



Dear Club Member, Parent or Guardian

It is now that time of year where Club and Swim England memberships are due for renewal. The process of renewing your membership will need to be completed soon, so please complete the form and return to your squad liaison officer, place the form into the Marlin's post box or email a signed copy to [memberships@chorleymarlins.org.uk](mailto:memberships@chorleymarlins.org.uk) **before MONDAY 3rd February 2020 with the appropriate payments.**

Swim England (SE) membership is an annual fee, which includes the Club's insurance for swimmers, affiliation and support from the Northwest Region and Lanc's County to which the club is affiliated. All members of swimming clubs need to be registered with SE. Members are allocated to categories according to their age or association to the Club as follows:

Category	Description	SE Annual Fee for 2020
CAT 1	SE members who are <u>under</u> the age of 9	<b>£16.50</b>
CAT 2	SE members who are <u>over</u> the age of 9 years of age <b>or turn 9 in 2020</b>	<b>£34.75</b>
CAT 3	SE members who are non-swimmers, Club officials, coaches, teachers and volunteers	<b>£12.20</b>

Marlins Club membership is an annual fee of £30 payable by every swimmer, except for those in Minis. Once the swimmer reaches Development Group, the Membership fees become payable.

Due to constraints on processing payments, from January 2020 we will no longer be accepting payments by cheque or cash for Training Fees, Gala Entries and Memberships. All payments should be paid electronically unless in extreme circumstances. Please contact [treasurer@chorleymarlins.org.uk](mailto:treasurer@chorleymarlins.org.uk) if you have any problems. Both SE and Marlins Club membership fees should be paid by BACS to the account details below:

**Sort Code: 20-69-85**

**A/c Number: 73040828**

**A/c Name: Chorley Marlins ASC**

**Please add the swimmers name as reference**

A summary of the applicable fees is provided in the table below.

Group	Monthly	Annual Fees		
	Training Fees	Marlins Membership	Swim England Membership	Total Due before 3 <sup>rd</sup> Feb 2020
Minis (under age 9)	£22.00	n/a	£16.50	<b>£16.50</b>
Minis (over age 9 or turn 9 in 2020)	£22.00	n/a	£34.75	<b>£34.75</b>
Development Group	£26.50	£30.00	£34.75	<b>£64.75</b>
Alphas	£30.00	£30.00	£34.75	<b>£64.75</b>
Improvers	£33.50	£30.00	£34.75	<b>£64.75</b>
Intermediates	£40.00	£30.00	£34.75	<b>£64.75</b>
Juniors	£49.00	£30.00	£34.75	<b>£64.75</b>
JD	£51.50	£30.00	£34.75	<b>£64.75</b>
District	£58.00	£30.00	£34.75	<b>£64.75</b>
Club 3 and Masters	£26.00	£30.00	£34.75	<b>£64.75</b>

If you have any queries regarding renewals speak to your liaison officer or alternatively email [memberships@chorleymarlins.org.uk](mailto:memberships@chorleymarlins.org.uk) or [treasurer@chorleymarlins.org.uk](mailto:treasurer@chorleymarlins.org.uk)

Kind regards

The Chorley Marlins Committee

**Please return your form before MONDAY 3rd February 2020**



Returning your form/payment after these dates will mean that you will not be registered or insured with SE or Chorley Marlins and will not be able to swim. NO REMINDERS WILL BE ISSUED

### Important Notices

**CHORLEY MARLINS is a competitive swimming club.** The Club's aim is to give swimmers the opportunity to swim in at least three appropriate 'open meets'. It is expected that swimmers, once eligible, should attend a minimum of two open meets per year to enable them to progress through the club. Upcoming galas will be displayed on the notice board, Marlin's website and on our social media pages.

**GALAS.** To ensure your entry is processed, your swimmers time **must be** recorded on your entry form. Please see your coach should you need an entry time. Missing entry times could result in your entry form being rejected.

*Payment must be made at the time of entering or your swimmer will **not** be entered – no late entries will be accepted*

#### **\*\*MINI MARLINS SWIMMERS please note\*\***

The Marlins Club Membership of £30 will become payable once you reach the Development Group. If the swimmer is under 9 years of age, an additional fee of £18.25 will also be due to promote your swimmer to a Cat 2 for their SE membership.

**ASTHMA:** If your swimmer has asthma, their Inhaler/s should be brought to every training session and competition, failure to do so could result in them being unable to swim. Please note that coaches are not permitted to administer or hand inhalers to swimmers.

**NOTICE ON LEAVING.** Chorley Marlins require one months' notice should you decide you no longer wish to train.

**SIBLINGS:** A reduction in fees will be considered by the committee for any family with 3 or more siblings enrolled at the club. The reduction will be 50% of the monthly fees charged for the swimmer who would otherwise pay the highest monthly fees.

**MARLINS MAILING LIST:** Even though we try our best, sometimes we miss parents and vital information isn't always passed on. Please could we ask that at every training session you check the notice board near the trophy cabinet where updates and information are posted. The best and most accurate way to receive information is to subscribe to our mailing list, found on our web page.

**LIAISON OFFICERS AND COMMITTEE MEMBERS** are nearly always on hand at training sessions to assist you with any problems, concerns or questions.

**EASY FUNDING – PROSWIM WEAR.** Support Chorley Marlins by using EASY FUNDING on your purchases. Details are on our website for more information.