



ANNUAL REPORT

2025 - 2026 Season





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Land Acknowledgment

Swim BC acknowledges the traditional, unceded territories of First Nations across British Columbia and the Yukon, and honours the original caretakers and stewards of the lands and waters. Our office is located on the territories of the Lək' wəŋən (Songhees and Esquimalt) and W̱ SÁNEĆ peoples, and we are deeply privileged to work on this land.

To The Swim Community of BC

Swim BC is the Provincial Sport Organization and governing body for competitive swimming in British Columbia. Providing member services and sport governance to over 80 clubs and four university teams, competitive swimmers train in each region of the province. Collectively, we have over 20,000 individual members (swimmers, coaches, club board members, and officials).

Driven by our vision “a thriving swimming community inspired to achieve our individual and collective best,” Swim BC strives to develop, deliver, and promote a variety of services and programs aimed at enhancing all swimmers’ experiences. Our organization exists to ensure that every swimmer has access to coaching, training opportunities, competition, and above all, a safe and fun swimming environment.

Swim BC is both a governing body and a member services organization, and as such, our mandate can be difficult as we navigate the water between the two roles. Our governance role addresses structures, systems, application of rules, sanction authority, and policy development. The member services role is a responsibility of supporting, developing, advocating for, and shaping quality opportunities for our members.

We represent a large and diverse membership engaged in a wide variety of roles and responsibilities. Swim BC seeks to support all members of our community, providing tools, resources, and opportunities to encourage excellence across the developmental continuum.

We represent our membership to our stakeholders such as viaSport, the Government of BC, Canadian Sport Institute - Pacific, Sport BC, and Swimming Canada, ensuring accountabilities are accomplished and resources are maximized.

Swim BC develops technical programming to assist in the performance development outcomes of our members and the facilitation of provincial competition. We support the delivery of our sport through coach and officials’ development, certification, and vetting eligibility.

Working proactively as a sector leader and a viaSport Accredited PSO, we embrace the safe sport movement, addressing all areas of our culture, habits, and mechanisms of our programs to ensure every member’s swimming experience is enjoyable, welcoming, and accessible.

Board of Directors

Jeannie Lo

President,
Finance Committee,
Nominations Committee

John Lawrence

Secretary,
Chair, Policy & Governance Committee,
Human Resources Committee

Brian Horan

Director,
Chair, Safe Sport Committee,
Finance Committee

Sheila Nelson

Director,
Chair, Finance Committee

Kristi McIntosh

Director,
Chair, Nominations Committee

Barb Ferreira

Director,
Chair, Human Resources Committee

Gareth Saunders

Director,
Finance Committee

Swim BC Staff

Elmar Heger

Executive Director

Savannah King

Director,
Coach and Performance Development

Carrie Matheson

Senior Manager, Technical Operations

Melissa Webster

Manager, Performance Development

Hughanna Gaw

Manager, Member Services

Jamie Dahlman

Membership & Administrative Coordinator

Aynaz Fazeli

Communications Coordinator

Chad Webb

NCCP Coordinator

Cheryl Barrett

Contract Bookkeeper

Message From The President

Dear Valued Members,

What a year for BC swimming. Our athletes are lighting up the biggest stages in the sport at the Commonwealth Games in Glasgow, Pan Pacific Championships in California, and at home at Junior Pan Pacs at the UBC Aquatic Centre. None of this happens without the people who make it possible – the meet organizers, facilities, sponsors and the army of volunteers who show up meet after meet. Their generosity and grit are the true engine of this sport, and we owe them our deepest thanks.

This has been a year of transformation for Swim BC and we have met it head on. Every challenge has sharpened our focus and opened new doors. Our Victoria office is powered by a talented, passionate team under the sharp leadership of Executive Director Elmar Heger. I am fortunate to have an engaged and stable Board of Directors, many of whom I've had the pleasure of working alongside for my 5 years on the Board. We continue our work behind the scenes supporting the governance framework for Human Resources, Policy & Governance, Nominations, Finance and Safe Sport, allowing the operational team to get on with the day-to-day of providing top tier support to the membership and growing the swimming in BC.

We continue to honour our commitment to the Strategic Plan by ensuring it is a touchpoint of every Board meeting, driving the team's initiatives and operational goals forward. But let's be direct: our sport is in crisis. Pools are aging out, closing before replacements exist, and reopening at half their original capacity. We would never ask hockey players to train on half a rink, yet we ask our swimmers to chase national and international standards in cramped, inadequate pools. This is not a minor inconvenience. It is an existential threat to the future of swimming in this province, and it demands that every one of us, clubs, families, communities, stand up and demand better facilities, now.

I look forward to “seeing” you at the virtual AGM. Serving as your President for these past two terms has been a true honour. I am endlessly grateful, for the lessons, the friendships, and the chance to know so many extraordinary people who give everything to this sport: swimmers, families, coaches, officials, volunteers and administrators. I'm not going far. You'll still find me on deck, in my red shirt, supporting the sport that has been transformative to my family.

Yours in swimming,



Jeannie Lo
President, Swim BC

Message From The Executive Director

Dear Swim BC Members,

As we look back on the 2025–26 season, I am proud of what we have accomplished together. It was a season of progress, change and a renewed focus on how we can better serve our members and the broader swimming community across British Columbia.

One of the highlights of the year was strengthening our connections across the swimming community. We increased communication with clubs and aquatic sport partners, (re-)established advisory committees to bring member perspectives into our work, and strengthened our organization through increased staff capacity, operational planning and a greater presence at Provincial and Divisional Championships. We also continued to improve our communications and digital presence.

A major highlight was the launch of Best of the West, an event designed to bridge the gap between provincial and national-level competition. With less than five months to plan and deliver the inaugural event, bringing together approximately 530 athletes from four provinces was a significant achievement. We are proud of the success of the first edition, and planning is already underway to build an even stronger event next year.

We also brought back open water competitions, updating our resources and sanctioning the first Swim BC open water event since 2023 in Penticton. At the same time, we invested in the equipment and infrastructure needed to support future growth.

Supporting our clubs remains at the heart of what we do. Under the leadership of our new Manager, Member Services, we advanced Club Excellence and strengthened our club registration and application processes, creating more consistent and effective support for our member clubs.

Safe Sport and good governance remained key priorities throughout the season. Building on the recommendations from viaSport's Operational Enhancement Initiative (OEI), and with the support of Sport Law, we reviewed and strengthened our Safe Sport policies and bylaws, reinforcing our commitment to a safe, respectful and well-governed sport environment.

We also continued to advocate for the growth and sustainability of swimming across BC, strengthening relationships with municipalities, aquatic sport organizations and key partners. Through these relationships, we continued to highlight the need for accessible pool space and long-term investment in aquatic infrastructure to ensure swimming can grow and thrive across the province.

As I reflect on my first full season as Executive Director, I am grateful to everyone who has engaged with me and Swim BC, shared ideas and challenged us to do better. Together, we are building a more connected and collaborative organization, ready to support swimming in the years ahead.

There is still much work to do. Our focus will remain on supporting our members, creating opportunities for athletes, improving our services, and working to ensure swimming has the facilities and resources it needs to continue to grow across British Columbia.

Thank you to our Board, staff, clubs, coaches, officials, volunteers, athletes, families, partners and sponsors for your contributions throughout the 2025–26 season.



