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2022/23 Open Water Swim Calendar

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Date	Event name	Distance	Start time	Location	Website & Contact Details
Sun 2 Oct 2022	**Spring into Spring, Williamstown** 1.8km casual swim, Williamstown Beach to Pointy Rock. This is an amazing swim with plenty to see. You'll forget you're in Melbourne because abundant sea life will take your breath away.	1800m	TBA	Williamstown Beach	Event website / Melb Open Water Swim Club admin@melbourneopenwaterswimmingclub.org
Tue 1 Nov 2022	**Melbourne Cup Day 2km Swim, Williamstown** ***** Event postponed to 12/11/2022 due to bad weather / water quality**	1km or 2km	10.00am	Williamstown Beach	Event website / Melb Open Water Swim Club admin@melbourneopenwaterswimmingclub.org
Sat 12 Nov 2022	**Melbourne Cup Day 2km Swim, Williamstown** **Event postponed from 01/11/2022** Swim to Jawbone Marine Park in Williamstown. This has been a annual event since 2017 and is a great way to start your Melbourne Cup Holiday.	1km or 2km	10.00am	Williamstown Beach	Event website / Melb Open Water Swim Club admin@melbourneopenwaterswimmingclub.org
Wed 21 Dec 2022	**Summer Solstice Sunset Swim** Swimming at sunset to mark the summer solstice, you set your own pace (it's not a race) on 1 or 2 laps of our 800m course. You get a lighted course, a team on boards & kayaks and an amazing experience.	upto 1600m	7.30pm	Williamstown Beach	Event website / Melb Open Water Swim Club admin@melbourneopenwaterswimmingclub.org
Mon 26 Dec 2022 Boxing Day	**Pt Leo Swim Classic** Part of the Great Victorian Swim Series. Victoria's Boxing Day swim. Also includes nipper swim, novice swim and beach run events.	1.2km, 2.5km, 400m jnr/novice	1.00pm	Point Leo SLSC.	pointleoslsc.com.au
Wed 28 Dec 2022	**Burson Rock2Ramp, Anglesea** The Burson Rock2Ramp is held on the 28th Dec each year in the protected surf beach inside Point Roadnight.	2.5km, 1.2km & 600m. Plus Kids Dash	2.5km: 9.20am 1.2km: 10.55am	Pt Roadnight, Anglesea.	Rock2Ramp.com / angleseaslsc.org.au info@angleseaslsc.org.au
Thu 29 Dec 2022	**Rip View Swim Classic, Point Lonsdale** Part of the Great Victorian Swim Series. One of the main events in the Victorian OWS calendar.	1.4km, 3.8km, 600m	10:100am	Point Lonsdale front beach.	rvsc.org.au / plslsc.com.au rvscdirector@pointlonsdaleslsc.asn.au
Sun 1 Jan 2023	**WIN Network Current Cruiser, Sandy Point** Be a part of the Waratah Beach SLSC swim in Shallow Inlet. Swimming with the current in the sheltered waters of the inlet is a great introduction to salt water swimming.	1.5km, 500m	1:00pm	Shallow Inlet at Sandy Point, South Gippsland	waratahbeach.com.au paul.minahan@outlook.com.au
Mon 2 Jan 2023	**Port Fairy Moyneyana Open Water Swim** 1st swim in the Shipwreck Coast Swim Series (with Portland, Warrnambool and Port Campbell). Held on the gorgeous Port Fairy East Beach. Swim out through the break, along the beach and then back in to the finish.	1.2km, 500m	11.00am	Port Fairy SLSC, Eastern Beach.	shipwreckcoastswimseries.com.au

