosted in the Marina Martinique Community Hall. The briefing was well received by all, with robust interaction. SSA Competition's Manager, Daphne Bird was in attendance along with Batch Morar who assisted with late entries, scratching's etc. Team staff from all participating Affiliates, along with those from Namibia and Azerbaijan were in attendance.

The event took place in ideal conditions, which ensured that there was fast & competitive racing. Based on the success of the 2019 SANATOWS event "on land" management Neville Smith delegated "on water" refereeing duties to a wide range of individuals in line with the Federation directive of building capacity.

Mr. Tiaan de Jager (ECA) conducted all the Technical Official and participant race briefings, while a number of individuals "shadowed" more experienced personal to gain relevant experience so as to transfer this to their respective Affiliates / Districts.

This proved to be successful, resulting in substantial growth in individuals' ability to perform required tasks with confidence. A positive response from athletes, support staff and parents, was encouraging. The standard of Time Keeping and Judging was far superior to that of the recent past. While an electronic timing system was employed, manual results were scrutinized by the SSA Competitions Manager and Technical Officials and submitted to the event recorder. The publication of results was better than in past years and ensured that respective medal presentations were held as per schedule.

While the inclusion of the 7.5km event to run concurrently with the 10km event had been mooted, the increased number of entries received for both events saw the men's and women's events been staged separately with the men starting 5 minutes ahead of the women on the 1.25km course. This proved to be successful, however consideration must be given, as requested by SSA Executive Member, Ms. Penny Heyns that future SANATOWS events be staged over a three day period.

The 3km events and relay (4 x 1.25km) events concluded the first day's proceedings, while the 5km events were staged on day 2 of the completion competition?

With the growth of the discipline both domestically and internationally, the inclusion of the 7.5km as a stand-alone event on day 2 of a three day program should be considered. This will align South Africa with other FINA members who also stage the 7.5km event annually at

their respective open water swimming championships, which are also held over a three day program.

While the extension of the competition is a positive consideration, there will be a further fiscal impact on the event and here the inclusion of a recreational event should be considered in an effort to offset the additional costs. The inclusion of a recreational event at major competitions is in line with the vision that FINA has to encourage grass-roots growth in the discipline.

There were few issues that Neville Smith, as Chief Referee had to deal with during the completion: these were regarded as minor infringements.

The LOC under the guidance of Greg Tucker must be complimented on the high standard of the event that was presented to the open water swimming fraternity. From the course set up, and the facilities, to the compliance with international standards, the event was a resounding step forward in presenting a "world class" event domestically.

SSA has subsequently received numerous correspondence of congratulation.

With the allocation of SSA National Competitions being considered for the next four-year cycle, at this moment in time there is only one Affiliate that has the capacity, expertise and suitable venue to host the SA National Open Water Swimming Championships and that is Eastern Cape Aquatics. I trust that SSA management will consider this favorably.

## COMMITTEES

The Swimming South Africa Open Water Swimming Technical Committee comprised Willie Vorster – Chairman (AG), Wayne Riddin (KZNA) and Joseph Mashoa (AG). Mr. Willie Vorster was unable to attend the 2020 SANATOWS due to him sustaining an injury.

The Swimming South Africa Open Water Swimming Selection Committee comprised Gerald Goles (Acting Chairman) (AG) and Caroline Vorster (AG).

No formal meetings – both Technical Committee and Selection Committee were held during the period 2019 – 2020 due to fiscal constraints. All correspondence was dealt with electronically (via e-mail) and telephonically. This proved to be adequate and there were no problems encountered.

## CONCLUSION

The number of international racing opportunities for the top end of the South African open water swimming fraternity has been accommodated during the period May 2019 to February 2020. Being part of the SSA National Open Water Swimming Squads has afforded these opportunities and the athletes themselves to see the value and appreciate the effort that has been put in.

Without a doubt, the focus must be to afford our Junior and Youth programs more racing opportunities, while of concern is the continuing trend of “being off the pace” with most of our senior group.

While performances will evolve in time as the “program” is embraced by all and the short term goal for many is Tokyo 2020+1, we as a Federation should be looking at Fina World Junior Open Water Swimming Championships in 2021 and 2022 as well as Fina World Aquatic Championships in 2022 and 2023 as vital stepping stones for tentative competitive participation at the 2024 Summer Olympics. In short, the focus must be for 2024 and beyond

A weekly report system that was introduced the previous season continued, whereby the “home coaches” provide Neville Smith with the athlete mileage, events etc. that Squad member does on a weekly basis. This provided a monitoring system to ensure that when members are selected for tours that they should be sufficiently prepared to acquit themselves satisfactorily at the events they are selected to participate in. A spread sheet of all 2020 SANATOWS qualifiers was compiled to assist in this process.

Again, more 10km races were hosted domestically during this past summer season as requested by the SSA CEO so as to afford more opportunities for the event. This trend has been embraced for the forthcoming season and is sure to assist in attaining the High Performance goals that are required.

To this end it is imperative that we invite and encourage international competitors to attend our SANAT OWS so that the level of international competition can be experienced by a wider range of athletes domestically.

Sponsorship needs to be sourced so as to enable a partial subsidy for planned international tours so as to lessen the fiscal burden on parents and the Federation alike.

## CONDOLENCES

Mr. Dave Norman (SSA COO) passed away during May 2019. His untimely passing had a profound effect on the discipline.

## COMMUNICATION

Emile van Veenhuizen is the Swimming South Africa Executive Member responsible for open water swimming and is actively involved in all activities pertaining to the discipline.

Dean Price, Swimming South Africa High Performance Manager has been actively involved in all activities pertaining to the discipline and has shown great support towards all those embracing the sport.

## CONCLUSION

The future of open water swimming within the Swimming South Africa framework is positive with significant growth at all levels within the discipline. Clear and concise guidelines have been approved by the SSA Executive and are being implemented and managed from a Federation level via the Affiliates and Districts. Compliance is the key to success.

Given the positive momentum that has been gained in the recent past by all role players it is apparent that the discipline of open water swimming is sure to once again gain its rightful place as one of the fastest growing recreational sports in South Africa in the future.



# PARA SWIMMING

**T**he 2019-2020 season started at Senior Nationals in Durban, SA Schools in Pretoria, SA Toyota Disability Games in Stellenbosch, Grand Prix in Stellenbosch, World Series in Glasgow, Scotland, World Para Swimming Championship in London.

## SENIOR NATIONALS, APRIL 2019 IN DURBAN

There were 25 Para swimmers. 17 males and 8 females, who competed at Seniors and World Para Champ Trails Trials?. 6 para swimmers who qualified for the World Para Swimming Championship. There were 5 Deaf swimmers who qualified for the World Deaf Swimming Championship. Kabelo Zwane just missed his S7 class qualifying times. Johann van der Heerden, Christine Sadie, Franco Smit, Hendrik Van der Merwe, Hendri Herbst, Alani Ferreira and Cornelle Leach qualified for the World Para Swimming Championship in London. Amkele Qamarana, Slindokuhle Mabanga, Pierre Dellieu, Mark Roach and Terence Parkin qualified for the World Deaf Swimming Championship in Sao Paulo.

## WORLD SERIES, APRIL 2019 IN GLASGOW, SCOTLAND

We sent 6 para swimmers to Glasgow, Scotland. This was also an international classification. The classification has been changed since 2018. Every para swimmer was a compulsory to get correct international classification. This is self-funding for para swimmers. The following Para swimmers were required to have international

classification – Alani Ferreira, Kabelo Zwane, Johann van der Heerden, Hendrik van der Merwe, Franco Smit and Aaron Putiz. Christian Sadie had already got his international classification at the Africa Games in Kenya in 2017.

Aaron Putiz – same class S14, SB14, SM14 – permitted to stay same class

Alani Ferreira – Same class S12, SB12, SM12 – review in 2023

Franco Smit – Same class S12, SB12, SM12 – review in 2023

Hendrik van der Merwe – Same class S6, SB5, SM6 – permitted to stay same class

Kabelo Zwane – Moved down from S7, SB7, SM7 to S6, SB7, SB6 – review in 2021 and Qualified World Para Swimming Championship

Johann van der Heerden – Bench test – 2 points above 15 points. So, he removed from Para swimming. There have been changes to all the international classifications since 2018. One of the Brazil Hot Para swimmers, Basil, who won numerous of Paralympic medals, was also removed from Para swimming in 2018.

Interesting to watch World Series Para swimming in Glasgow. There are mixing races. S1 – S14 Classes to compete against each other. Only those para swimmers who get the highest points go to the top 10 finals. One of the Japanese swimmers who was S4, SB4, SM4 and beat most of the higher class. He won silver medals because his times was close to his class world records.

