

Mid-Can Masters Swim Club

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Joyce Fromson Pool - University of Manitoba - 1967 - Photo Courtesy of Roy Eldridge



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The Joyce Fromson Pool

Roy Eldridge sent me these historic photos he took of the University of Manitoba pool in 1967. I found some history of the pool, and the rest of the Fort Garry Campus buildings, [here](#). The pool first opened its doors in 1965. That makes it 52 years old! Thanks for the photos Roy.

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Thursday, April 13, 2017 Pizza Night:

Pizza night will be held **Thursday April 13th beginning at 10:00 pm** at Boston Pizza (2729 Pembina Hwy, ph 204-261-7111) following swimming. The swim on Thursday **April 13th** will be a **free swim**, open to all club members and will not count towards your weekly number of swim practices. See you there.

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Brandon Pentathlon Masters Swim Meet on Saturday, May 6, 2017

The Brandon Bluefins Masters Swim Club are hosting a Pentathlon Swim Meet at the Canada Games Sportsplex Pool, 30

Knowlton Dr., in Brandon **Saturday May 6, 2017** in Brandon. **The Entry Deadline is Midnight April 27th, 2017.** The first draft of the meet package is attached, but the order of events may change. MSM is trying to arrange a bus. Cost will be \$40 and will include, I think, some food for the return trip. The bus info is [here](#).

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Annual Progressive Supper

This years Annual Progressive Supper has been set for **Saturday, May 13, 2017**. For our new members, this event is the high point of Mid-Can's social calendar. The participants meet at one home for the appetizers, a second home for the main course, and finish at a third home for desserts. **Mark this in your calendars so you don't miss it.** Some years the homes have been close enough to walk, bicycle, or even canoe from home to home. The food is potluck, so on the pool's bulletin board, prior to the event, there will be a sheet posted for participants to sign up and list whether they'll bring an appetizer, a main course, or a dessert. **We are still looking for houses for the event.** If you are able to volunteer your house for either the appetizers, main course or desserts please email [Carrie Smith](#). Those that host one of the courses do not need to bring food! Participants should bring their own plates, utensils, and beverages.

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Mid-Can Hoodies and Sweatshirts



Roy Eldridge has organized hoodies and sweatshirts for the club. The hoodies are only \$40.00 each, and the sweatshirts are only \$30.00 each. They are navy blue in color with the club logo on the front. They come in S, M, L, and XL sizes. The order deadline is **Saturday, April 29**. Give your order forms (attached) to Roy Eldridge. Please contact [Roy Eldridge](#) if you would like more information.

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2017 Stadium Schedule - Swim Practice Conflicts

Cancellations: June 8, June 15, July 13, July 27, Aug 17, & Aug 24, 2017

- 1) There is a Women's Soccer match - Canada vs. Costa Rica - on **Thursday June 8th, 2017**
- 2) There are 4 Blue Bomber **Thursday** evening games which conflict with our swim practices.
The Bomber schedule lists games on: **Thursday June 15, July 13, July 27, & Aug 17, 2017.**
- 3) Additionally, there is a Guns n Roses Concert on **Thursday Aug 24th, 2017.**

The practices on these 6 [Thursday](#) evenings will be cancelled.

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[17th FINA World Masters Championships Aug. 5-20, 2017 - Budapest, Hungary !](#)

Budapest, Hungary, will host the 17th FINA World Masters Championships in August 2017. The FINA World Aquatics Championships will be held from [July 14-30, 2017](#). The Masters Championship will follow on [August 5 - 20, 2017](#). The indoor events will be held [August 14 - 20, 2016](#). The event will be in the [Dagály Swimming Complex](#), a brand new state-of-the-art facility built on the banks of the Danube across from Margaret Island. The website for the meet is now up and running [here](#) The qualifying times and schedule are now posted.

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See you in the pool:

[Roy](#)