Swimming Carnival

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1. How long is the Welcome?
2. How long is the break for lunch?
3. How much time is given to the backstroke heats?
4. How much longer are the heats than the finals?
5. How long will the novelty races go for?
6. Jake has an appointment and so will arrive at the pool at 12:45. What event should be taking place when he arrives?
7. If the breaststroke heats were just beginning at 10:42, how many minutes behind schedule would they be?
8. Emily’s mum wants to watch her daughter compete in the freestyle finals race. She knows it is a 25 drive from home. What time should Emily’s mum leave home to arrive on time?

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Swimming Carnival Answers

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1. How long is the Welcome?
   20 minutes

2. How long is the break for lunch?
   35 minutes

3. How much time is given to the backstroke heats?
   35 minutes

4. How much longer are the heats than the finals?
   The heats are longer by 1 hour

5. How long will the novelty races go for?
   45 minutes

6. Jake has an appointment and so will arrive at the pool at 12:45. What event should be taking place when he arrives?
   Breaststroke finals

7. If the backstroke heats were just beginning at 10:42, how many minutes behind schedule would they be?
   17 minutes

8. Emily’s mum wants to watch her daughter compete in the freestyle finals race. She knows it is a 25 drive from home. What time should Emily’s mum leave home to arrive on time?
   11:45am

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Answers will vary.