## RESULTS FINALS

Christian Sadie – 200m IM – 8th, 50m Fly – 5th, 50m Free 6th

Kabelo Zwane - 50m Fly – 8th

## WORLD DEAF SWIMMING CHAMPIONSHIP, AUGUST 2019

SADSF assisted SA deaf swimmers with flights and accommodation. Thank you SADSF. We all just managed to go to Sao Paulo, Brazil. We sent 5 Deaf Swimmers to Sao Paulo, Brazil. They weren't Mark Roach, Pierre Dellieu, Amkele Qamarana, Slindokuhle Mabanga, and Terence Parkin. We all stayed at the Paralympic Village. This is one of the best villages in Brazil. Able-bodied persons do not have any kind of Olympic village in Brazil. Swimming pool was only 10 minutes away from Village. There was no need for transport. And we walked to the Pool and back to the village every day. Mark Roach was the new captain. He competed in his third World Champs. And he carried the South Africa flag. Mark was with two other persons, Slindo and Amkele. Pierre Dellieu won the Bronze medal for 50m Freestyle.

## RESULTS FINAL

Final – 10

Personal Best – 9

South Africa Record - 2

Mark Roach – 400m IM 8th, 100m Back 8th, 200m IM 7th

Terence Parkin – 400m IM 5th, 100m Breast 4th, 200m Breast 5th

Pierre Dellieu – 100m Free 6th, 50m Free Bronze medal

### Relay

4x100m Free – 8th Mark, Slindokuhle, Amkele, Pierre

4x100m Medley – 6th Mark, Slindokuhle, Terence, Pierre

## WORLD PARA SWIMMING CHAMPIONSHIP, SEPTEMBER 2019

Thank you SASCOC, who kindly sent the team to London, UK. Same venue as Olympic and Paralympic Game in 2012. Lucky for Cornelle Leach. WPS who gave another chance for para swimmers. And they were allowed to have international classification before the World Para



Swimming Championship. She went to International classification. And she stayed in the same class S12, SB12, SM12. There were 7 para swimmers – Alani Ferreira, Cornelle Leach, Kabelo Zwane, Christian Sadie, Franco Smit, Hendri Herbst, Hendrik van der Merwe, as well as Coach Theo Verster, Tadhg Slattery, Tapper Ilse-Mare Langenhoven and Physio Corrine Shepperd. Hendri Herbst carried the South Africa flag. First time ever for South Africa: the Blind team who swam international relay. Pity, but there were no SA para swimmers in the top 2 at London. So therefore, IPC gave South Africa Slots for Paralympic Games – 3 men and 1 woman. I hope we can apply for a wild card for one more woman.

## RESULTS FINAL

Final – 10 Personal Best – 18

Africa Record – 15

South Africa Record – 15

Alani Ferreira – 100m Breast – 7th Africa record

Christian Sadie – 100m Breast 7th Africa record, 50m Fly 5th Africa record, 50m Free 6th Africa record, 200m IM 4th Africa record

Franco Smit – 50m Free 7th Africa record, 100m Backstroke 7th Africa record

Hendri Herbst – 100m Freestyle 8th

### **Relay**

4x100m Freestyle relay – 8th Hendri Herbst, Franco Smit, Cornelle Leach, Alani Ferreira

## **GRAND PRIX, FEBRUARY 2020 IN STELLENBOSCH**

Thank you SSA and SASCOC for kindly sending 7 para swimmers to Stellenbosch. It was to gain good experience for Para swimmers. This was also trying to get para swimmers a place on international rankings for 2020 before Lockdown started. Some of the countries have not published para swimmer's times on international ranking 2020. I hope we will do it again at Grand Prix and training camps soon.

## **CLASSIFICATION**

We were concerned about the classification since Dea Slattery retired from International Classification. And the last international classification was at Bloemfontein in 2016 (Old international classification). New International classification was beginning in 2018. After that, we were struggling to get international classifiers here in South Africa due to the cost being awfully expensive. And Para swimmers are also struggling to find own funds for international classification abroad. Since the World Series were the only ones who offer international classification. It is compulsory to have international Classification before

the World Champs and Paralympic Games. Without international classification, Para swimmers will not be able to publish their times on their class ranking, nor will they be able to publish new World records and may not compete at World Champ and Paralympic Games. We have potential para swimmers who have SDMS license, but they do not have international classification. Kat Swanepoel and Matthew Moss were supposed to go to Brazil for the World Series, including international classification. But it has been cancelled due to the coronavirus. Our young swimmers Moeketsi and Nathan who are both 13 years old, are both in the top 30 in their international class ranking, but it has not been approved by international classification.

## **HOW MANY PARA SWIMMERS AT THE COMPETITIONS?**

Seniors Nationals – 25

SA Schools – 41

SA Toyota Disability Games – 29

Transformation swimmers – 20

Grand Prix – 7

WPS International SDMS Licence – 28 Para swimmers.  
9 Para swimmers who only have been approved by International classification.

What a pity, everything has been suspended and postponed to next year. Due to the coronavirus pandemic being critical all over world. Our country started lockdown on 26th March 2020. Most of the para swimmers have not been training for last 3 and half months. This month, some para swimmers have been training at private pools. Municipalities' pools have not been opened yet. We hope we will bounce back again soon this year and be ready for international competitions and Paralympic Games next year.



## V. AFFILIATES

# NORTH WEST SWIMMING ASSOCIATION

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It has been an honor to be the President of North West swimming for 24 months.

I have to say that it has been an experience I will not change for the world. I have witnessed precious moments of swimmers achieving their goals.

From swimmers entering the water for the first time in their life to National swimmers achieving African records.

I have had the opportunity and fully enjoyed visits to National Short Course, National Long Course Meeting, National Coaches Camps, and National School Championships.

I would like to say a HUGE thank to all the people who continue to help and volunteer at all our meetings and Gala's during the season. Without your assistance and help, we will not be able to continue. Swim parents and

coaches/ teachers are the heart behind every swimmer. Thank you, parents, and all swimming coaches/teachers out there that have an input in every swimmer's life.

The support and commitment I get from the NW Swimming Federation members. Thank you for your valued contribution.

To my wife Annari who always gives me her honest opinion and ear when I have ideas. Words can not describe the appreciation. Thank you from my heart.

Regards

**Xavier Palmer**

President: North West Swimming

# WESTERN CAPE AQUATICS

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It gives me great pleasure to present my 1st report as the President of Western Cape Aquatics following an Inaugural Annual General Meeting (AGM) on the 4th August 2019 after the interim committee unbundled the old structure and combined all districts as geopolitical boundaries under one structure for the province. I'm humbled by the confidence placed in me to lead this organization for the next 4 years. For the period in review the new board focused on creating functional structures and putting systems in place for the organization to fulfil its function and working towards advancing the sport by creating a platform for our kids to enjoy this beautiful sport.

The report highlights key achievements over the period, and I'm excited about the talent and achievement of our athletes over this season. With the assistance of Eden District we were able to get some aquatic activities going in Central Karoo that was not functional the previous season. It's my wish that we take this beautiful sport to all corners in the province, be it in urban, rural or township areas. The interim period provided us with a good basis to advance the sport and build momentum towards a new

future. This must include developing the sport to more disadvantaged areas, but also to develop the sport in all disciplines, specifically in diving, artistic swimming and open water swimming. Building capacity at district level, specifically the small districts, to become self-sustainable, must be prioritized. Our registered membership increased from 4,087 in 2018/19 to 4,528 in the 2019/20 season and represents 18, 9% of members from the previous disadvantaged community. The new board must prioritize reaching out to these communities and specifically develop strategies on how to advance the sport to these communities.

The provincial strategy must also focus on schools and developing a schools competition within the different disciplines. Hopefully this will feed the junior and senior club league system with potential swimmers. WCA performed well under high performance with an increase of 39 athletes selected for different national age group teams. In total 20, 4% of WCA athletes represented the country at all aquatic disciplines. Unfortunately the year in review also ended with the outbreak of one of the world's

worst pandemics, COVID 19, affecting most of the national galas. This significantly reduced athlete's participation in comparison with the previous season. We are entering the new season with uncertainty and are hopeful that we all will be safe and return to normality soon.

Lastly I want to thank our board members for the support and insightful and robust discussions to structure the new Western Cape Aquatics board. Without team work this

task will be impossible. All the best and hope we will be able to continue to play an active role in advancing and developing the sport we so dearly love.

Yours in sport

**Lluwellyn Coetzee**

President: Western Cape Aquatics

## CAPE TOWN METRO AQUATICS

CTMA as a district had to hold the fort for swimming due to the other district not completely au fait with setting up galas etc. Another challenge to the district was financially assisting WCA to host events, etc. until they had full access to their banking facility. Having to host the Grand Prix at the eleventh hour for SSA also took a strain on us until the deficit was sorted by SSA. We held our AGM in October once the auditor managed to sort out all the various financial departments. I am extremely grateful to all the role players in CTMA, our clubs club executive, and especially my executive and the swim board. Elna ,Lucinda and their team ran the galas smoothly and assisted West coast to run a successful SSA regional event.

Registration for 2019-2020 reflects 3124 members ranging from 954 swimmers plus minus 700 officials .The registration total ranges across all our disciplines like artistic swimming, water polo, diving, Coaches and LTs staff statistics attached.

Development in the district is on going and the traditional water awareness program held each season has now been absorbed in the SSA holiday program A big debt of gratitude to Hassiem Bester and Chris van Niekerk for their diligence in managing these events in the disadvantaged areas with schools.

