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28 October 2026

FROM: SSA Management Committee

TO: SSA Affiliate Presidents
SSA Affiliate Secretaries

CC: SSA Executive Committee
SSA Committee Convenors

RE: **TEAM ANNOUNCEMENT – World Aquatics (25m) Swimming Championships - Beijing, China 01 – 06 December 2026**

Herewith the Swimming Team selected to participate at the World Aquatics Swimming Championships (25), China; Beijing 01 – 06 December 2026.

On behalf of the SSA Executive Committee, we wish to congratulate all the team members selected and wish them well for the event.

Team List

Name & Surname	Province	Event
Duné Coetzee	KZN	200 free/ 400 free/ 800 free/ 4x100 free/ 4x200 free
Erin Gallagher	AG	50 free/ 50 fly/ 100 fly/ 4x100 free/ 4x200 free
Georgia Nel	AG	100 IM/ 200 IM / 4x100 free/ 4x200 free
Grace Morris	WC	200 back/ 4x100 free/ 4x200 free
Jaime Mote	EC	200 fly / 4 x 200 free
Kaylene Corbett	AG	200 breast
Lara van Niekerk	AG	50 breast
Olivia Nel	AG	100 free/ 50 back/ 100 back/ 4 x 100 free
Sofia French	AG	400 IM/ 4x100 free/ 4x200 free
Stephanie Houtman	AG	1500 free

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Tatjana Smith	WC	50 breast/ 100 breast/ 200 breast
Armand Landman	AG	50 free/ 4x100 free
Chad le Clos	WC	100 fly/ 4x100 free
Chris Smith	AG	50 breast
Guy Brooks	KZN	200 free/ 4x100 free
Jarden Eaton	AG	50 fly subject to WA Database
Matthew Caldwell	AG	400 free/ 800 free/ 1500 free/ 4 x 100 free
Michael Houlie	WC	50 breast/ 100 breast
Pieter Coetzé	AG	50 back/ 100 back/ 200 back/ 100 IM/ 4x100 free
Shaun Thomas	AG	200 breast
Kaydn Naidoo	KZN	4x100 free

TEAM STAFF

Name	**Surname**	**Affiliate**	**Designation**
Chanelle	Van Wyk	WC	Team Manager
Keenan	Riffel	AG	Coach
Karin	Hugo	WC	Coach
Kayleigh	Brien		Physiotherapist

Selection is subject to:

- All Team Members must be in good standing with SSA
- Completed and Signed Athlete Agreement

Complete the attached documents and return them by the 1st November 2026

- Acceptance Form
- Completed Bio Data
- Completed and Signed Athlete Agreement

Additional Doumentation Required

- Copy of a valid passport – valid until end of June 2027
- Unabridged Birth Certificate for u/18
- JPEG or PDF colour copy of your valid passport (valid until June 2027)
- JPEG colour digital Photo (High Resolution), plain white background – do not scan or photograph a photograph, this is not a digital photo

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