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Sat 7 Jan 2023	**Danger Swim Series, Torquay** Part of the Great Victorian Swim Series. The event is run by the Jan Juc SLSC at the calm, protected and picturesque location that the locals fondly refer to as "Cosy Corner". This idyllic setting is protected by Point Danger.	500m, 1.0km, 2.5km & 5km	5km: 9.00am 2.5km: 9.00am 1km: 11.30am	Torquay front beach.	janjucsurfclub.com.au events@janjucsurfclub.com.au
Sat 7 Jan 2023	**David Tapscott Portland Open Challenge** 2nd swim in the Shipwreck Coast Swim Series (with Port Fairy, Warrnambool and Port Campbell). Held in the protected waters of Nuns Beach.	1.2km, 500m	11.00am	Nuns Beach, Portland	shipwreckcoastswimseries.com.au
Sun 8 Jan 2023	**BOWS Marathon Swim** The Bay Open Water Swimmers present the BOWS Marathon Swim at the Black Rock Yacht Club. Wetsuit and Non Wetsuit Categories for all distances, and can be used as a qualifier for other events. More details on the Trybooking registration site.	2.5km, 5km, 10km	10km: 7.00am 5km: 8.00am 2.5km: 9.00am	Black Rock Yacht Cub 10 Cerberus Way, Black Rock	bows.org.au
Tue 10 Jan 2023	**The Rip Swim #1** Swim across "The Rip" at the entrance to Port Phillip Bay! Cross the Rip in small groups with support boats and trained staff. 2 scheduled crossings this summer. Contingency in case of bad weather is the following day.	4kms approx	tba	Pt Nepean to Point Lonsdale	ripswim.com.au info@ripswim.com.au
Sat 14 Jan 2023	**Lorne Pier to Pub** The world-famous swim from the Lorne pier to the Lorne beach.	1.2km	10:30am	Lorne SLSC.	lornesurfclub.com.au swim_administrator@lornesurfclub.com.au
Sun 15 Jan 2023	**Sorrento Bay Swim** Part of the Great Victorian Swim Series. Mostly straight-line course with the tide.	4km, 2km, 600m juniors		Sorrento foreshore, near the Baths Jetty.	sorrentoslsc.com/swim swim@sorrentoslsc.com
Fri 20 Jan 2023	**Mornington Twilight Swim** Part of the Great Victorian Swim Series. Run by the Mornington Life Saving Club. The only twilight swim in the Victorian calendar.	2.5km, 1.5km, 400m novice	6.00pm	Mornington LSC, Mills Beach. The Esplanade, Mornington.	morningtonlsc.com.au office.morningtonlsc@gmail.com
Sat 21 Jan 2023	**Portsea Swim Classic** Swim from Portsea with the outgoing tide to the Quarantine station.	2.5km, 1.5km	2.5km: 12.45pm 1.5km: 2.15pm	Portsea front beach to Jarman Oval.	portseasurf.com.au swimclassic@portseasurf.com

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Sun 22 Jan 2023	**Morrisons Wharf to Winery Swim, Echuca** Part of the Echuca Moama Triathlon Club Multisport weekend of events. Swim starts at the Onion Patch at the Port of Echuca. Swim down the Murray River to Morrisons Winery for BBQ and festivities. Spectators can also travel to & from Morrisons aboard a paddlesteamer.	3km	9:30am	Port of Echuca Wharf to Morrisons Winery.	echucamoamatriclub.com
Thu 26 Jan 2023	**MMAD Swim - Mt Martha Annual Diamond Swim** Part of the Great Victorian Swim Series. Diamond-shaped course in the clear waters off the Mt Martha beach - a regular favourite, with a sparklng commentary.	5km, 1.2km, 400m novice	5km: 8am 1.2km: 11.00am	Mt Martha beach, The Esplanade.	mmadswim.com.au mmadswim@mmlsc.com.au
Thu 26 Jan 2023	**Kieser Great Australia Day Swim** Presented by The Rotary Club of Brighton in association with The Brighton Lifesaving Club. A great way to celebrate Australia Day!	2.5km, 1.4km, 650m	2.5km: 9.00am 1.4km: 11.00am	Middle Brighton Pier and Marina	greataustraliadayswim.com.au greataustraliadayswim@gmail.com
Thu 26 Jan 2023	**Invasion Day Breakfast Swim** Pay respect to the elders of our beautiful country and sea, including a smoking ceremony and then an awesome swim from Williamstown Beach to Jawbone Marine Park and return.	1km or 2km	10:00am	Williamstown Beach	Event website / Melb Open Water Swim Club admin@melbourneopenwaterswimmingclub.org
Thu 26 Jan 2023	**Ocean Grove Open Water Swim Festival** *** EVENT CANCELLED *** Multiple distances available, as well as music, food and fun. Run by the Ocean Grove SLSC who also run the Rip To River race. Check the website for details of both events.	2.5km, 1.2km, 400m jnr/novice		Ocean Grove SLSC Surf Beach Road Ocean Grove (Melway 497 G1)	oceangroveslsc.asn.au admin@oceangroveslsc.asn.au
Sat 28 Jan 2023	**Warrnambool Tony Ryan Memorial Swim** 3rd swim in the Shipwreck Coast Swim Series (with Port Fairy, Portland and Port Campbell). The longest-running open water swim in Victoria, in the beautiful Lady Bay. Starting west of the Warrnambool Surf Life Saving Club and finishing on the beach at the clubhouse.	1.2km, 500m	11.00am	Swim across Lady Bay, Warrnambool. Register at Warrnambool SLSC, Pertobe Rd.	shipwreckcoastswimseries.com.au
Sat 4 Feb 2023	**South Melbourne Port to Park Open Water Swim** *** EVENT CANCELLED *** The swim runs along the beach from Lagoon Pier Port Melbourne to Kerferd Pier Albert Park. Ideal for spectators to walk along and watch their swimmer, or stand on the pier at either end and see the start or finish. Limited street (ticket) parking available. Try the No.1 Sth Melb Beach tram, which goes very close to the life saving club.	2.2km, 1.1km	1.1km: 9.30am 2.2km: 11.00am	Lagoon Pier Port Melbourne, to Kerferd Pier Albert Park.	southmelbournelsc.com.au porttopark@southmelbournelsc.com.au

