



SWIMMING CLUB

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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

What a busy start to the season we have had, getting into the routine of squad training, attending club nights and carnivals. Well done to all our swimmers for attending these events. A huge thank you to Anne Inglis for organising club night, thank you Catherine Devir and Lynda Hinz for your work in the canteen and to all our volunteers who help out at club night...we couldn't do it without you. Also to the rest of the club committee I can't thank you enough on your efforts to keep the club running smoothly.

I'm very proud as President of the club to say how well our swimmers conduct themselves and perform at carnivals. We should all be very proud of our swimmers as their behaviour is exceptional, they look great in our club swimmers and are performing so well....PB's and medals a plenty! This couldn't happen without our two coaches Heidi and Vicki and their hard work and dedication to our swimmers and club.....thank you ladies.

Kids, if you read this newsletter say thank you to your parents, you wouldn't be swimming if it wasn't for them!!

I hope the rest of the season goes as well as the past few months have.....see you on pool deck!

TURN -N- BURN BULLETS!

Cheers

Brent

Our fantastic team at Liquid Energy Swim Carnival.



Many thanks to all parents who helped with time keeping, setting up and packing up. Also big thanks to both coaches who did so well to help and motivate the kids on the day



UPCOMING SWIM MEETS

Biloela Open Swim Meet

15th & 16th Nov

NOMINATIONS CLOSED

Emu Park Novice Meet

30th Nov

Nominations close 15th Nov

NOTE: All carnival nomination information is available on pool deck.

Emails will not be sent to each individual. All information regarding the nomination process etc are on the notice board and copies of meet flyers in red folder on pool deck. Please take one.



Congratulations to our many swimmers who have achieved age champ and runner up age champs at the 4 carnivals held so far. GO BULLETS

COACHES INFO ON STATE'S COMPETITION

Hello to all Members,

I would like to touch base with everyone and make you aware of what our older squads (9yrs & over) have been working towards in and out of the pool since our season has begun.

Every year our goal is to have a Team make it to Brisbane State champs with 2 on offer. The first one is in December and is for longer distances only for ages 11 and up.

The second seems to more popular as it is a sprint champs (meaning 50m events only) and is for 9yrs and up. We already have a few swimmers who have made their times and quite a few chasing them so if you are interested in attending either comps please let me know on btsccoach@gmail.com

Qualifying times are on our Club notice board.

Kind Regards Coach Heidi

McDonalds Qld Championships

11yrs and over.

14th-20th Dec 2013

This competition targets longer distances

McDonalds Qld Sprint Championships.

9yrs & over

8th-9th Feb 2014

This competition is for 50m distances only



CLUB NIGHT INFORMATION

Club Night dates for the remainder of the year are as follows:

Nov 27 – Canteen duty is Juniors (dash for cash qualifier)

Dec 4 – Canteen duty is Novice

Dec 11 – Canteen duty ALL Squads (fun relay night) – does not count towards attendance requirements for age champion

Our next club night will be on Wednesday the 27th of November and the program will include a 25m Freestyle 'Dash for Cash' qualifier. For those swimmers who are new to the club, the 'Dash for Cash' final is held at our Club Championships in March and we take the top 5 swimmers in each age group through to the final. Don't worry if you cannot make it to this one as there will be other opportunities to qualify after Christmas. Parents from the JUNIORS squad are required for Canteen Duty.

We have made a decision to only allow swimmers in the Novice and Junior squads to swim in the regular 25m events at club night (this excludes the Dash for Cash qualifiers).

- Just a reminder that to be eligible for Age Champion at our Club Champs, swimmers must compete at 60% of club nights and represent our club at 4 carnivals. To be on track for the club night requirement, swimmers must have competed at 3 club nights between the dates of Oct 16 and Dec 4. Note, Wednesday the 11th of December does not count towards the attendance (as noted in the 'Guide to Club Night' booklet).

Nomination forms for our next club night will be at the pool Thurs 14th of Nov.

Uniform shop

The uniform shop will be open on pool deck between the hours of 4pm to 5:15pm every Thursday and also every club night. If any items are desperately required between these times, please contact Nat Gibbons by email btscsquads@gmail.com.



SQUAD TRAINING TIMES FOR 2013

MONDAY

Advanced Squad 6:30am-7:30am

Junior Squad 3:15pm-4:15pm

Intermediate Squad 4:15pm-5:15pm

Age Squad 5:15pm-7:15pm

TUESDAY

Age Squad 5:30am-7:30am

Novice Squad 3:15pm-4:15PM

Advanced Squad 4:15pm-5:45pm

WEDNESDAY

Advanced Squad 5:30am-6:30am

Intermediate Squad 6:30am-7:30am

Junior Squad 3:15pm-4:15pm

Age squad 4:15pm-6:15pm except club night

5:30-7:30 every 2nd week, sea slugs every other week

THURSDAY

Age Squad 5:30am-7:30am

Novice Squad 3:15pm-4:15pm

Intermediate Squad 4:15pm-5:15pm

Advanced Squad 5:15pm-6:45pm

FRIDAY

Advanced Squad 5:30am-6:30am

Intermediate Squad 6:30AM-7:30am

Junior Squad 3:15pm-4:15pm

Age squad 4:15-6:15pm

SATURDAY

Sea slugs 4:00pm-5:00pm