



Tiverton Swimming Club

Presidents report 2018

The last year has seen a tremendous move forward for the club both in the pool and out. The club is in great shape at the moment and this is down to the army of coaches, teachers, committee members, volunteers and helpers that we are able to call upon. On behalf of the club my sincere thanks goes to each and every one of them.

My children have grown up and have long since left the sport but I feel I have a special 'family' at the club and it gives me great satisfaction in seeing the youngsters growing up into great adults and to see that many are now using their spare time and skills in helping younger swimmers develop their swimming. This is a great testament to the club which not only teaches the technical aspects of swimming but also the skills required to succeed in life. Unfortunately society and the media do not seem to acknowledge these young adults and give them the credit they deserve and tend to focus on the negatives. I want to use this opportunity to try and put that right, well done and thank you.

As an official it has also given me great satisfaction to see a number of parents take the technical courses in both Timekeeping and Judge 1 qualification, this gives us a great base to offer swimmers a quality experience when they race at Tiverton. These new officials add to the excellent base that we already have at the club.

We have received a massive donation last year from Tesco and I thank everyone who supported the appeal. This money is being used to install new starting blocks at the pool and are on their way to us.

Once again the clubs continued success does not come without your help and I again thank you.

Wishing you all every success for the coming year.

Terry Fullick

President