

FEBRUARY 2024

From The President

The year started off with a bang and we are at the height of our competitive season.

As the president of SGB committee I have many roles to ensure the governance and procedures are current and effective for what we need to do. This has been a huge learning curve over the last year that I've been President. To help with this, Gipps Sport and Swimming Victoria have been providing webinars and information sessions to help us along this path. The committee and executive committee over the next few months will be going through our policies and procedures to ensure that they are up-to-date and current to the needs of our ever evolving club. Our goal is to create a process that enables succession of committee members and executives smooth and less daunting as roles change.

If you have any questions or suggestions please email me president@sgbswimclub.com.au





Upcoming Events

MARCH

9-11: Gippsland Champs 16-17: All Junior Finals

APRIL

6-14: National MC & Age

AUGUST

10-11: Country Champs

SEPTEMBER

27: Bunnings Fundraiser

See Team App Events For details





GSI - HOSTED BY WARRAGUL - 10/2/24

Once again the wind provided an added challenge to swimmers. One swimmer commented "I had to swim on an angle to actually swim straight"!

200 Fly, one of the toughest races there is! Well done to Emily (11) and Sienna H (13) for taking this event head on today. They both did an amazing job. Emily is now the 11yr old record holder and is the youngest SGB swimmer to do this crazy event!

Well done to all swimmers today, you worked so well as a team supporting each other. Was fantastic to see some of our adult swimmers in action. Bring on Gippies!

Thank you Gippsland Swimming Inc and Warragul Swimming Club for a fantastic meet.

Only one more GSI meet to go to qualify for Gippsland Championships. This meet is also the qualifying meet for the All Junior semi and finals held at MSAC next month.

GSI All Junior Selection Meet - Sale

The last of the GSI meets on held 17th February before the Gippsland Championships in a few weeks.

53 SGB swimmers lead by coaches Lorri and Sam put forward an impressive performance, with 73% (39) of the swimmers qualifying for the semifinals to be held at MSAC next month.

The Coaches were impressed with how well the swimmers performed, especially the under 8 and 9yr age groups, where it is quite daunting for them to be swimming 50m, some for only the second or third time.

Thank you Gippsland Swimming Inc for giving our swimmers the opportunity to swim at Gippsland only meets, the swimmers love getting together with their competitors/friends from other clubs and the friendships they are making are amazing!









On the 23-25th Feb, 9 SGB swimmers attended this high level competition which resulted in amazing performances. RESULTS:

- · Tomei Dal Pozzo 50 Butterfly 41st matched entry time
- · Molly Dettbarn (15) 50 Freestyle 95th
- · Mostyn Lumsden (16) 100 Freestyle 111th, 50 Backstroke 65th, 50 Butterfly 76th, 200 Freestyle 78th, 100 Butterfly 59th, 100 Backstroke 65th
- · Rahni Matheson (15) 100 Breaststroke QUALIFIED B final: 3rd in B Final: Overall result 13th, 200 Breaststroke 47th
- · Sophie McKenzie 100 Breaststroke 36th, 200 Breaststroke 25th, 50 Breaststroke QUALIFIED B final: 8th in final: Overall result 18th
- · Cooper Quaife (18) 50 Butterfly 86th, 100 Butterfly 64th, 50 Freestyle 145th
- · Miah Roberts (14) 200 IM 38th 0.94s pb, 50 Backstroke 40th 0.51s pb
- · Zac Sherar (15) 100 Breaststroke 73rd, 50 Freestyle 108th 0.05s pb
- · Will Simmons (14) 50 Backstroke 70th, 50 Freestyle 136th, 100 Backstroke 66th



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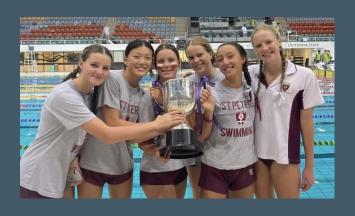
Diversity & Inclusion

SGB IS AN INCLUSIVE SWIMMING CLUB, WELCOMING ALL MEMBERS OF THE COMMUNITY SGB IS PROUD TO ACKNOWLEDGE THE PEOPLE OF THE BUNURONG AS THE TRADITIONAL OWNERS AND CUSTODIANS OF THIS LAND AND WATERS. WE RECOGNISE THE UNIQUE DIVERSITY OF THE FIRST PEOPLES HERE IN SOUTH GIPPSLAND AND BASS COAST.





Olivia Homes is enjoying and having a successful time at her new school in QLD. In January Olivia moved into a boarding school to attend St Peter's Western in Brisbane. Pictured is Olivia and some of her team mates after a successful school swimming championships. Way to go Olivia!



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