Elmar Heger
Executive Director, Swim BC

BOARD COMMITTEES

Policy and Governance Committee

Chair: John Lawrence

Members: Barb Ferreira,
Kristi McIntosh

Finance Committee

Chair: Sheila Nelson

Members: Jeannie Lo,
Brian Horan, Gareth Saunders

Human Resources Committee

Chair: Barb Ferreira

Members: John Lawrence,
Sheila Nelson

Nomination Committee

Chair: Kristi McIntosh

Members: Jeannie Lo, Brian Horan,
Gareth Saunders

Safe Sport Committee

Chair: Brian Horan
Staff: Hughanna Gaw,
Elmar Heger

Members: Jen Londergan,
Jy Lawrence, Michael Parr,
Sidney Boone (Athlete Delegate)

OPERATIONAL COMMITTEES

Officials Committee

Chair: Carrie Matheson

Members: Jon Govier, Marilyn King, Kerim Ozcan,
Ian Johnstone, Aysha Haines, Glenn Greig, Edmund
Cheung, Jessica Jensen, Chris Wakelin

Awards Committee

Chair: Melissa Webster

Members: Jy Lawrence, Richard Millns,
Ken Radford, Joshua Chow

Coaching Development Committee

Chair: Savannah King
Staff: Carrie Matheson

Members: Judy Baker, Lucien Zucchi,
Stefan Priopae

Competitions Committee

Chair: Savannah King
Staff: Melissa Webster,
Carrie Matheson

Members: Darryl Rudolf, Andrew Woinoski,
Naomi Antler, Norma Lachance, Mike Sanborn,
Rob Smith

Performance Development Committee

Chair: Savannah King
Staff: Melissa Webster

Members: Marc Tremblay, Patrick Paradis,
Robert Pettifer

Masters Committee

Chair: Carrie Matheson

Members: Bryan Martin Iluscupidez, Tonje Molyneux,
Ilya Nepogodin, Dale Robinson, Lisa Rogers,
Dionne Tatlow

Para Development Committee

Chair: Savannah King
Staff: Carrie Matheson

Members: Naomi Antler, Alexx Greenfield,
Jy Lawrence,

POLICY AND GOVERNANCE COMMITTEE REPORT

COMMITTEE NAME: Policy and Governance

COMMITTEE CHAIRPERSON: John Lawrence

COMMITTEE MEMBERS: Barb Ferreira, Kristi McIntosh

SUMMARY OF ACTIVITIES:

The 2025-2026 season continued to build on the policy review and structure provided to Swim BC by an external contractor in the 2021-2022 season. As each policy is reviewed and approved, all are made available to the member clubs as an opportunity for club adoption and to reduce policy development burden at the club level.

The policy committee met every 1-3 months to review the documents relevant to the operations of Swim BC and its members.

The committee reviewed and received board approval for amendments to the Swim BC Bylaws, as prepared by Sportlaw. The amended bylaws will be brought forward under a Special Resolution for a vote by the membership at the 2026 AGM.

The objective of the Bylaw amendments is to address two items;

1. Bylaw amendments according to the viaSport Operational Enhancement Initiative (OEI) recommendations
2. Removing Special Interest Associations as a membership category and reclassifying registered Masters Clubs as Voting Members

RECOMMENDATIONS:

The policy committee is committed to reviewing all policies on a scheduled basis, or to prioritize those that are deemed urgent. There is an established review and approval process in place and, as always, the committee welcomes any feedback from the members.

ACTION ITEMS: None at this time

REPORT SUBMITTED BY: John Lawrence, Policy and Governance Committee Chair

NOMINATIONS COMMITTEE REPORT

COMMITTEE NAME: Nominations

COMMITTEE CHAIRPERSON: Kristi McIntosh

COMMITTEE MEMBERS: Jeannie Lo, Brian Horan, Gareth Saunders

SUMMARY OF ACTIVITIES:

1. The committee met several times during the reporting period. Specifically, the following elements received attention from the Committee.
2. Frequency and schedule were set up to occur approximately every 4 - 6 weeks.
3. At the election at the AGM, five candidates put their names forward. Two empty director positions were filled by returning directors John Lawrence and Barara Ferreira.
4. An increased level of communication took place between our committee and the communications coordinator. A concerted effort was made to showcase our activities on social media.
5. Focus was placed on revamping our nominations form, to highlight skills of interested candidates.
6. The protocol for interested candidates applying to the BOD was reviewed with some minor changes being made.
7. Terms of reference for the Nominations Committee were reviewed, edited and submitted.

ACTION ITEMS:

1. A discussion of establishing a long-term vision for receiving more yearly director nominations at the AGM was continued.
2. Discussion continued to take place regarding the ongoing difficult task of recruiting interested parties for the vacant positions.
 - a. Consider targeting those with a specific skill set.
 - b. Individuals with experience in/passion for youth/competitive sport.
 - c. Reach out to multiple associations (e.g. ViaSport) and community paid advertising
 - d. Utilizing LinkedIn to advertise the vacant positions and the roles of the directors.

RECOMMENDATION: Continue to liaise with communications coordinator to recruit for board of directors.

RECOMMENDATION: Develop a long-term vision for recruiting for the board of directors to avoid having unfilled positions.

REPORT SUBMITTED BY: Kristi McIntosh, Nominations Committee Chair

SAFE SPORT COMMITTEE REPORT

COMMITTEE NAME: Safe Sport Committee

COMMITTEE CHAIRPERSON: Brian Horan

COMMITTEE MEMBERS: Jy Lawrence (Head Coach Delegate), Michael Parr (Official Delegate), Jen Londergan (Club President Delegate), Sidney Boone (Athlete Delegate), Hughanna Gaw (Manager, Member Services, Swim BC), Elmar Heger (Executive Director, Swim BC)

SUMMARY OF ACTIVITIES:

During the 2025–2026 season, the Safe Sport Committee convened for three scheduled meetings to advance key safety, governance, and policy initiatives across the province.

- **Committee Governance & Composition:** Updated the Terms of Reference to formalize meeting schedules (Fall, Winter, Spring) and expand representation to include the Athlete delegate. Successfully recruited and onboarded an Athlete Delegate to ensure direct athlete perspective in committee discussions.
- **Open Water Safety & Competition Launch:** Evaluated safety protocols and insurance requirements in alignment with Swimming Canada standards. Supported the execution of the season's first open water event in Penticton (late July 2026) with 22–26 participating athletes, preceded by an Open Water Officials safety course.
- **Sport Safeguarding BC (SSBC) Alignment:** Tracked progress on the establishment of Sport Safeguarding BC, an independent provincial complaint-resolution body for amateur sport under the UCCMS framework, including securing over \$8 million in 3-year funding and the upcoming CEO appointment.
- **Facility & Event Safety Protocols:** Reviewed deck safety signage, the Rule of Two enforcement, prohibited deck changes, locker room usage guidelines, and cell phone/photography restrictions behind starting blocks. Reviewed Sport Law's recommended updates to section 8 of the Athlete Protection Policy regarding changing areas.
- **Club & Official Guidance:** Developed core components of a Safe Sport Checklist/Cheat Sheet for member clubs, coaches, and officials to ensure consistent communication and enforcement across all regions.

