Swim Ulster

War Memorial Gala

The War Memorial Gala shall be held on the Saturday nearest the 11 November each year. It includes a ceremony to commemorate all swimmers who fell in the 1914-1918 and 1939-1945 World Wars. The Ceremony is conducted at the end of the heats, prior to the start of the finals. All swimmers and officials should stand in silence around the poolside or in the gallery. The lights are dimmed and a bugler sounds the "Last Post", this is followed by a one minute's silence, after which lines from Laurence Binyon's poem "For the Fallen" are read by one of the year's winners of the Elizabeth Long Trophies. The Ceremony ends with "Reveille" sounded by the bugler.

Please Note: There should be no applause after the ceremony ends

Date 9 November 2013

Venue LaganValley LeisurePlex, Lisburn

Age Groups Male 12 & under, 14 & under, Open

Female 12 & under, 14 & under, Open

Age Up Date Age on day of meet

Awards Perpetual Trophies awarded to the winning team in each event. No medals will be presented.

Entries Clubs may enter as many teams per event as they wish. Swimmers may swim in any event for which they are eligible, but may only swim in one team per event.

Entry Fees All entries must be submitted electronically using Hytek's Team Manager or Team Manager Lite software:

£7 per relay team entry

Closing Date 4pm 19th October 2013

Warm-up: **Age Group** - Females 5.30-5.50 pm, Males 5.50-6.10 pm

Open 6.10-6.30pm

Start: 6.45pm

Programme of Events

Order of Events	
Heats of Events 1-8	
Female Open	4 x 50m Medley
Male Open	4 x 50m Medley
Female 12 & under	4 x 25m Freestyle
Male 12 & under	4 x 25m Freestyle
Female 14 & under	4 x 25m Medley
Male 14 & under	4 x 25m Medley
Female Open	4 x 50m Freestyle
Male Open	6 x 50m Freestyle
Memorial Ceremony (No applause)	
Presentation of Trophies for 2012-2013 Elizabeth Long Trophies – most promising 11yr old girl and boy at Ulster Age Groups Lindsay McPherson Trophy – Official of the Year Belfast News Letter Trophy – Swimmer of the Year Disability Swimmer of the Year Les Beck Trophy - Interprovincial	
Finals of Events 1-8	
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Female 12 & under	4 x 25m Freestyle
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