



# NOTTINGHAMSHIRE ASA COUNTY CHAMPIONSHIPS 2019

## 800/1500m Qualifying Additional Note



In 2019 we are required to include boys 800m and girls 1500m events. This means there will now be 4 long distance events to fit in the schedule. Due to constraints on pool time, it has been necessary to limit the number of heats to 3 heats (24 swimmers) of each event. As there are currently very few swimmers with ranked times for these 'reverse' events the entry procedure will be as follows:

If a swimmer has a qualifying time for the 'standard' event then they may elect to swim the reverse event. This means a male swimmer qualifying for the 1500m may elect to swim the 800m, and vice versa.

Once the entries are closed, boys in the 800m will be ranked on their 400m time, and girls in the 1500m will be ranked on their 800m time. For all the long-distance events where it is necessary to reject swimmers there will be an acceptance process based initially on the number of swimmers in each age group with remaining places filled in the order of fastest time.

Any rejections will be notified by Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> January and a reserve list will be published.