ACTION ITEMS:

- **Pool Safety Checklists & Signage:** Update the Pool Checklist form to include mandatory verification of posted Safe Sport and Deck Rules posters. Ensure clear, visible signage for designated non-athlete washrooms across all meet venues and packages.
- **Officials Briefings:** Standardize Safe Sport messaging and reminders within general briefings for all officials across every region in British Columbia.
- **Communications Strategy:** Embed regular Safe Sport governance and policy reminders (e.g., background checks, complaint filing, website transparency) into Swim BC's monthly newsletters for clubs and new board members.
- **Athlete Protection Policy:** Refine Section 8 of the draft Athlete Protection Policy to ensure clear, unambiguous language regarding locker room procedures and strict adherence to the Rule of Two.
- **Open Water Framework Expansion:** Incorporate air quality thresholds into future safety plans, plan for larger safety buoys, and outline additional regional events and wet suit fleet rental options for the 2027–2028 season.

RECOMMENDATIONS:

- **Language Adoption:** Continue the adoption and promotion of the term "Sport Safety" across all Swim BC channels to reflect a proactive, holistic approach to participant well-being.
- **Club Web Transparency:** Require all member clubs to publicly post their Discipline, Complaints, and Appeals policies on their official websites for complete accessibility.
- **Enhanced Facility Signage:** Mandate prominent pool-deck signage prohibiting cell phone use/photography behind the blocks and reinforcing observable space requirements (Rule of Two).

REPORT SUBMITTED BY: Brian Horan, Safe Sport Committee Chair

HUMAN RESOURCES COMMITTEE REPORT

COMMITTEE NAME: Human Resources (HR) Committee

COMMITTEE CHAIRPERSON: Barb Ferreira

COMMITTEE MEMBERS: Sheila Nelson, John Lawrence

SUMMARY OF ACTIVITIES:

The 2025-26 season proved to be a steady year for the HR group, in our support of the new executive director and related staff. With the retirement notice received from our past Executive Director in December 2024, we led the planning, recruitment and selection of a new Executive Director, who started in June 2025.

ACTION ITEMS:

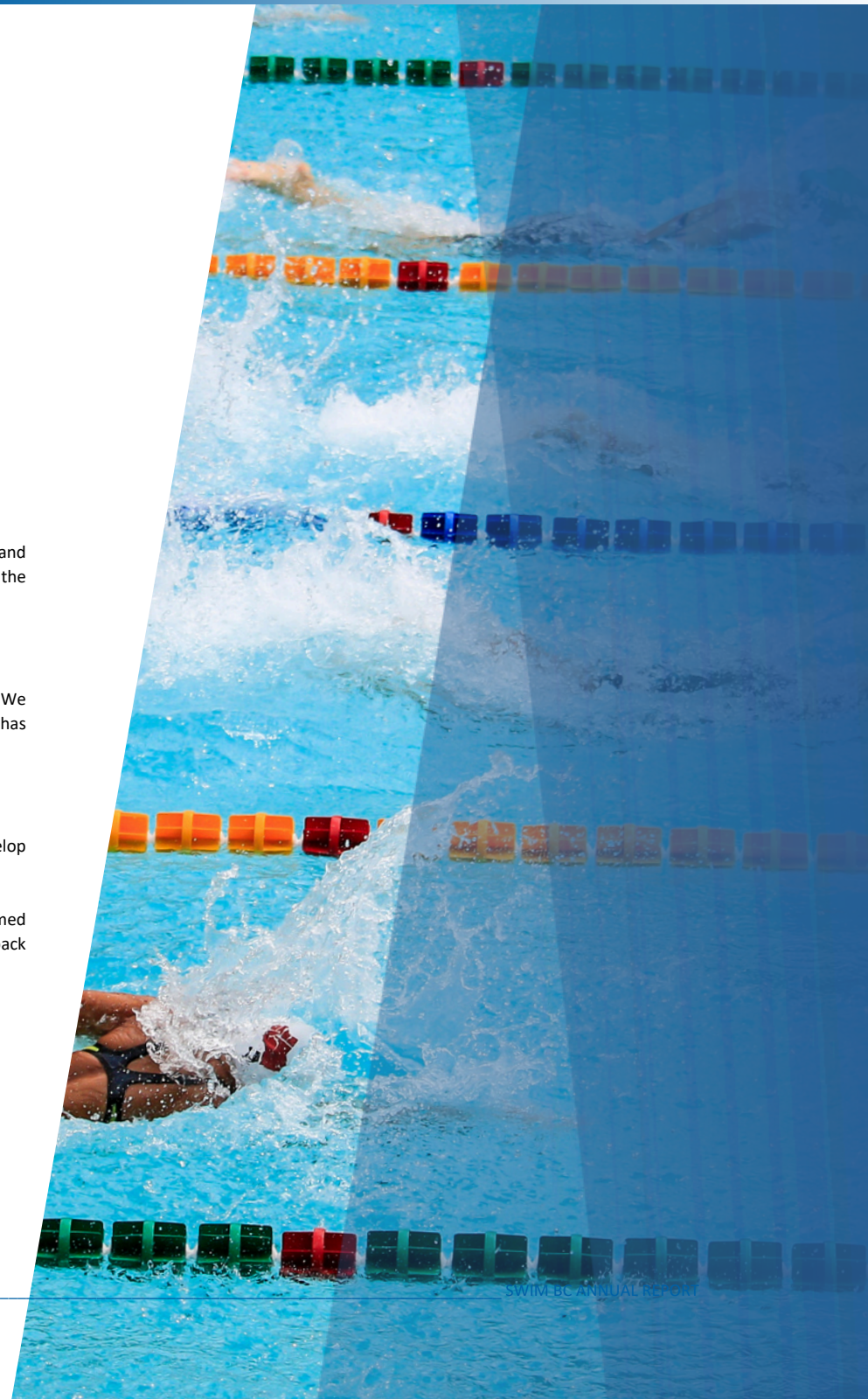
The HR committee held many ad hoc meetings and email exchanges for time-sensitive issues through out the year. We are pleased that the transition to our new Executive Director, Elmar Heger, has proceeded very smoothly; he has instilled stability to the Swim BC office and built strong relationships both on and off the swim deck.

RECOMMENDATIONS:

The HR committee will continue to readily support the Executive Director with further strategies to retain and develop our existing staff, aligning with the Swim BC Strategic Plan.

We are committed to reviewing all relevant HR policies on a scheduled basis or prioritizing those that are deemed urgent. There is an established review and approval process in place, however, the committee welcomes any feedback from the members.

REPORT SUBMITTED BY: Barb Ferreira, Human Resources Committee Chair



FINANCE COMMITTEE REPORT

COMMITTEE NAME: Finance Committee

COMMITTEE CHAIRPERSON: Sheila Nelson

COMMITTEE MEMBERS: Jeannie Lo, Brian Horan, Gareth Saunders

SUMMARY OF RESULTS OF OPERATIONS-YEAR ENDED MARCH 31, 2026

	BUDGET	2026	2025
Self Generated	\$ 1,008,000	\$ 1,070,000	\$ 1,065,000
Grants	\$ 359,000	\$ 343,000	\$ 443,000
Revenue	\$ 1,367,000	\$ 1,413,000	\$ 1,508,000

Expenses	BUDGET	2026	2025
Administration	\$ 136,000	\$ 152,000	\$ 150,000
Member Services	\$ 998,000	\$ 1,014,000	\$ 785,000
Technical Programs	\$ 342,000	\$ 403,000	\$ 428,000
	\$ 1,476,000	\$ 1,569,000	\$ 1,363,000

Surplus <deficit>	-\$ 109,000	-\$ 156,000	\$ 145,000
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The decrease in revenue as compared to 2025 is due to a reduction in the expected BC Community Gaming Grant, combined with less grants from viaSport (2 in 2025 versus 1 in 2026). Expenses for 2026 were higher than for 2025 due to one discipline case, transitioning to a new Executive Director and higher pool costs for Provincials.

STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION-AS AT MARCH 31, 2026

Of particular note is the amount of cash on hand at yearend. The amount of cash needs to be reduced by liabilities as follows:

Cash	\$ 950,000
Accounts payable & accrued liabilities	-\$ 607,000
Internally restricted net assets (see below)	-\$ 237,000
	\$ 106,000

Additional investments were made at the end of the year to utilize excess cash and cash flow will continue to be monitored on a regular basis to ensure amounts are invested where appropriate.

Accounts payable and accrued liabilities include \$443,000 payable to Swimming Canada for registration fees.

INTERNALLY RESTRICTED NET ASSETS-AS AT MARCH 31, 2026

	LA 28	Executive Director Search	2025 Congress
Opening Balance, April 1, 2025	\$ 320,000	\$ 15,000	\$ 100,000
Additions	-	-	-
Expenditures	-\$ 83,000	-\$ 15,000	-\$ 100,000
Closing Balance, March 31, 2026	\$ 237,000	-	-

The LA28 funds were paid to clubs for travel expenses to various meets and camps. Both the ED Search and the 2025 Congress fees were expended prior to March 31, 2026.

FINANCE COMMITTEE REPORT

RESULTS OF OPERATIONS-3 MONTHS ENDED JULY 31, 2026

As at July 31, 2026 (4 months into the 2026/27 season), there is a \$41,000 positive variance to budget. The majority of this variance is due to the timing of expenditures, most of which will be incurred either after July 31, 2026 or already incurred for the entire year:

Self Generated Revenue	\$ 54,000
Grants	-\$ 34,000
Member Services	-\$ 5,000
Provincial Development	\$ 21,000
Administration Expense	-\$ 7,000
Total Variance	\$ 41,000

REPORT SUBMITTED BY: Sheila Nelson, Finance Committee Chair

FINANCIALS (3 YEAR COMPARISON)

Revenue	2025 - 2026	2024 - 2025	2023 - 2024
NCCP	\$ 61,650	\$ 58,400	\$ 68,000
Investment Income	\$ 41,610	\$ 57,981	\$ 59,526
Registration Fees	\$ 738,616	\$ 700,219	\$ 748,289
Fundraising Fees	\$ 27,890	\$ 37,899	\$ 24,756
Competition Fees	\$ 200,003	\$ 135,275	\$ 135,320
Grants	\$ 342,765	\$ 443,288	\$ 385,206
Total	\$ 1,412,534	\$ 1,433,062	\$ 1,421,097

Expenses	2025 - 2026	2024 - 2025	2023 - 2024
Administration	\$ 203,021	\$ 149,664	\$ 154,504
BC Swimming Congress	\$ 126,929	\$ 45,352	\$ 104,960
Officials Development	\$ 26,110	\$ 48,828	\$ 32,904
Coaching Development	\$ 39,393	\$ 31,778	\$ 31,025
Insurance	\$ 83,491	\$ 73,873	\$ 56,209
Human Resources	\$ 687,424	\$ 585,654	\$ 559,524
Technical Programs	\$ 268,151	\$ 322,992	\$ 273,755
Provincial Championships	\$ 134,455	\$ 104,602	\$ 84,720
Total	\$ 1,568,974	\$ 1,362,743	\$ 1,297,601



SAFE SPORT

At Swim BC, cultivating a safe and welcoming environment for everyone in our sport remains our top priority. We believe that true athletic success relies on building a positive culture grounded in fairness, respect, and athlete protection. Throughout 2026, we advanced these efforts by modernizing our safeguarding policies in line with provincial standards and officially integrating the Universal Code of Conduct to Prevent and Address Maltreatment in Sport (UCCMS) into our governing framework.

During the 2025-2026 season, thirteen complaints were accepted. Nine were resolved through the Discipline and Complaints Policy, while the remaining four were resolved through the Alternative Dispute Resolution Policy. Managing complaints effectively is a cornerstone of this commitment. Rather than treating reporting as a routine administrative step, Swim BC views every concern raised as an opportunity to listen, improve, and restore confidence. By providing fair, transparent, and accessible resolution channels, we aim to ensure that participants are heard and protected, using lessons learned from these processes to refine our ongoing education and policy design.

To further elevate our safety practices, Swim BC partnered with Island Swimming on a viaSport-led Safer Recruitment pilot, working on vetting, screening, and onboarding protocols for all personnel. The goal is to provide clubs across British Columbia with additional knowledge and tools to assist in safeguarding at the club level. Through these unified initiatives, Swim BC continues to strive to ensure that our swimming community remains safe, supportive, and free from harm.



PERFORMANCE PROGRAMMING

PACIFIC PEAKS PATHWAY

OLYMPIC PROGRAM			
	2025-2026	2024-2025	2023-2024
Next Wave	41	53	30
Prospects	79	79	70
Advance	49	27	24
Perform	2	2	1
Elite	3	0	0
Total	174	161	125

PARALYMPIC PROGRAM			
	2025-2026	2024-2025	2023-2024
Next Wave	2	5	5
Prospects	1	4	5
Advance	4	5	3
Perform	3	1	4
Elite	2	0	0
Total	12	15	17

The Swim BC Pacific Peaks Pathway Program, a collaborative initiative by Swim BC, Canadian Sport Institute Pacific, and viaSport, is dedicated to elevating the performance of Swim BC's swimmers along the podium pathway. This program focuses on placing athletes onto National Teams and providing comprehensive support, ensuring that every swimmer and coach has the necessary resources to excel and achieve podium finishes for Canada. Through our collective efforts, we are committed to fostering sport excellence and enhancing podium performances across the Swim BC community, aligning with the strategic vision of the podium pathway.

	2025-2026	2024-2025	2023-2024
Coaches	52	50	42
Clubs	31	28	23

PERFORMANCE PROGRAMMING

LA28 TRAINING CAMP & COMPETITION SUPPORT PROGRAM

	<i>Program To Date</i>	2025-2026			2024-2025			2023-2024			2022-2023	
		C1	C2	C3	C1	C2	C3	C1	C2	C3	C1	C2
Applications (All)		10	11	11	7	8	12	2	3	3	1	3
Applications (Approved)		3	9	8	5	7	4	2	3	2	1	3
Clubs (All)		6	11	9	6	9	3	6	3	2	1	3
Clubs (Approved)		3	9	8	4	7	3	4	3	1	1	3
Athletes (All)		9	39	41	19	50	11	10	10	2	1	5
Athletes (Approved)		5	34	22	14	28	11	10	10	1	1	5
Coaches (All)		7	11	13	6	11	8	2	3	2	1	3
Coaches (Approved)		3	9	10	4	7	4	2	3	1	1	3
Budget	\$ 205,000.00	\$ 10,000.00	\$ 50,000.00	\$ 35,000.00	\$ 10,000.00	\$ 15,000.00	\$ 25,000.00	\$ 10,000.00	\$ 15,000.00	\$ 20,000.00	\$ 5,000.00	\$ 10,000.00
Total Funded	\$ 217,901.36	\$ 11,105.00	\$ 59,165.02	\$ 35,000.00	\$ 19,305.00	\$ 44,354.00	\$ 19,152.50	\$ 4,472.50	\$ 9,479.13	\$ 4,000.00	\$ 5,000.00	\$ 6,868.21
Total Spent	\$ 203,230.66	\$ 8,030.11	\$ 57,737.52	\$ 34,658.16	\$ 16,650.97	\$ 40,207.59	\$ 16,126.47	\$ 4,472.50	\$ 9,479.13	\$ 4,000.00	\$ 5,000.00	\$ 6,868.21
Percent of Budget Used	99%	80%	115%	99%	167%	268%	65%	45%	63%	20%	100%	69%

NOTES:

- Only counts eligible athletes & coaches.
- Any budget not used in the designated cycle is brought forward to the next cycle.

