

# Mid-Can Masters Swim Club

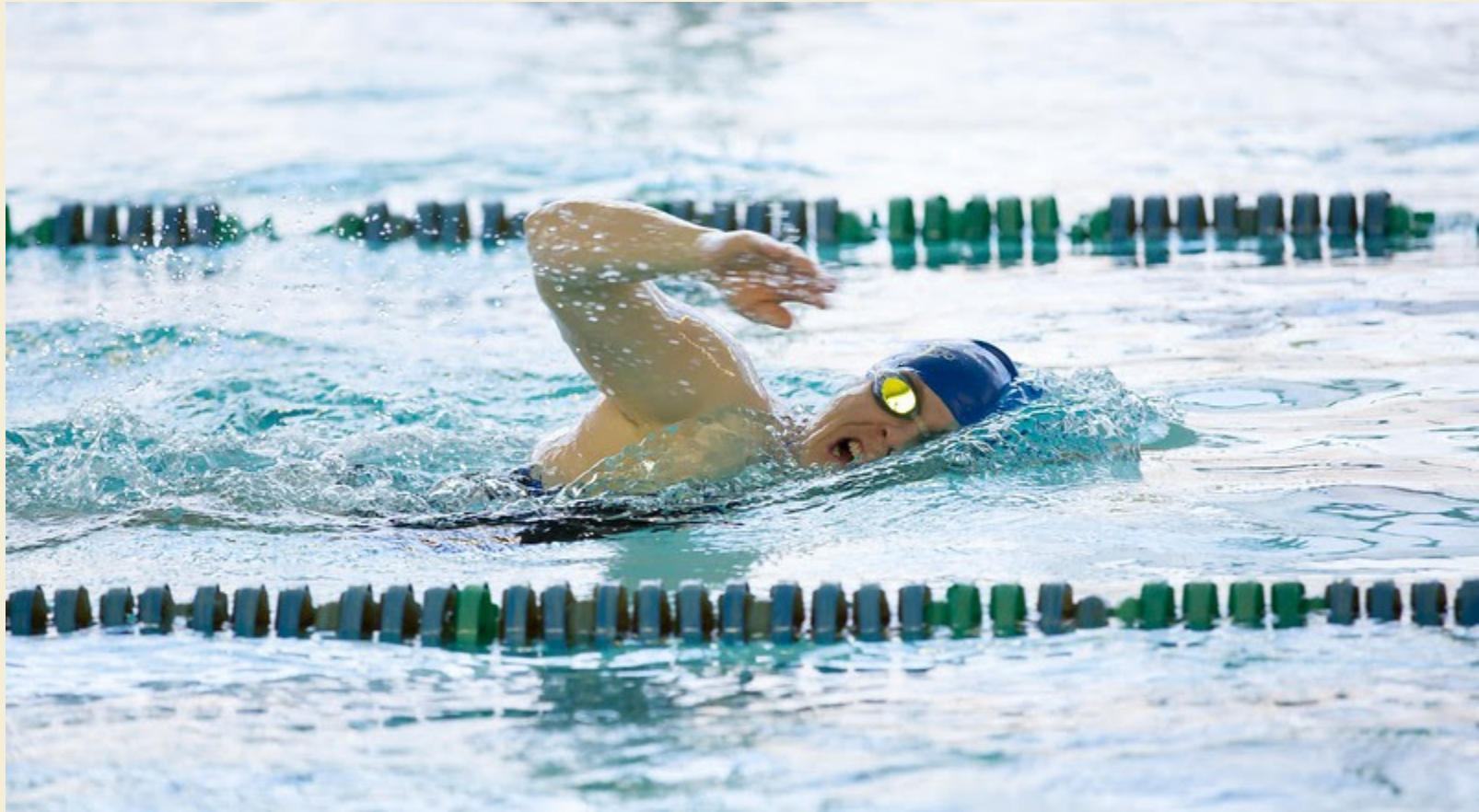
Newsletter

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**Rhonda Leger - 50 Meter Breaststroke - Pop Sidwell - Nov 21, 2015**



**Aileen Clark - 800 Meter Freestyle - Pop Sidwell - Nov 21, 2015**

2016-2017 Membership Package Attached

Attached is our new membership package. Thanks to an increase in membership, the club has finished the year slightly in the black. However the rental costs of the pool have increased, and the executive has passed a long overdue increase in coaching fees for Pal. If our Membership fees and revenue remains the same, then we expect the budget to break even this coming year. **Therefore the executive has decided keep the same fees as last year.** We are counting on maintaining the club membership to balance the budget for the upcoming year. As there are always some members who choose not to renew this means we still need new members. Please come to the AGBM October 22nd for for more information on the club.

**Please give your membership form with a signed release and your cheque to Colleen before Saturday, October 15rd, 2016.**

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## Pop Sidwell 2016

This fall Mid Can Masters will again host the Pop Sidwell Swim Meet. This year will be the 41st year of the meet. The date is **Saturday, November 19th, 2016 2 PM - 6 PM**. We need swimmers and we need volunteers. Should you have any questions about swimming at the meet or about volunteering to help out at the meet, [Bob Modrcin](#) or [Bob Groff](#) will be able to provide more information. Officiating will increase one's understanding of swimming techniques, and the sport in general. Most importantly it is fun! The will be a banquet at St. John's College following the meet. We hope you will join us in continuing the tradition of the Pop Sidwell Swim Meet.

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## Annual General Business Meeting:

**AGBM Saturday, October 22nd, 2016 @ 10:00 a.m AM at SAHPER Lounge in the Extended Education Building**

The breakfast will be potluck and members are asked to bring their favorite breakfast food to share with others attending the meeting. A sign up sheet for breakfast items will be posted on the bulletin board in the pool. Coffee will be provided by the club.

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## Introduction To Masters Swimming Program

As part of our membership drive, the executive is again planning an **Introduction To Masters Swimming Program**. The program is being advertised on [Facebook](#), and will consist of 8 - 1 hour swims in lane one (by the bleachers) on Thursday evenings from October 13th through December 1st, 2016. Pal will supervise the swimmers. Email [Greg Giesbrecht](#) if you know someone who is interested in this course, or if you have questions. Mid-Can did attract new members from this program last year. Thanks to Greg Giesbrecht for his work in organizing the program.

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## 17th FINA World Masters Championships - Budapest, Hungary - August 2017

Budapest, Hungary will host the 17th FINA World Masters Championships in August 2017. The FINA World Aquatics Championships will be held from July 15-30, 2017. The Masters Championship will follow with the open water events on Aug 4-5, 2017, and the indoor events on Aug 7-13, 2017. The [Fina Event Page](#) is coming soon. In the meantime some information can be found on [facebook](#). The event will be in the [Dag&#225ly Swimming Complex](#), a brand new state-of-the-art facility being built on the banks of the Danube across from Margaret Island in Budapest. **If you would are interested in swimming in the worlds in Budapest next August, then you need to enter the Pop Sidwell to get a qualifying time.**

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See you in the pool:

[Roy](#)

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