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FROM: Chief Executive Officer

TO: SSA Affiliate
Presidents SSA
Affiliate Secretaries

CC: SSA Executive
Committee SSA
Committee Convenors

RE: **SQUAD ANNOUNCEMENT – Pan Pacific Championships – Swimming Championships, Irvine, California USA Swimming 12th – 15th August 2026**

Herewith the list of swimmers who have qualified to participate at the 2026 Pan Pacific Championships for Swimming events as per the published criteria.

WOMEN

Caitlin de Lange	AG	100Fr	50Fr	50Fly	
Catherine van Rensburg	AG	1500Fr	400IM	800Fr	
Georgia Nel	AG	200Fr			
Grace Morris	WC	200Ba			
Hannah Pearce	AG	200Ba			
Hannah Robertson	AG	200Fr	400Fr		
Jaime Mote	EC	100Fly			
Jessica Thompson	AG	50Ba	100Fr	50Fr	50Fly
Lara van Niekerk	AG	50Br			
Leigh McMorran	AG	100Fly	200Fly		
Michaela de Villiers	WC	100Ba	50Ba	50Fr	
Milla Drakopoulos	KZN	100Ba	200Ba		
Morgan Cope	WC	50Br			
Rebecca Meder	KZN	100Br	200IM	200Br	
Stephanie Houtman	AG	1500Fr	800Fr	400Fr	

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MEN

Adrian van Wyk	AG	200Fr	800Fr	400Fr	
Armand Landmann	AG	50Ba	50Fr		
Arno Kruger	AG	400Fr			
Calvyn Justus	AG	50Fr	50Fly		
Cameron Casali	AG	400IM			
Chad le Clos	WC	100Fly	50Fr	50Fly	
Helgaard Muller	AG	100Ba	200Ba		
Jarden Eaton	AG	100Fly	200Fly	50Fly	
Juan Boshoff	AG	200IM	400IM	200Fly	200Ba
Kris Mihaylov	AG	200Fr	100Fr	200Fly	
Matthew Caldwell	AG	200Fr	1500Fr	800Fr	400Fr
Michael Houlie	WC	100Br	50Br		
Petrus Truter	WC	100Br	200IM	50Br	
Righardt Muller	WC	400Fr			
Shaun Thomas	AG	200Br			
Tai Pearson	WC	100Fly	50Fly		
Zaine Niemand	AG	200Br			

- Based on the number of Intention to Compete received, SSA will appoint Team Staff. The cost of the team staff will be covered by the squad members participating.
- The Intention to Compete must be received by the 15th May 2026.
- Athletes will be responsible for all costs associated with participation:
 - Visa application – before accepting ensure that you have, or will be able to obtain a valid USA visa before departure.
 - Staff Costs
 - All flights
 - Accommodation – the OC will provide accommodation, single per person per night +/- R3400.00, (bed and breakfast), lunch and dinner additional. Two per sharing will be +/- R17000.00 (bed and breakfast).

Squad participation is subject to:

- All team members and staff registered with SSA for the 2026 / 2027 season.
- This is the responsibility of the Team Member as well as the SSA Affiliate
- All Team Members must be in good standing with SSA.

Complete the attached documents and return them by 15th May 2026

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- JPEG or PDF colour copy of your valid passport (valid until March 2027)
- JPEG colour digital Photo (High Resolution), plain white background – do not scan or photograph a photograph, this is not a digital photo
- Intention to Compete Form
- Completed BioData
- Complete and Sign the Athlete Agreement
- Unabridged Birth Certificate for u/18

- All team members must forward a valid Adel certificate.
<https://adel.wada-ama.org/learn/signin>
- For Athletes, please complete the following certificate: eLearning Anti-Doping Education Course “[International-Level Athletes Education Program](#)”.
- For Team officials: Coach, Head Coach, Chef de Mission, Team Leader, or Support Staff, please complete the following certificate: eLearning Anti-Doping Education course “[Coaches of High Performance Education Program](#)”.

Yours sincerely,



Shaun Adriaanse

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