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Date	Event name	Distance	Location	Organisers/ Contact
Sat 5 Sep 2015	Hazelwood 100 Rocket Science Sports Swim Part of the Hazelwood 100 multisport festival including Olympic-distance tri. Swim is in Hazelwood Pondage, heated by the power station.	1.5km	Hazelwood Pondage, Latrobe Valley	Noel Fenn 0417-116-530 Email: lvtriathlon@live.com.au Website: www.lvtriclub.com.au
Sat 17 Oct 2015	Splash 'n' Dash Swim - Yarrowonga Mulwala Multisport Festival Swim from Yarrowonga to Mulwala. Part of a weekend of multi-sport events.	1.4km	Lake Mulwala (on the Murray River) Frank Kean Reserve (on the Victorian side of the lake)	Triathlon Victoria 03-9598-8686 Website: ymmf.com.au
Sun 8 Nov 2015	Masters Swimming Victoria OWS training, session #1 MSV are putting on two great clinics to get you ready for Open Water Season!!! Learn drafting, sighting, finishes and starts from our top coaches, Brenton Ford & Sam Sheppard. Open to all swimmers.		Elwood Lifesaving Club	Sal Cuming Email: salcumo@bigpond.com Website: www.mastersswimmingvic.org.au
Sat 14 Nov 2015	Aqua Shop Open Water Swim Part of the Shepparton multisport festival. Swim is in Victoria Park Lake. Presented by Shepparton Swimming Club.	1.2km, 1.9km	North end of Victoria Park Lake Shepparton	Email: info@challengeshepparton.com.au Website: www.sheppartonmultisportfestival.com.au
Sat 21 Nov 2015	Australian Corporate Games - Open Water Swim	1.0km	South Melbourne LSC Cnr Withers St & Beaconsfield Pde	Australian Corporate Games 1300-301-418 Email: info@corporategames.net.au Website: www.corporategames.net.au
Sun 29 Nov 2015	Masters Swimming Victoria OWS training, session #2 The 2nd great clinic by MSV, with coaching from open-water superstars Chloe McCardel and Sam Sheppard!! Open to all swimmers.		Williamstown S&LSC, Gloucester Reserve.	Sal Cuming Email: salcumo@bigpond.com Website: www.mastersswimmingvic.org.au
Sat 5 Dec 2015	Mentone 1000 1st swim in the Great Victorian Swim Series. Includes Splash & Dash swim/run for juniors - see website for details. Seniors discount available for online entry.	1km & 2.5km	Mentone LSC, Beach Rd (opposite Kitchener St)	Mentone LSC 03-9915-3721 Email: mentoneswim@gmail.com Website: www.mentonelsc.com
Sat 5 Dec 2015	St Kilda Mile Iconic open water distances (1 Mile & 3.8km), free kids events and a Charity Relay where your team of three will take on Olympians, celebrities and leading athletes from around Australia, including Event Ambassador, Michael Klim.	3.8km, 1.6km, 800m	St Kilda Beach, next to the St Kilda pier.	Icon Events Email: events@iconevents.com.au Website: iconevents.com.au