Aquatic Extravaganza. A succesfull venture aimed at the general pool attendees who embraced the program with open arms .This is all due to the chairperson of the disciplines playing a pivotal role in the planning and its execution and this contributed to the success.

Highlights: A very exciting season for CTMA with our swimmers receiving the DCAS coveted awards: Chad Le Clos: Sports Person, Olivia Nell: Runner-up sports woman and Lerato: Runner-up Junior Female sportsperson.

Performance: Excellent participation by CTMA swimmers Michael Houlie jun Olympics medalist in (50br) competed at university games. He also qualified for Junior Worlds, as well as Olivia Nell, Ethan Du Preez, and Hannah Pierce. These swimmers are our Olympic contenders and there are more clamouring to qualify .

Senior Nationals: the majority of the medalists were CTMA and Winelands swimmers .

Facilities: A major stumbling block as UWC, Newlands and Bellville 50m pool totally out of commission. The only 50m pool that was available in Cape Town was the Strand Pavilion Pool, which impeded our swimming. The drought of the past three years has also impacted on the clubs using municipal facilities. However we were fortunate to swim the majority of our galas at the two 25m indoor school pools, which did help us weather the storm.

Technical Officials: A very big thank you to all the officials and a shout out to referees for their commitment at galas and in running the training and workshops for CTMA and others.

Education& Training: This department is very busy always dealing with queries liaising with SSA re education, coaches and teachers upliftment programmes, etc.

I thank each and every member of CTMA especially executive members and other districts who contributed to our operations.

**Ray Bester**

President: Cape Town Metro Aquatics

## EDEN AQUATICS

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It gives me pleasure to present my 2nd report as elected President for a 4 year term. The 2019/20 started well with the successful hosting of different short and long course galas for the district. Unfortunately we ended the season with great challenges following the outbreak of the COVID 19 pandemic in our country. It affected many athletes after the cancellation of national and level events early in 2020. With the start of the new season the pandemic created much uncertainty on how it will affect aquatics given the lockdown announced by the President and its direct effect on no training and hosting of events.

Under all these circumstances, our clubs, swimmers and water polo players did exceptionally well this year with results getting better every year. I'm particularly excited about the prospect that our small district produced one of our countries most talented athletes that will make big waves in the aquatic world. I want to congratulate Aimee Canny for her exceptional performances on local and international platforms. We are all proud of your achievements.

For the period in review our membership declined from 578 to 554 members, highlighting the importance that we need to do more to develop and grow the sport. Growth areas such as schools and development of clubs within our previous disadvantaged areas must be priority for the new season. Registration of learn to swim schools and athletes must also be central to this strategy.

The cancellation of levels and other galas will have an effect on the financial well being of the district. It is projected that any sporting activity will only commence

later in the year and will therefore affect the district's short and long course galas impacting our organization's cash flow negatively. We are also not sure if members will register for the new season given the economic effect the lockdown created. It's with all these factors in mind that Eden will need to review all its plans and start rebuilding the organization post COVID 19.

This will require a collective effort by all our members, clubs and structures to rebuild Eden into the force within the Western Cape. We currently building good relations with Western Cape Aquatics and Swimming South Africa and our members serve on many structures on these platforms. In conclusion I want to thank all the Eden board members for your support and hard work in driving this organization. Without you this will not be possible and I look forward to the new season when we as collective will need to steer this boat through the rough waters.

The high performance program focus on identifying talent and mainstreaming them into programs to compete on higher level than the normal structure. Eden selected swimmers to participate in the Inter-district championship during the period in review and also nominated high performance athletes to be part of the Eden Sports Academy. These athletes received special support in conditioning and special coaching with the aim to be selected in national and provincial teams.

**Lluwellyn Coetzee**

President: Eden Aquatics

## WEST COAST AQUATICS

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It gives me great pleasure to say that the West Coast Aquatics District has improved tremendously as a developing district in the 2019/2020 season. Our second successful season involved a lot of structure changes in our framework and running of swim competitions. As a committee we came together and achieved our goals

for the district. One of our new goals that we are striving to achieve is to get as many swimmers onto our High Performance Squad and the goal for this squad is to get the swimmers ranked in the top 10 positions in their age group nationally. This initiative was driven after the district sent me to a High Performance Seminar with John

Atkinson from Canada swimming. I learnt a lot about how an aquatic organization should work and we are trying to implement that on a district level.

A new club started in our District called Aqua44 in Porterville. This was great news, as it shows the growth in swimming on the West Coast District. We were ready to host our first SA Level 2 Regional Championship. But due to the unexpected COVID-19 pandemic the event was cancelled.

Last year we completed our registration with our local sports council which was thanks to our Secretary Catherine Mansfield for playing a big part in that. And we can finally say that we are in good standing with our local sport council.

## MEMBERSHIP STATISTICS

Our registered membership consists of swimmers and officials for the 2019/20 season.

SEASON	MEMBERS
2019/20	215
2018/19	165

I thank each and every member, especially executive members and other districts who contributed to our operations.

**Paolo Gabriels**

President: West Coast Aquatics

# WESTERN CAPE MASTERS SWIMMING

The Committee: President: Mike Winfield / Administrator: Judy Brewis / Treasurer: Doug Howieson Graham Du Toit / Galas: Anne-Marie Odendaal/ Hester Snyman/ Support: Nick Orton.

## MEMBERSHIP

Cape Town Masters Swimming Club 95 3 98, Dolphins Masters Swimming Club 9 3 12, Tygerberg Masters Swimming Club 1 1, Winelands Masters Swimming Club 5 5, Quicksilver Masters Swimming Club 6

Total Number of Members: 116

Sponsored members by CTMSC: 6

## MEMBERSHIP OVER THE YEARS

<b>2017/18</b>	145
<b>2018/19</b>	126
<b>2019/20</b>	116
<b>2020/21</b>	With 2021 SAMS Nationals can we set a target of 150 members?

## MEMBERSHIP FEES 2019 2020

SA Masters Swimming (SAMS) R 75.00 / Swimming South Africa (SSA) Paid by Clubs R416.00 / Western Cape Aquatics (WCA) Paid by Clubs R100.00 / Cape Town Metro Aquatics (CTMA) R 58.00 / Western Cape masters Swimming Association (WCMSA) R 50.00 / Total Excluding Club Fees R720.00. Note the amount of money paid to affiliates is making it very difficult to improve the standard of the galas, and do the administration for Masters Swimming. WCMS should have a starter gun linked to stopwatches Superior Swim Timing Package \$5,300 - R90,100. This can be linked to the Touch Pad!

Proposed Gala Fees (This will be discussed at WCMS AGM)

As Lockdown will be easing. Swimming pools opening for training say September 2020. Under certain restraints we could have five galas for the 2020/21. 2020 October (SA Short Course) and November 2 galas. 2021 January and February 2021 (2# WCMS Champs at Bellville) 3 galas. 2021 April Gala 1 gala, Gala Fee from WCMS: One off for six galas R500, Per gala R120

## ADMINISTRATION

Institutional Memory. Drop Box account opened. Address book. Contact Numbers of pools and affiliates

Membership Registration is cumbersome duplicate between Clubs and WCMSA. We need to streamline the administration to reduce duplications.

Well done & thanks to everyone for attending the galas. To those who achieved records, qualifying times, or personal bests – Congratulations.

## RELATIONSHIP WITH AFFILIATES

SA Masters Swimming (SAMS), Swimming South Africa (SSA) Paid by Clubs, Western Cape Aquatics (WCA) Paid by Clubs Cape Town Metro Aquatics (CTMA, Western Cape masters Swimming Association (WCMSA)

## THE 2020/2021 SEASON

Due to Lockdown restrictions it looks as though we will not be able to host any galas until later in the year. We are planning for the first gala to be in October – SAMS SC Champs, which we will host at either Reddam Pool in Somerset West or Fairmont High School in Durbanville as both are large facilities. Followed by a Nov SC gala and then 3 LC galas in January & February and possibly one in April.

## GALA PARTICIPATION AND RESULTS

The 2019/2020 gala season hosted 8 galas throughout the season

6 Short Course Galas held at Fairmont High School, Stellenbosch Indoor Pool and Reddam House in Somerset West. The April gala was obviously cancelled due to COVID 19 & lockdown. 2 WCM Long Course Championships were all held at Stellenbosch outdoor pool in February. The January Gala should have been a LC gala but unfortunately due to the lack of LC pools we held it as a SC gala @ Reddam in Somerset West. The average attendance was around 30 swimmers per gala. This was down on previous years - especially the SAMS SC Champs in October where there were only 27 swimmers – hence we weren't in contention to win the SAMS SC Champs Trophy as we had in previous years.