CLUB REGISTRATION DATA

REGISTRATION CATEGORIES	2025-2026		2024-2025	
	Total	Average	Total	Average
Competitive	4774	94	4578	90
Pre Competitive	3136	61	3185	62
Varsity	114	38	114	38
Masters	2269	44	2290	46
Swim School/Swim Fit	5940	238	2847	136
Overall Athletes	16 233	127	13 014	127

CLUBS	Overall	
	25-26	24-25
ADVENT	28	30
BVOSC	68	68
BWM	105	87
CDSC	401	405
CHENA	168	180
CHIL	65	63
CHIN	105	105
CKSC	116	147
COMOX	143	173
CONNU	146	144
CRKW	367	333
CSSSC	67	72
CST	45	38
CTSC	80	70
CVSC	84	32
DELTA	126	126
DOGW	44	62
DRM	38	44
DST	69	73
DYNA	156	169
EBMSC	151	161
EVDSC	279	245
GATOR	87	151
HST	105	104
HYACK	202	200
ISC	130	122
KAC	152	170

CLUBS	Overall	
	25-26	24-25
KAJ	340	375
KISU	278	287
KMSC	47	37
LCSC	46	41
LGCY	76	88
NEBB	120	118
NRST	217	205
NSM	24	26
OKAN	140	140
OS	379	423
PACE	15	15
PGB	130	151
PNW	28	27
PRASC	118	130
PSW	397	390
RAC	67	56
RAPID	379	390
RAVEM	44	48
RIDGE	127	154
ROYAL	61	60
SAWM	43	53
SFC	42	55
SFU	33	32
SKSC	431	433
SOCIP	9	6
SOSC	108	116
SOSCM	29	30

CLUBS	Overall	
	25-26	24-25
SPART	280	281
SQUAM	2	9
SQUP	32	32
SWRD	19	0
TBSC	125	134
TSUN	11	12
UBCM	66	66
UBCT	40	40
UVIC	41	42
UVPCS	618	344
VERN	21	26
VICM	163	147
VKSC	90	111
VPSC	255	267
WDSC	81	86
WGB	184	124
WIN	45	45
WIND	66	47
WLBF	84	76
WRSC	23	38
WRW	94	94
WSC	148	139
WSM	90	79
WSWSC	89	100
WTMS	28	25
WVOSC	212	211
YGMS	131	132

CLUBS	Swim School	
	25-26	24-25
CDSC	18	12
CEE	59	29
CHENA	37	114
CKSC	86	0
CSSSC	3	2
CVSC	6	40
DELTA	0	54
DST	336	74
EVDSC	140	66
GATOR	69	37
HYACK	344	0
ISC	686	767
KAC	572	0
OS	1035	695
PGB	0	32
PRASC	87	1
PSW	16	0
RAPID	110	36
SKSC	494	388
SOSC	5	0
SPART	169	0
TSUN	118	120
VKSC	192	174
VPSC	172	116
WIND	31	19
WLBF	54	25
WSC	1101	0
WVOSC	0	46

CLUBS	Varsity	
	25-26	24-25
SFU	33	32
UBCT	40	40
UVIC	41	42

CLUB REGISTRATION DATA

CLUBS	Competitive		Pre Competitive	
	25-26	24-25	25-26	24-25
ADVENT	17	16	11	14
BVOSC	46	52	22	16
CDSC	193	171	120	139
CHENA	156	168	12	12
CHIN	33	29	72	76
CKSC	25	26	65	102
COMOX	101	86	22	76
CONNU	44	33	84	96
CRKW	119	106	222	201
CSSSC	32	32	35	40
CTSC	48	33	22	37
CVSC	1	1	83	31
DELTA	71	69	55	57
DST	48	52	11	5
DYNA	10	10	140	151
EVDSC	152	129	77	76
GATOR	87	57	0	94
HST	64	46	37	54
HYACK	134	129	0	0
ISC	129	122	0	0
KAJ	160	177	180	198
KAC	103	115	28	34
KISU	96	84	154	169
KMSC	30	31	17	6
LCSC	14	11	32	30
NRST	196	204	21	1

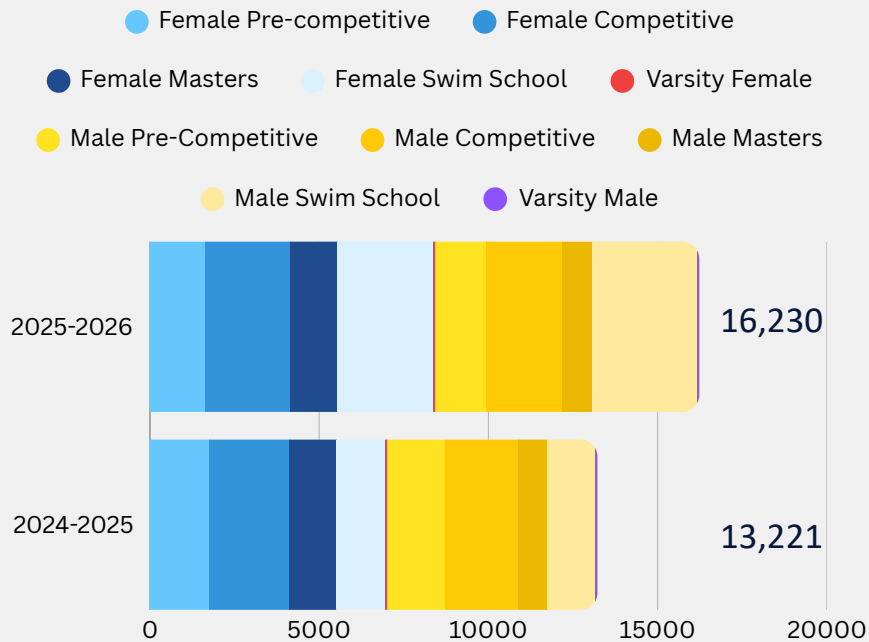
CLUBS	Competitive		Pre Competitive	
	25-26	24-25	25-26	24-25
OS	271	245	85	154
PGB	90	88	16	20
PRASC	63	66	34	40
PSW	370	355	10	13
RAC	67	56	0	0
RAPID	187	187	192	202
RIDGE	127	145	0	8
SFC	37	30	5	25
SKSC	241	147	158	259
SOSC	31	23	77	93
SPART	63	61	217	220
SQUP	32	32	0	0
TBSC	78	82	36	40
TSUN	4	4	0	0
UVPCS	272	253	325	46
VKSC	90	111	0	0
VPSC	181	244	74	23
WDSC	56	45	25	41
WGB	79	124	105	0
WIND	26	24	21	9
WLBF	42	34	42	42
WRSC	19	18	4	20
WSC	125	123	23	16
WSWSC	20	3	47	77
WVOSC	94	89	118	122

