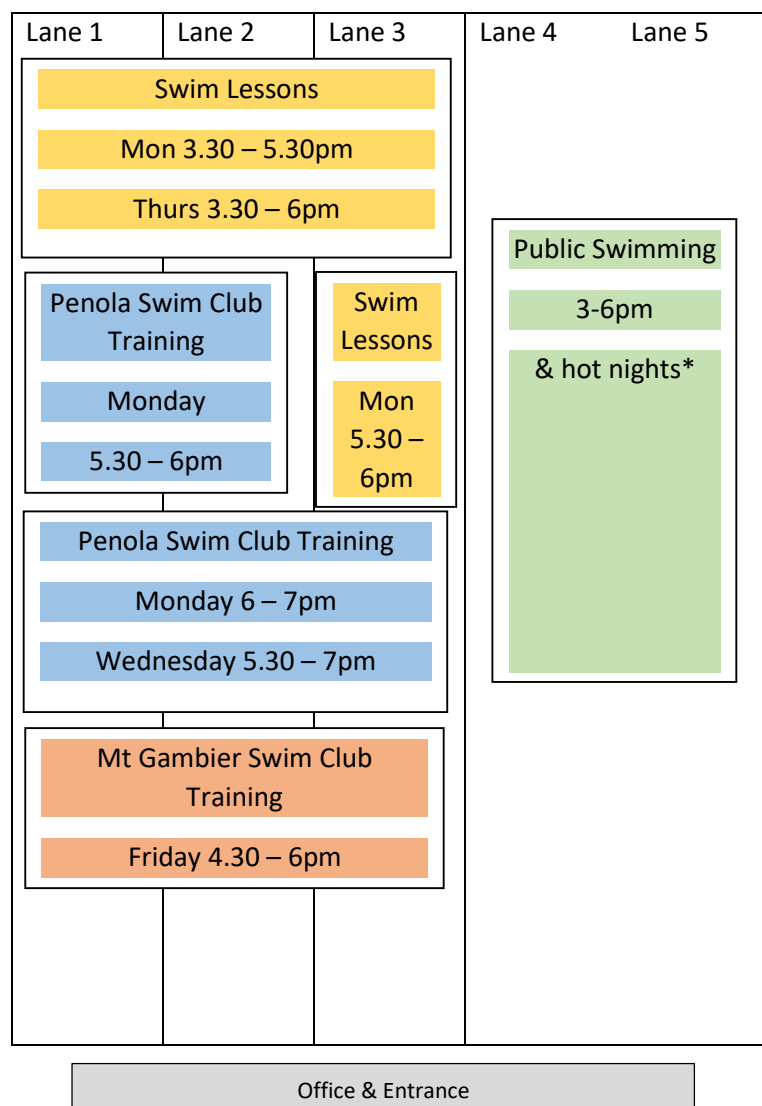


# Shared Use of Penola Pool and Public Swimming Policy 2021-22



## Public Opening Times

Except Mondays 5.30 – 6pm, Swim Clubs have 3 dedicated lanes (closest to Portland Street) unless:

- Swim Clubs have more than 15 swimmers training at the time; **AND**
- There are less than 10 public swimmers

Only then can Swim Clubs have 4 dedicated lanes.

**At least 1 lane will be reserved for public swimmers until the Council Lifeguard closes the pool and goes off duty.**

## Lane Ropes

See weekly guide in lifeguard office

## Hot Nights

Extended public opening hours may apply when the temperature is over 30 degrees. On these nights, the pool will be open until 8.30 pm or until the last patron leaves, whichever comes first.

## Responsibilities

The **Council Lifeguard** will monitor public behaviour to ensure that there is minimal splash and interference to training. The lifeguard will place the signs for public swimming, lessons and training.

**Public swimmers** will enjoy the pool in a safe manner that has minimal impact on training or lessons.

**Swim Club members** will respect the rights of the public and lessons to use the pool, especially on hot nights.

**Swim Clubs** will provide supervision for their training, members and families.

*Public lap swimming may be arranged during this time on request to the lifeguard, dependant on patron numbers.*