## RECORDS AND COLOURS

SAMS Records Broken – 28 / WCM Records Broken – 45

### SA COLOURS WERE OBTAINED BY

Di Coetzee, Jean Degenaar, Sanderina Kruger, Kascha Kloos, Cecilia Stanford, Tarryn Stanford, Santa van Jaarsveld, David McLachlan, Izak Spies, Tim Shead, Mike Winfield, Calvin Maughan

### Mike Winefield

President: Western Cape Masters Swimming



**vi.**  
**ANNUAL FINANCIAL  
STATEMENTS**

# GENERAL INFORMATION

**COUNTRY OF INCORPORATION AND DOMICILE** South Africa

**NATURE OF BUSINESS AND PRINCIPAL ACTIVITIES** The principal activity of the association is to develop, control and promote all aquatic disciplines in the Republic of South Africa. The association is a non-profit sport organisation. The association had been approved as a public benefit organisation in terms of Section 10 of the Income Tax Act and the receipts and accruals are exempt from Income Tax under Section 10(1) (cN) of the Income Tax Act.

**EXECUTIVE MEMBERS** The Executive Committee was elected at the Annual General Meeting held on the 3rd September 2016 and certain members have been co-opted, as per the provisions of the Swimming South Africa Constitution.

The following members served on the Executive Committee during the year under review:

NAME	POSITION
Mr Alan Fritz	President
Mr Zikie Molusi	Vice President
Mr Jace Naidoo	Vice President
Mr Peter Thompson	Vice President
Mr John Ellis	Treasurer
Mr Ronald Andrews	Member
Mrs Louise Bignonaut	Member
Ms Debbie Petersen - resigned 30 November 2019	Member
Mr Ndivhuho Rapulu	Member
Mr Emile van Veenhuizen	Member
Ms Penny Heyns	Member
Mr Sam Ramsamy	Honorary Life President
Mr Gideon Sam	Honorary Life President
Mr Shaun Adriaanse	Chief Executive Officer (ex-office)

**LEGAL FORM** Association governed by a constitution

**REGISTRATION NUMBERS** NPO registration 088-206-NPO  
PBO registration 18/11/13/3206

**REGISTERED OFFICE AND BUSINESS ADDRESS** Ground Floor, North Wing  
Johannesburg Athletic Stadium  
124 Van Beek Street  
New Doornfontein  
Johannesburg

**WEBSITE ADDRESS** swimsa.org

**PRINCIPAL BANKERS** ABSA Bank Limited

**PREPARER** The annual financial statements were internally prepared by B. Morar.

**LEVEL OF ASSURANCE** These annual financial statements have been audited independently in compliance with the constitution.

# EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE'S RESPONSIBILITY & APPROVAL

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The Executive Committee is required by the association's constitution, to maintain adequate accounting records and is responsible for the content and integrity of the annual financial statements and related financial information included in this report. It is their responsibility to ensure that the annual financial statements fairly present the state of affairs of the association as at the end of the financial year and the results of its operations and cash flows for the year then ended, in conformity with its accounting policies. The external auditors are engaged to express an independent opinion on the annual financial statements.

The annual financial statements are prepared in accordance with our accounting policies and are based upon appropriate accounting policies consistently applied and supported by reasonable and prudent judgements and estimates.

The Executive Committee acknowledges that it is ultimately responsible for the system of internal financial controls established by the association and places considerable importance on maintaining a strong control environment. To enable the Executive Committee to meet these responsibilities, the Management Committee sets out standards for internal control aimed at reducing the risk of error or loss in a cost - effective manner.

The standards include the proper delegation of responsibilities within a clearly defined framework, effective accounting procedures and adequate segregation of duties to ensure an acceptable level of risk. These controls are monitored throughout the association and employees are required to maintain the highest ethical standards in ensuring the association's business is conducted in a manner that in all reasonable circumstances is above reproach. The focus of risk management in the association

is on identifying, assessing, managing and monitoring all known forms of risk across the association. While operating risk cannot be fully eliminated, the association endeavours to minimise it by ensuring that appropriate infrastructure, controls, systems and ethical behaviour are applied and managed within predetermined procedures and constraints.

The Executive Committee is of the opinion, based on the information and explanations given by management, that the system of internal controls provides reasonable assurance that the financial records may be relied on for the presentation of the annual financial statements. However, any system of internal financial control can provide only reasonable, and not absolute, assurance against material misstatement or loss.

The Executive Committee has reviewed the association's cash flow forecast for the year to 30th April 2021 and, in the light of this review and the current financial position, it is satisfied that the association has or has access to adequate resources to continue in operational existence for the foreseeable future.

Although the Executive Committee is primarily responsible for the financial affairs of the association, it is supported by the association's external auditors.

The external auditors are responsible for independently auditing and reporting on the association's annual financial statements. The annual financial statements have been examined by the association's external auditors and their report is presented on pages 44 to 45.

The annual financial statements set out on pages 47 to 58, were approved by the Executive Committee on the 1st August 2020 and were signed on its behalf by:



**Alan Fritz**  
President



**John Ellis**  
Treasurer

# INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

## UNQUALIFIED OPINION

We have audited the financial statements of Swimming South Africa set out on pages 47 to 58, which comprise the statement of financial position as at 30 April 2020, and the statement of comprehensive income, statement of changes in reserves and statement of cash flows for the financial year then ended, and the notes to the financial statements, including a summary of significant accounting policies.

In our opinion, the financial statements fairly present, in all material respects, the financial position of Swimming South Africa as at 30 April 2020, and of its financial performance and its cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with its accounting policies.

## BASIS FOR UNQUALIFIED OPINION

We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing (ISAs). Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements section of our report. We are independent of the Association in accordance with the Independent Regulatory Board for Auditors Code of Professional Conduct for Registered Auditors (IRBA Code), together with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of financial statements in South Africa. We have fulfilled our other ethical requirements in accordance with these requirements and the IRBA Code. The IRBA Code is consistent with the International Ethics Standards Board for Accountants Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants (Part A and B). We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

## OTHER INFORMATION

The management board is responsible for the other information. The other information comprises the Supplementary schedules set out on pages 20 to 21. The other information does not include the financial statements and our auditor's report thereon.

Our opinion on the financial statements does not cover the other information and we do not express any form of assurance conclusion thereon.

In connection with our audit of the financial statements, our responsibility is to read the other information and, in doing so, consider whether the other information is materially inconsistent with the financial statements or our knowledge obtained in the audit, or otherwise appears to be materially misstated. If, based on the work we performed, we conclude that there is a material misstatement of this other information, we are required to report that fact. We have nothing to report in this regard.

## EMPHASIS OF MATTER

We draw attention to the matter below. Our opinion is not modified in respect of this matter.

As is explained in note 17 to the financial statements, the association needs ongoing donor support if it is to continue operations. These financial statements have been prepared on the basis of accounting practices applicable to a going concern which assumes that the association will generate sufficient funds by way of grants from donors to continue funding its activities in the ensuing year. Accordingly they do not include any adjustments, relating to the recoverability and classification of assets or to the amounts and classification of liabilities, that would be necessary if the association were unable to continue as a going concern.

## RESPONSIBILITIES OF MANAGEMENT AND THOSE CHARGED WITH GOVERNANCE FOR THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in accordance with their accounting policies and the requirements of the Constitution, and for such internal control as management determines is necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error. In preparing the financial statements, management is responsible

for assessing the Association's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless management either intends to liquidate the Association or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so. Those charged with governance are responsible for overseeing the Association's financial reporting process.

## AUDITOR'S RESPONSIBILITIES FOR THE AUDIT OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with ISAs will always detect a material misstatement when it exists.

Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of these financial statements. As part of an audit in accordance with ISAs, we exercise professional judgement and maintain professional scepticism throughout the audit. We also:

- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks, and obtain audit evidence that is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion. The risk of sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Association's internal control
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by management
- Conclude on the appropriateness of management's use of the going concern basis of accounting and, based on the audit evidence obtained, whether

a material uncertainty exists related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the Association's ability to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditor's report to the related disclosures in the financial statements or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to modify our opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our auditor's report. However, future events or conditions may cause the Association to cease to continue as a going concern

- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the financial statements, including the disclosures, and whether the financial statements represent the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation
- Obtain sufficient appropriate audit evidence regarding the financial information of the entities or business activities within the association to express an opinion on the financial statements. We are responsible for the direction, supervision and performance of the association audit. We remain solely responsible for our audit opinion.

We communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and significant audit findings, including any significant deficiencies in internal control that we identify during our audit. We have communicated with those charged with governance on all relationships and other matters, which may reasonably be thought to bear on our independence and, where applicable, related safeguards.



**DC Douglas RA**  
Douglas & Velcich  
Chartered Accountants (S.A.)

Johannesburg  
17 August 2020

# REPORT OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

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The Treasurer has pleasure in presenting this report on behalf of the Executive Committee on the financial activities of the association.

## GENERAL OVERVIEW

The principal activity of the association is to develop, control and promote all aquatic disciplines in the Republic of South Africa.

The association is a non-profit sport organisation. The association had been approved as a public benefit organisation in terms of Section 10 of the Income Tax Act and the receipts and accruals are exempt from Income Tax under Section 10(1) (cN) of the Income Tax Act.

## CORPORATE GOVERNANCE

The association has adopted the principles in the King IV on corporate governance as it applies to non-profit organisations.

This was done in the previous year and is retained in the year under review.

## RESULTS

The results for the year are fully disclosed in the attached annual financial statements.

