

**March 18, 2020-11:45am local time**

Swim Nova Scotia continues to work closely with Swimming Canada and follow the Federal Government and the Province of Nova Scotia mandates regarding the Coronavirus (COVID-19) pandemic.

Swimming Canada **has cancelled all sanctioned competitions effective March 16-April 30, 2020.** *The SNC moratorium on sanctioned competitions has been extended until at least April 30 after initially being announced last week as April 20.* Please see the official memo from Swimming Canada (attached) and on their [webpage](#), that contains updates.

Upcoming sanctioned competitions that are now officially cancelled:

- Head to Head Clinics (Wolfville, Halifax, Truro)- March 21
- Halifax Chronos Masters Long Course Meet (Centennial Pool)- March 21
- AAA Long Course #3 (Dalplex Pool)- March 28
- AA Short Course #2 (Kiwanis Pool, Cape Breton)- March 28-29
- 2020 Olympic Trials (Toronto, ON)- March 30-April 5
- 2020 Eastern Canadian Championships (Windsor, ON)- April 16-19
- Nova Tech #5 North (Port Hawkesbury)- April 18
- Nova Tech #5 Central (Halifax)- April 18
- Nova Tech #5 South (Wolfville)- April 18
- **NS Masters Provincial Championships- April 25**

Further updates on the status of Swim-a-thon will be shared next week.

Swim Nova Scotia has suspended **all Club Activities effective Monday March 16<sup>th</sup> – April 6<sup>th</sup>** (date subject to change). Under the guidance from the Nova Scotia Chief Medical Officer, Governments of Nova Scotia and Canada, we will continue to monitor the situation daily and advise on this status as new information becomes available.

All members are reminded to follow the advice of Nova Scotia's Chief Medical Officer and all Government Officials. Additional details and up to date information can be found on the Nova Scotia Provincial Government [webpage](#)

Additional resources from the Public Health Agency of Canada: [webpage](#)

Swim Nova Scotia would like to thank the swimming community for your ongoing patience and cooperation. The health and well-being of our swimming community continues to be our top priority.