South Gippsland Bass Newsletter 26th May, 2017



Welcome Back!

The end of season break has come and gone and we are back at it again. I hope everyone has come back feeling refreshed and I look forward to seeing what this season has in store for our swimmers and our club.

Throughout this season we will be looking to implement a number of new opportunities for our swimmers into the program so make sure you are keeping up to date on TeamApp, emails and newsletters to make sure you don't miss out.

Welcome back and if I haven't seen you on pool deck yet I hope to see you soon.

Dylan Muir

SGB Winter Qualifier @ Leongatha Sunday, 18th June

Our first meet of the season will be hosted by SGB at Leongatha. This meet will be a great opportunity for our swimmers to see where they are at early in the season, especially for all our new and young swimmers. It is also the first opportunity of the season for Swimmers to achieve Vic Country and Vic Age Short Course Qualifying times.

Please note: as this is a winter meet it is a 'pay per event meet.' This is a great opportunity for our club as a fundraiser and we hope to see all our swimmers there supporting the club.

To register for this meet and to find out more information please visit the Gippsland Website and follow the links to the SGB Winter Qualifying meet: <u>http://gippslandswimming.org.au/gippsland-winter-season-of-swimming-takes-off/</u>

If you are not currently a member of Swimming Victoria you will still be able to swim at this meet. If you are interested in swimming please email <u>sgbswim@hotmail.com</u> with the following information: Swimmers Name Date of Birth

List of events and event number they would like to enter \$7 per event to be paid into the club account

Entries close 14th June, 9.00pm.



Intraclub #1 @ Leongatha Friday, June 30th Warm up: 5.30pm Racing: 6pm-8pm

Our first Intraclub of the season will be held at Leongatha on Friday 30th June.

Swimmers will be separated into 4 teams with a club coach to take a team each and 2 captains being selected into each team.

Age Groups and Events:

7yrs & under:	25m events
8yrs:	25m FLY & BR/50m BK & FR
9yrs:	25m FLY/50m BK, BR & FR
10yrs:	50m events
11yrs:	50m events
12yrs:	50m events
13-14yrs:	50m events
15yrs+:	50m events

Entries:

All swimmers must enter prior to the night. If you wish to enter please email <u>sgbswim@hotmail.com</u> with the following information: Swimmers Name Swimmers Date of Birth

Training

A Junior Squad session will still run from 4-5.30pm as usual for anyone that cannot make the Intraclub meet.

National, National Development, Senior and State Squads will still have a session available to them from 4.30pm-6.00pm.

11&under Encouragement Meet @ Leongatha Saturday, 15th July. Warm up: 4.00pm, Commences: 4.30pm

A great meet for young and new swimmers to race in a friendly and familiar environment. Swimmers will have the opportunity to race in all strokes across 25m.

To enter please follow the link:<u>https://connect.swimming.org.au/sal-wrap-public/workflows/MEMBER.EVENT.DETAIL&dbWorkflowKey=012908</u>

New swimmers that are not yet registered with Swimming Victoria will need to wait until after July 1st to sign up with Swimming Victoria and enter this meet.

Entries close: 12th July, 5.00pm.



Presentation Night

A big congratulations to the club and our swimmers for their achievements over the past year. It was a great night for everyone involved and well done to all the award winners.

Award Winners

Club Champions	Lily Robinson	Nathan Foote	
Runners up	Mayson Vanderkolk	Locke DeGaris	
8&under Champions	Rahni Matheson	Matthew Car	
Runners up	Neka McKenzie	Jake Marotta	
9-10yrs Champions	Belinda Baird	Oscar Hughes	
Runners up	Jaelina Kiley	Cooper Quaife	
11-12yrs Champions	Jordi Vanderkolk	Riley Harris	
Runners up	Sophie McKenzie	Josh Wight	
13-14yrs Champions	Mason Vanderkolk	Angus Baird	
Runners up	Isabelle O'Neill	Kelsey Dal Pozzo	
15yrs&over Champions	Lily Robinson	Nathan Foote	
Runners up	Taya Murdoch	Locke DeGaris	
Most Improved	Freya Liepa		
Coaches Awards	Sarah: Brett: Gemma: Lorri: Dylan:	Maddi Boyd Becky Heffer Jade Ruffin Hayden Barnes Amy Treacy	
Wonthaggi Swim Club Award Winners			
Under 8 Champions	Jay Douglas Miah Roberts		

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Under 10 Champion	Thomas Courtney Alexandra Beale
Under 12 Champion	Zac Mabilia Ebony Donohue
Under 14 Champion	Alex Muir Elle Douglas
Under 16 Champion	Jarrod Muir
OPEN Champion	Katherine Roberts
Spirit of Wonthaggi Award	Alexandra Beale
Club Champion	Jarrod Muir



TeamApp

If you are not yet on TeamApp, I encourage you to join up. We post a lot of our information on TeamApp, especially last minute changes in competition information as it is quick and easy to communicate through.

The club can be found by searching 'South Gippsland Bass'