



# FRENCH OPEN 2019

## GENERAL INFORMATION

Dear Friends,

The French Swimming Federation has the great pleasure to invite you to participate in the **13<sup>th</sup> French Open** to be held on **June, Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> and Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup>**, in **Chartres**.

The venue which welcomed the 2012 Short Course EC and the 2015 & 2016 FINA World Cup will be an amazing host this year again.

This year, the French Open enters the **LEN Swimming Cup** together with Luxembourg, Stockholm and Roma.

## GENERAL INFORMATION

- Event Title:** French Swimming Open 2019
- Organization:** French Swimming Federation & LEN
- Dates:** June, Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> and Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup>, 2019
- Venue:** L'Odysée  
rue du Médecin-Général Beyne – 28000 Chartres
- Social Networks:**  Open de France de Natation  
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- Rules:** Competitions will be held under FINA rules
- Venue dimensions:** Main Pool: 50m x 25m, 10 lanes, depth 2.0m, outdoor  
Warm up Pool: 50m x 25m, 10 lanes, indoor  
Spectator Seating: 1 500
- Doping control:** Doping controls will be carried out

## SCHEDULE

### Saturday, June 15<sup>th</sup>

Arrival of the first swimmers  
17h00-20h00: Training

### Sunday, June 16<sup>th</sup>

08h00 - 10h00: Training  
16h00 - 20h00: Training

### Monday, June 17<sup>th</sup>

Arrival of last swimmers  
08h00 - 12h30: Training  
15h30 - 21h00: Training  
18h30: Technical meeting

### Tuesday, June 18<sup>th</sup>

09h00 Heats Day 1  
16h00 B Finals Day 1  
16h45 A Finals Day 1

### Wednesday, June 19<sup>th</sup>

09h00 Heats Day 2  
15h30 B Finals Day 2  
16h15 A Finals Day 2

## EVENTS

16 women's events, 16 men's events (total 32 events) swum in 8 lanes

**Freestyle:** 50m, 100m, 200m, 400m, 800m W and 1500m M

**Backstroke:** 50m, 100m and 200m

**Breaststroke:** 50m, 100m and 200m

**Butterfly:** 50m, 100m and 200m

**Individual Medley:** 200m and 400m

**Competition Format:** Heats in the morning  
A and B finals in the afternoon  
All events will be held using 8 lanes

### B Finals:

- B Finals will be held for all races but 800m, 1500m swum as slow heats/fast heat; 400m free and 400m IM with only an A Final.
- There will be a B Final only if 16 swimmers swam during the heats.
- All B Finals will be organised together before the A Finals.

## COMPETITION PROGRAMME

### Tuesday, June 18<sup>th</sup>

1500m Free M<sup>1</sup>  
50m Butterfly W  
200m Free M  
50m Breast W  
100m Breast M  
400m IM W<sup>2</sup>  
100m Butterfly M  
100m Back W  
50 m Back M  
200m Butterfly W  
200m IM M  
400m Free W<sup>2</sup>  
50m Free M  
200m Breast W  
200m Back M  
100m Free W

### Wednesday, June 19<sup>th</sup>

800m Free W<sup>1</sup>  
50m Butterfly M  
200m Free W  
50m Breast M  
100m Breast W  
400m IM M<sup>2</sup>  
100m Butterfly W  
100m Back M  
50 m Back W  
200m Butterfly M  
200m IM W  
400m Free M<sup>2</sup>  
50m Free W  
200m Breast M  
200m Back W  
100m Free M

<sup>1</sup>: Slow heats (2) / Fast heat

<sup>2</sup>: Only A Final

## QUALIFYING TIMES

Foreign swimmers who have achieved the time limits as per the table below within the date of 9 June 2019 can enter the meet.

Women	Event	Men
26.81	50m Freestyle	23.67
58.38	100m Freestyle	51.84
2.06.76	200m Freestyle	1.53.70
4.26.04	400m Freestyle	3.59.96
9.05.42	800m Freestyle	-
-	1500m Freestyle	15.54.30
30.48	50m Backstroke	27.02
1.06.14	100m Backstroke	58.63
2.22.33	200m Backstroke	2.06.78
33.80	50m Breaststroke	29.58
1.14.69	100m Breaststroke	1.05.77
2.40.69	200m Breaststroke	2.23.51
28.39	50m Butterfly	25.11
1.03.79	100m Butterfly	55.80
2.22.30	200m Butterfly	2.06.77
2.24.52	200m IM	2.08.99
5.04.97	400m IM	4.35.14

Entries for 800m and 1500m freestyle events is allowed to the 24 best male and female times in each distance.