## POST FINANCIAL POSITION EVENTS

The Covid-19 pandemic lockdown which has negatively affected some activities during the past financial year, has continued after the financial year end. This is likely to affect the activities of the federation into the new financial year because of the lack of swimming training and competitions. However Swimming SA has been granted permission on the 26 June 2020 from the Minister of Sport, Arts and Culture to resume swimming training and competition subject to stringent health protocols. Although the effect of the pandemic lockdown will be material on the financial situation, we are confident, following strategies to be implemented, that the federation will survive the future effects of this lockdown into the foreseeable future.

## EQUIPMENT

During the year under review, the association acquired equipment costing R291,255 (2019 - R322,078).

## AUDITORS

During the year under review, Douglas & Velcich were retained as auditors.

# STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION

as at 30 April 2020

	NOTE	2020 R	2019 R
<b>ASSETS</b>		<b>9 665 969</b>	<b>10 665 532</b>
<b>NON - CURRENT ASSETS</b>		<b>722 844</b>	<b>697 598</b>
Equipment	3	722 844	697 598
<b>CURRENT ASSETS</b>		<b>8 943 125</b>	<b>9 967 934</b>
Inventory	4	3 386 216	1 247 951
Accounts receivable	5	756 043	1 047 689
Cash and cash equivalents	6	4 800 866	7 672 294
<b>Total assets</b>		<b>9 665 969</b>	<b>10 665 532</b>
<b>RESERVES AND LIABILITIES</b>		<b>9 665 969</b>	<b>10 665 532</b>
<b>RESERVES</b>		<b>209 226</b>	<b>2 372 063</b>
Accumulated surplus		(238 473)	1 674 465
Equipment fund		447 699	697 598
<b>Current liabilities</b>		<b>9 456 742</b>	<b>8 293 469</b>
Accounts payable	7	2 477 816	1 113 857
Deferred income	8	6 935 069	7 134 078
Provision for leave pay	9	43 857	45 534
<b>Total reserves and liabilities</b>		<b>9 665 969</b>	<b>10 665 532</b>

# STATEMENT OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME

for the year ended 30 April 2020

	NOTE	2020 R	Restated** 2019 R
<b>INCOME</b>		<b>16 384 140</b>	<b>19 857 615</b>
Fees received	10	9 824 874	12 294 219
Sponsorship received	11	2 505 408	2 128 289
Grants received	12	3 634 849	4 902 488
Interest received	13	373 000	402 272
Other income		46 010	130 346
<b>EXPENDITURE</b>		<b>18 546 977</b>	<b>21 568 972</b>
<b>Programme costs</b>		<b>16 229 259</b>	<b>17 117 883</b>
Competitions and disciplines		1 327 774	2 377 495
Facilities upgrading		93 468	-
High performance		11 720 776	10 746 775
Marketing		635 548	1 245 382
Mass participation		921 299	1 086 014
Training and development		924 744	728 349
General expenses		605 650	933 869
<b>National office costs</b>		<b>2 317 719</b>	<b>4 451 089</b>
<b>SURPLUS/(DEFICIT) FOR THE YEAR</b>		<b>(2 162 837)</b>	<b>(1 711 357)</b>

# STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN RESERVES

for the year ended 30 April 2020

	ACCUMULATED SURPLUS R	EQUIPMENT FUND R	TOTAL R
<b>Balance at 30 April 2018</b>	<b>3 498 380</b>	<b>585 041</b>	<b>4 083 420</b>
(Deficit) for the year	(1 711 357)	-	(1 711 357)
Transfer to equipment fund	(322 077)	322 077	-
Additions during the year	(322 077)	322 077	-
Depreciation of the year	209 519	(209 519)	-
<b>Balance at 30 April 2019</b>	<b>1 674 465</b>	<b>697 598</b>	<b>2 372 063</b>
(Deficit) for the year	(2 162 837)	-	(2 162 837)
Transfer to equipment fund	-	-	-
Additions during the year	-	-	-
Depreciation of the year	249 899	(249 899)	-
<b>Balance at 30 April 2020</b>	<b>(238 473)</b>	<b>447 699</b>	<b>209 226</b>

# STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS

for the year ended 30 April 2020

	NOTE	2020 R	2019 R
<b>Cash flows from operating activities</b>			
Cash receipts from donors, sponsors and affiliates		13 965 513	22 327 650
Cash paid to programmes, suppliers and employees		(16 918 686)	(21 253 367)
<b>Cash (utilised in)/generated from operations</b>	15	<b>(2 953 173)</b>	<b>1 074 282</b>
Interest received	13	373 000	402 272
Interest paid	13	-	(2 199)
<b>Net (outflow)/inflow from operating activities</b>		<b>(2 580 173)</b>	<b>1 474 355</b>
<b>Cash flows (utilised in) investing activities</b>		<b>(291 255)</b>	<b>(322 078)</b>
Acquisition of equipment, at cost	3	(291 255)	(322 078)
<b>Cash flows from financing activities</b>		<b>-</b>	<b>(33 190)</b>
Repayments on the finance lease		-	(33 190)
Net (decrease)/increase in cash and cash equivalents		(2 871 428)	1 119 088
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of year		7 672 294	6 553 206
<b>Cash and cash equivalents at end of year</b>	6	<b>4 800 866</b>	<b>7 672 294</b>

# ACCOUNTING POLICIES

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1. The annual financial statements are prepared on the historical cost basis, except for financial instruments as indicated below. The financial statements incorporate the following principal accounting policies which are consistent, in all material respects with those applied in the previous year :-

## 1.1 SIGNIFICANT JUDGEMENTS

In preparing the annual financial statements, management is required to make estimates and assumptions that affect the amounts represented in the annual financial statements and related disclosures. Use of available information and the application of judgement is inherent in the formation of estimates. Actual results in the future could differ from these estimates which may be material to the annual financial statements.

## 1.2 TANGIBLE ASSETS

The cost of an item of tangible assets is recognised as an asset when:

- it is probable that future economic benefits associated with the item will flow to the association; and
- the cost of the item can be measured reliably.

Costs include costs incurred initially to acquire or construct an item of tangible assets and costs incurred subsequently to add to, replace part of, or service it. If a replacement cost is recognised in the carrying amount of an item of tangible assets, the carrying amount of the replaced part is derecognised.

Tangible assets are carried at cost less accumulated depreciation and any impairment losses.

Depreciation is provided on all tangible assets other than freehold land, to write down the cost, less residual value, by equal instalments over their useful lives as follows:

ITEM	USEFUL LIFE
Branding	3 years
Computer equipment	3 years
Furniture and fittings	6 years
Hi Performance equipment	5 years
Leasehold improvements (Kings Park)	3 years
Motor vehicle	5 years
Office equipment	5 years

The depreciation charge for each period is recognised in surplus or deficit unless it is included in the carrying amount of another asset.

An asset's carrying amount is written down immediately to its recoverable amount if the asset's carrying amount is greater than its estimated recoverable amount.

The gain or loss arising from the derecognition of an item of equipment is included in surplus or deficit when the item is derecognised. The gain or loss arising from the derecognition of an item of equipment is determined as the difference between the net disposal proceeds, if any, and the carrying amount of the item.

It is the policy of the association to write any asset purchases off against the operating fund in the year that the assets are acquired as the majority of the income is from funders who request that the assets be expensed in the year of purchase.

### 1.3 EQUIPMENT FUND

An equipment fund is maintained to separate from accumulated funds the funding of non-current assets, which are not available for the short term funding of operations.

The fund is maintained at a value equal to the carrying value of equipment in the statement of financial position. Depreciation and profits or losses on disposal are charged against operating income each year and adjusted against the fund.

### 1.4 FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS

#### MEASUREMENT

Financial instruments carried on the statement of financial position include bank balances, accounts receivable and accounts payable. Financial instruments are initially measured at cost as at trade date, which includes transaction costs. Subsequent to initial recognition, the following instruments are measured as set out below :-

#### ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE

Accounts receivable are stated at cost less provision for impairment losses.

#### CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS

Cash equivalents are short term, highly liquid investments that are readily convertible to known amounts of cash and are subject to insignificant risk in change in value.

Cash and cash equivalents are measured at fair value.

#### ACCOUNTS PAYABLE

Accounts payable which are short - term obligation, are stated at their nominal value.

### 1.5 IMPAIRMENT

The carrying amounts of assets are reviewed at financial position date to determine whether there is any indication of impairment. If there is such indication, the assets are written down to the estimated recoverable amounts. The recoverable amount is the higher of the net selling price and the value in use.

### 1.6 INVENTORIES

Inventories are valued at the lower of cost and net realisable value.

### 1.7 LEASES AS LESSEE

Leases are classified as finance leases whenever the terms of the lease transfer substantially all of the risks and rewards of ownership to the lessee. All other leases are classified as operating leases.

Finance leases are recognised as assets and liabilities in the statement of financial position at amounts equal to the fair value of the leased property or, if lower, the present value on the minimum lease payments.

The discount rate used in calculating the present value of the minimum lease payment is the effective interest rate.

Any initial direct costs are added to the amount recognised as an asset.

