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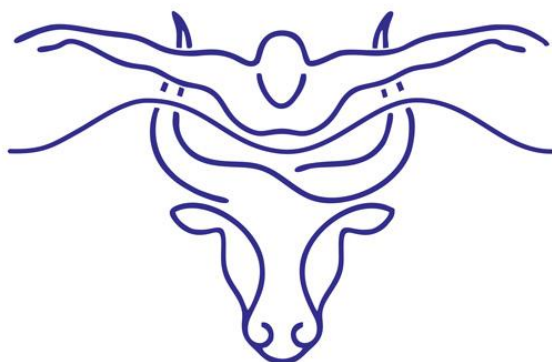
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Swim Meet “Minoan Open 2026”

Hosted by the Swim Club of Heraklion (KOH)

April 18-19, 2026



MINOAN OPEN

R A C E T H E B L U E

The Swim Club of Heraklion (KOH) proudly invites you to the 1st edition of the “Minoan Open” swim meet. The event is co-organized with the Region of Crete and the Municipality of Heraklion.

Venue

Heraklion, Crete, Greece (50m outdoor pool, 8 lanes)

Dates

April 18-19, 2026

Rules & Regulations

The meeting will be conducted in accordance with the current codes and regulations of WORLD AQUATICS, the Hellenic Swimming Federation (HSF' - KOE) rules and regulations, and the provisions of this announcement.





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Eligibility & Participation

- Eligible swimmers are:
 - athletes currently registered in the Hellenic Swimming Federation (KOE) database, and
 - registered competitive swimmers from international clubs, who must present a certification/authorization letter from their national swimming federation.
- Each club may enter an unlimited number of swimmers in each event, except for the 800m and 1500m freestyle events for men and women, which will be limited to two heats composed of the fastest entries.
- Minimum age: 13 years and older (born before January 1, 2014).
- Each swimmer may compete in up to six (6) events.

Meet Format

- All events will be conducted as timed finals.
- Seeding will be by entry time, swimming slowest to fastest, based on times achieved in 50m pools from October 1, 2025 to April 5, 2026

Entry Process & Deadlines

1. Declaration of Intent to Participate

Clubs must submit a declaration of intent to participate online at:

<https://forms.gle/eGj5vRWXZuoBJn2i8> by: Friday, March 27, 2026 (23:59)

2. Official Entries

Official entries must be submitted through the KOE electronic platform by:

Friday, April 10, 2026 (23:59)

Foreign clubs: Must contact y.montesantos@koe.org.gr to receive the manual, username, and password needed for accessing the platform.

3. Withdrawals

Withdrawals must be submitted through the KOE platform by: Wednesday, April 15, 2026 (14:00)

4. Entry Fee

€14 per athlete

- €5 per athlete must be paid in advance via bank deposit to KOE (as per the decision of the 25th Board of Directors of KOE, dated September 18, 2025).
- The remaining €9 per athlete must be paid on-site to the meet secretariat at the venue.

Payment of the €5 fee per athlete must be deposited into one of the following KOE bank accounts:

- National Bank of Greece: IBAN: GR66 0110 0800 0000 0804 8090 172
- Eurobank: IBAN: GR82 0260 2770 0007 0020 1520 045





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- Alpha Bank: IBAN: GR15 0140 1470 1470 0232 0003 260
- Piraeus Bank: IBAN: GR91 0171 7270 0067 2716 3708 450

The deposit slip must clearly state the club name and the event title: "MINOAN OPEN".

5. Proof of Payment (KOE Platform Requirement)

By Thursday, April 16, 2026 (14:00), each club must upload the deposit slip confirming payment of the €5 fee per athlete to the: KOE platform → Entries → Financial Control

⚠ Entries without uploaded payment confirmation will not appear on the start lists, and athletes will not be allowed to compete.

Awards

- Medals will be awarded to the top three finishers of each event.
- At the conclusion of the meet, the Top Male and Top Female athletes (based on World Aquatics Points) will be named and awarded.

Medical & Safety Provision

The swim meet will operate with a licensed doctor and certified lifeguard present at all times. All required health and safety protocols for athletes and spectators will be observed.

Modifications

The organizing club, in agreement with KOE, reserves the right to modify the terms of this announcement if necessary to ensure the optimal conduct of the competition.

Contact

- Swim Club of Heraklion (KOH) Secretariat (info@koh.gr), Tel: + 30 2810 250666
- George Androurakis (giorgos@iacm.forth.gr), Tel: +30 6937 158 568





Event Program

Session 1, Saturday 18.04.2026

Warm ups: 09:00

Competition: 10:00

1. 400m IM Men
2. 400m IM Women
3. 1500m Freestyle Men
4. 1500m Freestyle Women

Session 2, Saturday 18.04.2026

Warm ups: 15:30

Competition: 17:00

1. 50m Butterfly Women
2. 50m Butterfly Men
3. 200m Freestyle Women
4. 200m Freestyle Men
5. 200m Backstroke Women
6. 200m Backstroke Men
7. 100m Breaststroke Women
8. 100m Breaststroke Men
9. 200m IM Women
10. 200m IM Men

Session 3, Sunday 19.04.2026

Warm ups: 08:00

Competition: 09:30

1. 50m Freestyle Men
2. 50m Freestyle Women
3. 100m Butterfly Men
4. 100m Butterfly Women
5. 400m Freestyle Men
6. 400m Freestyle Women
7. 100m Backstroke Men
8. 100m Backstroke Women
9. 200m Breaststroke Men
10. 200m Breaststroke Women

Session 4, Sunday 19.04.2026

Warm ups: 15:30

Competition: 17:00

1. 50m Backstroke Women
2. 50m Backstroke Men
3. 50m Breaststroke Women
4. 50m Breaststroke Men
5. 100m Freestyle Women
6. 100m Freestyle Men
7. 200m Butterfly Women
8. 200m Butterfly Men
9. 800m Freestyle Women
10. 800m Freestyle Men

