

Provincial Competition Summary – September 1, 2018

Names	Provincial Festivals	Provincials	Championships
LTAD Stage	Fundamentals	Learn to Train	Train to Train
Dates for 2018-2019	#1 Early December 2018 #2 Early June 2019	SC – March 1-3, 2019 LC – June 15-17, 2019	March 14-17, 2019 July 4-7, 2019
Future Dates (2019-2020 onward)	#1 Early December #2 Early June	One week before championships	Two weeks before first National event
Course	SC	March – SC June/July – LC	LC
Days / Sessions	2 / 2	SC – 2.5 / 5 LC – 3 / 6	Edmonton – 3.5 / 7 Calgary – 4 / 8
Number of Swimmers	250 North / 250 South	450	450
Max Events	9 (All Events)	6 events	7 events
Format	Time Final	Heats & Finals	Heats & Finals
Qualifying	One Festival QT	One Provincial QT	Two Championship QT's
Qualifying Period	March 1 from prior season	March 1 from prior season	March 1 from prior season
Qualifying Standards	Festival Standards (North & South)	Provincial Standards	Championship Standards
De-Qualifying	No de-qualifying	Two or more championship QT's (if one QT, can swim event)	No de-qualifying
Facility	8x25m	SC – Two 8x25m + WU lanes LC – 8x50m + WU lanes	8x50m + WU Lanes
Ages	Female 10 & Under Male 11 & Under	Female 12&U / 13-14 / 15&O Male 13&U / 14-15 / 16&O	Female 12&U / 13-14 / 15&O Male 13&U / 14-15 / 16&O
Awards	Ribbons Female 8,9,10 Male 8,9,10,11 Draw prizes for event winners	Medals – Ages as above Draw prizes for event winners	Medals – Ages as above + Para High Point & Team Awards
Para	No Para Events	Para Swimmers may attend, no time standard, no para specific events	Provincial para standard, Separate para events, WPS sanction
Events	All 50m & 100m	All 50m to 800m	All LC events
Relays	4 x 25m, mixed gender	4 x 50 Free & Medley	4 x 50 (12U / 13U) Olympic Relays (13&O / 14&O)
Entry Deadline	Two Monday's prior to the competition	Two Monday's prior to the competition	Two Monday's prior to competition / Provincial Qualifier Event Winners one Monday prior