



Policy: Uniforms

The Lightning Swim Club (LSC) has a uniform policy to enhance club pride, inclusion and team spirit. It creates a sense of belonging and ensures members stand out of the crowd and positively represent the club when participating in events. All swimmers who join Lightning Swim Club will receive the below as part of the initial membership pack:

- Membership t-shirt
- Swimming Cap

All competitive members are expected to wear their club supplied membership t-shirt and LSC swimming cap to all club events and meets within the SNQ region.

State Uniform

All members who qualify and attend any state level meet (sprints, short course or long course) will receive one state t-shirt and one state swimming cap for the season, supplied by the club at no cost to the swimmer. The state t-shirt and state swimming cap will be a contrasting colour scheme, different to the standard navy blue design, as approved by the committee. If the swimmer has a faulty t-shirt or swimming cap, they will be entitled to a replacement item during the season. Additional state apparel such as polo shirts and custom swim caps are optional and will be at the swimmers' expense. Members who qualify for a state meet but do not attend, may purchase a shirt at their own expense.

National Uniform

All members who qualify and attend a national level meet will receive one national t-shirt and one national swimming cap for the season, supplied by the club at no additional cost to the swimmer. The national t-shirt and national swimming cap design will be distinctly different to the standard navy blue design, as approved by the committee. If the swimmer has a faulty t-shirt or swimming cap they will be entitled to a replacement item during the season. Additional national apparel such as polo shirts and custom swim caps are optional and will be at the swimmers' expense. Members who qualify for a national meet but do not attend, may purchase a shirt at their own expense.

General Apparel

Additional items such as polo shirts, training singlets, hoodies, hats, towels and custom swim caps are available to purchase through the club Uniform & Merchandise Coordinator. Prices are subject to supply of each order and will vary depending on order quantities. All additional merchandise is optional, and payment made prior to order. Orders will be made at the discretion of the Uniforms & Merchandise Coordinator.

Administration

Approval Details

Policy Owner	Uniform & Merchandise Coordinator
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