CLUBS	Masters	
	25-26	24-25
BWM	105	87
CDSC	88	95
CHIL	65	63
CKSC	26	19
COMOX	20	11
CONNU	18	15
CRKW	26	26
CST	45	38
CTSC	10	0
DOGW	44	62
DRM	38	44
DST	10	16
DYNA	6	8
EBMSC	151	161
EVDSC	50	40
HST	4	4
HYACK	68	71
ISC	1	0
KAC	21	21
KISU	28	34
LGCY	76	88
NEBB	120	118
NSM	24	26
OKAN	140	140
OS	23	24
PACE	15	15
PGB	24	43

CLUBS	Masters	
	25-26	24-25
PNW	28	27
PRASC	21	24
PSW	17	22
RAPID	0	1
RAVEM	44	48
RIDGE	0	1
ROYAL	61	60
SAWM	43	53
SKSC	32	27
SOCIP	9	6
SOSCM	29	30
SQUAM	2	9
SWRD	19	0
TBSC	11	12
TSUN	7	8
UBCM	66	66
UVPCS	21	45
VERN	21	26
VICM	163	147
WIN	45	45
WIND	19	14
WRW	94	94
WSM	90	79
WSWSC	22	20
WTMS	28	25
YGMS	131	132

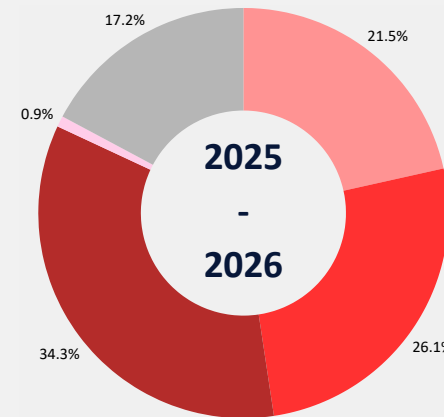
SWIMMER REGISTRATION

2 Year Registration Comparison Gender Split



- 2022-23 Registration numbers were greatly influenced by an outage of the registration system caused by a cyber-attack on Swimming Canada.

1 Year Registration Comparison Category Split



Category	2025-2026
Swim School	5758
Pre-competitive	3135
Competitive	4774
Varsity	114
Masters	2267
Total	16,048

OFFICIALS' DEVELOPMENT

National Competition Funds Total

\$16K

In Financial Support Provided to BC Officials
Attending National-Level Competitions

Registered officials (in REMS)

1748 Male

2590 Female

Official Professional Development

45

Participants

Attended the 5th Annual Senior Officials
Symposium held in person in Richmond
BC in Oct, 2025

188

Level I & II Clinics

Were run throughout the season

31

Meet Referee Updates and Best Practices

1579

Developing Officials

Participated in the Clinic

11

Mentors training and discussion

NEWLY CERTIFIED OFFICIALS

25 - 26 24 - 25 23 - 24

8

Virtual presentations for COA's and Meet Managers

Level I **738** **459** **611**

Level II **53** **70** **41**

Level III **14** **21** **19**

Level IV **7** **12** **13**

Level V **4** **3** **9**

26

Officials who completed referee clinic

Learning Management System eModules

398

Officials

Completed Intro to
Swim Officiating

253

Officials

Completed Safety
Marshal

88

Officials

Completed Chief
Timekeeper

59

Officials

Completed the
Administration Desk

22

Officials

H&F module

34

Officials

Completed Para
Swimming

COACH DEVELOPMENT

To provide meaningful development opportunities for Assistant Coaches, the coach selection process for provincial camps was revised to include a minimum of one coach from the Assistant Coach category on each camp staff. By providing opportunities to Assistant Coaches, Swim BC continues to invest in the long-term sustainability and excellence in coaching in British Columbia.

Looking ahead, coach development will be a major area of investment in the 2026-2027 season, with a significant expansion of initiatives designed to support coaches at all stages of the pathway.

657 BC COACHES REGISTERED



Of the 646 registered coaches, 15 (2.32%) were suspended by Swim BC for not meeting registration requirements.

28 NCCP COURSES

35%

Head Coaches
Were Female



48%

Assistant
Coaches Were
Female



65%

Development
Coaches were
Female



280 DEVELOPING COACHES PARTICIPATED IN THE COURSES

37 BC COACHES

became **FUNDAMENTALS
COACH CERTIFIED**

19 BC COACHES

became
AGE GROUP COACH CERTIFIED

1 BC COACH

became **SENIOR COACH CERTIFIED**

HISTORICAL COACH REGISTRATION



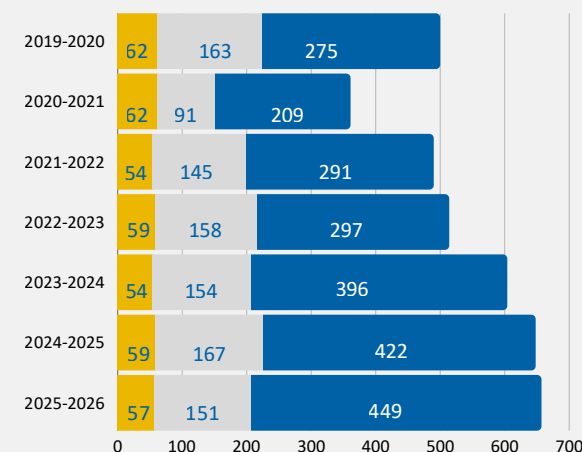
Head Coaches



Assistant
Coaches



Development
Coaches



SWIM BC COMPETITONS: PROVINCIAL CHAMPIONSHIPS

Team Award Qualification:

Team category placement is determined by each club's percentage of provincial competitive registrations, rounded to the nearest tenth, as of the entry deadline.

Clubs whose competitive registration numbers are 1.8% or less of all provincial competitive registrations will compete in the Small Team category. All BC clubs are eligible to compete in the Open category.

WINTER

	2025-2026	2024-2025	2023-2024
Host	UVPCS	ISC	UVPCS
Number of Clubs	45	45	38
Number of Swimmers	662	626	619
Total Swims	3816	3453	3182

SUMMER

	2025-2026	2024-2025	2023-2024
Host	KCS	VPSC	KCS
Number of Clubs	36	39	32
Number of Swimmers	485	613	442
Total Swims	2651	3294	2083

2025 - 2026 Point Scores

	OPEN	
1	OS	6262.5
2	UVPCS	3,251
3	PSW	3,139
4	CDSC	2602.5
5	KISU	2,489

	SMALL CLUB	
1	WDSC	633
2	SPART	574
3	HST	345
4	LCSC	249.5
5	CSSSC	127

2025 - 2026 Point Scores

	OPEN	
1	OS	7200.5
2	PSW	3,649
3	KAJ	2622.5
4	WSC	1796.5
5	VPSC	1,730

	SMALL CLUB	
1	HST	648
2	WDSC	609
3	SPART	554.5
4	CSSSC	423
5	SQUP	405

SWIM BC COMPETITIONS: DIVISIONALS (WINTER)

