

NEWS SPLASH!



Welcome to the Havant & Waterlooville
Swimming Club Newsletter FEBRUARY 2011



The 2010 Club Championships brought 3 days of excellent racing in January.

A very big thank you to everybody who helped make this big annual event such a success. Every little bit of help counts—and it was very encouraging to see enthusiastic new faces taking on some of the jobs!

The results are now available on the club website for all to view and the ASA have uploaded these onto their rankings site.

Our swimmers did not let themselves or the spectators down, and gave a most impressive, often nailbiting, clockwatching, performance.

Again, existing Club Records have been smashed by new swimmers! See opposite for the latest records and take a few minutes to check out the Results Page on our Website.

There was lots of excitement over the 3 days as 100's of new PB's were recorded by eager parents. Many swimmers achieved their desired County qualifying times, some with full BAGCATs - both Rory and Ella to name just two.

Not only that, several Regional qualifying times (for the age group champs) were achieved by

Katie Byrne 100m front 1.10.90

Oliver Jermy 100m front, 200m front, 400m front, 200m breast, 100m back, 200m back, 200m IM

CONGRATULATIONS

to every swimmer for their individual achievements. You are all stars and we hope you all enjoyed your championship experience and that you will encourage others to swim in future galas.



Ella Francis 10 year old

100m breast	1.37.98
50m fly	37.49
100m fly	1.32.02



Rory Huggins 11 year old

50m front	30.98
200m front	2.27.12
100m IM	1.20.08



Owen Davies 11 year old

100m back	1.20.57
200m back	2.45.69



Emily Gaizley 12 year old

200m breast	3.00.74
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Oliver Jermy 13 year old

200m front	2.01.98
400m front	4.12.90
50m breast	36.50
200 breast	2.48.30
200 back	2.11.30
100 IM	1.06.37



Our Mission

"As a competitive swimming club, our aim is for all our swimmers to participate in and enjoy the sport of swimming. Whatever your ability, we will provide the opportunities throughout the year for you to train and compete, both as an individual and as part of a successful swimming team"

Scenes from....





All we need to do now is **CELEBRATE!!!**

Club Championships Presentation & Party Evening

Come and celebrate with us the success of the 2010

Club Championships at the Annual Club Presentation & Party evening on Saturday 20th February at Cowplain Activity Centre.

Presentations of all medals, certificates and trophies commence at 7.30pm (doors open at 7pm). Bring the family—come and celebrate in style.

Buffet food and a very reasonably priced bar available with disco to follow the presentation.



The Worshipful the Mayor of Havant will be in attendance at this fun annual event and has promised to help with the presentations.

**FABULOUS
FEBRUARY
BIRTHDAYS**

Joe Baker
Adela Barrett
Savannah Beauchamp
Tom Bonnett
Rachel Boylin
Owen Davies
Emily Gaizley
MaxHewett
James Outen
Charlie Parker
Luke Pullen
Madeline Smith
Benjamin Sturt
Bryony Thompson
Jack Till
Sam Tweedle

Tickets are available from the Club Desk on Saturday afternoons or ask any committee members. £3.50 single ticket or £12 family ticket.

**HAPPY
BIRTHDAY**
to the following swimmers who celebrate their birthdays in February

Valentine's Day

Got that special someone? send them a valentines card

Monday 14 Feb



UNWANTED GIFTS

We would love to have your unwanted gifts to help raise funds for the club! Please bring them in and pass to any committee member. As long as they are unused, in original packaging or unopened bottles we will use them for our Raffles Prizes. Thank you!



THANK YOU

A big thank you to all members who have recently renewed their membership and ASA fees in a timely fashion. This makes the life of a committee member so much easier, so thank you all!

However, it is still not too late to renew— please come along to the Club Desk on Saturday.



CLUB CAPTAINS

To be announced at the Presentation evening

The votes have been counted and the results are in!



The Club Captains will be announced at the forthcoming Presentation evening, when each Club Captain and Vice Captain will

receive their special captain kit, to wear when they are representing the club and the team at events and galas in the future.



**NEWS
FLASH!**

FORTHCOMING EVENTS AND RACE SCHEDULE FOR 2011/12

IS NOW AVAILABLE ON THE CLUB WEBSITE
(HandWSC under 'calendar')

A COPY OF THIS SCHEDULE IS ALSO ON THE
NOTICEBOARD AT WATERLOOVILLE AND
HAVANT.



IT IS ABSOLUTELY **CRITICAL** THAT ALL DATES SHOULD BE ENTERED INTO YOUR DIARY FOR THE YEAR SO THAT YOU DON'T MISS IMPORTANT FUTURE RACE DATES AND GALAS.

Please remember to check the noticeboard for the team galas that are coming up—Graham Pople will put up any Team Selection Sheet a week before the event. Please ensure that you check the board regularly for selection and sign when required.

You will note that an additional consent clause has been added to the new team sheets.