The lease payments are apportioned between the finance charge and reduction of the outstanding liability. The finance charge is allocated to each period during the lease term so as to produce a constant periodic rate on the remaining balance of the liability.

Any contingent rents are expenses in the period they are incurred.

Operating lease payments are recognised as an expense on a straight-line basis over the lease term.

## **1.8 PROVISIONS AND CONTINGENCIES**

Provisions are recognised when:

- the association has a present obligation as a result of a past event;
- it is probable that an outflow of resources embodying economic benefits will be required to settle the obligation; and
- a reliable estimate can be made of the obligation.

The amount of a provision is the present value of the expenditure expected to be required to settle the obligation.

Where some or all of the expenditure required to settle a provision is expected to be reimbursed by another party, the reimbursement shall be recognised when, and only when, it is virtually certain that reimbursement will be received if the entity settles the obligation. The reimbursement shall be treated as a separate asset. The amount recognised for the reimbursement shall not exceed the amount of the provision.

Provisions shall not be recognised for future operating losses.

If an entity has a contract that is onerous, the present obligation under the contract shall be recognised and measured as a provision.

After their initial recognition, contingent liabilities recognised in business combinations that are recognised separately are subsequently measured at the higher of:

- the amount that would be recognised as a provision; and
- the amount initially recognised less cumulative amortisation.

Contingent assets and contingent liabilities are not recognised.

## **1.9 REVENUE RECOGNITION**

Income from fees, grants and sponsorship is brought to account in the financial period to which it relates.

All other income is brought to account as and when received.

## **1.10 INTEREST INCOME**

Interest is brought to account as and when received.

## **1.11 EXPENDITURE**

Expenditure is accounted for on the accrual basis of accounting.

## **1.12 PROJECT ACCOUNTING AND EXPENSE ALLOCATION**

In terms of its contractual obligations to donors, the association's policy is to allocate project expenses that are clearly identifiable as such, directly against project funds.

Indirect and shared costs are apportioned on the basis of management estimates.

Accrued and deferred grant income is based on the balance of the project fund after taking into account the direct, indirect and shared costs as described above. The unexpended surplus of the project fund is deferred to the following year or the deficit is accrued in the year under review.

## 1.13 EMPLOYEE BENEFITS

### SHORT-TERM EMPLOYEE BENEFITS

The cost of short - term employee benefits, (those payable within 12 months after the service is rendered, such as paid vacation leave and sick leave, bonuses, and medical aid contributions), are recognised in the period in which the service is rendered and are not discounted.

The expected cost of compensated absences is recognised as an expense as the employee renders service that increases their entitlement or, in the case of non-accumulating absences, when the absence occurs.

The expected cost of bonus payments is recognised as an expense when there is a legal or constructive obligation to make such payments as a result of past performance.

## 2. FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT

### 2.1 FINANCIAL RISK FACTORS

The association's activities could expose it to a variety of financial risks: market risk (including fair value interest rate risk), credit risk, liquidity risk and cash flow interest rate risk. The association's overall risk management programme focuses on the unpredictability of financial markets and seeks to minimise potential adverse effects on the association's financial performance.

Risk management is carried out by the executive committee, who evaluate financial risks.

#### (A) MARKET RISK

The association has no significant exposure to foreign currency risk.

#### (B) CREDIT RISK

The association's credit risk is attributable to accounts receivable, accrued income and liquid funds.

The credit risk on liquid funds is limited because the counter party is a bank with credit rating assigned by international credit - rating agencies. The association has no significant concentration of credit risk, as accounts receivable is subject to rigorous credit control.

#### (C) LIQUIDITY RISK

The association manages liquidity risk by monitoring forecast cash flows and ensuring that adequate cash reserves are maintained to cover anticipated expenditure.

#### (D) CASH FLOW AND FAIR VALUE INTEREST RATE RISK

The association has minimal exposure to interest rate risk as surplus funds are invested in local interest - bearing accounts.

### 3. EQUIPMENT

	Branding R	Computer equipment R	Furniture & fittings R	Hi Performance equipment R	Leasehold improvements Kings Park R	Motor vehicle R	Office equipment R	Total R
<b>30 APRIL 2020</b>								
<b>Balance at 1 May 2019</b>	-	<b>113 863</b>	<b>10 501</b>	<b>544 606</b>	-	<b>1</b>	<b>28 627</b>	<b>697 598</b>
At cost	-	658 845	429 221	998 312	-	125 439	152 176	2 363 993
Accumulated depreciation	-	(544 983)	(418 720)	(453 706)	-	(125 438)	(123 549)	(1 666 395)
Additions during the year	-	41 255	-	-	250 000	-	-	291 255
Depreciation for the year	-	(55 959)	(3 510)	(176 044)	(6 944)	-	(23 553)	(266 010)
<b>Net book value 30 April 2020</b>	-	<b>99 159</b>	<b>6 991</b>	<b>368 562</b>	<b>243 056</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>5 075</b>	<b>722 844</b>
At cost	-	700 100	429 221	998 312	250 000	125 439	152 176	2 655 248
Accumulated depreciation	-	(600 942)	(422 230)	(629 750)	(6 944)	(125 438)	(147 101)	(1 932 405)
<b>30 APRIL 2019</b>								
<b>Balance at 1 May 2018</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>113 141</b>	<b>14 011</b>	<b>413 567</b>	-	<b>1</b>	<b>44 320</b>	<b>585 041</b>
At cost	577 600	618 735	429 221	723 312	-	125 439	145 209	2 619 516
Accumulated depreciation	(577 599)	(505 594)	(415 210)	(309 745)	-	(125 438)	(100 889)	(2 034 475)
Additions during the year	-	40 111	-	275 000	-	-	6 967	322 078
Depreciation for the year	-	(39 389)	(3 510)	(143 961)	-	-	(22 660)	(209 519)
Scrapping of assets	(1)	-	-	-	-	-	-	(1)
At cost	(577 600)	-	-	-	-	-	-	(577 600)
Accumulated depreciation	577 599	-	-	-	-	-	-	577 599
<b>Net book value 30 April 2019</b>	-	<b>113 863</b>	<b>10 501</b>	<b>544 606</b>	-	<b>1</b>	<b>28 627</b>	<b>697 598</b>
At cost	-	658 845	429 221	998 312	-	125 439	152 176	2 363 993
Accumulated depreciation	-	(544 983)	(418 720)	(453 706)	-	(125 438)	(123 549)	(1 666 395)

#### 4. INVENTORY

	2020 R	2019 R
ARENA stock		
Balance at beginning of the year	1 244 948	1 464 502
Value in-kind sponsorship	3 093 619	1 289 905
Stock issued to swimmers	(1 112 953)	(1 509 459)
Balance at end of the year	3 225 613	1 244 948
Competition medals	104 456	-
Learn to swim manuals	56 146	3 003
	<b>3 386 216</b>	<b>1 247 951</b>

Inventories are valued at the lower of cost and net realisable value.

#### 5. ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE

Debtors	204 545	2 123 501
Less : provision for bad debts	-	(1 297 950)
Prepaid expenses	495 959	19 556
VAT receivable	55 539	202 582
	<b>756 043</b>	<b>1 047 689</b>

#### 6. CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS

Cash at bank - current accounts	98 171	611 264
Cash at bank - call accounts	4 575 173	7 000 413
Cash at bank - credit card	11 380	-
Petty cash	2 500	2 500
Petty cash - Foreign	113 641	58 117
	<b>4 800 866</b>	<b>7 672 294</b>

#### 7. FINANCE LEASE

Trade creditors	370 320	445 311
Credit card accounts	7 359	80 199
Income received in advance	1 657 946	414 618
Payroll liabilities	85 779	89 325
Other accruals	356 412	84 404
	<b>2 477 816</b>	<b>1 113 857</b>

#### 8. DEFERRED INCOME

Arena - Value in kind inventory sponsorship	3 225 613	-
Department of Sport and Recreation South Africa	3 709 456	3 019 391
National Lottery Distribution Trust Fund	-	3 722 864
Rand Water	-	391 823
	<b>6 935 069</b>	<b>7 134 078</b>

<b>9. PROVISION FOR LEAVE PAY</b>	<b>2020 R</b>	<b>2019 R</b>
Balance at beginning of year	45 534	36 125
Additions during the year	147 580	159 224
(Utilised) during the year	(149 256)	(149 815)
<b>Balance at end of year</b>	<b>43 857</b>	<b>45 534</b>

#### **10. FEES RECEIVED**

Membership fees	3 393 113	3 426 097
Athlete contributions	5 323 441	6 090 634
Entry fees	490 671	2 136 268
Course fees	617 648	641 220
	<b>9 824 874</b>	<b>12 294 219</b>

#### **11. SPONSORSHIP RECEIVED**

Arena	274 618	2 120 112
Received	406 613	830 207
Value in kind inventory	3 093 619	1 289 905
Deferred to 2021	(3 225 613)	-
Fina	1 838 967	-
Received	1 838 967	-
Rand Water	391 823	8 177
Received	-	400 000
Deferred to 2020	391 823	(391 823)
	<b>2 505 408</b>	<b>2 128 289</b>