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Sat 12 Dec 2015	Splash Dash Bash *** SWIM CANCELLED *** (Postponed to 2016 due to dredging near the pier) Great viewing from the beach and the iconic Kerferd Road Pier.	5km, 2.5km, 1.2km & 400m	Kerferd Rd pier, Albert Park *** SWIM CANCELLED ***	Anthony Marchesani, Big Dog Events 0401-363-543 Email: splashdashbash@bigdogevents.com.au Website: www.splashdashbash.com.au
Sun 13 Dec 2015	Walk The Plank Spirited Away, the team that has brought the Rip Race to Melbourne, have set up another swim with an exciting and fun element. "Walk the plank" off the Searoad ferry and swim with the tide from Portsea to Sorrento. Limit 50 swimmers.	5km	Portsea to Sorrento	Grant Siedle Email: info@spirited-away.com.au Website: grantsiedle.weebly.com
Sat 19 Dec 2015	Victorian Open Water Championships Note change by Swimming Vic of date, venue and host from 2014. Entry restricted to SV & MSV members only. This is being held in conjunction with the WOW Challenge swim, with the support of the Altona Swimming Club and Williamstown SLSC.	5km & 10km	Williamstown LSC, Gloucester Reserve.	Website: vic.swimming.org.au
Sat 19 Dec 2015	Williamstown Open Water (WOW) Challenge 2nd swim in the Great Victorian Swim Series. The WOW Challenge is being held in conjunction with the Victorian Open Water Championships. Also check out the Williamstown OWS Coaching on Facebook. It's on every Saturday morning.	1.2km, 2.5km, 5.0km, 750m kids	Williamstown S&LSC, Gloucester Reserve.	Williamstown S&LSC 03-9397-5493 Email: info@williamstownslsc.org.au Website: www.williamstownslsc.org.au
Sat 26 Dec 2015 Boxing Day	Pt Leo Swim Classic 3rd swim in the Great Victorian Swim Series. Also includes nipper swim, novice swim and beach run events.	1.2km, 2.5km, 5.0km, 200,400m jnr/novice	Point Leo SLSC.	John 03-5989-8577 or Andrew 03-5989-8628 Website: www.pointleoslsc.com.au
Mon 28 Dec 2015	Anglesea Rock2Ramp	1.2km & 2.5km	Pt Roadnight, Anglesea.	Peter Williams, Race Director 03-5263-1107 Email: info@angleseaslsc.org.au Website: www.angleseaslsc.org.au
Sat 2 Jan 2016	Port Fairy Moyneyana Open Water Swim 1st swim in the Shipwreck Coast Series (with Warrnambool and Port Campbell).	500m & 1.2km	Port Fairy SLSC, Eastern Beach.	Paul Buchanan 0429-936-569 Email: see website Website: www.shipwreckcoastswimseries.com.au
Sun 3 Jan 2016	Rip View Swim Classic, Point Lonsdale 4th swim in the Great Victorian Swim Series. There's a new 3.8km swim added to the RipView event	1.4km & 3.8km	Point Lonsdale front beach.	Email: rvsdirector@pointlonsdaleslsc.asn.au Website: www.pointlonsdaleslsc.asn.au



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Sun 3 Jan 2016	Phillip Island Penguin Swim Classic See website for Cowes Classic & San Remo Channel Challenge details	2km & 800m	Cowes. Sanders St beach Silverleaves to Cowes pier. Registration at The Hotel, Cowes.	Ron 0416-133-655 Email: specialevents@woolamaibeach.asn.au Website: www.islandevents.org.au
Sat 9 Jan 2016	Lorne Pier to Pub Entry ballot opens 2 Nov and closes 13 Nov. 2nd-round offers 23 Nov. 3rd-round offers 1 Dec.	1.2km, 5km	Lorne SLSC.	Lorne SLSC Website: www.lornesurfclub.com.au
Sat 16 Jan 2016	Portsea Swim Classic 30th anniversary in 2016. Introducing a new 2.5km swim starting east of the pub, limited to 200 entrants.	1.5km	Portsea front beach to Jarman Oval.	Email: PSCinfo@portseasurf.com.au Website: www.portseasurf.com.au
Sat 16 Jan 2016	Danger 1000 Ocean Swim, Torquay 5th swim in the Great Victorian Swim Series.	1.0km & 2.5km	Torquay front beach.	Jan Juc SLSC 03-5261-2755 Email: entries@janjucsurfclub.com.au Website: www.danger1000.com.au
Sat 16 Jan 2016	Warrnambool Tony Ryan Memorial Swim 2nd swim in the Shipwreck Coast Series (with Port Fairy and Port Campbell).	500m & 1.4km	Swim across Lady Bay, Warrnambool. Register at Warrnambool SLSC, Pertobe Rd.	Anne Kerr 0418-529-990 Email: see website Website: www.shipwreckcoastswimseries.com.au
Sun 17 Jan 2016	Sorrento Bay Swim 6th swim in the Great Victorian Swim Series.	1.8km, 5km, 600m juniors	Sorrento foreshore, near the Baths Jetty.	Sorrento SLSC 0437-175-229 or Jim Sheedy 0418-592-125 Email: jim.sheedy@sorrentoslsc.com Website: www.sorrentoslsc.com
Sun 17 Jan 2016	Morrisons Wharf to Winery Swim, Echuca Part of the Echuca Moama Triathlon weekend of events. Starting from the Port of Echuca Wharf, jump off the back deck of the historic PS Pride Of The Murray and swim down the Murray River to Morrisons Winery for BBQ and festivities.	3km	Port of Echuca Wharf to Morrisons Winery.	Echuca Moama Tri Club 0427-540-022 Email: see website Website: echucatriclub.com
Sat 23 Jan 2016	The Bloody Big Swim See website for more information about requirements for COMPULSORY accompanying paddler & boat.	11.2km (individual or team)	Frankston LSC Wells St to Mills Beach Mornington	Event Director 0402-205-878 Email: bbsinfo@morningtonlsc.com Website: www.thebloodybigswim.com
Sat 23 Jan 2016	The Grand Challenge Swim, Mornington 7th swim in the Great Victorian Swim Series. Run by the Mornington Peninsula Triathlon Club and The Mornington Life Saving Club.	1.2km	Mornington LSC, Mills Beach. The Esplanade, Mornington.	Mornington Peninsula Tri Club Email: contact@mptc.com.au Website: www.thebloodybigswim.com



