



SwimRutland Tower Swim 2023 Cancellation & Adverse conditions policy.

Covid-19

If the event is cancelled due to covid-19 each entrant will be automatically transferred into the following years event.

We will go ahead with the event as long as the law, local authorities and land owners allow us to do so. In the interest of safety, we reserve the right to cancel without notice or consent. There will be no refunds in the event of a Covid-19 cancellation.

Event safety being compromised.

SwimRutland TowerSwim takes place on a spectacular course. This also means it's exposed and heavily influenced by things such as, but not limited to, the weather and water quality. When signing up to participate in SwimRutland Tower Swim you are accepting that many things are out of the organisers hands. You acknowledge that changes to the event may need to take place in the interest of group safety. Individual competence cannot be considered in mass participation events as collective safety is key.

Please Note:

Outlined within is what we will likely do in the event of a situation leading to safety being compromised.

(weather or water quality being the most likely cause of changes, but the following policy applies to all manner of issues we may encounter)

Alternative opportunities may arise on the day of the event. We have outlined the likely solutions, but will consider any number of options.

SwimRutland reserve the right to make changes in the interest of participant safety without consultation.

Acknowledging the nature of the venue where we swim, we want to be clear with everyone about the likely changes they'll encounter should we experience unacceptable conditions.

Sheltered Swim

If the main course is simply too dangerous to allow a mass participation swim event to go ahead. We may be able to offer you a Swim in the more sheltered area of Whitwell creek.

We will have set up a 1km looped course leaving from the shoreline adjacent to the Rutland Belle. You can swim as many loops as you like within the time limit. It is your responsibility to count loops, although you will need to exit each lap so that we can record each lap.

In the event of SwimRutland TowerSwim switching to a sheltered swim course in Whitwell creek we will offer a partial refund to each swimmer choosing to swim on our new course.. Either as a credit to be used against next years event. Or as a cash refund directly to the account used to purchase the entry.

The partial refund amount will be your entry fee minus £10 for the new swim.

You are under no obligation to accept this option. We just want to offer the chance to swim rather than completely wasting everyone's journey. A transfer into SwimRutland TowerSwim 2024 will be given to those choosing not to take part.

You must have turned up and registered to claim your transfer.

We will not process requests from people who did not turn up to the event.

Full Cancellation

If the only option is to completely cancel the event, we will offer a transfer into SwimRutland TowerSwim 2024 or a credit to be used against any of our other events.