Thank you

SQUAD NEWS

JUNIOR PERFORMANCE SWIMMER OF THE MONTH

ELLA FRANCIS

&

RORY HUGGINS

Congratulations to Ella Francis and Rory Huggins for their excellent achievements in the recent Club Championships, and for breaking several long standing club records

FOUNDATION

Congratulations to the following swimmers on achieving promotion up to Intermediate Squad from beginning of February

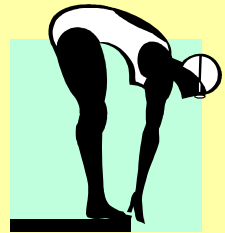
Amber Faul
Archie Wilcox
Ted Yeates
Jamie Lee
Dean Hayter
Adam Hayter
Jamie Richardson
Anna- Lucia Navato
Amy Sissons
Joseph Bratty

FOUNDATION SWIMMER OF THE MONTH IS **EMMA BARBER**

For all her hard work and consistent effort and for doing well in the Club Champs.

HIGHER SQUAD

SWIMMER OF THE MONTH



JASMINE HALL

I would like to pick Jasmine from my squad for having a great attitude towards training and competing.

I would also like to give a big congratulations to the whole squad for their excellent performances at the club champs and for achieving some fantastic pb's. Well done everyone.

Amanda Beauchamp

ADVANCED SQUAD SWIMMER OF THE MONTH **BETH ELMS**

For listening to everything she is told and for just getting on with it!
Great attitude so well done



INTERMEDIATE SQUAD

CONGRATULATIONS TO

Tom Bonnett

Joseph Hendry

ON THEIR PROMOTION UP TO HIGHER SQUAD

PERFORMANCE

SWIMMER OF THE MONTH

EMILY GAIZELY

For 100% attendance in January and for setting a new 200m Breast Stroke Club Record

Congratulations!

CLUB SQUAD

The honour of the most Improved Swimmer in Club is shared by **Matt Marrinachio and Robert Hawley** as their training has been exceptional this month.

MASTERS IN ACTION

by Adrian Roberts MBE

HASLEMERE MASTERS MEET – SATURDAY 12 FEBRUARY 2011

Yes its finally here the first meet of our calendar (Short Course) in Haslemere, TODAY! There are 9 members of the Masters squad (Sue, Pauline, Lynne, Trish, Sarah, Paul, Adrian, Adam & Stephen) representing H&WSC plus one honouree member (Barrie Stewart). We hope to bring back a few medals and trophies—watch this space!

GUERNSEY MASTERS – FRIDAY 8 MARCH TO MONDAY 11 MARCH 2011

H&WSC are represented at this meet every year by at least two team members. It's a great meet to attend.

10th ROYAL NAVY OPEN MASTERS – SUNDAY 27 MARCH 2011

This event will be held in Millfield School on Sun 27 Mar 11. It's a great opportunity for H&WSC to enter 4 x 50m Relays (As ALL Female, ALL Male or Mixed teams) in the age groups of 72+, 100-119, 120-159, 160-199, 200+. It would be really good if we could take a couple of teams there and set some new club records and who knows maybe break another British Record!!

EASTBOURNE MASTERS MEET – SUNDAY 15 MAY 2011

This is a new meet on the calendar for 2011, being held on Sun 15 May 11 at The Sovereign Centre, Eastbourne. Again there are 50m & 100m in all strokes plus 100m IM. More importantly we can promote the team building with Mixed Relays in the 120, 160, 200 & 240 yrs.

HAMPSHIRE MASTERS MEET – SUNDAY 5 JUNE 2011

The date has been set for the Hampshire Masters Meet where our club hauled in an impressive 80+ medals in 2010. This year its planned to be held on home turf again (Waterlooville) on Sunday 05 June 2011. (PLEASE PLACE THIS DATE IN YOUR DIARY). Ideally it would be fantastic to enter 2 x teams in every age group 72, 120 & 200+ like we did in 2010 of every relay.



MAUREPAS 2011

Depart 3rd June and
return Monday 6th June

If you put your name down on the list for Maurepas you should have by

now received an email from me giving you an entry form and the Personal Details form to complete and return together with your £25 non-refundable deposit. (put into the Club Postbox)

Your deposit will secure your place on the bus (subject to meeting minimum qualifying times).

If you didn't put your name down, but you now want to go, you may go on to the waiting list if you let us know. Best way to do this is to email me.

If you don't quite meet the qualifying times, or have any swimming concerns (remember this is a 50m length outside pool, please arrange to speak with Graham Pople, Head Coach.

If you are no longer interested but did have your name down, please let me know so that we let someone else have your place.

TRIP CO-ORDINATOR: Tina Lewendon
Email: tina@eti.me.uk

OR SPEAK TO ME POOLSIDE. (JP squad)
JANE ROWLAND, MANDY JERMY OR SARAH
GIBBONS MAY ALSO BE ABLE TO HELP WITH
ANY QUERIES
Thank you