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Sun 5 Feb 2023	**Bathing Box Classic, Brighton** Part of the Great Victorian Swim Series. Held at the iconic Dendy Beach bathing boxes in front of the Brighton LSC clubhouse.	2.5km, 1.2km	2.5km: 9.00am 1.2km: 10.30am	Brighton Lifesaving Club Dendy Beach, Brighton	brightonlsc.com.au bathingboxclassic@brightonlsc.com.au
Sun 5 Feb 2023	**Port Campbell 12 Apostles Plunge** 4th swim in the Shipwreck Coast Swim Series (with Port Fairy, Portland and Warrnambool). Held in the breathtaking cliff-bound bay of Port Campbell, the course challenges swimmers to a lap of the bay.	1.2km, 500m	11.00am	Port Campbell Bay.	shipwreckcoastswimseries.com.au
Sat 11 Feb 2023	**Club to Club** Straight-line swim along the beach from Edithvale to Aspendale.	1.8km	9:20am	Edithvale LSC, The Esplanade to Aspendale LSC, Groves St. Registration at Aspendale LSC.	club2clubswim.com.au club2clubswim@gmail.com
Sat 11 Feb 2023	**The Rip Swim #2** Swim across "The Rip" at the entrance to Port Phillip Bay! Cross the Rip in small groups with support boats and trained staff. 2 scheduled crossings this summer. Contingency in case of bad weather is the following day.	4kms approx	tba	Pt Nepean to Point Lonsdale	ripswim.com.au info@ripswim.com.au
Sat 11 Feb 2023	**The Rip Race** This year the Rip Race is back! Race across "The Rip" at the entrance to Port Phillip Bay! A qualifying swim is required. Check the website for more details and updates.	4kms approx	tba	Pt Nepean to Point Lonsdale	ripswim.com.au info@ripswim.com.au
Sat 11 Feb 2023	**Indented Head Wreck2Reef Open Water Swim** Part of the Great Victorian Swim Series. Swim in the calm protected waters of Half Moon Bay on the Bellarine Peninsula.	2.5km, 1.2km	2.5km: 9.30am 1.2km: 10.50am	Indented Head Yacht Club, Bellarine Peninsula.	ihyc.com.au
Sat 18 Feb 2023	**U24 Ultra Marathon** Victoria's very own ultra marathon swim, from Safety Beach to Sorrento. Pre-registration on the event website. Limited to 100 solos or tandems and 10 x 4 person relays. Age limit 18+			Safety Beach to Sorrento.	u24.com.au
Sun 19 Feb 2023	**Pier to Perignon** Swim from Sorrento to Portsea, tide-assisted. Entries will sell out in less than 90 mins!	4.5km	tba	Sorrento pier to Portsea pier.	portseasurf.com.au P2Pinfo@portseasurf.com.au