WINTER DIVISIONALS - NORTH & INTERIOR

	2025-2026	2024-2025	2023-2024
Host	KISU	KISU	KISU
Number of Clubs	15	16	15
Number of Swimmers	245	307	276
Number of Swims	1649	2142	1804

2025-2026 Point Scores - NID

1	KISU	5042.50
2	KAJ	4815.50
3	KCS	2278
4	VKSC	1590
5	PGB	1510.50

WINTER DIVISIONALS - ISLAND & COASTAL VANCOUVER

	2025-2026	2024-2025	2023-2024
Host	CDSC	CDSC	CDSC
Number of Clubs	17	17	16
Number of Swimmers	396	412	344
Number of Swims	2427	2541	2171

2025-2026 Point Scores - ICVD

1	CDSC	5116.50
2	RAPID	2810.50
3	UVPCS	2048
4	WSC	2032
5	SQUP	1761

WINTER DIVISIONALS - VANCOUVER & FRASER

	2025-2026	2024-2025	2023-2024
Host	SKSC	SKSC	SKSC
Number of Clubs	11	10	12
Number of Swimmers	381	414	370
Number of Swims	2377	2142	2189

2025-2026 Point Scores - VFD

1	OS	6125
2	PSW	4469.50
3	VPSC	3262.50
4	SKSC	2528
5	HYACK	2366

SWIM BC COMPETITIONS: DIVISIONALS (SUMMER)

SUMMER DIVISIONALS - NORTH & INTERIOR

	2025-2026	2024-2025	2023-2024
Host	VKSC & CSSSC	KAJ	VKSC
Number of Clubs	15	18	16
Number of Swimmers	231	323	267
Number of Swims	1456	2250	1774

2025-2026 Point Scores - NID

1	KAJ	4735
2	KISU	3604
3	VKSC	2319
4	KCS	1780
5	CSSSC	1543

SUMMER DIVISIONALS - ISLAND & COASTAL VANCOUVER

	2025-2026	2024-2025	2023-2024
Host	HST	HST	RAPID
Number of Clubs	11	10	13
Number of Swimmers	238	233	317
Number of Swims	1475	1452	1937

2025-2026 Point Scores - NID

1	VPSC	5880
2	CDSC	3568
3	CHENA	2596
4	SQUP	2494
5	WVOSC	2039

SUMMER DIVISIONALS - VANCOUVER & FRASER

	2025-2026	2024-2025	2023-2024
Host	OS	OS	SPART
Number of Clubs	13	14	12
Number of Swimmers	432	502	330
Number of Swims	2735	3205	2039

2025-2026 Point Scores - NID

1	OS	5325.50
2	PSW	5177.50
3	HYACK	2536
4	SKSC	2116.50
5	SPART	1792

NATIONAL COMPETITIONS

	2026 Speedo Canadian Swimming Open April 9-11, 2026	2026 Bell Canadian Swimming Trials July 5-9, 2026
Total Number of BC Clubs	14	22
Total Number of BC Swimmers	52	130
Total Number of BC Swims	260	658

NATIONAL CAMP SELECTIONS

Swimming Canada National Distance Camp
(Olympic Program)
September 27 - October 3, 2025
Chula Vista, California, USA

Swimmer	Club	Coach
Bonnie Choi	SPART	Justin Daly
Audrey Chow	CDSC	Kelly Taitinger
Josh Tsai	ISC	Lucin Zucchi
Staff	Club	Position
Savannah King	Swim BC	Coach

Pan Pacs Junior Camp
(Olympic Program)
October 13 - 25, 2025
Sunshine Coast, Australia

Swimmer	Club	Coach
Abigail McLeod	WDSC	Judy Baker
Naomi Mynott	WDSC	Judy Baker
Staff	Club	Position
Judy Baker	WDSC	Coach

2025 Junior Development Camp
(Olympic Program)
November 1 - 7, 2025
Vancouver, British Columbia

Swimmer	Club	Coach
Shima Taghavi	HYACK	Andrew Lennstrom
Kyah De Mitri	KISU	Tina Hoeben
Taryn Weatherhead	KISU	Tina Hoeben
Minhyuk (Danny) Park	OS	Ryan Skomorowski

NATIONAL CAMP SELECTIONS

2026 Starts and Turns Camp (Paralympic Program) February 4 - 8, 2026 Penticton, British Columbia

Swimmer	Club	Coach
Gabi Williamson	DST	Sophie Paridaen Van Veen
Roy Pan	UVPSC	Alexx Greenfield
Lucas Van Herk	SPART	Willem Hergesheimer
Staff	Club	Position
Naomi Antler	KISU	Team Manager

2026 Edinburgh International Swim Train and Race Camp (Olympic Program) March 7-16, 2026 Edinburgh, Scotland

Swimmer	Club	Coach
Kelly Choi	KAJ	Marc Tremblay
Shima Taghavi	HYACK	Andrew Lennstrom
Taryn Weatherhead	KISU	Tina Hoeben
Marlee Winser	KISU	Tina Hoeben
Minhyuk (Danny) Park	OS	Ryan Skomorowski

2026 Senior Train and Race Camp (Paralympic Program) February 10 - 23, 2026 Gold Coast, Australia

Swimmer	Club	Coach
Mary Jibb	PSW	Jy Lawrence
Fernando Lu	OS	Ryan Skomorowski

2022 Relay Camp (Paralympic Program) March 26 - 29, 2026 Ottawa, Ontario

Swimmer	Club	Coach
Cameron Chambers	KISU	Tina Hoeben, Naomi Antler

2026 NextGen Train and Race Camp (Paralympic Program) March 7 - 16, 2026 Lignano Sabbiadoro, Italy

Swimmer	Club	Coach
Ken Stroud	OS	Ryan Skomorowski
Leo Zheng	UVPCS	Alexx Greenfield

2026 National Junior Development Camp (Olympic Program) February 6 - 15, 2026 Ocala, Florida, USA

Swimmer	Club	Coach
Abigail McLeod	WDSC	Judy Baker
Naomi Mynott	WDSC	Judy Baker
Maelle Sanborn	UVPSC	Rod Barratt
Liam Chew	KAJ	Marc Tremblay

2026 Swimming Canada Female Youth Relay Camp (Olympic Program) May 31 - June 8, 2026 Vancouver, British Columbia

Swimmer	Club	Coach
Kelly Choi	KAJ	Marc Tremblay
Abigail McLeod	WDSC	Judy Baker
Riley Miller	KAJ	Marc Tremblay
Maelle Sanborn	UVPCS	Rod Barratt
Shima Taghavi	HYACK	Andrew Lennstrom

NATIONAL TEAM SELECTIONS

2026 Commonwealth Games July 23-August 2, 2026 Glasgow, Scotland

Swimmer	Club	Coach
Fernando Lu	OS	Ryan Skomorowski
Sebastian Massabie	PSW	Jy Lawrence
Mary Jibb	PSW	Jy Lawrence
Staff	Club	Position
Jy Lawrence	PSW	Coach

2026 Para Pan Pacific Championships August 28-30, 2026 Walnut, California

Swimmer	Club	Coach
Fernando Lu	OS	Ryan Skomorowski
Sebastian Massabie	PSW	Jy Lawrence
Mary Jibb	PSW	Jy Lawrence
Ken Stroud	OS	Ryan Skomorowski
Staff	Club	Position
Jy Lawrence	PSW	Coach

