



Geelong Swimming Club  
Learn to Swim



# TERM 4 NEWSLETTER



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# PROGRAM REMINDER



With lots of new families joining us recently, we thought it would be a great time to share a quick reminder about how our program runs.

Our lessons are structured in 5-week blocks:

- Levels 01-03+ alternate between Freestyle and Backstroke.
- Levels 04-08 rotate through Freestyle, Backstroke and Breaststroke, with revision of the other strokes included along the way.

This block system gives swimmers the chance to build skills steadily while keeping lessons fresh and engaging.

You may also have noticed the coloured boards around the pool. These are part of our structured program that all teachers follow. This means that if your child's teacher is away, the class will continue smoothly with the same progression, while still allowing teachers to bring their own unique style to the lesson.

## SUMMER INTENSIVE

Our holiday intensive this summer will run in the new year a week after we return from lessons the 12<sup>th</sup> - 16<sup>th</sup> of January.

Our 5 day intensive program offers lessons to all levels and is a great way to get a step up over the school holidays.

You will receive an email closer to the end of the year regarding enrollments.

## CHRISTMAS HOLIDAYS

This year our program will be finishing a little earlier than usual to allow for upcoming pool works.

Last day of lessons: Friday, 12th December 2025

Lessons resume: Monday, 5th January 2026.

## PUBLIC HOLIDAY

We will be closed - Wednesday 22nd of October for the Geelong Cup. You will not be charged if your lesson falls on this day.

## SAFETY WEEK

We will be holding safety week again in term 4, this will run from the 1<sup>st</sup> of December to when we finish up on the 12<sup>th</sup> of December.

1<sup>st</sup> week there is no clothes, 2<sup>nd</sup> week we ask swimmers to wear clothes and practice rescues.

What to wear:

Levels 01-03+: a t shirt

level 04: t shirt and shorts

levels 05&06: long sleeve and shorts

Levels 07&08: long sleeve top and long pants



# ADULT LESSONS

This year we have introduced Adult Swim Lessons to our program – and what a success it's been! We've loved seeing swimmers of all levels, from beginners to intermediate, jump into the pool and grow in confidence under the guidance of our experienced and supportive teachers. Whether you're looking to learn the basics or refine your technique, it's never too late to dive in! If you're interested in enrolling in the Adult Swim Program, please send us an email – we'd love to hear from you.



## CHRISTMAS CARNIVAL

We're excited to announce that we'll be holding another Christmas Encouragement Carnival on Sunday, 7th December!

Entries will be open to swimmers in Level 03+ and above, with more details on how to register being shared closer to the date.

This is a fun and supportive event where swimmers can celebrate their progress, show off the skills they've learned in lessons, and enjoy the festive spirit. Every swimmer will receive a ribbon, and plenty of encouragement from family, friends, and our team!

## DIRECT DEBIT DATES

Please note the direct debit dates for the remainder of the year:

- 13 October
- 10 November
- 8 December

Debits are processed every 4 weeks on a Monday. A reminder email will be sent 4 days prior to each debit date.

If a debit fails, it will be automatically rescheduled.

Thank you for keeping your payment details up to date and for your continued support!

