

Competitions	2010 Junior Pan Pacific Open Water Championships, Hawaii, 31 August, 2010
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Selection Events	1. Australian Open Water Championships, Melbourne – 21-22 February 2010.
Eligibility	<p>To be considered for selection, a swimmer must meet all of the following eligibility criteria:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. A New Zealand citizen who is eligible to represent New Zealand in the competition as per FINA General Rule 2 (GR2) 2. A registered member of Swimming New Zealand in good standing 3. Have signed a Swimming New Zealand Athlete Agreement 4. Be available to fulfill the Team Commitments as listed below 5. Be 18 or under on 31 August 2010.
Team Commitments	<p>All swimmers must:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Comply with the provisions of their Swimming New Zealand Athletes Agreement at all times 2. Conform to Swimming New Zealand requirements regarding team preparation 3. Make themselves available for all team activities designated by the General Manager – Performance & Pathways and SNZ Open Water Manager.
Performance Requirement	<p>Criteria for selection:</p> <p>To be selected for Junior Pan Pacific Open Water Championships swimmers will:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Compete at the NZ Open Water Championships, Taupo, 16-17 January, 2010, unless granted an exemption under the provisions of these criteria.

	<p>2. Finish in the top four (4) in the 18 and under category at the selection event in the 10km event, in order to automatically qualify for the SNZ team to the Junior Pan Pacific Open Water Championships.</p> <p>Non Olympic Distance</p> <p>1. Swimmers who have been selected to the SNZ team to attend the Junior Pan Pacific Open Water Championships, will automatically qualify for the Non Olympic distance events in that event.</p>
<p>Team Size</p>	<p>Team size for individual events will be in accordance with the FINA rules. If the number of athletes meeting the performance criteria exceeds the FINA limit, the highest ranked swimmers who satisfy the selection criteria will be selected.</p>
<p>Notes</p>	<p>1. Swimming New Zealand may amend these selection criteria at any time in its sole discretion by giving adequate notice to those swimmers who meet the eligibility criteria.</p>
<p>Approved / Designation / Date</p>	<p>September 17, 2009</p>