

# WATFORD SWIMMING CLUB NEWSLETTER NOVEMBER 2007

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Articles for the next newsletter by **Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> December** please

- \* Entry form on Westfield School board
- \*\* See board for team selection and venues
- \*\*\* Club Supported Open Meet, see Janet for entry form
- \*\*\*\* Other Open Meets, details on the board

## Team Leagues\*\*

### Speedo League:

8<sup>th</sup> Dec

### Daplyns:

(under 14)

1<sup>st</sup> Dec

### 2008 Herts. League:

(2 teams are entered)

5<sup>th</sup> January

2<sup>nd</sup> February

19<sup>th</sup> April

### 2008 Peanuts League:

(9-13 yrs olds)

10<sup>th</sup> May

TBA

12<sup>th</sup> July

## Medals in the European Masters Championships

From *Ernie Biggins*

Anthony Gimson, a long time member and Past President of Watford SC now living in Haywards Heath competed in the European Masters Championships held in Slovenia last October.

Making his debut in the 70yrs age group he gained Silver in the 100m freestyle with a best time (long course) of 1-14.18 and Bronze in the 50m freestyle with a time of 33.24 seconds.

I bet some of the development swimmers would be pleased with times like that!

## Development Meet

Last Saturday 23 development swimmers were in action at the Development meet. There were some great swims with many new personal bests, medals and even better a few swims which were just too good and incurred the prized speeding ticket.

Medals were won by:

**1<sup>st</sup>:** George Yerbury 200m IM & 50m Breast, Fiona McQuire 200m Breast, Jack Pickford 200m Breast, Molly Landolfi 200m Back, Lewis Sills 50m Free.

**2<sup>nd</sup>:** Lewis Sills 200m Breast, Ashley Holness-Wright 200m Fly

**3<sup>rd</sup>:** Molly Landolfi 200m IM, Peter Pickford 200m Breast, Leia Dowding 200m Back, George Yerbury 50m Fly, Shauna Gardner 50m Back

Speeding tickets won by: Jack Pickford 200m Free, Lewis Hawkins 200m Breast, George Yerbury 200m Back & 50m Free, Jack Pickford 50m Fly

Well done all.

## Club Supported Open Meets

Biggleswade - 19<sup>th</sup>-20<sup>th</sup> Jan 2008

## One for the diary - Counties

Next years Counties will be held at Borehamwood Pool on:

Sat 1<sup>st</sup> March afternoon and evening  
Sun 2<sup>nd</sup> March morning and afternoon  
Sat 8<sup>th</sup> March afternoon and evening  
Sat 15<sup>th</sup> March afternoon and evening  
Sun 16<sup>th</sup> March morning and afternoon

**Keep these dates free.**

## Happy November birthday to:

Becky Hopper  
Katie Stronell  
Amy Chung  
Lauren Dixie  
Paige Dore-Boize  
Katrina Clark  
Sky Draper  
Rachel Williams

## Dinner Dance

This is on 1<sup>st</sup> December at the Metropolitan Police Club in Bushey.

For adult members and guests the cost is £22 and for students in full-time education in year 10 or above the cost will be £15. The students will have their own tables.

Tickets are available from *Barbara*.

This months flashes from *Justine*:

### FREE

BRONZE: Rhiannon Heard

SILVER: Liam Hall

GOLD: Louisa Taylor

PLATINUM: Jack Pickford

### BACK

BRONZE: Rhiannon Heard

GOLD: George Yerbury

### BREAST

BRONZE: Taylor Lees, Katie Attfield, Cameron Wells

SILVER: Liam Hamilton, Jack Pickford

GOLD: Louisa Taylor

PLATINUM: Ashley Holness-Wright

### FLY

BRONZE: Fiona McQuire

SILVER: Jack Pickford, George Yerbury

### IM

BRONZE: Shauna Gardner, Taylor Lees

SILVER: Lizzie Soppitt