#### **12. GRANTS RECEIVED**

Department of Sport and Recreation South Africa	1 209 935	1 650 747
Received	1 900 000	2 000 000
Deferred to 2019	-	2 670 137
Deferred to 2020	3 019 391	(3 019 391)
Deferred to 2021	(3 709 456)	-
FINA	-	176 656
Mangaung Metropolitan Municipality	-	-
Received	-	1 000 000
Accrued in 2018	-	(1 000 000)
National Lottery Distribution Trust Fund - # 80751	3 722 864	1 777 136
Received	-	5 500 000
Deferred to 2020	3 722 864	(3 722 864)
South African Sports Confederation and Olympic Committee	(1 297 950)	1 297 950
Accrued in 2019	(1 297 950)	1 297 950
	<b>3 634 849</b>	<b>4 902 488</b>

<b>13. NET INTEREST RECEIVED</b>	<b>2020 R</b>	<b>2019 R</b>
<b>Interest received</b>	<b>373 000</b>	<b>402 272</b>
Interest received: call accounts	373 000	402 272
<b>Interest paid</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>(2 199)</b>
Interest paid: Installment sale agreement	-	(2 199)
	<b>373 000</b>	<b>400 073</b>

#### **14. CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER'S EMOLUMENTS**

As an employee	704 614	637 301
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#### **15. CASH GENERATED FROM/(UTILISED IN) OPERATIONS**

Surplus/(deficit) for the year	(2 162 837)	(1 711 357)
<b>Adjustments for:</b>		
Interest received	(373 000)	(402 272)
Interest paid	-	2 199
Depreciation	266 010	209 519
(Decrease)/increase in deferred income	(199 008)	4 463 941
(Decrease)/increase in provision for leave pay	(1 677)	9 409
<b>Changes in working capital</b>		
Decrease/(increase) in accounts receivable	291 646	(562 937)
(Increase)/decrease in inventory	(2 138 265)	261 209
Increase/(decrease) in accounts payable	1 363 959	(1 195 428)
	<b>(2 953 173)</b>	<b>1 074 282</b>

#### **16. TAXATION**

The association is exempt from income tax under section 10(1)(cN) as read with Section 30 of the Income Tax Act.

#### **17. GOING CONCERN**

The existence of the association is dependent on the continued support of its donors and sponsors, by way of grants and sponsorship.

Should the grants and sponsorships be withdrawn it is highly unlikely that the association will be able to continue as a going concern.

#### **18. RESTATEMENT OF COMPARATIVE FIGURES**

The following changes were made to the prior year comparatives in the Statement of Comprehensive Income to facilitate improved disclosure in the 2019 year.

The sponsorship of value in kind inventory from Arena had been offset against the outfitting, clothing and apparel costs under the Hi performance expenditure. It was decided in the current year that this sponsorship should be shown separately.

INCREASE IN INCOME	-	1 289 905
Sponsorship - Value in kind inventory	-	1 289 905
INCREASE IN EXPENDITURE	-	1 289 905
Programme costs - Hi performance	-	1 289 905
<b>OVERALL CHANGE IN SURPLUS</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>

# FUND STATEMENTS

for the year ended 30 April 2020

	TOTAL R	GENERAL FUND R	NLDF R	SRSA PROGRAMMES R	SRSA SCHOOLS R
<b>INCOME</b>	<b>16 384 140</b>	<b>11 451 341</b>	<b>3 722 864</b>	<b>921 329</b>	<b>288 606</b>
Fees received	9 824 874	9 824 874	-	-	-
Sponsorship received	2 505 408	2 505 408	-	-	-
Grants received	3 634 849	(1 297 950)	3 722 864	921 329	288 606
Interest received	373 000	373 000	-	-	-
Other income	46 010	46 010	-	-	-
<b>EXPENDITURE</b>	<b>18 546 977</b>	<b>13 614 179</b>	<b>3 722 864</b>	<b>921 329</b>	<b>288 606</b>
<b>Programme costs</b>	<b>16 495 268</b>	<b>11 924 693</b>	<b>3 722 864</b>	<b>775 928</b>	<b>71 782</b>
Competitions and disciplines	1 327 774	1 042 191	282 683	-	2 900
Facilities upgrading	93 468	93 468	-	-	-
High performance	11 720 776	8 500 299	3 070 457	150 020	-
Marketing	635 548	635 548	-	-	-
Mass participation	921 299	679 972	42 571	198 757	-
Training and development	924 744	144 329	294 160	423 751	62 504
General expenses	871 660	828 887	32 993	3 401	6 378
National office costs	2 051 709	1 689 485	-	145 400	216 823
<b>(Deficit)/surplus for the year</b>	<b>(2 162 837)</b>	<b>(2 162 837)</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>Transfer from/(to) equipment fund</b>	<b>249 899</b>	<b>249 899</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>
Depreciation for the year	249 899	249 899	-	-	-
<b>Balance at beginning of year</b>	<b>1 674 465</b>	<b>1 674 465</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>Balance at end of year</b>	<b>(238 473)</b>	<b>(238 473)</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>

# FUND STATEMENTS

for the year ended 30 April 2019

	Total R	GENERAL FUND R	NLDTF R	SRSA PROGRAMMES R	SRSA SCHOOLS R
<b>INCOME</b>	<b>19 857 615</b>	<b>16 429 732</b>	<b>1 777 136</b>	1 084 270	<b>566 477</b>
Fees received	12 294 219	12 294 219	-	-	-
Sponsorship received	2 128 289	2 128 289	-	-	-
Grants received	4 902 488	1 474 606	1 777 136	1 084 270	566 477
Interest received	402 272	402 272	-	-	-
Other income	130 346	130 346	-	-	-
<b>EXPENDITURE</b>	<b>21 568 972</b>	<b>18 416 089</b>	<b>1 777 136</b>	<b>1 084 270</b>	<b>291 477</b>
<b>Programme costs</b>	<b>17 117 883</b>	<b>14 326 683</b>	<b>1 605 103</b>	<b>1 082 120</b>	<b>103 977</b>
Competitions and disciplines	2 377 495	2 166 459	208 801	-	2 235
High performance	10 746 775	9 993 288	712 740	9 839	30 908
Marketing	1 245 382	1 112 382	133 000	-	-
Mass participation	1 086 014	94 283	514 323	476 136	1 272
Training and development	728 349	75 964	36 239	596 146	20 000
General expenses	933 869	884 307	-	-	49 562
National office costs	4 451 089	4 089 406	172 032	2 150	187 500
<b>(Deficit)/surplus for the year</b>	<b>(1 711 357)</b>	<b>(1 986 357)</b>	-	-	275 000
<b>Transfer from/(to) equipment fund</b>	<b>(112 557)</b>	<b>162 443</b>	-	-	(275 000)
Assets acquired during the year	(322 077)	(47 077)	-	-	(275 000)
Depreciation for the year	209 519	209 519	-	-	-
<b>Balance at beginning of year</b>	<b>3 498 380</b>	<b>3 498 380</b>	-	-	-
<b>Balance at end of year</b>	<b>1 674 465</b>	<b>1 674 465</b>	-	-	-



# **vii.** **CLUBS, MEMBERSHIP & STATISTICS**

## CLUBS

AFF	PROVINCE	2014/ 2015	2015/ 2016	2016/ 2017	2017/2018	2018/2019	2019/2020
<b>AG</b>	Aquatics Gauteng					167	126
<b>ECA</b>	Eastern Cape	14	10	16	34	67	63
<b>CGA</b>	Gauteng	65	61	61	58		
<b>NMBA</b>	Nelson Mandela Bay	35	22	20	24		
<b>EGA</b>	Gauteng	21	18	20	25		
<b>FSA</b>	Free State	19	109	115	13	14	13
<b>KZN</b>	KwaZulu-Natal	73	68	64	80	79	47
<b>LP</b>	Limpopo	35	13	55	57	65	61
<b>MP</b>	Mpumalanga	33	57	24	25	24	59
<b>NC</b>	Northern Cape	10	8	10	10	13	31
<b>NTS</b>	Gauteng	32	36	61	61		
<b>NWS</b>	North West	67	35	40	45	38	32
<b>SWD</b>	Western Cape	20	7	10	0		
<b>WPA</b>	Western Cape	76	70	54	72	75	102
		<b>522</b>	<b>514</b>	<b>550</b>	<b>504</b>	<b>542</b>	<b>534</b>