## INDIVIDUAL GRANTS

	ACHIEVEMENTS	FEE	BENEFITS
<b>GOLD</b>	2016 Olympic Champion (ind.) 2017 World Champion LC (ind.)	1 000 €	Transportation (up to 500 €) Accommodation (up to 4 nights)
<b>SILVER</b>	2016 Olympic medallist (ind.) 2017 World medallist LC (ind.) 2018 European Champion LC (ind.) World Record Holder (LC)	300 €	Transportation (up to 500 €) Accommodation (up to 4 nights)
<b>BRONZE</b>	2018 European medallist LC (ind.) 2016 Olympic medallist (rel.) European Record holder (LC) 2015 World Champion LC (ind.) 2008-12 Olympic Champion (ind.)	-	Transportation (up to 250 €) Accommodation (up to 4 nights)
<b>COACHES</b>	1 coach up to 4 Gold & Silver swimmers 2 coaches for 5+ Gold & Silver swimmers	-	Transportation (up to 250 €) Accommodation (up to 4 nights)
	1 coach up to 4 Bronze swimmers 2 coaches for 5+ Bronze swimmers	-	Accommodation (up to 4 nights)

## PRIZE MONEY

**A TOTAL PRIZE MONEY OF 50 000 €  
WILL BE AWARDED TO THE BEST SWIMMERS**

### Prize Money for Medalists

For each 32 individual events, the prize money shall be distributed as follow

**1<sup>st</sup>:** 250 euros      **2<sup>nd</sup>:** 150 euros      **3<sup>rd</sup>:** 100 euros

### Prize Money for *Most Valuable Swimmers*

The French Open 2019 will reward the 16 Most Valuable Swimmers (8 males and 8 females) according to a ranking established with the FINA Table "Long Course 2019".

<b>1<sup>st</sup>:</b>	5 000 euros	<b>5<sup>th</sup>:</b>	1 200 euros
<b>2<sup>nd</sup>:</b>	4 000 euros	<b>6<sup>th</sup>:</b>	800 euros
<b>3<sup>rd</sup>:</b>	3 000 euros	<b>7<sup>th</sup>:</b>	600 euros
<b>4<sup>th</sup>:</b>	2 000 euros	<b>8<sup>th</sup>:</b>	400 euros

- *If a swimmer is ranked more than once within the Top 8, only his/her best swim will be considered.*
- *In case of tie, the swimmers will share the prizes (e.g.: two third places, 4 000 € + 3 000 € = 7 000 €, means 3 500 € per swimmer).*
- *The performances taken into account for the attribution of the prize money are those realized during the most important race of the event (finals or the best heat in case there would be no final).*

### Additional Prizes

<b>New French Open Record:</b>	<b>1 000 €</b>
New World Record:	10 000 €
New European Record:	5 000 €

- *Prize for World and/or European record will be rewarded to the final record holder, at the end of the event. A European swimmer cannot cumulate prizes for the same swim.*
- *World/European Records broken at any stage of the competition will be taken into account for the grant of prizes, at the only condition that that swimmer takes part into the finals of the races.*
- *Event Record (aka French Open Record) can be broke only during the most important race of the event (finals or the best heat in case there would be no final).*

## ACCOMMODATION

### Welcome to the 13<sup>th</sup> French Swimming Open!

The Organizing Committee set up *Accommodation offers* which include a large choice of hotels in Chartres from 2 to 4 stars on a full board basis.

#### Official Hotels

	Single Room	½ Twin Room
Novotel (4*)	225 €	165 €
Kyriad (3*)	180 €	130 €
Campanile (3*)	180 €	135 €
Ibis (3*)	185 €	140 €
Petit Dej' (2*) (with catering 4* at Novotel)	150 €	125 €

NB: Prices are intended per person and per day in full board

See more details on “Accommodation Form”

#### Booking Conditions

To secure your offer, please send the preliminary booking form back in the best delays. The deadline to finalize the booking and forward your Final Accommodation Booking Form will be on **Sunday, May 5<sup>th</sup> 2019**.

The reservation will be confirmed officially only after the reception of the final order form signed, stamped AND the payment of **a deposit corresponding to 50% of the total amount**.

#### Payment

The payment can be done by bank transfer on the following account references:

To **Horizons Natation**

Bank Agency: CIC – Paris Jaures

IBAN: **FR76 3006 6107 8100 0203 8330 210**

BIC/SWIFT code: **CMCIFRPP**

Please specify your invoice number on your bank transfer

#### Cancellation

You have the possibility to modify your offer until Sunday, May 5<sup>th</sup> without any penalties.

As from May 6<sup>th</sup> till May 26<sup>th</sup>, 50% of the cancellation will be due.

After May 26<sup>th</sup>, 100% of the rooms will be due.



## TRANSPORT

The Organizing Committee is taking care of the Local Transportation. It includes ground transfers from official airport or train station and competition shuttles.

**Transfers:** a warm and professional welcome will be organized at the official airports in Paris and/or at the train station in Chartres, on your arrival and for your departure.

**Shuttles:** Shuttles will be organized to drive you from your hotels toward the pool every day, from Sunday 16<sup>th</sup> till Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup>.

### OFFICIAL AIRPORT

1 hour away from Chartres, the International Paris Airports (**Paris Orly & Paris Charles-de-Gaulle**) will be the official airports of the competition.

Please note that **Paris Orly is much closer** from Chartres than Paris CDG.

Too far from the venue, Ryanair-airport Paris-Beauvais is **NOT** an official airport.

### CHARTRES TRAIN STATION

You can also reach Chartres by train from Paris Montparnasse train station from a one hour journey over 30 times a day.

## DATES TO NOTE

<b>Preliminary Entry Form</b>	Sunday 14 <sup>th</sup> April 2019
<b>Preliminary Accommodation Form</b>	Sunday 14 <sup>th</sup> April 2019
<b>Final Booking Form &amp; 50% deposit payment</b>	Sunday 5 <sup>th</sup> May 2019
<b>Travel Form</b>	Sunday 12 <sup>th</sup> May 2019
<b>Final Entry Form (online)</b>	Friday 31 <sup>st</sup> May 2019

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