2026 Pan Pacific Championships August 10-15, 2026 Irvine, California

Swimmer	Club	Coach
Emma O'Croinin	UBCT / HPCVN	Scott Talbot
Raben Dommann	UBCT / HPCVN	Scott Talbot
Aiden Kirk	KAJ / HPCVN	Scott Talbot

2026 World Aquatics Junior Open Water Championships September 3-6, 2026 Santa Fe de la Vera Cruz, Argentina

Swimmer	Club	Coach
Abigail McLeod	WDSC	Judy Baker
Aiden Kirk	KAJ/HPCVN	Scott Talbot
Staff	Club	Position
Judy Baker	WDSC	Coach

2026 Junior Pan Pacific Championships August 17-20, 2026 Vancouver, British Columbia

Swimmer	Club	Coach
Kelly Choi	KAJ	Marc Tremblay
Abigail McLeod	WDSC	Judy Baker
Shae Murtha	OS	Ryan Skomorowski
Juliet Nicholson	KAJ	Marc Tremblay
Maele Sanborn	UVPCS	Rod Barratt
Shima Taghavi	HYACK	Andrew Lennstrom
Kaede Takai	OS	Ryan Skomorowski
Taryn Weatherhead	KISU	Tina Hoeben
Marlee Winser	KISU	Tina Hoeben
Michelle Zeng	CDSC	Kelly Taitinger
Muquing (Emma) Zhang	VPSC	Patrick Paradis
Mark Aistov	OS	Ryan Skomorowski
Liam Chew	KAJ	Marc Tremblay
Minhyuk (Danny) Park	OS	Ryan Skomorowski
Staff	Club	Position
Tina Hoeben	KISU	Head Coach
Marc Tremblay	KAJ	Coach
Patrick Paradis	VPSC	Coach

BEST OF THE WEST FEST

Winnipeg, Manitoba

April 23-26, 2026

The inaugural Best of the West Fest, held in Winnipeg from April 23-26, 2026, brought together 529 swimmers from across Western Canada for four days of competition. British Columbia was strongly represented, with 24 clubs and 220 athletes participating.

This event bridged a gap in the Canadian development pathway by providing a championship-level racing opportunity between the provincial and national levels. The meet also strengthened connections across the western swimming community. Swim BC extends its appreciation to Alberta, Saskatchewan, and Manitoba for their collaboration, as well as the officials and volunteers whose efforts made this a successful event. Best of the West Fest will return April 22–25, 2027, in Saskatoon, Saskatchewan.

Total Statistics	Club
Number of Clubs	64
Number of Swimmers	529
Number of Swims	2812

BC Statistics	Club
Number of Clubs	24
Number of Swimmers	220
Number of Swims	1247

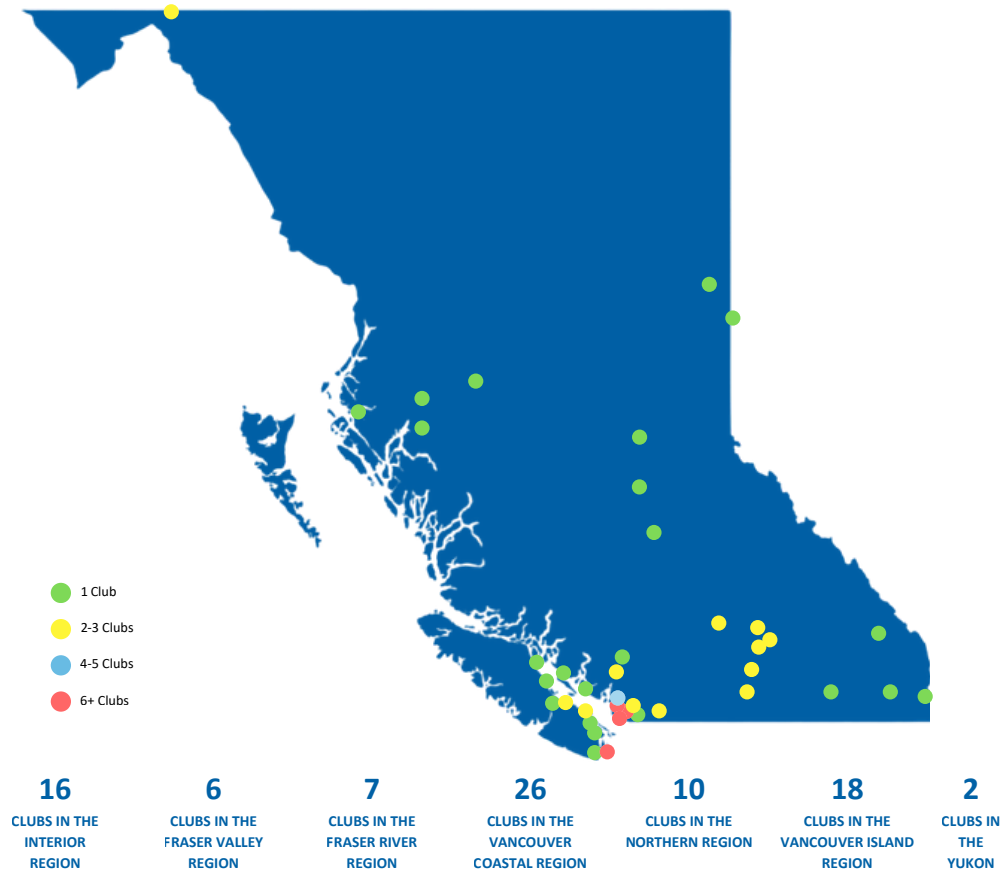
LARGE		
Competitive Resistration > 150		
1.	OS	3467.50
2.	CASC	2303.50
3.	CDSC	1,933
4.	PSW	1,741
5.	EKSC	1433.50
6.	UCSC	1,308
7.	KSC	1,065
8.	KAJ	959.50
9.	CP	921
10.	OSC	763
11.	SKSC	561
12.	MANTA	436
13.	ROD	286
14.	RAPID	124
15.	GOLD	94
16.	MM	80
17.	NRST	63

MEDIUM		
Competitive Resistration 80-149		
1.	HYACK	998.50
2.	GPP	721
3.	SRAYS	538
4.	LASC	445
5.	EVDSC	245
6.	WVOSC	229
7.	NCSA	179
8.	ISC	179
9.	MAVS	157
10.	LASER	122
11.	GLEN	108
12.	BBSC	77
13.	VKSC	62
14.	GATOR	58
15.	RIDGE	15
16.	RDCSC	14
17.	YKPB	13

SMALL		
Competitive Resistration < 79		
1.	UMAN	445
2.	WDSC	425
3.	HST	300.50
4.	SPART	244
5.	DST	161
6.	CSSSC	159
7.	FS	132.50
8.	KSS	129
9.	LCSC	121
10.	ALPHA	117
11.	APSC	106
12.	SBPS	94
13.	SQUP	88
14.	AMAC	87
15.	SSC	78
16.	CHIN	53
17.	CKSC	51.50
18.	PPAC	51
19.	PASS	48
19.	DELTA	48
21.	RMSC	43
22.	TRIT	35
23.	MJKFF	28
24.	UM	25
25.	SEALS	12

REGIONAL BREAKDOWN

(Includes the Master Clubs)



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