

BGS SWIM - NEWSLETTER



GENERAL UPDATE - Friday 18 March

Welcome back to 2022

It's been a pleasure to welcome all new and returning families to *BGS+* Swim in 2022.

Term 2

Current students will automatically be enrolled in Term 2 classes. If students remain at the same level, class times will remain the same for the next term. If students move into another level, parents will be contacted before the start of term.

Term 2 Fees

Invoices and billing will be processed on Friday 8 April and payments are due before Monday 25 April. Overdue payments will result in a forfeit of a student's class enrolment. Please note there is a \$50 administration fee for any enrolment cancellations that occur after Monday 25 April.

BGS+ SWIM TERM 2 FEES 2022

Level 1 & 2 \$198

Level 3 1 per week \$198, 2 per week \$380

Level 4 & 5 1 per week \$270, 2 per week \$405

Private lessons 9 weeks \$675

2022 School Holiday Program and Term Dates

Term 2

Tuesday 26 April – Friday 24 June
School Holiday Program (TBC)
Monday 11 – Friday 15 July

Term 3

Tuesday 19 July – Friday 16 September
School Holiday Program (TBC)
Monday 26 – Thursday 29 September

Term 4

Tuesday 4 October – Friday 9 December

Term Billing	Invoice Date	Due Date	Term Commences
Term 1	Monday 17 January 2022	Monday 31 January 2022	Tuesday 1 February 2022
Term 2	Friday 8 April 2022	Monday 25 April 2022	Tuesday 26 April 2022
Term 3	Friday 24 June 2022	Monday 11 July 2022	Tuesday 12 July 2022
Term 4	Friday 16 September 2022	Monday 3 October 2022	Tuesday 4 October 2022

Please pay fees online via the *BGS+* Simply Swim Customer Portal. Unfortunately, failure to make payment by due dates will forfeit a student's class enrolment.

**Private lessons**

We are delighted to offer students a 9 week private lessons program in Term 2. This is an ideal program for those who want extra support with their swimming as the lessons are tailored for the individual student. Classes run from Tuesday 25 April - Friday 24 June, with lessons available from 5.00pm - 6.00pm. Private lessons run on a term schedule so the cost for the 9 week program is \$675, due prior to the first lesson. Private lessons are allocated on a first-serve basis, so please email bgsplus@brightongrammar.vic.edu.au to secure your spot for Term 2.

Make-up lessons

We understand that sometimes your child will miss a lesson due to illness. If this happens, you may qualify for a make-up lesson.

Please note the following:

- Notice must be given at least 3 hours prior to the scheduled class time, once *BGS+* Swim has been notified a make-up lesson will be allocated to your child's account.
- Make-up lessons can be booked through our online customer portal, using your unique log-in details.
- Make-up lessons cannot be exchanged for cash refunds or future credits

Interested in Squad Swimming?

BGS+ Swim Club is well underway, and we are reaching out to boys and girls in the BGS community who are interested in moving from Learn to Swim lessons into competition-focused training.

To learn, develop and compete for BGS, there is a squad for everyone:

- **Senior Squad:** Students interested in competing at a state and national level
- **Junior Squad:** Students up to 12 years looking to race competitively
- **Fitness Squad:** Years 7-12 students interested in swimming for fitness twice a week without competition

Expressions of interest should be sent to bgsplus@brightongrammar.vic.edu.au

Welcome Head Swim Coach - Sarah Scott

Sarah Scott has extensive experience in club swimming having previously coached at Nunawading, Northcote and most recently at Surrey Park Swim Schools, but has also worked with Caulfield Grammar School's APS Program during a very successful period for the school. Sarah's priority as a coach has always been to develop a strong community around the pool. She will focus on supporting athletes across all areas of their lives to help them achieve both in and out of the pool. Her program is holistic with an emphasis on quality training, social interactions and life experiences (camps, trips, and group activities).

Welcome *BGS+* Administrator - Louise Wederall

Louise Wederall will work closely with Sarah Scott (Head Coach) and within our Learn to Swim program. She has a strong aquatics background, having worked as a swim instructor and swim school administrator in previous roles. Louise brings experience, a positive attitude and a customer service focus to the role.

Farewell and thank you to Tahli

Tahli Langborne joined Brighton Grammar as our Swim School Administrator in the midst of lockdowns! Despite the challenges of having to close the pool whilst trying to grow the Learn to Swim Program, Tahli quickly rose to the challenge and did exceptionally well to put in place structures and systems in place. We wish her well in her future role at the Geelong Football Club.