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Tue 26 Jan 2016 Aust. Day	MMAD Swim - Mt Martha Australia Day Swim 8th swim in the Great Victorian Swim Series.	5km, 1.2km, 400m novice	Mt Martha beach, The Esplanade.	Jenny Roth 0407-598-934 Email: jroth@vtown.com.au Website: www.mmadswim.com
Tue 26 Jan 2016 Aust. Day	The Swimland Great Australia Day Swim	650m, 1.4km & 5km	Middle Brighton Pier and Marina	Email: greaustaliadayswim@gmail.com Website: greaustaliadayswim.com.au
Sat 30 Jan 2016	Queenscliff Blue Water Challenge 9th swim in the Great Victorian Swim Series.	1.2km	Queenscliff pier, Symonds St.	Boroughcouthas Swimming Club, Margie Heffernan Email: blue-water@bmsc.org.au Website: www.bmsc.org.au
Sat 30 Jan 2016	Port Campbell 12 Apostles Plunge 3rd swim in the Shipwreck Coast Series (with Warrnambool and Port Fairy).	400m & 1.2km	Port Campbell Bay.	Tom Walsh 0409-376-185 Email: see website Website: www.shipwreckcoastswimseries.com.au
Sat 6 Feb 2016	South Melbourne Port to Park swim The swim runs parallel to the beach, from Lagoon Pier Port Melbourne to Kerferd Pier Albert Park. It's ideal for spectators to walk along and watch their swimmer and, with piers at each end, it's a great way to see the start and finish.	1.1km	Lagoon Pier Port Melbourne, to Kerferd Pier Albert Park.	Alison Porter 0487-346-798 Email: porttopark@southmelbournelsc.com.au Website: www.southmelbournelsc.com.au
Sat 13 Feb 2016	Club to Club Straight-line swim along the beach from Edithvale to Aspendale.	1.5km	Edithvale LSC, The Esplanade to Aspendale LSC, Groves St. Registration at Aspendale LSC.	Jo 0419-999-322 Email: club2clubswim@gmail.com Website: www.club2clubswim.com.au
Sat 20 Feb 2016	Cerberus Swim 10th swim in the Great Victorian Swim Series.	1.2km & 2.5km	Half Moon Bay SLSC, Sandringham.	Half Moon Bay SLSC Email: info@halfmoonbayslsc.com.au Website: halfmoonbayslsc.com.au
Sat 27 Feb 2016	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	Moorpanyal Park Beach, North Shore, Geelong. Cnr Esplanade & Seabeach Pde, North Shore.	Dale Jennings 03-5278-2777 Email: dale@aussiebattler.com.au Website: www.moorpanyal.com
Sun 28 Feb 2016	Jalna Big Bay Swim	3.2km	Sandridge Beach LSC Port Melb to Gem Pier Williamstown	Email: info@bigbayswim.com.au Website: www.bigbayswim.com.au