## MEMBERSHIP

AFF	PROVINCE	2014/ 2015	2015/ 2016	2016/ 2017	2017/2018	2018/2019	2019/2020
<b>AG</b>	Aquatic Gauteng					5081	5173
<b>ECA</b>	Eastern Cape	580	618	609	1776	1841	1704
<b>CGA</b>	Gauteng	2465	2644	2575	2139		
<b>NMBA</b>	Nelson Mandela Bay	1022	817	961	1079		
<b>EGA</b>	Gauteng	632	460	523	766		
<b>FSA</b>	Free State	572	1063	855	486	659	717
<b>KZN</b>	KwaZulu-Natal	2589	2788	2886	2909	3472	2575
<b>LP</b>	Limpopo	760	1280	1216	1205	1098	2334
<b>MP</b>	Mpumalanga	414	415	453	561	510	1849
<b>NC</b>	Northern Cape		614	539	650	523	694
<b>NTS</b>	Gauteng	1786	1874	1790	1853		
<b>NWS</b>	North West	914	685	1025	692	866	880
<b>SWD</b>	Western Cape	649	315	391	0		
<b>WPA</b>	Western Cape	2760	2836	3713	4236	4087	4275
		<b>15904</b>	<b>16409</b>	<b>17536</b>	<b>18352</b>	<b>18137</b>	<b>20201</b>

## 1. SWIMMING

PROV.	COMPETITORS										MASTER COMPETITORS									
	AFRICAN		COLOURED		INDIAN		WHITE		ASIAN		AFRICAN		COLOURED		INDIAN		WHITE		ASIAN	
	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F
AG	63	58	40	44	49	33	939	914	14	10	1					1	153	149	1	
ECA	17	21	39	24	7	5	216	217	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	14	26	0	0
FSA	11	8	12	10	3	5	197	233	3	2						2	1			
KZN	129	105	33	27	123	73	337	414	2							32	38			
LP	13	9				1	133	97	1	2										
MP	4	16	1			1	129	129			1						4		1	
NC			8	7	1	2	38	27								7	4			
NWS	35	40	13	12	6	1	190	164			1	1				5	5			
WPA	7	16	132	119	5	4	571	518	11	7	1		5			62	52			
	279	273	278	243	194	125	2750	2713	31	22	4	1	5	0	0	1	275	279	1	1

PROV.	COACH/LTS										OFFICIAL									
	AFRICAN		COLOURED		INDIAN		WHITE		ASIAN		AFRICAN		COLOURED		INDIAN		WHITE		ASIAN	
	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F
AG	3	2	4		1	1	51	47			11	22	5	4	32	30	325	500	1	5
ECA	0	0	2	0	0	0	7	7	0	0	2	20	21	14	2	4	115	214	1	1
FSA							6	4			4	7	4	7			63	96	1	
KZN	8	1	2		4	1	20	20			33	30	12	18	54	67	193	415	1	1
LP	1	1					7	10			16	22	2		1	1	68	151	2	
MP						1	7	13			9	12					58	157		
NC			1				4	6					2	9			43	80		
NWS			1	1			4	4			9	30	4	6		3	57	133		
WPA			17	13			30	43			7	5	87	117	6	2	279	655	4	7
	12	4	27	14	5	3	136	154	0	0	91	148	137	175	95	107	1201	2401	10	14

PROV.	LEVEL 3R									
	AFRICAN		COLOURED		INDIAN		WHITE		ASIAN	
	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F
AG	46	30	8	2	4	9	53	45	3	
ECA										
FSA										
KZN						2	1			
LP	68	63	5	2	2	4	54	55		
MP										
NC	15	19	20	29			58	38		
NWS										
WPA	3	2	21	45	1	1	61	107	1	3
	132	114	54	78	7	16	227	245	4	3

## 2. SCHOOLS

PROV.	COMPETITORS										MASTER COMPETITORS									
	AFRICAN		COLOURED		INDIAN		WHITE		ASIAN		AFRICAN		COLOURED		INDIAN		WHITE		ASIAN	
	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F
AG	46	32	4	8	2		72	73	1	1										
ECA	13	3	8	5	1	0	15	11												
FSA																				
KZN	4				1		1	2												
LP	96	76	15	6	16	16	533	641												
MP	131	143	12	11	14	6	456	471	2											
NC	17	11	15	6	2	1	112	103												
NWS	20	24	3	1	5	3	34	35				1					1			
WPA	23	20	161	129	7	3	219	214	2	3										
	350	309	218	166	48	29	1442	1550	5	4	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0

PROV.	OFFICIAL										WATER POLO PLAYERS									
	AFRICAN		COLOURED		INDIAN		WHITE		ASIAN		AFRICAN		COLOURED		INDIAN		WHITE		ASIAN	
	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F
AG	3	2	4		1	1	51	47			11	22	5	4	32	30	325	500	1	5
ECA	0	0	2	0	0	0	7	7	0	0	2	20	21	14	2	4	115	214	1	1
FSA							6	4			4	7	4	7			63	96	1	
KZN	8	1	2		4	1	20	20			33	30	12	18	54	67	193	415	1	1
LP	1	1					7	10			16	22	2		1	1	68	151	2	
MP						1	7	13			9	12					58	157		
NC			1				4	6					2	9			43	80		
NWS			1	1			4	4			9	30	4	6		3	57	133		
WPA			17	13			30	43			7	5	87	117	6	2	279	655	4	7
	12	4	27	14	5	3	136	154	0	0	91	148	137	175	95	107	1201	2401	10	14

PROV.	DIVERS									
	AFRICAN		COLOURED		INDIAN		WHITE		ASIAN	
	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F
AG	46	30	8	2	4	9	53	45	3	
ECA										
FSA										
KZN						2	1			
LP	68	63	5	2	2	4	54	55		
MP										
NC	15	19	20	29			58	38		
NWS										
WPA	3	2	21	45	1	1	61	107	1	3
	132	114	54	78	7	16	227	245	4	3

### 3. OPEN WATER SWIMMING

PROV.	COMPETITORS										COACH									
	AFRICAN		COLOURED		INDIAN		WHITE		ASIAN		AFRICAN		COLOURED		INDIAN		WHITE		ASIAN	
	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F
AG			1				2													
ECA	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
FSA																				
KZN							1	1												
LP																				
MP																				
NC																				
NWS							1													
WPA							1													
	0	0	1	0	0	0	5	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

PROV.	OFFICIAL									
	AFRICAN		COLOURED		INDIAN		WHITE		ASIAN	
	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F
AG							3			
ECA	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0
FSA										
KZN										
LP										
MP										
NC										
NWS										
WPA										
	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	4	0	0

### 4. DIVING

PROV.	COMPETITORS										COACH									
	AFRICAN		COLOURED		INDIAN		WHITE		ASIAN		AFRICAN		COLOURED		INDIAN		WHITE		ASIAN	
	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F
AG		7		1			3	46								2	5			
ECA																				
FSA																				
KZN	11	2															1			
LP																				
MP																				
NC																				
NWS																				
WPA							1	1												
	11	9	0	1	0	0	4	47	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	6	0	0

#### 4. DIVING (CONTINUED)

PROV.	OFFICIAL										SCHOOLS									
	AFRICAN		COLOURED		INDIAN		WHITE		ASIAN		AFRICAN		COLOURED		INDIAN		WHITE		ASIAN	
	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F
AG		2		1													2	3		
ECA												0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
FSA																				
KZN																				
LP																				
MP																				
NC																				
NWS																				
WPA								2	1											
	0	2	0	1	0	0	2	15	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	3	0	0

#### 5. SYNCHRONISED SWIMMING

PROV.	COMPETITORS										COACH									
	AFRICAN		COLOURED		INDIAN		WHITE		ASIAN		AFRICAN		COLOURED		INDIAN		WHITE		ASIAN	
	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F
AG		2																2		
ECA	0	1	0	2	0	0	0	12	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0
FSA																				
KZN		4						8		1		1								
LP																				
MP																				
NC																				
NWS																				
WPA								30									2			
	0	7	0	2	0	0	0	68	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	7	0	0

PROV.	OFFICIAL										SCHOOLS									
	AFRICAN		COLOURED		INDIAN		WHITE		ASIAN		AFRICAN		COLOURED		INDIAN		WHITE		ASIAN	
	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F
AG				1				1	14											
ECA	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	0	0
FSA																				
KZN		1						12		1										
LP																				
MP																				
NC																				
NWS																				
WPA								1	17											
	0	1	0	2	0	0	2	54	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	0	0

## 6. LTS INSTRUCTOR, ADMINISTRATORS & DISABLED SWIMMERS

PROV.	LTS INSTRUCTOR										ADMINISTRATORS									
	AFRICAN		COLOURED		INDIAN		WHITE		ASIAN		AFRICAN		COLOURED		INDIAN		WHITE		ASIAN	
	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F
AG	6	11	1	2	5	10	25	205			1	16	4	3	1	5	60	104	2	1
ECA	1	0	1	1	0	0	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
FSA		1					2	12					1							
KZN	6	4	1	1	3	6	3	46			2		4		4	1	5	8		
LP																				
MP								8									3			
NC			1	1				6												
NWS		1		1			1	15									1			
WPA	2		4	15			7	58					5	8			8	14		
	15	17	8	21	8	16	39	354	0	0	3	16	13	12	5	6	73	131	2	1

PROV.	DISABLED SWIMMERS									
	AFRICAN		COLOURED		INDIAN		WHITE		ASIAN	
	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F
AG	9		2				6	4		
ECA	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0
FSA								2		
KZN	9			1			12	9		
LP							1			
MP								2		
NC										
NWS							1	2		
WPA	3		5	2			7	5		
	21	0	7	3	0	0	27	26	0	0







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