

# Cronulla RSL Swimming Club

## Allocation of Points and Awarding of Memorial Trophies and Prizes

These notes are for the guidance of members and should be read in conjunction with the Club's Constitution which is available on the Club's website at: <http://www.cronullarslswimclub.org.au>

### Tag Times.

The Club Handicapper allots times to members for the following distances: 50m, 100m, 200m and 400m. These times are known as tag times and are recorded on the tags kept in the clubrooms. The Club Handicapper regularly reviews and updates tag times as deemed necessary. New members usually swim trial swims over each distance before tag times are determined.

### Breaks

A break is a minus variation from the tag time and is calculated as follows:

1 second for each 50 metres swum in a race viz.

50m -1 second

100m -2 seconds

200m -3 seconds

400m -4 seconds

For example, if your tag time for 100 metres is 1 minute 20 seconds, your break time is 1.18 seconds. If you swim under 1.18 seconds you are deemed to have broken. If you break, the handicapper will consider changing your tag time.

### Judging

A race **judge** allocates initial placings for each race.

### Allocation of Places and Points

Swimmers who break are not awarded a place. Breaks are determined by clock times.

Points for the monthly and yearly point scores are calculated on the basis of the judge's placings of those swimmers who did not break.

Points are awarded as below.

Places, as determined above, determine the points to be allocated to swimmers.

Points are allocated as set out in the Constitution, generally:

1st 4 points

2<sup>nd</sup> 3 points

3<sup>rd</sup> 2 points

Other places 1 point

**Breaks 2 points**

### Prizes and Memorial Trophies

All Memorial Trophies held by the Club are awarded on the basis of nearest to the tag time.

Prizes ("trophies") which are donated by swimmers, may be awarded for closest to the break or nearest the tag time. This choice is made by the person donating the prize.

### General

Some races (e.g. wire to wire) do not have tag times and are awarded on nominated times, with/without breaks. Break times for wire-to-wire swims are:

Single double : 7 seconds

Double double: 15 seconds.

All swims conducted by the **Gunnamatta Greys** are judged on the basis of closest to nominated times; i.e. there are no breaks.

CRSLSC Management Committee

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