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Sun 28 Feb 2016	RAM Jetty to Pier swim *** SWIM CANCELLED *** Run by the Rotary Club of Frankston to raise funds for Rotarians Against Malaria (RAM).	1.0km	Olivers Hill Jetty to Frankston Pier *** SWIM CANCELLED ***	Peter Stacey 0457-778-886 Email: peter.s@nex.net.au Website: www.frankstonsunrise.org.au
Sat 5 Mar 2016	Pier to Perignon Swim from Sorrento to Portsea, tide-assisted. Entries open 1 Dec (fills v.fast!)	4.5km	Sorrento pier to Portsea pier.	Dwight Harrison 0402-304-847 Email: P2Pinfo@portseasurf.com.au Website: www.portseasurf.com.au
Sat 5 Mar 2016	Park 2 Pub Swim, Nagambie Part of the Nagambie On Water festival. It's a short 1.1 km open water swim in the bowl of Lake Nagambie, open to all ages and swimmers. Cash prizes for 1st and 2nd place per category.	1.1km	Lake Nagambie, Buckley Park boat ramp Blayney Lane, Nagambie	Ian Clinch 0421-283-552 Email: info@nagambieonwater.com.au Website: www.nagambieonwater.com.au
Sun 6 Mar 2016	Cohuna Bridge to Bridge	1.5km, 8km	Cohuna, Murray River.	Geoff Dale 03-5456-2435 Email: cohunabridge2bridge@gmail.com Website: www.bridgetobridge.org.au
Sat 12 Mar 2016	Indented Head Wreck 2 Reef Open Water Swim Classic	1.2km, 800m novice	Indented Head Yacht Club, Bellarine Peninsula.	John Walter 0409-132-535 or Tom O'Connor 0458-293-695 Email: bellshotme@hotmail.com Website: wreck2reef.com.au
Sun 13 Mar 2016 Labour Day eve	Melbourne Swim Classic Fundraising for over 660 Victorian charities through the Everyday Hero network. Free 200 Metre Swim for newbies. Swim the 5K & 1200M for \$55! Also - register your interest in a prospective 10K swim on the website.	5km, 2.5km, 1.2km, 400m	Elwood Beach Melways 67 B5 Parking on site.	Email: see website Website: www.melbourneswimclassic.com.au
Sun 13 Mar 2016	Murray Quad 3.2km swim in Lake Mulwala. Part of the Murray Quad multidiscipline event, but you can enter a discipline by itself.	3.2km	Lake Mulwala (on the Murray River)	Email: see website Website: murrayquad.com.au
Sat 19 Mar 2016	Mentone Marathon POSTPONED to 2017. This is the first annual Mentone Marathon swim, located in the sheltered Beaumaris Bay, under the watchful eye of Mentone Life Saving Club. 5km and 10km swims on a 2.5km circuit, with individual, duo and team classes.	5km & 10km	Mentone LSC, Beach Rd (opposite Kitchener St)	Mentone LSC Email: mentoneswim@gmail.com Website: www.mentonelsc.com
Sun 20 Mar 2016	Bonbeach LSC Open Water Swim	1.2km, 2.5km, 600m novice, dash4cash	Bonbeach LSC, Lord Weaver Grove.	David Wilson 0418-561-991 Email: swim@bonbeachlsc.com.au Website: www.bonbeachlsc.com.au



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Sun 20 Mar 2016 (TBC)	Bridgewater Ocean Swim Ocean swim at Bridgewater Bay, Portland.	1.2km, 500m	Bridgewater Beach, Cape Bridgewater, Portland Registration at Portland SLSC.	
Sat 26 Mar 2016	Rocket Science Bay Challenge - Dromana The Dromana Bay Challenge is the 1st event of the Rocket Science Bay Challenge. This is a series of swimming, running and surf-lifesaving events on 2 wonderful beach locations on the Mornington Peninsula.	3.8km, 1.2km, 600m	Dromana Bay Life Saving Club 250 Point Nepean Road Dromana	Email: events@xosize.com.au Website: www.baychallenge.com.au
Sun 3 Apr 2016	Rocket Science Bay Challenge - Safety Beach The Safety Beach Bay Challenge is the 2nd event of the Rocket Science Bay Challenge and is also part of the Martha Cove Triathlon weekend. Check the website for more details.	1.2km, 600m	Marine Drive, Safety Beach	Email: events@xosize.com.au Website: www.baychallenge.com.au
Sun 12 Jun 2016	Winter Mile Swimming Carnival The Brighton Baths Health Club presents the Winter Swimming Carnival. Events include the Harry Raisbeck Winter Mile, John Dineen Half Mile and Ice Cube Dash. Water temp around 12 degrees.	800m & 1600m	Brighton Baths Health Club 251 Esplanade, Brighton	Brighton Baths reception 9592-7350 Email: manager@brightonbathshealthclub.com.au Website: brightonbathshealthclub.com.au
Sun 19 Jun 2016	Spirited Away Winter Solstice Swim Evening swim on the Winter Solstice! A new run/swim event has been added. Entry to hot pool/steamroom, swim cap and certificate included in entry price.	300m, 500m, 1.2km	St Kilda Beach At the Sea Baths	Grant Siedle Email: info@spirited-away.com.au Website: www.riprace.com.au/winter-solstice-swim
July	Lorne Winter Pier to Pub	1.2km	Lorne Pier	Brighton Icebergers Website: www.icebergers.com

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

This calendar is derived from various sources, including the websites and entry forms of the event organisers.

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