

SWIM SCHOOL TERM 3 2025 NEWSLETTER

Important Dates

Term 3

Sat 26th July to May – Fri 26th September

Assessment Week

Sat 6th September to Fri 12th September

Water Safety Week

Sat 20th September to Fri 26th September

Term 4 Enrolment Dates

Direct Debit/Yearly Payment Enrolments
Opens from 9am Mon 15th September

Current Student Enrolments
Opens from 9am Mon 22nd September

New Student Enrolments
Opens from 9am Mon 29th September

**Enrolments are taken via phone
or in person – 6494 3100**

2025 LTS Calendars

Available at Reception

Get in Touch

Phone – 02 6494 3100

Email – info@sapphireaquatic.com.au

Website – www.sapphireaquatic.com.au



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Water Safety Week

Sat 20th September to Fri 26th September
Normal lesson day and time applies.

Levels Participating

OPAL

SAPPHIRE

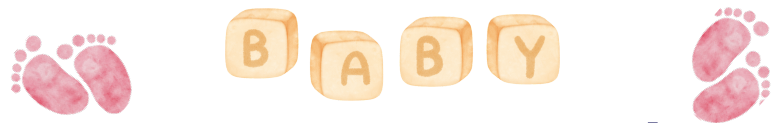
EMERALD

ONYX

DIAMOND

JUNIOR DEVELOPMENT

Students please wear a t-shirt and long pants
over your swimmers.



CONGRATULATIONS!

**We are delighted to share the joyful
news that our amazing instructor
Brendan has welcomed a beautiful
baby girl Piper into the world.
Please join us in congratulating
Brendan and his family on the arrival
of their little one.**



SPLASH INTO SPRING
Stories, Songs & Splashy Fun!

Make water safety fun!
Join local Lifeguards for an interactive
**Storytime featuring books, music, sensory play
and activities from Kids Alive Do the Five.**
Ages: 0 - 12 years

Bermagui Tues 30 Sept, 10.30am | Bega Thurs 9 Oct, 10.30am
Tura Mon 27 Oct, 10.30am | Eden Tues 11 Nov, 10.30am

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Phone the library on 6499 2127

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KIDS ALIVE DO THE FIVE

Australian Library and Information Association

Bega Valley Shire Council

Bega Valley Shire library

Reminder to all Junior Development and Squad Swimmers

As we continue to maintain high standards in our squad training sessions, we would like to remind all swimmers of the required attire and equipment to ensure safety, comfort and optimal performance in the pool.

All Squad Swimmers must bring:

- Flippers
- Swimming Cap
- Goggles
- Drink Bottle

Swimmers Guidelines:

- Boys: Jammers only – No board shorts, as they create drag and hinder proper technique.
- Girls: One-piece training swimsuits are recommended for comfort and performance.



Learn To Swim Assessments

Skill tracking of swimmers occurs throughout the term by our Instructors. In Week 7 of the term, I will oversee the students' progress through our assessment process.

Instructors are unable to discuss students' assessments. I will liaise with all the instructors regarding assessments each term. If you have any queries, or your child cannot attend assessment week, please let me know as soon as possible.

Instructor Shortage/Changes

Unfortunately, there is an industry-wide shortage of qualified swim instructors across Australia. This has created challenges for many organisations including us in the Bega Valley Shire. Despite these challenges, we want to assure you of our unwavering commitment to maintaining high standards and providing access to quality instruction. To ensure that we can continue to offer an extensive program and our swimmers receive the best possible experience, we will be:

Reallocating Resources

Carefully adjusting instructor schedules to cover as many classes as possible, without compromising lesson timetables or quality.

Instructors sharing classes

Some of our instructors will need to share classes throughout the term. Your child will benefit from unique strengths and teaching styles of different instructors, whilst providing a well-rounded learning experience.



Thank you for being a part of our swim school community. We love seeing each swimmer grow in skill and confidence. We appreciate the ongoing support from our families.

**Kindest Regards,
Lucy Williams
Aquatic Programs Supervisor**



FUNDED ADULT BEGINNER – SWIM CONFIDENCE SESSIONS
TERM 4 2025

Thanks to Royal Life Saving NSW we are pleased to be offering funded adult swim confidence sessions beginning Term 4 at Sapphire Aquatic Centre.

10 Week Program – Tuesdays 2:00pm – 2:45pm
Limited Spaces Available

This is a wonderful opportunity to:

- Learn to Swim at your own pace.
- Build water confidence in a supportive environment
- Enjoy a complimentary hot drink after your first lesson.

Spread the word to family, friends and community members who may benefit.

SQUAD ACHIEVEMENT

A big congratulations to our Adult Open Water Adult Squad Swimmers, who recently completed an incredible 3,000 metres in a one hour training session. This is a fantastic accomplishment and a testament to their commitment, endurance and training consistency. Well done to all swimmers involved – your hard work is truly paying off!

ADULT OPEN WATER TRAINING
IN THE POOL

DAY: Saturdays
TIME: 12:30pm - 1:30pm
COACH: BOB

\$14 a Session
Casual Bookings Welcome
Please Call to Book 6494 3100

WHO IS IT FOR?

Triathletes preparing for race season
Swimmers new to open water events

Ocean swimmers wanting to improve skills and stamina

Build your endurance, technique and confidence before you hit the open water!

SUMMER TEACHERS ARE MADE IN

WINTER

Become a swim teacher this winter for just
\$399 (normally \$499)

**BOOK
NOW!**

being held at:

**Sapphire Aquatic
Centre**

190 Pambula Beach Rd, Pambula Beach, NSW, 2549

**Saturday, 13th & Sunday,
14th September 2025**

Time: 8.30am to 5.30pm



**BECOME A
TEACHER OF SWIMMING AND
WATER SAFETY**

**SCAN THE QR CODE
TO GET STARTED**

LEARN TO SWIM STUDENTS IN THE POOL OUTSIDE OF YOUR LESSON?

Discounted Rate for swimming outside of your lesson times below.

Please purchase prior to entering pool.

\$2.00 fee per student 5-16 years of age.

\$4.00 fee per student 4 and under - this age group requires an adult in the water with them.

Student will receive a wristband which permits them to enter the pool outside of the lesson.



NO BAND NO ENTRY

*Discount applies to lesson day only