



NEWSLETTER MARCH 2010

EASTER CLOSING

There will be no sessions on Good Friday, Easter Sunday or Easter Monday as the leisure centre is closed. There will be normal training on Saturday 3rd April. The Club would like to wish you all a Happy Easter.

Sponsored Swim

It was great to see so many swimmers taking part in the recent sponsored swim. There were some excellent achievements. We are still collecting monies so could you please pass the money to a member of committee as soon as possible or leave in the green box beside noticeboard. A huge thank you to everyone. We will hopefully let you know how much we have raised in the next newsletter.

TESCO VOUCHERS

We have registered to collect the current Tesco Vouchers. If you would like to donate your vouchers to the Swimming Club please either give them to a member of the committee or put them in the green box next to noticeboard.

SILVER AND BRONZE AWARDS

Congratulations to the following swimmers who have recently completed their silver award:

Kieron Butt, Katherine Cridland, Tom Hagley, Libby Morton and Ryan Allington

Also congratulations to the following swimmers who have recently completed their bronze award:

Ellie Ford, Harry Gunn, Henry Lunn, Chloe Manning, Kayleigh Phillips

FRIDAY NIGHT – LEARN TO SWIM

Congratulations to all Friday Night swimmers who achieved their stage certificates. As there are so many of you, they are attached to the back of the newsletter. Apologies if we have missed anyone off the list. Good luck to the swimmers who have now moved up to Wednesday Badge Nights.

Competition News

Avalon - Millfield April 10th/11th

All of those competing please check the notice board for warm up times. A list of entries are also posted up, please check

Team Managers will be needed for session 1 and session 4, if you are able to help please inform Tracy or Andy

Good luck to all racing

Taunton Deane Level 1 – Millfield April 17th/18th

A list of entries and warm up times (change to pm warm up, please check) are posted up.

Good luck to all racing

Mini League

Barnstaple – Saturday 17th April. Please keep an eye on the notice board for a team list.

Devon Developments

26/27th June at Tiverton

3rd/4th July at Exeter Pyramids

Tivvy Swimmers swim 66 miles to raise money for their club

Tiverton Swimming Club members took part in a sponsored swim on Sunday 14th March 2010 at Exe Valley Leisure Centre to raise much needed funds for the club.

Forty three swimmers swam over 66 miles between them over three hours. One of the younger swimmers, Ellie Somerwill, aged five years, swam an amazing 26 lengths (650metres) having just aimed to achieve one length. Senior swimmer, Callum Stoneman, aged 13 years, swam 10km (6.21 miles) in 2hrs 30mins.

Sixteen year old Jack Wakefield swam two miles using the butterfly stroke which tested his strength and stamina.

Other members of the club who swam for two hours included Finn Stoneman, aged seven years and Tiegan Sime aged eight years who both swam 2 miles and nine year old Gemma Owen swam 2.5 miles. Ten year old Sophie Whittle swam 3 miles in 1hr 45 and Jake Stoneman also aged 10 years swam 5 miles in three hours.

Chair, Lynne Callahan, said “It was an excellent turn out of both swimmers and their families who came to watch and support the swimmers. Every one of the 43 swimmers who took part exceeded the distances they expected to swim which is testament to the excellent training and coaching provided at the club. The money raised will enable the club to continue to offer affordable quality swimming coaching for competition and fitness, to all ages and abilities for people in the local community.”

FRIDAY NIGHT ACHIEVEMENTS

Working towards Stage Four

Working towards Stage Five

Stage 1

Sena Pektemiz
Harvey Short

Working towards Stage One

Isabella Hart
Bertie Lake

Stage Two

Jacob Clements
Freddy Davey
Henry Perry
Charlie White

Working towards Stage Two

Harriet Ayre
Harrison Hill
Aiden Hudd
Peter Gunn
Rudi O'Leary
Geena Pearce
Lily Woodward

Working towards Stage Three

Emma Bennet
Louie Bond
Charlie Burrough
Alanah Chaplin
James Cox
Hannah Gunn
Dillon Harris
Grace Howard
Annabelle Kinsella
Lucy Martin

Chloe Muggeridge
Edward Perry
Isla Raines
Liberty Saunders
Ellie Somerwill
Freddie Stockley
Georgina Stockley
Betsy-May White
Rachael Wilcox

Stage Four

Ben Broomfield
Solomon Clements
Regan Damerel
Frances Hunt
Josie Somerwill

Adam Clarke
Freya Duffy
Chloe Gulliver

Erin Hammacott
Lauren Hudd
George Lake
Samuel Leathes
Zola Meadows
Layla Norman
Kaan Pektemiz
Tyler Pike
Isaac Rowe
Silas Rowe
Emily Trump
Toby Warren

Waterskills 4

Sophie Fallon
Libby Gollop
Jake Hammacott
Robert Jones
Megan Newberry
Millie Tucker

Henry White

Working towards Waterskills 4

Cealie Aitchison
Gemini Brooke
Sophie Cox
Fian Hawkins-Fernandez
Freddie Howard
Chloe Knapton
Marcus Simmons
Alexandra Stockley

Archie Swales
Rebecca Taylor
Kelsey Webber

Stage Five

Joseph Andrew
Hayley Barnett
Noah Buckley
Jack Hooper
Joseph Pike

Aaron Ayre
Oliver Bennett
Megan Davies

Sophie Ford
Georgia Hill
Benjamin Leathes
Molly McArdle

Stage Six

Joshi Brooke
Isaac Daniels
Henry Hunt
Lucy Revolta
James Webber
Annie-Rose White

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Working towards Stage Six

Ewan Kinsella
Reis Pektemiz
Rebecca Tapp
Anais Wilson

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who has been left off the
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