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Sat 25 Feb 2023	**Nagambie Club 2 Pub** Part of the Nagambie On Water festival over the weekend. It's a short 600m or full 1.1 km swim in Lake Nagambie, open to all ages and swimmers.	1.1km, 600m	11.00am	Lake Nagambie, Buckley Park boat ramp Blayney Lane, Nagambie	gonagambie.com.au
Sat 25 Feb 2023	**Moorpanyal Park 1000** Join in the world's largest FREE open-water swim and afterwards enjoy the festivities at the Pako Festa in Geelong.	1.0km	9.00am	Moorpanyal Park Beach, North Shore, Geelong. Cnr Esplanade & Seabeach Pde, North Shore.	moorpanyal.com dale@aussiebattler.com.au
Sat 4 Mar 2023	**Cerberus Swim** Part of the Great Victorian Swim Series. Swim around the wreck of the Cerberus in Half Moon Bay, Sandringham.	2.5km, 1.2km, 1.2km teams	2.5km: 9.00am 1.2km: 10.45am	Half Moon Bay SLSC, Sandringham.	halfmoonbayslsc.com.au racedirector@halfmoonbayslsc.com.au
Sun 5 Mar 2023	**WOW Challenge** Part of the Great Victorian Swim Series. The Williamstown Open Water Championship "The WOW Challenge" is Victoria's world class, championship distance, open water swim event. The WOW Challenge is for everyone: champions, weekend warriors, kids, multiclass, fast, slow, young and old! Backup date Sat 18 March.	1.2km, 2.5km, 5km, 10km		Williamstown S&LSC, Gloucester Reserve.	williamstownslsc.org.au/wow-challenge
Mon 13 Mar 2023	**Point to Point Handicap Championship** The Melbourne Open Water Swim Club's championships, but anyone can win it and get their name engraved on our perpetual shield and win a medal. You get a handicap start time according to your swim ability and expected finishing time.	700m, 1km	11.00am	Williamstown Beach	Event booking link / Melb Open Water Swim Club admin@melbourneopenwaterswimmingclub.org
Sat 18 Mar 2023	**The Swim Bass Coast** New event that will showcase the Bass Coast region with 4 point to point event distances to choose from. The premier event is the 4km Silverleaves to Cowes Yacht Club with a $2000 prize pool. A festival atmosphere where you can expect all the trimmings: water safety, logistics, timing, refreshments, photos, finishers medals, free merchandise, prize money, awards and a great time!	4km, 2km, 1km, 500m	4km: 8:00am 2km: 8:30am 1km: 9:00am 500m: 9:30am	Cowes Beach	theswimbasscoast.com.au office@eliteenergy.com.au
Sun 19 Mar 2023	**Bonbeach LSC Open Water Swim** The swim has returned in 2023 after a few years in hibernation. Free Tees, Cheap Merch, Egg & Bacon Rolls - all the good stuff!	1.2km, 600m novice	1.2km: 9:00am 600m: 10:00am	Bonbeach LSC, Lord Weaver Grove.	bonbeachlsc.com.au swim@bonbeachlsc.com.au
Sat 25 Mar 2023	**Storm The Bay** Ocean Swimming on the edge of Bass Strait at the heart of the Great Ocean Road, in a absolutely gorgeous area.	500m, 1.25km, 2.5km, 5km	check website	Apollo Bay SLSC	swimapollobay.com.au info@swimapollobay.com.au

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Sat 1 Apr 2023	**Mentone Pink Caps Adventure Swim** A non-competitive relaxed swim, experiencing the local environment. A 4.5km swim over marine reserve reef starting at Ricketts Point or 2km swim starting at the Scout Boat Shed, ending at Mentone LSC. All groups will be accompanied by trained water safety volunteers and have a water support leader to keep the group together. Includes bus to the starting point and light breakfast on the club balcony.	4.5km, 2km	7.15am	Mentone LSC, Beach Rd (opposite Kitchener St)	mentonelsc.com mentonepinkhats@gmail.com
Sun 2 Apr 2023	**Altona to Williamstown Classic** The Melbourne OWS Club's big swim. Swim 4km from Altona to Williamstown. Supported by our club boat, boardies and kayakers.	3.8km or 7.6km	9.00am	Williamstown Beach to Altona Beach	Event booking link / Melb Open Water Swim Club admin@melbourneopenwaterswimmingclub.org
Sun 9 Apr 2023	**SSCBC Easter Swim** ***** Event postponed to November (date tba) due to EPA warnings of water quality after heavy rain.** Easter swim hosted by the Sorrento Sailing Couta Boat Club, with delicious spit roast dinner.	600m & 1200m	9.00am	Sorrento Sailing Couta Boat Club 3154 Point Nepean Road, Sorrento	SSCBC.com.au membership@sscbc.com.au
Sat 6 May 2023	**Magic In May** Another great swim in Williamstown. It's not a race, just a casual Sunday swim that will renew your spirits and make you feel lucky to be in the Bay. Swim with the team on boards and kayaks 900m east from Williamstown Beach to Pointy Rock and back.	900m x 2	12 noon	Williamstown Beach	Event booking link / Melb Open Water Swim Club admin@melbourneopenwaterswimmingclub.org
Sat 24 Jun 2023	**Winter Solstice Sunset Swim** A magical unforgettable swim into the sunset on the Winter Solstice on a lit course at Williamstown.	800m	5.00pm	Williamstown Beach	Event booking link / Melb Open Water Swim Club admin@melbourneopenwaterswimmingclub.org
Sun 25 Jun 2023	**Port Fairy Annual Solstice Swim** Port Fairy SLSC and Port Fairy Winter Weekends presents the annual Solstice Swim. Gold coin donation, hot milo/tea/coffee, bacon & egg rolls.		7.00am	Port Fairy SLSC, Eastern Beach.	portfairywinterweekends.com.au
Sat 8 Jul 2023	**Winter Rip Swim** Swim across "The Rip" at the entrance to Port Phillip Bay! Cross the Rip in a small group with support boats and trained staff. Contingency in case of bad weather is the following day.	4kms approx	1.30pm	Pt Nepean to Point Lonsdale	ripswim.com.au info@ripswim.com.au

*** Please check with swim organisers before arriving at swim events as dates and details may change. ***

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